

Death of an Estimable Woman.

Mrs. Amelia Foil died, at her home on Depot street, a few minutes after three o'clock this morning. For several months her health had been precarious, but no apprehensions of her death were felt until during the past two weeks, when her illness assumed an alarming form.

Mrs. Foil was a noble christian woman, active and untiring in her devotion to her church, an indulgent mother; a kind neighbor and a trusty friend. She was richly endowed with all the graces that adorn a christian womanhood and was loved and honored by all who knew her. She was an unfaltering believer in the verities of the religion of Jesus and her death was in keeping with her life.

During the last days of her illness she was cheered by the presence of all the living members of family except two, a son and a sister who were too distant to be informed in time. Mr. Monroe Melcher and Mrs. Barnhardt, of Pioneer Mills; and Mrs. Leah Lilly and Mrs. Hearn, of Albemarle, were with her during the last few days and ministered tenderly to her comfort.

The funeral services will be held at her late residence, at 9 o'clock tomorrow morning, conducted by her pastor, Rev. Wright G. Campbell, of St. James' Lutheran church, and her remains will be interred by the side of her husband in the cemetery.

Mr. Pleasant Items.

Communion services at Holy Trinity church Easter Sunday. Rev. B. S. Brown, pastor.

The installation services of which I spoke last week were postponed indefinitely on account of the providential hindrance of Dr. Bowman. Saturday night before Easter, there will be an entertainment, consisting of several plays, at Fink's school house. A small fee will be charged to meet expenses.

Mr. J. R. Barnhardt, clearing out and shelling up his corn, last week, killed one hundred and four rats, weighing twenty six pounds, an average of one quarter of a pound each. This is a very singular feat, yet it is one of those living facts, Mr. Barnhardt must have plenty of grain to feed so many unnecessary animals.

Monday evening last, a comical bear show entertained a large and curious crowd on Heilig's street. The bear dance was a good performance, and the entire crowd seemed much pleased with this comical exhibition. But as to which was the more comical sight, the bears and their masters, or the curious crowd that gathered, is a very doubtful question to the writer.

THE BAD NEGRO CAUGHT.

Leroy Gray. For Whom There was a \$75 Reward, Has Been Caught.

Wednesday night Esq. Jno. Rankin and others, armed with a capias from the sheriff, searched Levi Rumples' house in No. 3, and captured Leroy Gray, colored, who escaped from jail here in January. Gray is one of the ringleaders of the cotton stealing club and there was a reward of \$75 for his capture. He was taken to Salisbury. Levi Rumples is a white man and Gray a negro.

Joe Trexler, another of the colored stealing gang for whom \$75 reward is offered has been captured in Charlotte and tells that if it had not been for Vasco Goodnight, who is here in jail on the same charge, Jno. Rankin would have been burned out of house and home, as the plot was all laid. Esq. Rankin has been very active in ridding the community of this robber gang, therefore their animosity.

"Here's to the maiden of fustian fifteen. And here's to the widow of forty!"

They have each reached a period in life when most females need assistance in tiding them over the shoals which so often completely wreck their after lives. In producing regularity and healthy action of the female organs, Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription stands without a peer. At a time when nature gives them increased burdens, so many young girls have their health for life shattered. If you wish your daughter to miss those periodical, agonizing backaches, and dizzy headaches, languid and tired feelings, accompanied with rough, pimply skin and dull, heavy eyes, get her a bottle of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. If you have reached the later period of danger and weakness, you will need a bottle, too. See wrapper on bottle for printed guarantee. Satisfaction given in every case or money returned.

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4. Franklin, Nash, Johnston, Chatham, Randolph, Wake and Vance.
5. Granville, Person, Durham, Orange, Alamance, Caswell, Rockingham, Guilford and Stokes.
6. Anson, Brunswick, Columbus, Mecklenburg, New Hanover, Pender, Richmond, Robeson and Union.
7. Cabarrus, Davidson, Davie, Iredell, Montgomery, Rowan, Stanley, Yadkin, Lincoln and Catawba.
8. Alleghany, Ashe, Burke, Caldwell, Cleveland, Gaston, Mitchell, Watauga, Wilkes, Alexander, Forsyth and Surry.
9. Buncombe, Cherokee, Clay, Graham, Haywood, Henderson, Jackson, McDowell, Macon, Madison, Polk, Rutherford, Swain, Transylvania and Yancey.

Col. John Boyd, of color, who was one of the prisoners who escaped from the jail in this city Thursday morning, could not help feeling gratified if he could see himself gazetted in all the daily papers of the country, through specials and regular press reports, as "John Boyd the wrecker of the train at Boston's Bridge." "Boyd, the train wrecker," sounds a great deal better than "Boyd, the cow-thief."—Charlotte Observer.

Oh, what a cough. Will you heed the warning. The signal perhaps of the approach of that more terrible disease Consumption. Ask yourselves if you can afford for the sake of saving 50c., to run the risk and do nothing for it. We know from experience that Shiloh's Cure will cure your cough. It never fails. This explains why more than a Million Bottles were sold the past year. It relieves croup and whooping cough at once. Mothers, do not be without it. For lame back, side or chest use Shiloh's Porous Plaster. Sold at Fetzler's drug store.

A Mr. Hatch, of Madison, N. C., was robbed Monday night of \$1,800. He had sold his stock of goods and carried the money in his room and deposited in a trunk. During the night the trunk was stolen and the money.

We have a speedy and positive cure for catarrh, diphtheria, canker mouth and headache, in Shiloh's Catarrh Remedy. A nasal injector free with each bottle. Use it if you desire health and sweet breath. Price 50c. Sold at Fetzler's drug store.

The New York Legislature has done a very much needed and a proper thing in passing a bill to close on Sunday the New York State building at the Chicago Fair next year. It was well and decidedly done. We hope all the States will copy this most worthy example. There is no excuse for desecrating the Lord's Day.—Wilmington Messenger.

The Arkansas Republican State Convention have gone for Benny Harrison.

There is not a colored person in Johns Cabin township, Wilkes county.

The best of all ways to lengthen our days, is to use Pierce's Purgative Pellets, Sir For nine-tenths of the diseases of the body begin with constipation or the clogging up of the sluice-ways, through which the impurities of the blood escape, so that they are reabsorbed into the system. The Purgative Pellets act gently but thoroughly upon the stomach and liver, and are the best laxative known. Without racking and straining the organs, they open the bowels and restore a natural digestion. Unequalled in dyspepsia, constipation, biliousness, piles, or any of the resulting diseases.

Pat Heard From.

Pat Sloan or McGuire, an unfortunate young boy of this town, has been heard from. He spent about a month in this office last fall. It was reported that he had been killed by Agusta firemen, but he has turned up in Wilmington and the Star says: There is a poor, unfortunate tramp printer in town—a victim of the morphine habit. He is indeed a pitiable object. Incapacitated for work, he totters around the streets begging passers-by for "just ten cents" with which to buy the powerful drug which now seems necessary to his very existence. When not fully under its influence his hands shake violently, as if he were pained and he pours forth an unending stream of incoherent talk. His constant companions are a hypodermic syringe and a supply of morphine. His body has the appearance of having been punctured in a thousand places with the needle of the syringe, large welts are to be seen here and there, his left arm is withered and shrunk, and his eyes have that glassy expression peculiar to those who have fallen victim to morphine. He is a veritable slave to the drug, which holds him captive at its will, and it is doubtful if he would live twenty-four hours if he were deprived of its use.

When we approach "the sore and yellow leaf" of our day, we are prone to look back reverently. A clear vision and gloomy reflection. Health is the greatest blessing—Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery the greatest medicine. It cures the progress of lung and catarrhal diseases, and cures consumption, or Lung-fever, if taken in time. It is the king of liver invigorators and blood-purifiers, and a powerful tonic, building up the debilitated patient to perfect health. Contains no alcohol.

The Standard noted "Pat McGuire's" appearance in Wilmington and now the Wilmington Star tells this: "The morphine victim, referred to in yesterday's Star, was arrested by the city authorities yesterday morning and carried to the 'lock up.'" A Star reporter interviewed him at the guard house last night. He said that his name was Wm. Sloan, and that his home was at Concord, N. C., although he had not been there in nineteen years. He stated that he was thirty years old, and had been travelling around the country for fifteen years, following the printers trade. While talking to the reporter he begged and almost cried for morphine, and said he would die before morning if he didn't get some. When asked how long he had been using the drug, he answered three years, and when asked how much he used a day, he said sixty grains of morphine, besides a bottle of cocaine.

The authorities say he had been begging and crying for morphine all day. The Rev. Geo. H. Thayer, of Bourbon, Ind., says: "Both myself and wife owe our lives to Shiloh's Consumption Cure." For sale at Fetzler's drug store.

Once in eight years, if not oftener, all the locks on United States mail bags must be changed. This is because after awhile a good many lost keys get around, and they are not very safe to have so distributed.

Kept up for years—the offer that's made by the proprietors of Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy. It's addressed to you, if you have Catarrh. It's a reward of \$500, if they can't cure you, no matter how bad your case, or of how long standing—an offer that's made in good faith by responsible men.

Think what it means! Absolute confidence in their Remedy, or they couldn't afford to take the risk. A long record of perfect and permanent cures of the worst cases—or they couldn't have faith in it. It means no more catarrh—or \$500. If you fail to be cured, you won't fail to be paid.

But perhaps you won't believe it. Then there's another reason for trying it. Show that you can't be cured, and you'll get \$500. It's a plain business offer. The makers of Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy will pay you that amount if they can't cure you. They know that they can—you think that they can't. If they're wrong, you get the cash. If you're wrong, you're rid of catarrh.

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Watch the Hour-glass. As a silver chain the gold right and day I found the answer to the riddle. I have been thinking about this for some time. I have been thinking about this for some time. I have been thinking about this for some time.

The trip to West Liberty, Ky., by a party of Congressmen to witness, officially, the burial of Congressman Kendall will cost the government \$2,184.58. This foolishness should be stopped. The remains of representative Kendall will not be carried by this outlay and show at the expense of a tax-ridden people.

The will of the late Rev. Charles H. Spruce leaves all his property to his wife, and appoints her sole executrix. The personal property is valued at about \$50,000.

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Notice—Land Sale. By virtue of a mortgage deed executed to me by T. S. Vampert and wife, on 2nd day of October, 1889 and registered in office of Register of Deeds of Cabarrus county in book L, page 88, I will sell for cash at the court house door in Concord, at 12 m., on Tuesday, the 16th day of February next, a tract of land lying in No. 3 township, adjoining the lands of T. A. Fleming, Caleb Little and others, containing 73.34 acres, more fully described in said mortgage. T. D. MILLER, Mortgagee.

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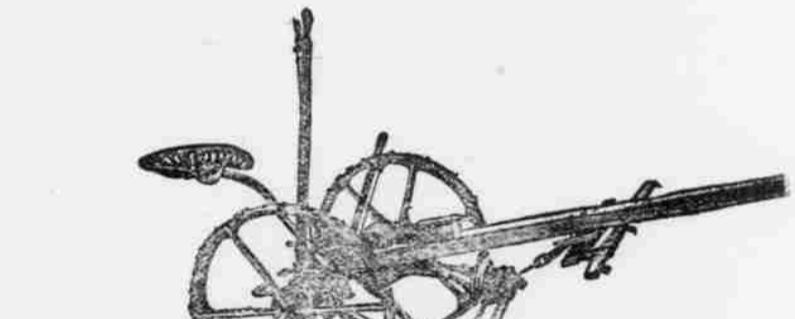
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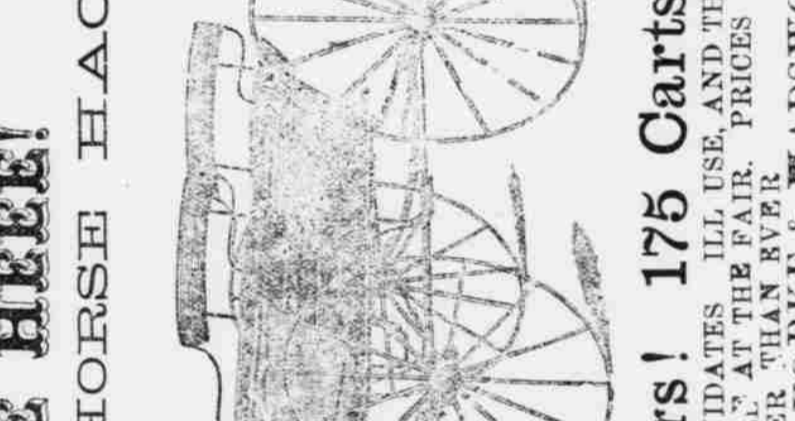
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