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WHOLE No. 65.

Origin of Name.

Written for The Standard.
This evening I sit and muse upon our fair city of Concord. There are twenty-five towns and cities in the U. S. bearing the name of Concord, but what else can I do but place our city of love as the brightest and best of them all. This is indeed an appropriate name for me, day by day, exemplify the spirit of Concord and harmony by our "walk and conversation." We got our name in this wise: When Cabarrus was formed from Mecklenburg, Union and Rowan, here are a great deal of discussion as to the place for the county seat. Some wished it to be situated about three miles to the east of its present location while others wanted it three miles west of here.

The eastern and western factions could not compromise the matter—each was determined to carry its own point. The fight grew warmer and warmer. At this point it was decided to leave the solution of the matter to Gen. Stephen Cabarrus; at that time one of the most distinguished men of our State and in honor of whom our county was named.

Parties representing both the eastern and western factions were sent to Gen. Cabarrus to plead their cause. Each delegation presented facts and figures from their own standpoint. Gen. Cabarrus took a map of the county, looked at the two disputed points a few moments and then he took his pen and made a dash half way between the two points, saying "Let the courthouse be located at some suitable point on this line, and let the town be called Concord as earnest of the harmony which I hope will ever exist in the future between the people of Cabarrus county."

Thus we were named and started out upon our course of existence for weal or for woe, anchored by a stroke of love. And have we maintained that standard of harmony upon which Gen. Cabarrus ushered us into existence? I think we have. Today we stand blessed in a thousand ways. Heaven's smile has ever guarded our destinies. When the dark cloud of war hung its dismal curtains over our heads far back in the sixties, it seemed as if all was lost, but no, a brighter day dawned and we went forth with renewed energies to make our city, indeed and in truth, a place of administration and concord.

The ambrosial zephyr as they wail this solemn dirge in the eventide ring of melody of Concord's prosperity. The first faint gleam of the summer stars as they wake from their dreams of worlds is a song—a sweet, angelic song—of Concord's concord. The hum of a thousand spindles, the rattle of countless wheels, the voice of labor singing of honest toil, traffic's ceaseless murmur—this and a volume still unwritten, tells the sequence to Gen. Cabarrus' hope when he said, "Let the town (now city) be called Concord as earnest of the harmony which I hope (now fulfilled) will ever exist in the future between the people of Cabarrus county." Not only have we an illustrious history and a present prosperity, but our future is stored with great achievements—economical, industrial and social.

G. E. K.

A Week's Absence.

Dr. Cartland is on a visit to St. Paul, Minn., in the interest of his profession. He expects to return on Saturday.

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Commissioner's Meeting.

A full board was present at the commissioner's meeting yesterday and the usual routine of auditing and ordering orders to be paid was gone through with.

In the afternoon the commissioners and magistrates in joint session levied the tax for the ensuing year as follows:

District State Tax—	
Poll.....	.75
Property.....	.25
School—	
Poll.....	.45
Property.....	.15
Pensions—	
Poll.....	.9
Property.....	.3
Total poll tax.....	\$1.20
Total property tax.....	.43
General county tax—	
Poll.....	.60
Property.....	.20
County school tax—	
Poll.....	.71
Property.....	.24
Road tax—	
Property.....	.94
Poll.....	.284
Total state and county tax—	
Poll.....	2.25
Property.....	.5
Special road tax for No. 10 under Means law—	
Poll.....	.6
Property.....	.2

The same taxes under schedule B. and C. were issued for the county as by the state.

The following graded schedule of farm produce was made:

Cotton, 5c. per pound.
Wheat, 75c. per bushel.
Corn, 40c. per bushel.
Peas 75c. per bushel.
Oats 30c. per bushel.
Bacon and lard 6c. per pound.

That Western Murder.

The Standard interviewed Esq. D. W. Turner, of No. 10, on Monday. It appears that one of the alleged murderers of Burt Tucker (sometime ago in Arkansas) has been seen in the neighborhood of Smith's, Ford, this county. It is generally believed that the murderers are in Stanly county and parties are watching out for them, for the reward that is offered.

Standard readers will remember the note of this affair sometime ago. It is substantially thus:

Tucker and the Whitely men were gambling and Tucker scooped in several hundred dollars from the Whitelys and they wanted it back. They got him out out of both arms both legs and then severed his head from his body.

Tucker was a noted Republican in Stanly at one time. On several occasions he ran for sheriff of Stanly without catching it. He was really a man of fine intellect, but his weaknesses ruined him.

That Cabarrus Meteor.

In what year did the large meteor fall near Pioneer Mills. This is the meteor that fell bursting through a big log and burying itself 3 feet in the ground. A Mr. Lemons reported it the size of a washpot, with hooks attached. It was taken to Charlotte. Some one please give us the history of it.

They Have Left Us.

In 1839 wild pigeons moved over this section in such numbers as to conceal the sunlight from the earth. Were one shot, it would go 200 yards, before falling, being carried on by its own motion and the current created by the other pigeons in their rapid flight.

Musical Recital.

A very pleasant and exceedingly creditable entertainment was the concert Monday evening by the young ladies of Miss Mary E. Young's class.

In spite of the wet weather a goodly assembly of patrons and friends gathered in the rooms of the Graded School building, and by their pleasant attention throughout the entire programme gave evidence of their appreciation of music, both vocal and instrumental.

Since all did so well it is needless to specialize; suffice it to say that the young ladies executed their several pieces with credit to themselves and to their teacher. Miss Young is an excellent teacher and it is with much regret that we learn that she has decided to leave us.

The "Flute Solo" by Mr. D. S. Butler was well executed and highly enjoyed. The gentleman was heartily encored.

Let all good people turn out this evening, and hear the little folks, and listen to some delightful music.

A FRIEND.

What W. A. Smith Did.

Salisbury Herald.
The work of grading Mr. W. C. Fraley's race track is moving along rapidly. It is located on the Mount Pleasant road one and one half miles from town, and when completed will be a splendid track. It is half mile around and is graded so as to be level almost the entire length. A fill at one place will be 11 1/2 feet high. The grounds will be enclosed with a paling 9 feet high and have a main entrance next the road. A barn and other necessary buildings will be erected in the enclosure.

Killed by Lightning.

Asheville, N. C., June 6.—During a thunder storm today lightning struck the partially completed graded school building, on Bailey street, instantly killing Will Bradford, formerly of Caldwell county. No bruises could be found except a very slight one on the neck. His body was completely blackened. Jack Robinson and Will Black, negroes, were knocked down and stunned. Black's shoes were completely demolished.

Read This.

The Concord Perpetual Building & Loan Association will commence its 8th series of stock June 4th 1892. Books are now open for subscription with the Secretary and Treasurer at Cannons & Fetzer's store. Persons wanting to help a home institution that is building up the town, or wishing a safe investment that is paying good interest, or a good savings bank for small earnings, will subscribe to this, one of the best institutions of our town. Borrowers getting money through this association pay a less rate of interest than they can obtain money from any other source for. We make the following estimate (based on our experience of four years): A loan of \$1000, at time of subscription, will cost, to repay, about \$1,250, making the interest for the use of \$1000 for about six years \$250, or about 4 per cent. We are now lending upwards of \$1300 per month and hope to increase the number of shares so that we can do still better. The president or secretary will explain its workings at any time to any one desiring information.

J. P. ALLISON, Pres't.
H. I. WOODHOUSE, Sec. and Treas.

Storehouse for Sale.

I will be glad to have offers for the storehouse and lot now occupied by Dr. Johnson.

W. M. SMITH

CONCORD MARKETS.

COTTON MARKET.

Corrected daily by Cannons & Fetzer

Low middling.....	6 1/2 @
Middling.....	6 @
Good middling.....	6 1/2
Stains.....	4 1/2 @ 5

PRODUCE MARKET.

(Corrected daily by W. J. Swink.)

Bacon.....	\$8 1/2 @
Sugar-cured hams.....	14 @
Bulk meats, sides.....	8 @ 10
Beeswax.....	18 @
Butter.....	15 @ 20
Chickens.....	20 @ 25
Corn.....	60 @
Eggs.....	15 @
Lard.....	8 @ 10
Flour (North Carolina).....	2 30 @
Meal.....	65 @
Oats.....	40 @ 45
Tallow.....	4 @ 5
Salt.....	70 @ 80

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Now about Segars, before the war I always smoked Henry Clay's but since the old man is dead his boys have let the brands run down and I had to give 'em up entirely. I find the only place I can get a decent Segar is at Fetzer's Drug Store. Did you ever try 'em? well, you just drop in there some time. You won't be disappointed. Fetzer seems to have the knack of getting hold of about all that's worth having in that line, and the fact is you'll get a better Segar there for five cents than nine-tenths of the Segar stores in the country will give you for ten.

And by the way, Fetzer's is the best place in the State for iced drinks, Soda-water, Lemonade, and such stuff, if you ever drink anything as mild as that. I do occasionally. A man WILL get a little behind on water sometimes, you know.