

COUNTY TICKET.

Senate, Col. PAUL B. MEANS, House of Representatives, CHAS. McDONALD, Sheriff, WILLIAM PROBST, Register of Deeds, JNO. K. PATTERSON, Treasurer, JNO. A. CLINE, Cotton Weigher, R. S. HARRIS, Coroner, J. N. BROWN, Surveyor, JNO. H. LONG.

LOCAL AFFAIRS.

Go and hear Maj. Finger at Mt. Gilead next Tuesday. Dockery voted for a colored man against a white farmer. John W. Wadsworth, of Charlotte, had several nice teams in town. Dockery voted for a colored man against a one-legged Confederate soldier. Mr. Chas. Harris, of Springsville, notwithstanding his advanced age, attended the Fair.

The full report of the old soldiers permanent organization will be published next week. The ladies who managed the old soldiers dinner did it in superb style. Every body had a word of praise for the management. As a new announcement in our column of Announcements we see that of T. A. Moser, for Senator of Stanly and Cabarrus counties.

The Mt. Pleasant Band, deserve a special local of praise for the splendid music given during the past days of the fair. May they ever improve. With all the crowd in town and at the Fair grounds, only four arrests have been made thus far. Where, in the State, can you find such a record? A case of riding on the pavement under the influence of Lord John Barleycorn by some one, we didn't learn who, cost the guilty party \$5.35.

Maj. Finger speaks at Mt. Gilead on Tuesday next. Go and hear him. The County Board of Education met in the Superintendent's office and transacted the usual business. The Board adjourned to meet on the 27th.

Let us acknowledge the finest, largest Geranium bloom we have ever seen. It was a present from Miss Rosa Freeze of Mill Hill, and to her The Standard tenders its best wishes.

A runaway, from Patterson's lot, out through the alley between Mr. Joe Mehaffey's jewelry store and The Standard office, gave everybody a scare on Monday, and shook up our types "munchly."

The county canvass of candidates begins to-day at the Fair grounds. We hope every voter will attend the speaking in his own township and hear the issues of this campaign discussed.

We have seen a letter from P. A. Correll, Jr., of Albany, Montana Territory, son of our townsman, P. A. Correll, Sr. He speaks glowingly of the far West. He is getting \$90 per month.

The brick masons and the hod-carriers at the Female Seminary had quite a fall last Friday by the breaking down of the scaffold. We are glad to say that no one was seriously hurt.

One of the great attractions of the reunion was old "Bird," Capt. J. A. Fisher's war-horse. She is now 30 years old and when the rebel yell was raised she put on all the airs of a 4 year old colt.

Our livery men are the recipients of many praises this week for the efficient livery services, given to the people of the town and elsewhere, to and from the Fair grounds. Every five minutes a carriage or bus was running to and from the grounds.

Monday night our Mayor had a case of drunk and disorderly. The defendant a colored voter. To the query, "Guilty or not guilty?" he said, "He, I not guilty, boss, (hic) I see no nussus." His speech and manner gave him away.

The trial last Sunday evening before Esp. Williford, in the court house in reference to disturbing public worship at the colored baptist church brought together half a house full of people. The patron came out victorious and his opponent was bound over to court.

Don't forget the speaking at Mt. Gilead, next Tuesday. Maj. Finger and others will be there.

Maj. S. M. Finger, State Superintendent, will speak at Mt. Gilead church next Tuesday. Let every one that can go, and hear this talented, good man.

The wood work inside the new Lutheran parsonage was done by our colored carpenter, Julius Alexander. It is in first-class mechanical style and deserves a notice. Jule is a faithful, hard working, thrifty citizen, and deserving of patronage.

The Ladies Missionary Society of the Presbyterian church, assisted by some of the best musical talent in town, will give a series of Dime Concerts on Thursday evenings, the first to be given at the residence of Mr. J. P. Allison Thursday evening, Oct. 18th, commencing at half-past seven o'clock. All invited to attend.

Personal Penitents. Mr. and Mrs. Atkins, of Albemarle, took in the Fair.

Mac. Woodside, an old Concord type come to see us. Welcome.

Mr. W. W. Reid, of Salisbury, was in town this week.

Col. Paul Heilig, of Salisbury, took in the Fair.

Treasurer Sidney Hearne, of Stanly, was in town on Wednesday.

Misses Holmes and Rendleman, of Salisbury, are visiting friends in town.

Miss Annie Shipman, of Arrington, Va., is visiting Miss Lallie Hill this week.

Mr. Strong, of the Charlotte Democrat, gave us a call on Wednesday.

Dr. Paul Barringer, son of Gen. R. Barringer gave his native town a visit this week.

Miss Attie Wray, of Reidsville, and Miss Lizzie R. Miller of St. John's, are visiting Miss Maggie Johnston.

Mr. Clansell Black is at home on a rest. A badly mangled hand incapacitates him for duty on the R. & D. Road.

Gen. Rufus Barringer, of Charlotte, was at the Fair, shaking hands with his numerous friends and fellow soldiers.

W. C. Frailey, our old school mate in an a. b. c. class, came in and gave us a big shake. We like Ike and can't help it.

Mr. Smith Patterson, of China Grove, is in town, shaking hands with his many friends. Smith is one of Rowan's best business young men.

Mr. Bob Ridenhour came in from Winston, accompanying A. J. Yorke. There is not one in the eastern part of Cabarrus who does not know Bob, and all will welcome him.

Jas. A. Deaton, a first-class typo, from Newberry, S. C., but a native of our town, is here and with his old time good will doubled up on THE STANDARD and helped us out.

A. J. Yorke, that indefatigable worker and polite employee of Cannons & Fetzer, came in from Winston to Cabarrus county's first Fair. Everybody gave Jones a hearty shake. THE STANDARD welcomes him not with a shake, but with a great big whole-souled welcome from the heart.

A Half Sheet.

This week has been the gala week for Concord. Our types wanted to attend the Fair, and then they belonged to the base ball nine too, so you see we had to let them go. We give you, dear readers, a half sheet. Next week we will give you a full report of all the Fair, and all the local news. You know "how it is yourself" on such a time.

Baldy Hurl.

On Tuesday of last week, Geo. H. Barnhardt, of No. 9 township, was badly, though not seriously, hurt while hauling tops and fodder from the field. He was riding upon a high load when the tops slipped off in front, carrying him with them, down between the horses, which took fright and ran in a wild manner over the corn rows, until they became unhitched. Mr. B. received several ugly bruises on the head and chest. He is improving.

A Great Worker.

The pastor of the Baptist congregation in this place is a most energetic worker. Rev. Newton, with an eye to the advancement of the interests of his charge, has been doing valuable work during the summer months by attending the different Associations in the State and there soliciting contributions to his church fund.

The Baptists own a nice lot in town and are soon to erect a church. Mr. Newton has been in Carthage and Raleigh during this week; he returns Saturday.

Don't forget to go to Mt. Gilead on next Tuesday, Oct. 16, and hear Maj. Finger on the political issues of the day.

Be sure and come to the Fair to-morrow. Gov. Vance is to speak in the Fair grounds, and a big crowd is expected.

Splendid Arrangement.

Our accommodating and jolly mail carrier, Alfred M. Allmon, who runs the line between Mt. Pleasant and Concord, has just purchased from York & Wadsworth a beautiful and easy riding double-seated covered hack for the convenience and comfort of his passengers. Let improvements go on.

Hall of Stokes Lodge, No. 32, A. F. & A. M.

Brethren—You are hereby notified that a regular communication of Stokes Lodge, No. 32, will be held in the Masonic Hall Monday evening, Oct. 15, at half-past seven o'clock. Work in 3d degree. Take due notice and govern yourselves accordingly. By order of W. M. M. C. WALTER, Secretary.

—Come to the Fair to-morrow (Saturday). It will be the best day. Come.

A New Pastor.

Poplar Tent church has been without a pastor for sometime. A member of that congregation told us that in a few weeks they will have a regular pastor. He comes from South Carolina, and is an energetic and able man. Mr. Gillon will enter upon his duties as pastor of Poplar Tent church under favorable circumstances, and will be well cared for by the good people of that section. We welcome him to the State and county.

The License.

License were issued to the following during September by our Register, Jno. K. Patterson: Whites—Chas. A. Seahorn to Miss Maggie E. Fisher; W. C. Misenheimer to Miss Emma Wineoff; D. M. Clay to Miss Mattie M. Hartzell; Lawson A. B. got to Miss Alice E. Goodman; Thornton R. Powiass to Miss Ida V. Stirewalt; Henry C. Freeman to Miss Nancy C. Holton. Colored—Wright M. Smith to Mollie Spencer; John Moss to Mary Robinson; John G. Miller to Alice Cress; Sherman Ingram to Jennie Davis.

Radical Speaking.

Tuesday night Mr. John Pritchard, candidate for Lieutenant Governor, and Mr. Locke, candidate for Congressional honors, spoke to an audience in the court house, giving their views on political matters and trying to tell some good things the Republicans have done. As speeches of misrepresentation and wild truth-assertions, they were No. 1 successes; as a fair, honest, and intelligent discussion of the political issues of the day, they were No. 1 fizzes. Pritchard knows just about as much about the Tariff as a two year old child; his "exposin a case for argumint," and his beautiful words about the "good winning" of the country are samples of his phrases, which indicate the fact that he is not the man to preside over any law-making body of any State, and perchance become the Governor of the State.

Locke's effort was too much of an effort to be noticed. Indeed he said nothing—an empty noise. Poor men! God pity you.

The colored—and only a few—endorsed what they said by shouts of "You're right."

The Base Ball Game.

The ball games on the Fair grounds Tuesday and Wednesday were splendid. Salisbury and Concord tried their skill. The result Tuesday was, Concord 14, Salisbury 7. With Charley Foil and Will Caldwell as the battery, some fine work was done. Caldwell behind the bat excelled even himself, and Charley Foil's pitching was splendid. Ellis, as pitcher for the Salisbury club, won encomiums of praise, even from his competitors, and Merideth behind the bat made a splendid record. Keistler made two fine catches in short stop, and Deaton played a fine pick-up in right short stop. H. C. Williams, of Salisbury, was umpire.

Wednesday.—The game was called at the 7th inning on account of darkness, and the score stood as follows: Salisbury 4, Concord 2. Armfield and Morris were Salisbury's battery, and Coble and Cook for Concord. The Concord battery played well, but the splendid work of the first baseman, Robbins, and the battery of Armfield and Morris "got there all the same." Caldwell scored a stolen run, Foil and Jones made two nice catches in the field; Utley made a fine catch in left field, and Deaton came in for honors for a double play.

Concord gracefully submits to the defeat of this second day, by a team of wholesome boys from their neighboring towns, but are ready to meet them again in such a pleasant contest. Jno. W. Fink umpired.

The Fair.

With the Fair half over, and with a half sheet, so as to give our types a look at the biggest congregation of people that has assembled in Concord since war's first echoes reverberated through our land in 1861, we cannot give a full synopsis; but we can truly say the Fair is a success.

MONDAY

was a day of preparation. Stock came in by the car load, and the evening found our grounds full of stock—full of everything in the mechanical, agricultural and scientific line. And especially was the Floral Hall decorated with the handwork of the glorious South's fair daughters.

TUESDAY

added to the grand display. One by one they came with tributes of North Carolina's industry and skill; agriculturally, mechanically and artistically.

WEDNESDAY.

—"Old Soldiers Day," brought thousands and thousands of people. Eleven hundred and twenty five old soldiers fell into ranks and marched to the Fair grounds. The music of the veteran fifers and drummers awakened a lively interest in the days gone by. The reunion was a grand success. The picnic dinner was superb. But we have digressed.

THE SPEAKING.

The welcome address by Mr. B. F. Rogers was superb—filled to overflowing with grand ideas, well-rounded sentences, eulogistic of the deeds of heroes who fought for the "Lost Cause." The welcome to those who wore the blue was grand.

GEN. BARRINGER.

as orator of the day for the old soldiers, won the hearts of every soldier in line by his speech. It was wholesome, grand and patriotic. Loved by all who knew him, his remarks were met with a hearty response.

FRIDAY.

Wet, gloomy and disagreeable—even THE STANDARD reporter failed to "get there."

Next week we will give in full the report from the first day, of the raising, the stock and poultry exhibits, and those of Floral Hall. In fact, everything connected with this grand Cabarrus Fair will be given. We are unable to get the full report, but will devote next week's issue to a full report of the whole four days exhibit.

The Fair has been a big thing—the old soldiers had a glorious meeting after a score of years. The address of welcome was grand; the oration was superb. The exhibits far surpassed anything of former years at our two County Fairs. In addition, the Cabarrus County Fair is an assured success, not by any aid save that of our agricultural and mechanical people.

—Go next Tuesday to Mt. Gilead and hear Maj. Finger.

Public Speaking.

Senator M. W. Ransom will address the people on the issues of the campaign at the following places and times:

Albemarle, Stanly county, 16 Oct., 1888.

Concord Cabarrus county, 25 Oct., 1888.

The local committees are requested to advertise these appointments by hand bills and otherwise.

SPICER WHITAKER, Chm'n Dem. State Ex. Com.

Grand Democratic Rally.

Hon. Mat. W. Ransom will address the people of Cabarrus on the political issues of the present campaign at Concord Thursday, October 25. Ladies are especially invited. All voters of all political parties are respectfully requested to come and hear Senator Ransom. The greatest crowd ever assembled in Concord will be here October 25.

Hon. S. M. Finger, Superintendent of Education, will make a Democratic speech at Mt. Gilead, in Township No. 5, Tuesday, October 16. Major Finger will make one of the strongest and most sensible speeches ever heard in Cabarrus. Everybody is invited to be at Mt. Gilead October 16.

Hon. Chas. M. Steadman will speak in the court house in Concord, at night, October 16. Maj. Steadman is one of the most splendid and powerful orators in North Carolina. Every lady and gentleman in and around Concord should hear him. All are invited.

All these appointments are made by order of Mr. Spicer Whitaker, Chairman State Democratic Executive Committee.

L. M. ARCHIE, Chairman.

IS LIFE WORTH LIVING?

Not if you go through the world a dyspeptic. Acker's Dyspepsia Tablets are a positive cure for the worst forms of Dyspepsia, Indigestion, Flatulency and Constipation. Guaranteed and sold by N. D. Fetzer.

Senator Ransom.

We would direct special attention to the appointments elsewhere announced for Senator Ransom by Chairman Whitaker. They are for Albemarle, Stanly county, on the 16th inst, and Concord, Cabarrus county, on the 25th, and promise Democratic feasts indeed. Senator Ransom is one of the most eloquent of American and one of the most patriotic of North Carolinians. He for years fought the battles of the South on the floor of the United States Senate when to do so required not only the utmost valor but the utmost skill and he has borne himself away in the eyes of the country so as to reflect the highest honor on the State he represents. He has ever been alive, moreover, to the material welfare of North Carolina and has acquired at the Federal capital by his great talents and ability an influence second to that of no Senator from this section. He is the representative of the State on the National Democratic Committee and is otherwise high in the councils of the Democratic party. He is, indeed, a man worthy of the distinguished consideration in which he is held by the people of this State. His reputation for eloquence and power in debate is co-extensive with the country at large, and here at home he is admired for his ability as a public speaker as it has been the privilege of few men to be admired in the history of the State. He rises to the height of the true orator and being actuated by the impulses of pure patriotism speaks with power indeed on all occasions on which he makes himself heard. Hence we say the people of Albemarle and Concord have a rare treat before them in the prospect of listening to our superb senior Senator. Superb is the word to describe him, and he will speak as few men ever spoke in this country in behalf of the maintenance of the white man's rule in this white man's land and the continuance of the good government afforded by the Democracy. We hope he will find it possible to speak elsewhere during the campaign than at the points announced. The people of the whole State are anxious to hear him.—News and Observer.

OBITUARY.

Died, in Concord N. C. Sunday evening October 7th, 1888, after less than a week's illness with malignant diphtheria, George Braxton, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Archibald, in the 18th year of his age. Braxton's admirable traits of character won the confidence and esteem of friends and neighbors, and made him attractive to all who knew him. Together with a true manliness and independence there coexisted a child like disposition which was guileless and lovable. Modest and retiring it was in the sacred circle of his home that his virtues shone brightest. To father, mother, sister and brother his thoughtful care, his considerate attention and loving companionship will never be forgotten; their broken hearts will long mourn his loss. But "we weep not as those who have no hope." Always a good, conscientious boy, punctual and faithful in his private religious duties, nearly two years ago he confessed Christ and connected himself with the Presbyterian church and died in full fellowship. "Blessed are the dead who die in the Lord." With sad hearts we mingle our tears with the greatly afflicted family, earnestly praying our blessed Saviour to send unto them "the Comforter."

The pains of death are past, La or and sorrow cease, And life's great warfare closed at last His soul has reached "the peace."

Respectfully,  
Wm. PROBST,  
Sheriff of Cabarrus county, N. C.

PEOPLE EVERYWHERE

Confirm our statement when we say that Acker's English Remedy is in every way superior to any and all other preparations for the Throat and Lungs. In Whooping Cough and Croup it is magic and relieves a once. We offer you a sample bottle free. Remember, this Remedy is sold on a positive guarantee at Fetzer's Drug Store.

PIMPLES ON THE FACE

Denote an impure state of the blood and are looked upon by many with suspicion. Acker's Blood Elixir will remove all impurities and leave the complexion smooth and clear. There is nothing that will so thoroughly build up the constitution, purify and strengthen the whole system. Sold and guaranteed at Fetzer's Drug Store.

ARE YOU SKEPTICAL?

If so we will convince you that Acker's English Remedy for the Throat and Lungs is superior to all other preparations, and is a positive cure for all Throat and Lung troubles, Croup, Whooping Cough and Colds. We guarantee the preparation and will give you a sample bottle free at Fetzer's Drug Store.

CAUTION TO MOTHERS.

Every mother is cautioned against giving her child laudanum or paregoric; it creates an unnatural craving for stimulants which kills the mind or the child. Acker's Baby Soother is specially prepared to relieve children and cure their pains. It is harmless and contains no Opium or Morphine. Sold by N. D. Fetzer.

CONCORD MARKETS

Table with 2 columns: Item and Price. Includes Cotton Market, Corrected weekly by D. F. CANNON. Items: Stained, Low Middling, Middling, Good Middling.

PRODUCE MARKET.

Table with 2 columns: Item and Price. Includes Corrected weekly by DOVE, BOST & FINK. Items: Bacon, Sugar cured hams, Bulk meat sides, Beeswax, Butter, Chickens, Corn, Eggs, Lard, N. C. Flour, Peas, Oats, Tallow, Salt.

Announcements.

FOR THE SENATE. I hereby announce myself a Candidate to represent the Counties of Cabarrus and Stanly for the Senate. Oct. 11, 1888. T. A. MOSER.

COTTON WEIGHER.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for Cotton Weigher for Cabarrus county. Subject to the voters of the people of Cabarrus county, irrespective of party. I am neither trying to break down or build up either party, but am running as a candidate for weighing the people's cotton.—No party in it. Respectfully, D. A. CALDWELL.

COTTON WEIGHER.

I respectfully announce myself a candidate for the office of Cotton Weigher for Cabarrus county, N. C. JNO. C. YOUNG. Aug. 15, 1888.

NOTICE.

To the Farmers of Cabarrus County.—I will weigh your cotton at five cents a bale, if elected, certain. Yours truly, J. C. YORSE.

To the Voters of Cabarrus County.

Herewith I announce myself a candidate for the office of Register of Deeds. In asking you for your suffrages I promise to you a strict attention to the duties of the office and a faithful performance of every obligation. Very Respectfully, CHAS. F. WALTER.

NOTICE TAXES!

Please read the following Law carefully and remember I am compelled to obey the same, and every man in the county will have to conform to this law:

Laws of 1887, Chapter 137, Sec. 38.—The Sheriff or his deputy shall attend at his office, during the months of September and November for the purpose of receiving taxes for delinquents on or before the 1st day of October at some one or more places in each township, of which fifteen days' notice shall be given by advertisement at one or more places, and in a newspaper if one be published in the county.

Sec. 39.—Whenever the taxes shall be due and unpaid, the Sheriff shall immediately proceed to collect them, etc.

Sec. 55.—On the first Monday in February in each year, the Sheriff is directed to offer at public sale at the court house all lands on which the taxes levied for the previous year still remain unpaid on the first Monday in January preceding.

I shall endeavor to follow strictly the above laws, therefore, all parties are earnestly requested to come forward and settle their taxes. I will be in my office during October, or you will find a deputy there for the purpose of collecting taxes.

I will visit the places below for the same purpose on the days stated during the month of October, viz: No. 1 township, Friday, October 12, at Fair Grounds.

No. 1 township, Saturday, Oct. 13. " " " Monday, Oct. 15. " " " Tuesday, Oct. 16. " " " Wednesday, Oct. 17. " " " Thursday, Oct. 18. " " " Friday, Oct. 19. " " " Saturday, Oct. 20. " " " Monday, Oct. 22. " " " Tuesday, Oct. 23. " " " Wednesday, Oct. 24. " " " Thursday, Oct. 25.

The Candidates will be present and address the people. The taxes must be wound up by the 31st of next December.

Respectfully,  
Wm. PROBST,  
Sheriff of Cabarrus county, N. C.

Valuable Property FOR SALE.

I will sell Thursday, November 1, 1888, to the highest bidder, a house and lot (4 acres of land) situated in the town of Mt. Pleasant, known as the Mt. Pleasant Hotel. A 2 story frame building, 9 large convenient rooms, all outside buildings necessary, 1 good well of water, 1 large barn, shedded all around, and a splendid orchard bearing choice fruit. This property is the most desirable in town. I will also sell some household and kitchen furniture.

Two good schools are in operation here, North Carolina College, and a Female Seminary. So any one having children to educate will do well to attend this bargain sale. I will sell the same day one small tract of land consisting of 40 acres, more or less, situated about one half mile from town.

Any information desired will address me at Mt. Holly, N. C. Terms reasonable.

Respectfully,  
JNO. LENTZ.

LADIES' PEERLESS DYES

Do Your Own Dyeing, at Home. They will dye everything. They are sold everywhere. Price 10c. 25c. 50c. 75c. per box. For Strength, Brightness, Amount in Packages or for Fastness of Color, no other Dyes. They do not crack or run, 40 colors. For sale by

For sale at (12) FETZER'S DRUG STORE, and D. JOHNSON'S DRUG STORE.

BUSINESS CAREER OF 18 MONTHS IN CONCORD. THE SECOND MOVE FOR MORE ROOM HAS JUST BEEN MADE.

While standing at my desk I lift my eyes and see 130 feet of shelving loaded with goods. It almost startles me, and puts me to thinking? What has brought such rapid growth. I remembered 20 months ago I was almost penniless, out of employment, and could not find any. Everything in Concord was said to be "overdone." For ten months I looked for something to turn up; then it was bitter than gall, now it is sweeter than honey. A great lesson. Wait not for something to turn up, but have the backbone to turn it up yourself. Although I had but \$17.47 left, I resolved to make one desperate plunge. Before me lay two roads, one to Annihilation, the other to Success. I resolved on the latter. I knew a few "thimble heads" would sneer at my stock of \$27.27 worth of notions (\$10 borrowed). My room was 8x12 feet. I laid down a few but firm rules—to sell for CASH only, at 25 per cent., and one price to all. I opened on the 2d day of April, '87, and in a day or two I had nothing to sell, and had sold the people on fire with 10c needles at 2c. Six months of toil drove me from the "rat-trap" to a house much larger, about 36x20 feet, where I expected to remain if I could afford to pay the rent, which only lacked \$42 of sizing my stock at that time. After four months I would have moved again had I not rented for 12 months. Determined to have room I rented one of Concord's best stores, which is 75 feet deep, and has a handsome glass front, known as the "old stand of Dove, Bost & Fink," one door above their present quarters. Goods at 25 per cent, CASH DOWN, drove me from my little 8x12 feet to 75x20 in less than 18 months. I challenge the credit system to surpass that if it can. I warn you to keep out of a system which taxes you to pay for the goods sold to the man who don't pay, and invite you to call over and see for yourself if the cash system of the Racket Store is not the only safe and true one.

Why do the PEOPLE GO TO CANNONS AND FETZER'S FOR CLOTHING? Because they can find what they want at the lowest price. Men's Heavy Winter Suits for \$3.00, just like they have been paying \$5.00 for. The people of Cabarrus have sense enough to know \$2.00 when they see it, and when they can get a good Cassimere Suit for \$8.00 that they are accustomed to pay \$10.00 for, they know it. The same way with Shoes and Boots. They can tell the difference between 75 cents and \$1.00. And when it comes to Hats it is the same story, 25 cents on the dollar saved. And then the boys are wild to go to CANNONS & FETZER'S, Because every boy that buys a suit from C. & F. is PRESENTED With a STYLISH PLUG HAT. Any boy can see the difference between a suit with a hat and a suit without a hat, especially when the suit with the hat is just as good and don't cost as much. They will take the hat every time.

Well, it is the same thing all through, goods bought in big lots for cash down, sold to our customers at retail for about wholesale prices. The people will not be humbugged. They know a good thing when they see it, therefore they go to CANNONS & FETZER'S and get their Clothing, Boots and Shoes, Hats, and all kind of goods at prices that saves them about 25 cents on the \$1.00.

Well, let them come. We have something good for all. Nice fine pictures given away.

CANNONS & FETZER'S

Very respectfully,  
D. J. BOSTIAN.

Concord Male Academy, CONCORD, N. C.

JAMES P. COOK, A. M., BREVARD E. HARRIS, A. B., Principals.

CLASSES.

Primary, Preparatory, Commercial and Academic.

The course of instruction is practical and thorough.

It is the aim of the Principals to give each pupil a thorough English education, and prepare him for the active duties of life.

To complete the Academic course, the students will be required to take all the branches necessary for entering the Freshman or Sophomore classes in our best colleges.

Lectures on Physiology and Hygiene, the Constitution of the State and the United States, and on other subjects of vital interest will be delivered during the session.

Review examinations will be held monthly. The result of these examinations in connection with class standing and deportment will be reported to the patrons of the school.