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A SAD WEEK.

The year had gloomily begun. For Willie Weeks, a poor man's son, he had had very little. He had been with bill and dun, and he had had very little. He had been with bill and dun, and he had had very little. He had been with bill and dun, and he had had very little.

"SOME SMALL SWEET WAY."

There's never a rose in all the world. But not a green envy sweeter. There's never a wind in all the sky. But makes some bird wing flutter. There's never a star but brings to heaven. Some silver radiance tender. And never a ray cloud but helps to crown the sunset splendor. No robin but may thrill some heart. His dawn-like gladness yielding. God gives us some small sweet way to set the world rejoicing.

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Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, the 6th day of December, A. D. 1898.

A. W. GLEASON,
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NOTICE.

LAST CALL FOR TAXES.

I respectfully ask one and all who have not paid their taxes to come forward and do so at once or will be compelled to take legal process to collect the same. Please remember if you have not paid your taxes this is your last call.

If your taxes are not paid within the next few days you will be notified by myself or deputy with a notice which will in every case carry cost with it.

Very respectfully,
M. L. Buchanan,
Tax Collector.

Hay-Fever



Not one child dies when ten formerly died from it. People have learned the value of One Minute Cough Cure and use it for severe lung and throat troubles. It immediately stops coughing. It never fails.—J. P. Gibson.

J. Sheer, Soda, Mo., conductor on electric street car line, writes that his little daughter was very low with croup, and her life saved after all physicians had failed, only by using One Minute Cough Cure.

BETTER MAIL SERVICE.

An Effort Being Made for a Daily Mail for Them—Some Crops Are Failures On Account of the Recent Weather.

Organ Church, March 8:—Our postmistress, Mrs. S. C. Klutz, is making an effort to get our post-office, Organ Church, connected with the route from Yost to Salisbury. This route has a daily mail and connects with the great trunk line.

The present route from Organ Church to Rockwell is only three times a week, and it runs in the afternoon. The mail has already passed Rockwell when our mail arrives, so it lays over at least eighteen hours going west and twenty-two hours going east.

Our farmers tell us that late snow wheat will be a failure. That it has been killed by the recent freeze. Peaches have been killed in the bud, they think, though the apple crop, being more hardy, has escaped injury. Rad oats, sown last fall, have been badly killed. Farmers are wanting to sow the land to spring oats if the weather will permit. We notice small pine trees along water courses are also killed.

Little Jesse, the son of Mr. David Deaver, has suffered considerably with bronchitis, but at this writing he is better.

A 20-FOOT TUMBLE

But only Sixteen Ex-Soldiers Were Hurt.

The second battalion of the Second Mississippi was mustered out at Albany, Ga., Wednesday, and on their way home four cars in which they were, jumped the track and were hurled down a 20-foot embankment. Strange to say no one was killed, though 16 were injured.

Let us say I have used Ely's Cream Balm for catarrh and can thoroughly recommend it for what it claims. Very truly, (Rev.) H. W. Hathaway, Elizabeth, N. J.

I tried Ely's Cream Balm, and to all appearance cured of catarrh. The terrible headaches from which I long suffered are gone.—W. J. Hitchcock, late Major U. S. Vol. and A. Gen., Buffalo, N. Y.

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Gold Found in Lexington.

Mr. C. L. Leonard's little daughter found a bar of gold somewhere in town yesterday afternoon while out playing, that measured 3 1/2 inches in length and weighed 7 ounces. Mr. Leonard will not tell where the gold was found. It is supposed to have been buried years ago by some old miser. The gold is on exhibition at Smith's drug store and is creating no little excitement.—Daily Post.

Gov. Northcutt has signed the bill of the Illinois Legislature appropriating \$9,000 for a statue of Miss Francis E. Willard to stand in the rotunda of the Capitol at Washington.

Named Carr Building.

The new dormitory to be built at the University has been named the Carr Building in honor of Col. J. S. Carr who has contributed \$15,000 toward the building that is to cost \$25,000.

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A Cure for Blood and Skin Diseases, Eczema, Pimples, Scrofula, Blood Poison, Cancer, Etc.

If you have tried arsenicals, patent medicines, and doctored, and still have old, persistent sores, pimples, distressing eruptions of the skin, painful sores on hands, arms or legs, itching sensations, irritating skin troubles, eczema, scrofula, ulcers, contagious blood poison, fever sores, mercurial rheumatism, catarrh, boils, face covered with little sores, cancer or any blood taint, then give B. B. B. a trial, because B. B. B. is Botanic Blood Balm—is made for just such cases, and it cures to stay cured those stubborn blood diseases that other milder medicines fail even to benefit. All above named troubles are evidence of bad, diseased blood in the body, and B. B. B. cures because it forces all the poison or impurity or blood humor out of the body, leaves and entire system.

To remove all doubt of its cure, we offer to send to any sufferer a sample bottle of B. B. B. absolutely free. B. B. B. is an old, well-tried remedy because we know that it cures to stay cured for the people cured by B. B. B. years ago, and well-to-day and free from all blood impurities.

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THE ICE FACTORY

To Be Located Above Town—Work to Commence on the Building at an Early Date.

For several weeks it has been a question as to where the new ice factory to be built by the Concord Ice and Fuel Co. would be erected.

It has now been definitely decided that it will be built on the property formerly owned by Mr. Chas. W. Misenheimer, above town. The distance there is over two miles.

Work will soon commence on the building which will be 52 feet long, 25 feet wide, and part of the building will be 30 feet high.

The supply of water obtainable was considered in the selection of a site for the building, a large amount of it being used each hour.

It can not be realized by some that Concord will manufacture her own supply of ice but when summer comes the plant will be there ready for your patronage.

A Member of the Artillery Discharged.

Mr. Columbus Hartsell, son of Mr. Jonah M. Hartsell, who lives near Leo, in Stanly county, has returned home after serving seven months in the artillery, being stationed at Fortress Monroe, in Virginia.

Mr. Hartsell spent Thursday here on his way home. Some time ago Mr. Hartsell was discharged on account of the ruling that those who would not re-enlist for three years service, would be discharged. His parents insisted on his coming home and so he did not re-enlist.

Mr. Hartsell, with the exception of a little bit of home-sickness, was pleased with soldier life.

Come Along Boys

Concord's base ball cranks shook themselves yesterday, decided they were thoroughly awake; looked around and learned from the News that the Philadelphia National League team was coming to Charlotte. Having had considerable success in these diggings playing ball, the Concord boys, with this fresh in their minds, began yesterday to discuss the probability of coming over this way and locking horns with the Phillies. Seemingly, having no fears of any club that plays ball on Charlotte grounds; and with their accession zeal mixed along with good ball playing, they think anything or any club will fall before them. Come along boys, if the Phillies cannot interest you, Mountain Island is not far removed.—Charlotte News of 2nd.

BIG FIRE IN CHARLOTTE

Thousands of Bales of Cotton Consumed Together With the Old Freight Depot and Other Sheds—Almost Everything Insured—No Cause Known for the Fire.

By telephone last Thursday we learn of a big fire which occurred in Charlotte about 6.30 o'clock in the morning. When the fire was noticed it was in the midst of some very old cotton in one of the warehouses near the company.

Soon the flames spread, consuming the old freight depot, which was used as a warehouse for cotton, also the cotton compress, which is valued at \$50,000. Thousands of bales of cotton were burned. The number at this time estimated at nearly 4,000 bales.

Among the losers are: Saunders & Orr, 1,200 bales; Vanlandingham, 150; Heath Bros, 1,700; Heath & Ried, 135; R. A. Lee, 75; J. W. Miller, 70; J. H. Sloan 16. There were also smaller lots of cotton owned by persons whose names could not be obtained.

Quantities of fertilizer, which had been stored away in the buildings were also burned.

The wind blew the flames directly towards the principal part of the city, making it very dangerous, but the flames were at last controlled without any further losses. Almost everything that burned was insured.

Mr. Shupler, the Wounded Man Dead.

At 10.25 o'clock last Thursday night, Mr. A. D. Shupling, of Salisbury, who was shot by Mr. P. F. Hedrick, died. There had been no hopes for him, he having been shot through the lungs.

Hedrick has been released on an \$800 bond, and Manney is out on a \$500 bond.

Capt. Chadwick Dead.

The Charlotte Observer informed us this afternoon of the death of Capt. H. S. Chadwick, of the Charlotte Machine Co. Mr. Chadwick died at an early hour this (Thursday) morning at the Palmer House in Boston, Mass., he having gone there some time ago.

Mr. Chadwick was captain of the Charlotte company in our First regiment and resigned a short while ago.—Daily of 3rd.

LATER.

The death of Capt. Chadwick, as noted Thursday, was by his own hand. He sent a 38-calibre Smith & Wesson pistol ball through his brain and died instantly. Capt. Chadwick had broken very important business relations to go to the war, and it is believed that business adversity aggravated his nervous disorder. He had little politics amounting to \$40,000. He was 38 years old. He leaves a wife to whom he was married three years ago.

Another Chicken Fight Held.

Several from our county and town returned home Thursday from Rock Hill, where a two-day cock-fight was held about three miles east of that place. It was a hard fight, one of the hardest some of them have ever seen. Seventeen fights were held and of the seventeen our delegation gained eight of them, but on the odd fight considerably. Several of the chickens were killed. The crowd from here came back short of a number of dollars.

Ewart to Be Drugged.

A Washington special of the 2nd to the Asheville Citizen says: "It is understood here authoritatively that the President will not renominate H. G. Ewart as he has had two trials before the Senate. An effort will be made today to reach a vote on confirmation but it will be fruitless. This is expected to end all maneuvers in favor of Ewart."

Millions Given Away.

It is certainly gratifying to the public to know of one concern in the land who are not afraid to be generous to the needy and suffering. The proprietors of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, have given away over ten million trial bottles of this great medicine; and have the satisfaction of knowing it has absolutely cured thousands of hopeless cases. Asthma, Bronchitis, Hoarseness and all diseases of the Throat, Chest and Lungs are surely cured by it. Call at P. B. Frazier's drug store and get a trial bottle free. Regular size 50c, and \$1. Every bottle guaranteed, or price refunded.

WHERE IS HE?

Samuel McDaniel of Cannonville Left Home Over the Month Ago and Nothing Has Been Heard of Him Since—A Mysterious Case.

During court week in January, on the 25th day of that month according to his parents recollections, Samuel McDaniel, the 16-year old boy of Mr. J. H. McDaniel at Cannonville, after doing several turns about the house told his mother that it was time he was going. His mother only thought that it was a trip he and father and some others were going to take, and asked him to wait until his father came and they could all go together. He would not wait though, but said that they could come on later.

The boy left then and nothing since that time has ever been heard of Samuel McDaniel. Thinking that the boy would be home soon, and looking for him every day, nothing was made public about the matter, but as it has been over a month since he left it is now becoming a source of grief and anxiety on the part of the family.

This boy, so his father tells us, had no roaming disposition and was not of a wild nature. Having had an attack of pneumonia once it settled in his legs and he always had a stiff way of walking. He always carried his head down, too, and walked with his toes turned in.

WILSONS EXONERATED.

The Legislature's Joint-Session Down to the Governor.

At 4.15 p. m. last Thursday the Senate entered the hall of the House and the great crisis of the Wilsons' case was reached. The body sat as a high judicial court to consider the report of the committee. The governor was represented by James B. Malton, Major Wilson was represented by Robt. O. Burton and R. H. Battle defend S. Otto Wilson.

After a full hearing of the case which took till 3 o'clock Friday morning the vote was taken and the Wilsons were exonerated of crime which means a rebuke to the spiteful governor.

The vote stood in Major Wilson's case 38 to 56, and in the case of S. Otto 78 to 54. The body then accepted S. Otto Wilson's resignation.

Foot Broke Off Like a Piece of Wood.

Wm. Catoe, of Lancaster county, S. C., went to Kershaw on Monday of last week and started for his home near Taxahaw, about nightfall, but he became so benumbed by the cold that he lay down by the roadside, where he was found on Tuesday morning, in an unconscious condition. In attempting to take off one of the unfortunate man's shoes a foot broke off at the instep as if it had been a piece of wood. Both feet and one arm had to be amputated. It seems unreasonable that a man could live lying on the snow for ten hours with the thermometer ten degrees below zero.—Monroe Journal.

A STRANGE CASE.

Living With Two Bullets in His Head in Spite of the Doctor's Verdict.

Nelson Mackold, of Waukesha, has lived since May, 1897, with two bullets in his brain, either one of which, so the doctors say, would have killed anybody else.

During that month a horrible crime was committed on a lonely farm near Waukesha. A man named Pouch killed Farmer Alexander Harris, put two bullets into Mackold's head and left him for dead. He then went to the house and, after Mr. Harris had given him breakfast, he shot her and her daughter.

The hired man revived sufficiently to crawl to a neighbor's house and give the alarm. The whole country was aroused and some days after the murderer was found in a pond, where he had shot and then drowned himself.

The grasp of Mackold upon life was marvelous. All the doctors said he would die, but instead he got well, and by the end of the summer was able to work about the farm. In the interest of science Mackold was taken to this city and an X-ray photograph taken of his brain. It shows that one bullet is lodged at the base right over the spinal column and the other is in the roof of the orbit. Physicians say that, according to every physical law, he must of necessity die from the effects of the bullets in their present position, yet the man lives in strong and well, feels no ill effects from the bullets and has seen as he ever was.—Chicago Chronicle.

State Sunday School Convention.

The next Annual State Sunday School Convention is called to meet on the 14th to 16th, inclusive, of March, 1899, in the First Presbyterian church, at Salisbury, N. C. The citizens of Salisbury are making special arrangements to take care of a very large delegation of visitors. All delegates contemplating being present, will please send their names at once to T. R. Garner, Chairman of the Reception Committee, so that homes may be the more readily provided.

The Reception Committee will meet all trains and conduct visitors to their homes. Let each one interested in Sunday School work throughout the State do what he can to make this the most pleasant and profitable meeting held so far in the State.

Fraternally,
W. L. Klutz, Ch'm.
A. L. Smoot, Sec.
Committee of Invitation.

A Concord-Salisbury Wedding.

The Salisbury Sun says: "At the residence of and by the undersigned on the evening of Feb. 28th, Mr. Harvey Borraze, of Concord, and Miss Emma Chaffin, of Salisbury were married."

Immediately after the ceremony they were driven to the depot to take the southbound train to Concord, the home of the bridegroom.

Lovers seldom appear more beautiful and bright, than when listening to their marriage rite.

S. J. M. Brown.

Chief Justice Shepherd Chosen.

The board of trustees of the University on Wednesday elected as Chief Justice James E. Shepherd to the professorship of law made vacant by the death of the late John Manning. But one name was presented and the election was unanimous by acclamation.

After they shall have voted the bonds, however, and sold them, it is to be hoped there will be no kicking against the taxation necessary to pay them.—Raleigh Post.

For frost bites, burns, scalds, sore eyes, eczema, skin disease, and especially Piles, DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve stands first and best. Look out for dishonest people who try to imitate and counterfeit it. It's their endorsement of a good article. Worthless goods are not imitated. Get DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve.—J. P. Gibson.

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A Memorial Picture to Her Tribute.

On the wall in the house of Mr. S. J. Hartsell, of No. 1 township, will hang a memorial picture to the memory of Emma Hartsell, who was murdered last year, wording of which is as follows:

"Gone, but not forgotten. In loving remembrance of my dear daughter, Mary Emma Hartsell, who was brutally murdered May 29th, '98, aged 12 years, 8 months, 18 days.

Weep not for her, who is now at rest. Where care and pain no more annoy. Has reached the heaven of the blest. And realized immortal joy.

Her spirit smiles from that bright shore, And softly whispers: 'Weep no more.'"

Once a Member of Company L.

Mr. P. P. Hedrick, the young man who it seems shot Mr. A. D. Shupling in Salisbury some nights ago was formerly a member of Company L, we are informed. He spent several days here before the company left and Mayor Crowell tendered him a place at his house while waiting for the company to go to Raleigh. He was discharged from the company on account of his bad health.

For the Confederate Veterans.

Senator Tillman endorsed the passage of a resolution Wednesday authorizing the Secretary of war to loan to the executive committee of the United Confederate Veterans 10,000 coats, 10,000 mattresses and 2,000 tents for the reunion in Charleston in May.

The Army Bill Passed.

The House on Wednesday passed the Army Re-organization bill and has made it unnecessary thereby for the President to call an extra session. We understand the bill to give volunteers their option to return home or to remain in the service.

Reason to Live, But in Prison.

Gov. Russell has commuted the sentence of Jasper Hinson, of Mecklenburg, who killed Jim Crawford, to life imprisonment instead of execution.

No Beer for Private.

Havana, March 1.—The American military authorities in Cuba are stopping the sale of beer at post exchanges and closing the bars in Havana and Marianoa for selling beer or wine to private or non-commissioned officers.

The proprietors of such places are fined \$500, but are allowed to reopen after three days on giving bonds. The private soldiers, especially volunteers, think it a great hardship that they may not buy beer when the officers of their regiments are unrestricted.

"Faded in a Dream."

is now one of the new songs that will probably go the rounds, composed by Halbert Board. The words tell of the parting of a brave American soldier from his sweetheart. At Santiago at the same hour in which she dreamed of his death, he fell, asking her before dying to wear for him a rose. The sentiment of the song is beautiful. The composer is a son of Ex-Governor Board, of Wisconsin.

Our Ambassador in London.

London, March 1.—The United States Ambassador, Joseph H. Choate and party, arrived here this evening. There was no formality in the welcome extended to Mr. Choate at the station.

At Southampton where the party disembarked from the St. Paul an official welcome was extended the new Ambassador. The mayor and other officials boarded the steamer in their robes of office, and a number of happy speeches were made and many things said complimentary to America. Particular stress was laid on the friendship existing between the two countries.

A corset saved the life of a New York woman, whom a drunken man was trying to stab. So even the much abused corset comes in handy some times. Of course it does.—Morning Star.

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