

SOME SNAP SHOTS

At Short Range.

Scenes and Incidents in the Passing Show of Life in this Metropolis and Vicinity, as Caught by Our Kodak, Reported by Truthful Persons, or Evolved from the Editor's Brain.

The Southern Baptist Convention will meet in Atlanta, Ga., May 6-13.

H McNamara has two good, fresh milch cows for sale. Call on him.

Raleigh is to have a "Business Men's Carnival."

It is just 27 years since Stoneman captured Salisbury.

W M Worrell is in the city and his many friends are glad to see him.

Ed McLester has remodeled Wm. Howell's house on Union street. It is now a two story dwelling.

A cold snap and the full moon in April always contrive to visit us at one and the same time.

The State Republican Convention meets in Raleigh tomorrow, Thursday.

Dr. Geo. T. Winston, president of the University, passed down the road today.

Mrs. Sparrow, of Washington, is visiting at her son-in-law's Dr. C M Payne.

Married, Tuesday evening Apr. 12th at Forest Hill, Mr. Tomas Lee Thompson to Miss Sarah Beatty.

In the political actions about to come, forth, let there be caution. Let us choose the lesser of the two evils.

North Carolina was represented at the United Confederate Veterans at New Orleans by Gen. Robert F Hoke and Gen. Rufus Barringer.

The vanity of some people lead them to make elaborate appropriations for monumental show after life has passed.

Be sure and secure a lot of Bostonian's 6-cord spool cotton which he is selling at 40 cents per dozen; it is as good as any thread made and much cheaper.

Rev. J L Michaux, editor of the Greensboro Workman, and a man through whom runs lot of the milk of human kindness, is visiting at Capt. Odell's.

Capt. A Landis the oldest and one of the most prominent citizens of Oxford died Sunday last. He was captain of the daring "Granville Gray's" of the Confederate Army. He was 84 years old.

P B Fetzer started out from Mooresville, on Sunday, to walk home. He got to China Grove in time to see the midnight train pull out. He walked four miles down this way and gave out, and then hired a team. He walked 19 miles. The Standard understands that the Presbyterian session is thinking of giving Mr. Fetzer an appointment for life as delegate to Presbyteries—saves traveling expenses, besides he is one of the fittest otherwise.

A Call For Primaries.

All voters, who intend to act with the Democratic Party and support the nominations made, and the platforms adopted by the Democratic State Convention at Raleigh in May next and by the National Democratic Convention at Chicago in June next, are cordially invited to meet at their usual voting places on the first Saturday in May, 1892 (being the 7th day of May) at 2 o'clock p. m., and elect delegates to attend a County Democratic Convention to be held at the Court House in Concord on the following Saturday (May 14th, 1892) at 12 o'clock noon. By order of Democratic Executive Committee of Cabarrus county.

ROBT. S YOUNG,
Chairman.

March 19th, 1892.

OUR FOOTWEAR.

Let us Cover our own, Pedal Extremities.

Since the little unpleasantness between the two sections was settled the South has prospered. Her agricultural products have been more than doubled; her mines are being developed; her mills are working up her great staple, cotton. With all this push, vim and go aheadtiveness there is one kind of manufacture that is necessary in every well regulated family that has been almost wholly overlooked.

Almost all of our footgear comes to us from the north; and why? Are we not able to turn out just as good shoes for the dainty feet of our wives, and daughters and sweethearts as Ziegler. Can we not make as substantial a shoe as Douglass, whose picture adorns a column of every southern paper. Let us see if we cannot. Let us get to making shoes of all sorts, sizes and styles. Concord should have a fully equipped shoe factory. It will give work to many.

An Aged Lady Dead.

At the home of J B White, No. 11, early this (Wednesday) morning, Mrs. Margaret Alexander died at the age of 75 years and one month. She has been a faithful member of Rocky River Presbyterian church, ever since.

Snails by the Million.

Prof. W L Poteat, of Wake Forest, has contributed to the Elisha Mitchell Society, "Some notes on the fertility of Physa Heterostropha Say," and he determines after patient watching that the age at which reproduction begins is five months; that the frequency of broods is one brood in something less than three days; that the broods average thirty. Assuming that the reproductive period is six months, he calculates that the offspring of a single pair would number in two years 1,808,800. These creatures, who are encumbered with such a hard name, we believe are commonly called snails. The Professor's article indicates patient investigation in a field that has not been much explored, and will be particularly interesting to those engaged in similar lines of work.

Eight cases of small pox were reported at the New York hospital last Sunday and Monday.

The Mississippi river at Columbus, Miss., is reported three feet higher than ever before. Fifty people are reported drowned, one thousand houses washed away and 500 people living on charity.

When Brother Sam Jones is blamed for some deliberately strong language, he can remember what Sfeil said of the great O'Connell, "who, with the improvidence of his country, had no compunction in flinging a brood of robust young thoughts upon the world without a rag to cover them."—Augusta Herald.

The cigarette nabobs are rather of the Phariseical sort of humanity. They enjoy being seen of men. In our state they seek popularity by munificent contributions to churches colleges and schools. In Virginia it seems they are on another pathway to praise. An exchange says that the bronze statue to Gen. A P Hill was paid for by a millionaire cigarette maker.

Last Sunday evening an instructor and ten boys, connected with the Boston Mass., farm school at Thompson's island, were capsized in a sail boat and the instructor and eight of the boys were drowned.

The measles and mumps are still getting in their work.

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ELECTION ORDER.

North Carolina, Cabarrus county. Commissioners court, March 7, 1892.

Notice of election and appointment of Registrars.

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Commissioners of Cabarrus county, N. C., has ordered an election to be held in No. 12 township in said county on Tuesday the 19th day of April 1891, at the usual polling place in the four several wards of said township, submitting to the qualified voters of the said township the question of subscribing to the capital stock of the Concord Southern Railroad company the sum of seventy-five thousand dollars (\$75,000), that the following named persons have been appointed registrars for the four several wards of said township in election, to wit:

ED. H. HALL for ward 1.
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W. A. PATTERSON for ward 3.
M. M. GILLON for ward 4.
J. DOVE;
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