The Standard

CONCORD, CABARRUS COUNTY, N. CAROLINA

JOHN D. BARRIER & SON,
Editors and Proprietors.

THURSDAY, APRIL 7.

THE STANDARD'S CLUBBING LIST

We will be glad to furnish our readers any of the following periodicals in connection with THE STANDARD at the following prices:

Frank Leslie's Weekly, price $4, with THE STANDARD $3.90.

Atlanta Journal, price $1.00 with THE STANDARD $1.40.

The New York World, price $100, with THE STANDARD, $1.65

Home and Farm, price 50, with THE STANDARD, $1.25.

The Atlanta Constitution, price $1.00, with THE STANDARD, $1.75.

The Woman's Health and Home Journal, price 50, with THE STANDARD, $1.25, or we will give this journal for a club of two new subscribers to THE STANDARD.

These terms imply strictly cash in advance.

UNDISTURBED BY THE RUMBLINGS OF WAR

While the nation is literally on tiptoe to see the first curlings of battle smoke and almost every hand is to the best ear to hear the first rumblings of war thunder, there are those yet not much agitated.

Congressman Grout, it is said, will present a bill today (Tuesday) to appropriate $1,000,000 to raise the Maine wreck; Carter Berkeley is vouching for Gen. Lee's fitness for the second place on the Democratic presidential ticket in 1900, offering assurance that he would have stood on the Chicago platform with all his feet and as many more as he could borrow had he been in the United States in '96; in Spain they are preparing for an unusually good time at bull fighting on Easter Sunday; while in Havana the ball-mirth goes on unrestrained.

IS IT A BETTER METHOD?

Harnett county has made a new departure to get back into the old ways of finding proper candidates for office.

The chairman of the Democratic executive committee has issued a call for a county mass meeting instead of primaries. In this meeting every Democrat is to be a delegate and yet as it is put in Chairman D H McLean's call "Each township will be entitled to cast its vote according to its relative Democratic strength." We have heard several commendatory remarks about this movement, but we fail to understand it or to see clearly how the voice of the people is to be heard this way better than the common way.

No perfect system can be found, for all parties possess an element of captious or scheming or overbearing disturbers that no system can keep straight. We do not see anything better than the primary system unless it be a primary ballot of the party. Very many can attend the primaries and instruct delegates to convention who could not attend the mass meetings.

The primary meeting method contemplates a full expression of individual sentiment and loyal submission to results. If entered into properly it must be the expression of the people and no plan not well adhered to can give satisfactory results.

We are free to confess that we can see no ray of hope that the Harnett plan will be productive of overcoming the difficulties in finding the right men for the right places.

We want a method of getting together as far removed as possible from a conceited or designing individual's being the chief instrument in his own nomination.

TOO MUCH WAR SCARE.

Our people are altogether too much agitated over the war scare. If war comes there is little probability that there will be any but naval fighting. Even if there should be land fighting there will not be a repetition of southern experience in the late war. There will be regulars and volunteers to do all the fighting that will be needed.

We need not fear drafting or conscripting.

It it were not for the newspaper service it is doubtful if the ordinary liver would find out that a war were going on.

It's rather hard on our Congressman Pearson that the denial by his private secretary has led to such strong proof that he did use Congressional franking envelopes instead of paying postage himself when he wrote home to communicate with his Western constituents in North Carolina. There's a penalty for the rest of us against the improper use of such envelopes. Let Mr. Pearson be brought to time.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. 25 cents.

ANOTHER COTTON MILL.

For Concord—Will Be Built as Soon Now as Possible—Adds One More to Our List of Mills.

It will be remembered that several months ago THE STANDARD announced that a movement was on foot for another cotton mill in Concord, which is to be built by Lippards & Barrier.

The following was handed to us by one of the proprietors:

"The land trade that has been in contemplation for some time between Mr. Joe Reed and Lippards & Barrier has been satisfactorily closed. This firm is now placing a brick machine on the land with a view to holding a spinning mill in the near future. The land lies on East Depot street just across the street from the Cabarrus Roller Mills."

This is welcome news and insures another valuable addition to our great factory interests.

FROM COPAL GROVE.

A Strawberry Festival—Marries Two Couples and Preaches Twice—Needs a Horse.

Rev. P H E Derrick was in the city Monday. He thanked THE STANDARD for notice of the strawberry festival by the ladies of Bethel on the 5th but regretted that he omitted the place. It is to be at the Misenheimer and Lentz Spring Hotel at 7 o'clock in the evening.

He said he married Mr. Henry F Small, of Randolph, to Miss Mamie Small, of Stanly, Sunday morning, at the parsonage, then preached at 11 o'clock. After noon he married Rufus A Wagoner and Miss Fannie Barnhardt, at Gladstone, and hastened to St. John's, where he preached Sunday night.

Rev. Derrick lost his horse recently, which bears heavily upon him. He needs another.

NO WAR YET.

The Message to Go in Today—Waits Armed Interference—Congress May Differ and Cause Delay.

The President's message went into Congress today (Wednesday). It is understood to recommend armed intervention and argues against recognition of independence at this time. He thinks the United States should supervise affairs on the island till a substantial form of government can be inaugurated.

There is much speculation as to what Congress will do in the way of acceding to his plans. It is more than probable that there will be that diversity of plans and clashing of opinions that will stave off any decisive action for some days to come. On the whole the prospects are more favorable to no immediate war than on Tuesday.

The United States Senate Committee has found, by a vote of 12 to 17, that Senator Hanna is guilty of bribery in obtaining his seat. Let him be ousted as quick as the time can be spared from Cuban affairs.

A NEW CORRESPONDENT

For The Standard—He Stations Himself at Enochville—Writes Both Prose and Poetry.

Enochville, N. C., April 4, '98.—April has come in and with it plenty of fun. On the morning of the first just about daylight all of our boarders could be seen trying to escape from the city (or at least from Prof.) About 9 o'clock the night before several girls came to "Uncle Franks," and the next morning left the city. They built a fire about a mile from town, where they breakfasted, merrily using a large rock for a table. After a while all of the other boarders (or the boys) joined them and they had quite a lively "picnic."

The communion services are being held at St. Enoch now.

Dr. Wither's sister, Miss Rose, of Davidson, paid our little town a pleasant visit.

The girls have a telephone but the boy's say it doesnt extend far enough.

We think the "wedding bells" will soon be heard. We are sorry to lose those two girls, but while our hearts will be subdued others will be gladdened.

Misses Nola Cowan, Nora Rodgers and Mr. Louis Miller are visiting in Cabarrus at the home of Mr. James Dayvault.

Misses Nettie Goodnight and Carrie Cruse have gone to Mill Bridge to spend a few days.

The infant of Mr. and Mrs. Caleb Overcash died last Sunday. The people of Enochville sympathize with them in their loss.

We are sorry to learn that Prof. Mills is going to leave us. He will move his school to Tuscarora. We cannot blame him for this, for we feel sure that he will have success, for he will make friends wherever he goes.

Concord for merchandise,
China Grove for candy;
Enochville's hustler,
But Troutman's a dandy.

"JIM" AND "JUE."

The Questions and Their Answers.

"Subscriber" asked certain questions of our correspondent who treated Mormonism to a bitter dose a few issues ago. Below we append the questions with Mr. Fisher's answer to each.

We suspect from Mr. Fisher's term, "your creed or society," that he construes subscriber as favorable to Mormonism, which we hardly think, but we leave the matter between them, save that we ask that no effort be made through THE STANDARD to palliate Mormonism, or by the appearance of persecution, to win to it thereby the inconsiderate and the impulsive:

EDITOR STANDARD:—For personal edification "subscriber" would like for your contributor on Mormonism last week to answer the following questions pertaining to our proper attitude:

1. Did Christianity rise and flourish in the face of the bloody cross of Judaism?

Ans. Whether it did or did not, it does not prove anything for Mormonism of the present day.

2. Did civil authority and individual opposition prevent the formation of different denominations?

Ans. In its true sense it never attempted to do so.

3. Has persecution ever eliminated a religious society?

Ans. You have never succeeded to any alarming extent in making intelligent people believe that your society and creed was religion.

4. Is it the object of the Boston Tea party scheme to suppress Mormonism or simply to harass those who promulgate it?

Ans. The Boston Tea party was an act of the people outside of law to correct a wrong.

5. Was the Boston Tea party a measure to secure religious reform?

Ans. It had nothing to do with religion whatever and certainly not with Mormonism?

Can civil and religious matters be properly managed by the same methods?

Ans. With the criminal and stained history of the church and its early prophets, would it not be a great stretch of imagination to call the Mormon creed and practice either civil or religious.

Should mob law be encouraged?

Ans. Not if it could be safely avoided. But when crime and criminals flourish in defiance of law to the great injury and detriment of innocent and good people and the law does not, or cannot reach them, then the people have a duty to perform and they have generally done it.

Negro Editor Whipped.

Rev. J T Gibbons, the editor of the negro paper at Winston, was assaulted this morning by Mat. Scales, a negro noted for fighting. Gibbons came out second best. He had a pistol on him and Scales allowed him to get up after the editor gave up the shooting iron.—Greensboro Record.

This fellow we notice is cutting quite a figure. We append a chipping of his hot stuff without intending any special humiliation for our white friends, but we confess that it would seem rather a nauseating dose:

"In these days of political degeneracy it has become a custom in politics to fight from behind masked batteries and we want to tear all masks and subterfuges from the political arena, and clear up the political atmosphere.

"We desire to be plain and we want to be understood.

"The negro being the major part of the Republican party in North Carolina and the Herald being the organ of the negro race, it at once becomes the organ of the Republican party. No white man has any interest in the conduct of this paper personally, further than it may be acquired by his loyalty to the Republican party and to the people composing that party. The man who is true to these principles will find this paper true to him. In the same proportion as he is untrue to these principles will this paper be untrue to him.

"If we, as negroes, give up our rights and duties any longer, we give ourselves up. So, without dividing, we come to destroy certain men and measures in our party, which if left alone, have a tendency to destroy our organization and ruin us as a race, and at the same time destroy our people.

"We are the only true Republicans and we are the people who must purge the party in order to keep it alive and make it fruitful.

"We have today a series of domestic difficulties existing in nearly every county. Forsyth county has its little bitter factions and we are disgusted with them and we are going to destroy them if it destroy the men who lead them.

"Gentlemen, you can save yourselves only by laying down your arms and by treating the negro fairly, and you will not scare or intimidate any one by crying 'Democratic sheet.'

"He that says this is a democratic sheet is a malicious liar.

"You saddle this horse, but the negro proposes to ride it."

Monthly Weather Report.

The following is the weather report for the month of March as furnished us by Prof. H T J Ludwig's weather observatory:

Highest temperature 85° on 21st.

Lowest temperature 23° on 6th.

Average temperature 55.7

Normal average 48.9.

Rainfall 5.77 inclusive.

Normal 3.87 inclusive.

Heaviest Rain 2.71 inches on 29th and 30th.

Number clear days 8; partly cloudy 3; cloudy 20.

Rain fell on 11 days.

Prevailing direction of wind southwest.

Light frost on the 8, 9, 11, and 31st.

Heaviest frost on the 7th.

Thunder shower on the 24th.

Lunar Halo on 4th and 5th.

Fog on 11; Smoky on 2, 20, 21, 22, 23.

Plum blossoms 12th; peach blossoms 13th; cherry and pear blossoms 23d; apple blossoms 29th.

Getting Ready For the Worst.

Anderson Intelligencer: Four carloads of ammunition for use in the big forts on Sullivan's Island have been received and another supply is expected soon. At Charleston arrangements are being made to sink torpedo mines in Charleston harbor. Some of the material needed has already been received. Work on the fortifications being rushed. Many of the heavy guns have been mounted are ready for action. It is said that orders have been received from Washington to waste no time in getting the forts in shape for emergency. More troops have also been ordered there.

Southport Standard: Never before has Fort Caswell presented such a busy scene as is now going on. It appears that nearly the entire government forces of the War Department of the State have been ordered to the fort and are now pushing the work all day, and since the electric plant has been completed, work will continue at night.

The department is rushing the completion of the new emplacement for the new gun on the west end of the battery, and if necessary it will be mounted temporarily on a wood structure. It is also learned that mortars will be placed on the fortification as soon as possible.

It is learned that a telegraph line will be put across the marsh and around to the island, connecting the fort with Southport, thus establishing communication with Wilmington.

Tuesday night was an unusually busy time, as a steamer was unloading 1,000 barrels of cement at the wharf. The cement is now being being transferred to the work where the mixer is fast preparing the concrete for the emplacement.

The steam whistle from the locomotive and the tug belonging to the government are heard day and night.

The Easton is kept very active in transferring machinery, lumber, rock and other material to the fort and it is likely that Captain Craighill will soon have the work completed from the vigorous efforts he is now putting forth.

Death Through His Iconoclasm.

The irate editor, W C Brann, of the Waco Texas Iconoclast, played his game too far for once and was killed on the streets Friday by Capt. M T Davis, whose character together with that of his daughters the editor in his mania of abuse reflected on. Capt. Davis was also fatally wounded and has since died and several by-standers received slight wounds from the flying missiles in the fusillade.

Returned At Last.

For several months the diamond which is on exhibition at the St Cloud hotel, of the large gold nugget found at the Reid mine several years ago has been in the hands of a New Yorker, who, by permission, had taken it home with him to show to some of his mining friends. The cast should have been back here some time ago and Mrs. Dunsmury had sent one to look after the matter and it arrived today (Monday). This cast attracts the attention of quite a number of travelers coming to our town.

THIN, ANÆMIC and half sick people should take Hood's Sarsaparilla which gives them pure blood, a good appetite and new and needed STRENGTH.

NO MATERIAL CHANGE.

Congress a Bit More Patient—Preparations Go On—Message Probably Tuesday—Spain Hopes the South Will Rebel Again.

The situation does not now indicate all the danger of precipitate action that it did Saturday. The feeling has been that the President was too dilatory, but Congressmen waiting on him Saturday came away convinced that the President is pursuing a wise course, therefore there may not be that impatience that existed last week.

The President will probably not get his message ready for Congress before Wednesday.

Lieutenant Colwell hoisted the Stars and Stripes over the splendid new ship that he purchased Saturday at Thames Iron Works, London, from Peru.

Commodore Schley will soon receive the Texas to complete his squadron, when he will report ready for action at an hour's notice with his splendid squadron at Hampton Roads.

The Spanish torpedo flotilla is now said to be on its way to Porto Rico, but there is much indefiniteness about where it is. Probably it will stop at Cape Verd Islands.

The Queen Regent is rather warlike, though there seems to be no little anxiety that war be yet averted. Sagasta still expresses friendliness. The Pope wishes to intercede between the nations for peace.

It is funny to note that Spanish papers still say that there is uneasiness about Washington that the Southern States may rise in rebellion if there should be a war, also that Mexico would attempt to regain territory in the event of war. —Daily of 4th.

ROCK HILL'S GREAT FIRE.

Loss $250,000, Insurance $150,000.

Fire broke out in a barber shop under the New York Racket store at Rock Hill, S. C., Saturday night at 12 o'clock and was soon beyond all control.

A 'phone message was sent to Charlotte at 2 o'clock for aid. Mayor Springs communicated with Capt. Ryder for a special train, and in an hour and ten minutes an engine and reel were aboard and in 35 minutes the train landed it in Rock Hill.

The fire was under fair control, however, by that time, but it had already consumed $250,000 worth of property on which there was $150,000 insurance.

The following from the Charlotte Observer is the list of the losses:

The fire broke out in the New York Racket Store, on Main street, conducted by Mr S E True, and by Mr. A W Kluttz, of Chester. It spread to the east and to the west, burning in the former direction through the stores of R T Fewell & Co., general merchandise; J B Johnston, drug store; Geo. Beach, jewelry; A Friedheim & Bro, general merchandise; August Friedheim, dry goods and clothing, and A E Smith & Co., general merchandise. Burning in the westward direction, the flames licked up the stores of J H Milling, grocer; A J Evans, drug store, and J W O'Neel, grocer. Here the fire turned the corner and swept northward up Depot street, consuming the store of H C Cox, grocer, and the Depot street L's of R T Fewell & Co, the Racket Store and J W O'Neel. It also destroyed the drug store of R J Hagins. The stock and store of J L Johnson, grocer, were somewhat damaged, though the larger part of the stock was saved. All the stores save those of J L Johnson, Hagins and Cox were two story structures, the Freidheim buildings being of three stories.

Among the other firms burnt out and halls destroyed are Roddey's Hat, over O'Neel's store; Mrs. Minnie Ratteree & Co., over R T Fewell & Co's; also the Arcade Cotton Mill office; Dr. Isaiah Simpson, with hands me outfit, over J B Johnson's drug store; offices of the Globe and Standard Cotton Mills over the Racket Store; Dr. J M Hunter and the Messenger office (colored newspaper) over the Racket; Dr. W W Fennell, over Johnston's drug store.

A Roller Mill For Mt. Pleasant.

For some time there has been a movement on foot at Mt. Pleasant to erect a roller mill, and at last these plans have fully developed. Mr. W R Kindley, of that place, has already ordered the machinery, and will put it in the old mill on Buffalo creek, near Mt. Pleasant. The machinery, however, will not arrive before the first of June. The machinery is of the latest style and of the highest capacity.

Not So Good This Month.

The past month has not proved to be so good for marrying news. Only thirteen whites and five colored were granted licenses.

PROBABLY HAVE TO GO

Prof. Lewis Will Probably Have to Go to Kinston at Telegraph Orders.

Prof. E B Lewis, Superintendent of our Graded School, is feeling a little bad about some telegrams that he received on Sunday and today (Monday.) Prof. Lewis, about three years ago, was enlisted with the naval reserves at Kinston, N. C. Since that time he has not been with the company but nevertheless his name is recorded among the members at that place.

On Sunday morning he received a telegram from his father, stating that the naval reserves had been ordered to be in readiness for service at telegraphic notice. As this came from Prof. Lewis' father, and was not official, nothing was feared. But to his surprise early this morning a telegram was sent to his home from Lieutenant Commander Pollock. The latter telegram is official, and in case of war nothing more would be sent except what was in this message.

Prof. Lewis at once sat down and wrote a long letter to Lieutenant Pollock, stating the fact that he could not leave his work here and also the fact that he had not been in their ranks for quite a while.

More Runaways.

Friday, April 1st, was a good day for the pupils of the colleges to play off a joke on their teachers by failing to answer "here" when the roll was called. This was the case at China Grove at Prof. Wright's school. We are informed that there was only about a half dozen to be found during the day. They spent the day roaming around, very probably hunting.

The same trick was played by the young ladies at the Seminary at Mt. Pleasant. Before daylight nearly all of the girls were gone and the doors of the teachrooms were tied shut. The bell was also muffled. The young ladies spent the day in the country and at the close of the evening the girls were seen coming home in a wagon which they had hired to bring them home.

We have not yet heard of any action being taken by any of the teachers and suppose "they hayen't anything to say."

The Carolina Benevolent Association has given these columns a rest for the past ten days owing to the fact that everybody connected with the Association has been so busy taking applications that they have not had time to write advertisements. Eighty-four applications were added to the list of this Division last week, and while this is not as well as we expect to do this week, yet it is a favorable index towards the growing popularity of our plan. One agent alone wrote fifty in four days last week. We haven't enough active, live agents in this Division. Messrs. A P White and T J White are the only representatives in Cabarrus. We would like to have two or three others. None but sober wide-awake men need apply. Address applications to Mr. J S C Carpenter, General Mang'r, Charlotte, N C.

STATE OF OHIO.

CITY OF TOLEDO, } ss
LUCAS COUNTY, }

Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is the senior partner of the firm of F J Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of One Hundred Dollars for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of Hall's Catarrh Cure.

FRANK J CHENEY.

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1886.

{SEAL} A. W GLEASON,
Notary Public.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Send for testimonials, free.

F. J. CHENEY & CO.,
Toledo, O.

Sold by druggists, 75c.

It is Passion Week.

This is Passion Week, and is celebrated by some of the churches with special services. In the Episcopal church it is the climax period of the whole Lenten season.

Rev. McCullough at St Andrews conducts services every night and reports much interest already. Rev Miller will have services at St. James nightly beginning Wednesday night.

The word passion should be understood to mean suffering and, beginning with Palm Sunday, it embraces the most momentous events in the life of the Saviour, together with his sufferings. It is well termed Holy Week.

Miss Haynes Coughed It Up.

Miss Haynes, who swallowed the hair pin which the X rays did not locate, coughed violently a few days ago and raised the pin to near the larynx whence it was removed by Dr. Battle says the Raleigh Press-Visitor. Miss Haynes is all right now.

Little Ellen Harris is steadily recovering from the thimble evil.

MERIDIAN POSTS.

To Be Erected at Concord for the Use of Our Surveyors—A Valuable Improvement.

As noted in the proceedings of the County Commissioners, our county has accepted the proposition from Mr. J A Holmes, the State Geologist for the erecting of meridian posts at this place. The great advantage has also been stated through our columns. In order that the citizens of the county throughout may know what it is costing, and what it will be, we will give a condensation of the contract with the county.

The cost of the posts to the county is to be only $25.00 and the State agrees to set aside a sum as large or larger for paying all expenses not covered by the $25.00 which may be necessary for making a complete magnetic map.

The United States Coast Survey also agrees to furnish for this work, without cost, one of the most skilled experts in the government employ and a full set of the most accurate and costly instruments made in this country.

It is also promised that the work will be done as thoroughly and as economically as possible and in case the cost is even greater than was estimated, in no case will the county be asked to appropriate anything more than the $25.00 appropriated.

No part of the work shall be paid for until after the work of setting up the meridian posts has been completed and accepted satisfactory.

Call for Meeting of the County Democratic Executive Committee.

The members of the County Democratic Executive Committee are requested to meet in the town hall in Concord at 11 o'clock Saturday, April 9, for the purpose of calling a county convention to elect delegates to the State convention.

A. B. YOUNG,
Chairman.

The following are the members of the County Executive Committee:

No. 1—M M Morrison.
No. 2—W F Cannon.
No. 3—W F Smith.
No. 5—W K Lyles.
No. 6—W D Ritchie.
No. 7—J L Peck.
No. 8—Will Misenheimer.
No. 9—Caleb F Smith.
No. 10—W G Newell.
No. 11—Caleb A Robinson.
No. 12—F L Smith, J N Brown, J L Brown and A B Young.

Discovered By a Woman.

Another great discovery has been made, and that too, by a lady in this country. Disease fastened its clutches upon her and for seven years she withstood its severest tests, but her vital organs were undermined and death seemed imminent. For three months she coughed incessently, and could not sleep. She finally discovered a way to recovery, by purchasing of us a bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption, and was so much relieved on taking the first dose, that she slept all night; and with two bottles, has been absolutely cured. Her name is Mrs Luther Lutz. Thus writes W C Hannich & Co., of Shelby, N. C. Trial bottle free at P. B. Fetzer's drug store. Reglar size 50c. and $1.00. Every bottle guaranteed.

MT. PLEASANT NEWS

As Gathered By Our Correspondent There.

The Cornet Club has received two more calls to furnish music for commencement exercises—one from North Carolina College and one from Yadkin Mineral Springs Academy at Palmerville.

Mrs. James Misenheimer, of Charlotte, is visiting at her father's, Esq H C McAllister.

"April Fools" were in abundance last Friday. Nineteen aroused themselves from their peaceful slumbers as early as 3 o'clock that morning. It did Mont Amoena Seminary up in fine shape and left town. They got ashamed of themselves. School was suspended that evening to prevent any more exposures.

Mr. L A Lentz informs us that in case Uncle Sam does not declare war within a few weeks he will move his family to Norwood, where he will engage in the manufacture of textile goods. The mill site has been procured and contains over one hundred acres. A NOTHER.

Yellow Jaundice Cured.

Suffering humanity should be supplied with every means possible to relief. It is with pleasure we publish the following: "This is to certify that I was a terrible sufferer from Yellow Jaundice for over six months, and was treated by some of the best physicians in our city and to no avail. Dr. Bell, our druggist, recommended Electric Bitters; and after taking two bottles I was entirely cured. I now take great pleasure in recommending them to any person suffering from this terrible malady. I am gratefully yours, M. A. Hogarty, Lexington, Ky." Sold by P B Fetzer's Drug Store.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned freeholders of Townships Nos 9 and 11 of Cabarrus county will ask the Board of Commissioners at their regular meeting on the first Monday in May, 1898, to change the boundary line between said townships as follows, viz:

We, the undersigned citizens of Nos. 9 and 11 townships respectfully ask your honorable body that the township line be changed and put a corner of No. 9 township in No. 11 township, commencing at a corner of Julius Brown, Mary Erwin and Robert Litaker, then runs with Robert Litaker and Mary Erwin line to F V Liller's corner thence with F V Liller's line to J A Johnson corner, then a straight line to the public road to the appertenant house on D C Faggart's land.

NAMES.

No. 9 Township—J A Johnson, F V Liller, E C Faggart, G H Lentz, W A Lentz and others.

No. 11 Township—A F Heglar, M A Walter, A F Liller.

By order of the Board.

W M WEDDINGTON,
Clerk.

ap28

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The Best Salve in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetterd Chappr Hands, Chilblains, 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 Fetzer's Drug Store.

The Cabarrus County

Building, Loan & Savings

ASSOCIATION

has been organized with over a thousand shares. The first payment will be due Saturday, April 9th, 1898, and payable to L D Coltrane, Secretary and Treasurer.

This association will loan on town and county property.

Take stock with us and help build up our county. Shares, par value $100, payable in installments of 25 cents per week.

Books now open.

For stock or information call on

L. D. Coltrane,

Secretary and Treas.

Down Goes Prices.

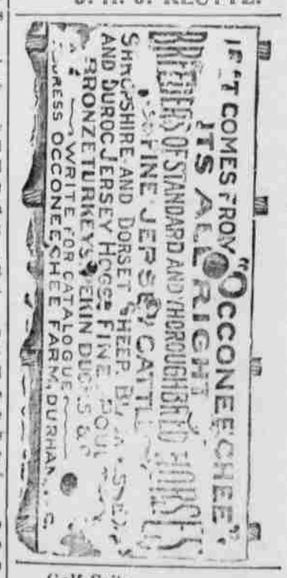
To advertise my work I will, for 30 days, make one dozen Cabinet Photographs guaranteed never to fade, for $1.00

You will find my Gallery over Marsh's Drug Store. Call and see me if you want work or not, will be glad to show you samples and give you prices.

Bring the babies and little ones. I can catch them on the fly and have lots of patience.

ALL WORK FINISHED PROMPTLY.

Respectfully,
J. H. J. KLUTTZ.



Golf Suits,
Golf Hose,
Belts,
Bicycle Hats,
Lanterns,
Bells,
Graphite,
Morgan & Wright Tires,
Inner Tubes,
Pumps,
Cyclometers,
Cement,
Valves
and everything which goes with a bicycle.

Swink & White.

BAD