

TWO OF THE BEST.

The Standard delights to publish the cotton mill item in our news column.

It is just what we have been expecting for some time and it is not a surprise to many.

Building mill after mill and finding the work powerfully good—a kind of success that is bound to follow in the footsteps of men like them, the Messrs. Odell now proceed to put a climax on their long, successful record of cotton mill building, in that they are erecting a mill that will be larger than any now in the State.

But what of the town?

It is the recipient of many benefits from all this enterprise. It has already gathered incalculable benefits from the enterprising and untiring efforts of the two Odells. What they have been to Concord and Cabarrus county cannot be estimated, but the blind can see it.

Long live the Odells, and may their success go on increasing as the years roll by. As they advance and make progress, so Concord and the people at large receive corresponding benefits.

It is prominent for us all to dwell here.

PROMINENT MEN AMONG US.

Concord feels honored in having within its gates the prominent gentlemen of business who compose the Board of Directors of the North Carolina Railroad.

They come, first out of a matter of duty to themselves and the interests they represent as entrusted to them, and after all it is for the advancement of affairs strictly Cabarrus and Concord.

It is pleasant to have among us on any occasion men, so conspicuous among all movements for the betterment of the people and who, themselves, are among the backbones of their own respective communities. It is pleasant to have enterprising men among us, that they may see, too, what is being done in a quiet way by men in touch with the march of progress.

It is too soon to estimate the benefits of their visit, but enough is known to look for good results.

There are 47 papers and magazines in this country managed or edited by women. This is no evidence, however, that the world is coming to an end.

In Albania the men wear petticoats and the women wear trousers. The women do all the work and their husbands attend to the heavy standing around. This is the record in many cases now-a-days.

Ex-Judge W A Mebane, of Madison, died Monday morning almost suddenly. For eight months he has not been strong. The cause of death was congestion of the intestines. Judge Mebane was the nominee of the Democrats, and upon the death of Judge Graves, Gov. Carr appointed him to fill out the term. This term, however, only covered several courts.

The news from Bath, this State, naturally suggests what would become of that little place were it not for the military company. The sheriff and his posse could not cope with such outlaws. A strike at the military of North Carolina was removing the people's safeguard and inviting just such scenes as the dispatch to the Charlotte Observer, elsewhere printed, gives an account of.

The assignment of Cashier Holland of the Merchants & Farmers Bank, of Charlotte, from the clipping from the Charlotte Observer, must be a surprise to the business men in this section. It is said that his estate is worth \$135,000 and for one way up in "G" makes it almost incredible. There are breakers about and now and then a big ship gets into the foils. The trustee is Dr. McAden, the president of the bank of which Mr. Holland was cashier.

The people in one neighborhood in Pittsburg couldn't tell what became of their dogs until a pug pup disappeared and a filigant hunt found his skin tucked up to dry in the yard of an adopted citizen from the Fatherland, who was arrested and admitted that in the last few months he and his wife had eaten eighteen dogs, and didn't care how high beef went, for it wasn't a circumstance to nice, fat dog, especially

Whenever a farm supports 12 children and the old folks and produces annually enormous piles of sweet potatoes and then turns out to be a gold mine that sells for \$35,000, it is time for others to be boring into their yam farms. This is just what has been done for Prof. McAnulty.

In our news column will be seen what is being and about to be done in connection with the Falls and Narrows at the Yadkin. There is not a shadow of doubt that the power there is immense. This survey and a publication of all the facts will be a revelation to the eyes and eagerness of idle capital. The character and reputation of Prof. Holmes are such that whatever he puts his name to goes as established and indisputable.

Ex-Senator Ingalls, Republican of Kansas, is out for free and unlimited coinage of silver. He thinks the South and West must unite and be in a hurry about it. My, my! Who ever heard of Ingalls being at the tail end of a procession before?

NOTE ON SCHOOL TAX.

Cabarrus is included in the Act authorizing it.

The late Legislature passed an important act relating to the public schools, requiring the question of local taxation for public education to be voted on at the next election for members of the Legislature and biennial thereafter by each township, city and town not already levying a special tax for schools.

This special levy to be voted on is 20 cents on the \$100 of property and 60 cents on each poll. The original bill, which applied to every county, was amended so the 26 counties were excepted, thus leaving in force in the counties of Alexander, Beaufort, Bladen, Burke, Cabarrus, Caldwell, Carteret, Cherokee, Clay, Dare, Davidson, Davie, Duplin, Gaston, Graham, Guilford, Harnett, Hayswood, Henderson, Johnston, Macon, Madison, Mitchell, Montgomery, Orange, Pamlico, Perdue, Polk, Rutherford, Stanly, Stokes, Surry, Swain, Yadkin and Yancey.

Wherever this special tax will be voted it will greatly increase the efficiency of the public schools and it is probably that the people will vote the tax in a number of the counties named. There was already a law allowing the county commissioners, upon petition of one-third of the tax-holders, to order a special levy of 20 cents on property and 20 cents on polls, but the new law requires the election without petition, and for twice the amount of special tax. This is very important matter.

TERRORIZE A TOWN.

One Hundred and Fifty of them Engage in a Riot—They Wound Four Deputies—A Military Company from Washington Turned into a Sheriff's Posse—A Ring Leader Mortally Wounded.

Raleigh, April 22.—A mob of a hundred and fifty negroes Saturday night attempted to take possession of the town of Bath. They are employed at the saw mills near there and were angry because some of them had been arrested there for disorderly conduct by the town officers. They entered stores and bar-rooms, helped themselves and threatened people with death. They wounded four deputy sheriffs and so terrorized people that they locked themselves up to save their lives.

A telegram was sent to Washington, 20 miles away, for aid and a company of troops was put at the disposal of the sheriff and posse.

Sunday morning the people of Bath started out to arrest the leading rioters. They captured five. One named Ludke, resisted, fired at the posse, then fled and was shot twice and mortally wounded.

Other prisoners were tried and taken to Washington in a boat and an attempt by negroes to release them by boat attack was foiled by the arrival of an armed posse on a steamer.

Things at Bath are quiet today. The ring-leader of the mob, Thomas Barber, is outlawed and is yet at large.

Free Coinage of Silver.

If silver were admitted to free coinage tomorrow, little if any more of it would be coined than is coined now. Debtors would not need to tender the actual dollars in payment of their debts, nor would creditors demand them. Payments would continue to be made in checks and in paper; the number of dollars required for new purchases would be regulated by their bullion value; and the price of commodities, expressed in dollars, would increase accordingly. The idea that opening the mists of the world to silver would cause its value to take a great jump upward, is one of the delusions that must be eliminated from the discussion of the question.—New York Sun.

Miss Coleman, who has been visiting her grandmother, Mrs. Catherine McDonald, is visiting relatives in Charlotte.

WORK AT THE NARROWS.

A Survey of the Yadkin Now Being Made By Engineers of the State and National Governments.

The tendency of Northern capitalists to come to North Carolina for investment in mills, and other important enterprises, has caused Prof. Holmes to begin to investigate our water-powers, and especially the large ones, with a view of calling the attention of outside capitalists to those which have real merit, and with this object in view he now has a full corps of engineers making a survey of the Yadkin river. The party commenced their work just below the falls at Kirk Ferry, and are now working up the river so as to include the falls, Narrows and other important water powers in that immediate vicinity.

We are informed that when the survey has been completed that a topographical map will be made of the powers, which will give an accurate idea of the width of the river, the fall of the water, and the height of the hills, so that any intending purchaser will have a correct basis upon which to make a calculation as to the value of the power.

Too much praise cannot be said in behalf of Prof. Holmes, as he is ever alert to the interest and welfare of our State, and the accuracy of his reports when once made are never questioned, because no one in the State is considered any more fair and honest than the Professor.

It is rumored that the Professor at no distant day may possibly spend a short while in our county examining our gold mines, we hope that he will not only find many mineral properties in our county which will be of great interest to him, but that our people will do all in their power to facilitate his work.

A PROBABLE SALE.

The Board Directors in Session at St. Cloud—It Looks Now That the Concord Street Railway Will Be Sold.

Several weeks ago the Standard made mention of some negotiations relative to the sale of the Concord Street Railway.

Today (Wednesday) the Board of Directors of the North Carolina Railroad Company is in session at the St. Cloud Hotel.

We are not so informed exactly but if the sale is effected it is quite probable that the Street Railway will be torn up and a line built direct from the depot to Forest Hill.

The full Board is present today. They are: Gen. R F Hoke, of Raleigh; H E Fries, of Salem; Col. J L Morehead, of Charlotte; J J Young, of Johnston county; C W Johnson, of Orange; W O Maxwell, of Charlotte; Dr. V B Turner, of Raleigh; and J P Allison, of Concord. Also the Secretary and Treasurer, Mr. P B Haffin.

The time of going to press is too soon to give just what is to be made public, but enough is known to state that there is in store for Concord something that is in keeping with Concord's well known progressive move.

These New Mills.

The cotton mill that is to be built by the Odell Manufacturing Company will be put up just behind Mill No. 4. This will be a weave mill and will operate two hundred or more looms.

The mill that is to be erected on Capt. J M Odell's farm, west of the city, will be a spinning mill. It is an individual concern and it will be known as the mill of Odell & Son.

Contracts for the brick and brick-work for these mills were given to Mr. R A Brown, of this city, and for the furnishing of lumber the contract was let to Yorke & Wadsworth. Contracts for the wood work have not yet been signed, but bids are now under consideration.

These new mills will employ probably from 200 to 300 hands and will cause our population to increase no little.

Swapped Pinions.

Mr. J W McSheffey returned this (Wednesday) morning from Harrisburg, where he did some surveying for Messrs. John L Springs, of that section, and Arthur Parks, of Watauga county, near Blowing Rock. Mr. Springs has swapped his plantation near Harrisburg for the one of Mr. Parks in Watauga. Mr. Parks will soon become a resident of this county and Mr. Springs will move to Blowing Rock.

For Over Fifty Years.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup has been used for over fifty years by millions of mothers for their children while teething, with perfect success. It soothes the child, opens the gums, allays all pain, cures wind colic, and is the best remedy for Diarrhoea. It will relieve the poor little sufferer immediately. Sold by Druggists in every part of the world. Twenty-five cents a bottle. Be sure and ask for "Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup," and take no other kind.

Mr. John Brown, who has been visiting relatives in the city for several days, has returned to Charlotte.

MAGISTRATES QUALIFIED.

Additional Ones Who have Taken the Oath of Office.

The additional Magistrates who were appointed for this county, have qualified, as follows:

- No. 1—J M W Alexander, V C Parish.
No. 2—Robert H Smith.
No. 3—George C Goodman, G A Bradford, W S Ischour.
For No. 4 township none have yet qualified.
No. 5—E P Deal, R H Patterson, Wm. Blackwelder.
No. 6—J H D Walker.
No. 7—John H Moore, J W Leutz.
No. 8—A W Moore, J W Blackwelder.
No. 9—Martin Furr, Wm. Smith.
No. 10—S L Klattz, Martin Garmon.
No. 11—James D White, Am Blackwelder, W V Krniger.
No. 12—J M Burcage, W II Blume.

Dr. Crowell's Breach of Promise.

Our readers will remember the case in Catawba county where Dr. Crowell was tried on charge of a Breach of Promise case, found guilty and sentenced to so many years in the reformatory and to pay a fine of \$5,000. An appeal was taken to the Supreme Court and here's the finding, as reported in the Raleigh News and Observer:

State vs. L A Crowell (appellant) Catawba county. Opinion by Clark J.

1. There has never been such an indictable offence as "deceit," but the meaning of the Code, Sec. 1177, which excepts from the two years statute of limitations, perjury, forgery, malicious mischief and deceit, is that mistakers and the gist of which is a malice or deceit, are within the exception.

2. The act of 1885 chapter 248 contemplates a seduction brought about by means of a promise of marriage, in the nature of deceit. In fact deceit is the very essence of the offence and the act 1901, chapter 295 makes seduction under promise to marry a felony as to which there is no statute of limitation.

3. Where there is a prayer to put the charge in writing; but this rule does not forbid any and all oral exposition from the presiding judge. Hence, where the defendant has the full benefit of his exception to a prayer which was refused, he cannot assign as error that the judge did not write an incidental remark made thereon.

4. It is not error to refuse to charge that an innocent and virtuous woman must have "a mind free from lascivious and lascivious desires."

5. Where a judge both fines and imprisons where the Statute provides a fine or imprisonment at the discretion of the Court, there being no other error, this does not entitle the defendant to a new trial, but this Court will remand that the sentence may be properly imposed at the next term of the court below. The verdict stands. Error. Remanded.

Dime Concert Thursday Night.

Dime concert at Mrs. J P Allison's Thursday night, given by the Young People's Society of First Presbyterian church for benefit of the Home Mission, up in the mountains of North Carolina; only 10 cents.

The following is the programme: Piano Solo—Miss Agnes Moss. Vocal Solo—Mr. A B Leutz. Recitation—Miss Mary Fetter. Vocal Solo—Mr. R L Keester.

Recitation—Miss Cora Lentz. Piano Solo—Mrs. W R Harris. Vocal Solo—Mr. John Smithhead. Recitation—Miss Fannie Stafford. Piano Solo—Miss Mary Reid. Vocal Solo—Miss Rose Harris.

Quartet—Mrs. Woodhouse, Miss Harris, Messrs Barrow and Keester. The Pleasantest Place on Earth.

A colored man working on Mr. Fred G's farm in No. 4 happened to a pair of accident Tuesday while ploughing. Like a good Granger he was going deep into the ground. The plow came in contact with a stiff root, which flew back against his leg with such force that the leg was broken. Dr. Ancher, accompanied by Dr. Andrew McInnes, Mr. Crowell's guest, went out and set the broken bone for the colored man.

Blackie's Amuse Nive.

The Best Salve in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sore, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chillsains, Corns and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale at P. B. Fetter's Drug store.

Prof. Fisher has returned from Wilmington where he had a delightful visit. He is in love with the clever people of that section. In speaking of a former Cabarrus citizen (and a native) he mentioned Dr. J H Dreher. He says Dr. Dreher stands at the front and is building up a large and lucrative practice in his profession, dentistry.

DUKE CIGARETTES. High Grade Tobacco. ABSOLUTELY PURE.

SALE OF TOWN LOTS FOR TAXES.

By virtue of levies and the certificate of J L Beger, Tax Collector for the town of Concord, and pursuant to the provisions of the Machinery Acts of the General Assembly of North Carolina, I will on the 1st Monday of May 1895, sell at the Court House door in Concord the following town lots on which the taxes levied by the commissioners for said town for the year 1894 remain unpaid, to wit:

- WARD 1.
Isett & Smith, 1 town lot on Main street \$14 10
Pondexter, P F, 1 town lot on Mill street, adjoining W Thompson, Troutman, W A, 1 town lot on Spring street, 3 23
3 60

WARD 2.

- Willeford, J A, 1 town lot East Depot street, 2 10

WARD 3.

- Branck, Mag, 1 town lot East Depot street, (Elle-Bred property), 1 35

- Dry, W F, 15 acres land 5-Mile Branch, 4 01

- Groner, Mary E, 1 town lot (old store room), 1 35

WARD 4.

- Alexander, Sarah, 1 town lot, Coleburg, 98

- Alexander, Hiram, 1 town lot Lays Town (balance), 2 05

- Freeman, Allen, 1 town lot Coleburg, 1 73

- Gilmore, Sandy, 1 town lot Broad street, 1 35

- Gibson, Mag, 1 town lot Broad street, 1 5

- Harris, Henry, 1 town lot Broad street, 3 60

- Holbrook, Adam, 1 town lot Broad street, 1 54

- Ichard, Eliza, 1 town lot Coleburg, 1 35

- McCarney, Andrew J, 1 town lot Broad street, 3 41

- McKee, John W, 1 lot Broad street (balance), 2 73

- Pharr, Martin, 1 town lot Broad street, 3 60

- Spencer, Ellen, 1 town lot Broad street, 71

- Miller, Randolph, 1 town lot Broad street, 3 60

- Blair, Z, 1 town lot Broad street, 1 16

TO THE SHERIFF OF CABARRUS COUNTY:

The above is a true list of delinquent property of the town of Concord, presented as in accordance with law for you to advertise under execution for sale for taxes.

J. L. BOGGER, Tax Collector.

L. M. MORRISON, Ex-Sheriff of Cabarrus County, April 10th, 1895.

The first rain frog of the season has been heard.

Miss Jennie Patterson, one of the teachers in the Graded School and very popular with her pupils, has returned to her home in Ochs Grove, to spend her summer vacation.

The Vestry of All Saints Parish met in the church yesterday afternoon at 8:30 o'clock and elected the following delegates to the Diocesan Convention which will meet in Grace church, Morganton, N. C., May 15, 1895: Paul B Means, B F Rogers, W G Means and B K Black.

The "Jar anee Wedding" Tuesday night was a success in every particular, and the ladies of the Central Methodist church have the thanks and praise of every one who attended the entertainment for such an enjoyable affair. After the wedding ice cream and cake was served. The receipts amounted to something over \$30.

Capt. Ed Patterson's train met with a break-down Tuesday between Newell's and Harrisburg, causing a delay of about four hours. Part of his train was left on the main line and assistance came up from Charlotte, when the track was cleared. The accident was caused by the breaking of the front tracks to a box car.

Calvin Reid Esq., accompanied by his brother, W W Reid, left for Baltimore last night, where the former will have an operation performed on one of his eyes. Mr. Reid has lost the sight of one eye altogether, and a cataract is forming on the other. We trust the operation will be successful, says the Salisbury Herald. Both of these gentlemen are brothers of Mr. Joel Reid of our town.

PROFESSIONAL CARD. I have located in Concord for the practice of medicine and surgery, and respectfully ask the public for a share of their patronage...

Table with market prices for various goods like Bacon, Sugar-cured, Pork, etc.

THE BEST. A small advertisement for a product, possibly a food item.

NEW HOME. An advertisement for a house or real estate.

SAVE 50%. An advertisement for Oxford Wheel, a bicycle.

ECONOMICAL. An advertisement for Andrews School Furnishing Company.

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"TO A MAN" UP A TREE IT LOOKS LIKE WE HAD. MATTING. Advertisement for matting.

Poor Man or Lovely Woman. Advertisement for a carriage.

FURNITURE. Advertisement for furniture.

Whosoever will, Come. Cannons, Fetzler & Bell. Advertisement for cannons.

YORKE & WADSWORTH. Advertisement for a hardware store.

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LIME. Advertisement for Casson Lime Co's.

CEMENT. Advertisement for G. W. Patterson.

ORANGES. Advertisement for oranges.