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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 comet made it rain; or it rained Sunday night, at least.

"Gudger of Cabarrus" spent Sunday in the country.

The express office has been moved back to its old place, in the brick row.

Rev. Paul Barringer is teaching at Mt. Gilead. He has a school numbering in seventy pupils.

The weather signal station here has a number of new flags for foretelling the weather.

The morning train reaches here at 7:36; the evening train at 8:30; the midday train at 11:57 and the South-bound night train at 10:33.

Here roasts a greedy little boy; Don't idly pass him by. Thanksgiving filled him full of joy. And too much pumpkin pie.

The pavements on Corbin street should be repaired. They are entirely too rough. Pedestrians can scarcely navigate that part of town.

Cotton is a curious crawler. It's got a hump on itself. The Standard joins many other farmers in regretting that our crops have been sold.

The changing, Mr. Geo. Ritchie informs us, has done splendid work on the Gold Hill road in No. 6. Such is its record all over the country.

The electric lights were cranky Sunday night. No services could be held in the Lutheran church. The other churches used oil lamps that had not been removed.

The colored people had a festival in the Hutchison building Saturday night. The usual amount of fun was secured and the evening passed off good humoredly.

Mr. J. W. Burkhead is progressing admirably with the subscriptions to the proposed new factory. This is an opportunity for young men who work on small salaries or wages.

The Roman Fair Association is slow in paying its premiums, as we learn from the Herald. We know from patient waiting that it hasn't paid an advertising bill.

The type made us say that Mr. J. D. Bacon, of Cannonville, was licensed to "export" where it was written "export." A stray letter, like other things, may have. The Standard regrets the oversight.

The allusion to poetry about "J—k" was not intended for Mr. John K. Patterson, some supposed. The abbreviation is for one name, and we were too modest to let the full name appear in this family journal.

The Standard appreciates the note of its subscribers sending in some personal notes. We cannot hear everything, if we do hear this.

THE COMET STRUCK

IT PLAYED SMASH WITH ITSELF.

The Standard "Scoops a Rich and Rare Item at the Expense of the Comet—Midnight Workers Get the Bulge on Sleeping Ones.

The advertised comet to hit terra firma was about 10:12. There was a delay, a considerable one. The comet made poor time when it got within 789,213 miles of the earth. For several thousand miles travel was rough and jagged, but the lady comet reached mother earth at 3:38 a. m. It strook with a dull thud within six feet of our reporter.

The comet is a female and altogether very insignificant. It lies near the R & D depot within stone's throw of the Lone Thirteen Post.

Our reporter built up a fire near by and proceeded to take such notes as could be secured. The comet is about the size of a barrel and shaped like a hoop-skirt. It has the appearance of much wear and tear, and looks as if it had been in a melted state.

If it is rock, it is unlike any our geological editor has heretofore seen in his travels—(of course he has never been to Raleigh, where rare and curious things are to be found). A thorough examination cannot yet be made—the comet is still in bad humor from great heat and a tired and weary feeling from such a long journey.

From all things, the Standard reporter must confess some disappointment over the insignificance of this comet, which has stirred up such a big commotion in this wicked and sinful world.

[The Standard does not vouch for the veracity of this reporter.—Ed.]

The Memorial Exercises.

Sunday night memorial services were held at Central M. E. Church. The evening was given up to reading memoirs of those who had died during the Conference year. This was the programme as carried out:

1. Voluntary by the choir.
 2. Memoir of Mrs. Christina Bo-dinn—by J. C. Fink.
 3. Hymn.
 4. Memoir of Miss Maudie Suttler—by Prof. E. P. Maugum.
 5. Hymn.
 6. Memoir of Leon Layraut—by J. Lee Crowell.
 7. Hymn.
 8. Memoir of Julia Mills—by L. D. Duval.
- Hymn and benediction.

Passed In His Cheeks.

Jacob Parter, a colored resident of this place, but an employee of the R & D Railroad, passed in his cheeks Saturday evening, at Danville, Va.

He was a brakeman on a freight train and got caught between two cars, resulting in fatal injury.

His body was brought to Concord on Sunday, for burial. He leaves a wife and three children.

Lodge Meeting Tonight.

There will be a regular communication of Stokes' Lodge No. 32, A. F. and A. M. tonight at 7:30.

Forest Hill Church.

Among the items in the pastor's report for the past year are the following:

Number of professions of faith, about, 150.
Accessions to membership, eighty-five.
Amount paid on salaries, \$1,095.00
Amount paid conference collections, 330.65
Amount paid for Sunday school, 115.20
Amount paid parsonage aid, 51.61
Amount paid Oxford orphan asylum, 9.15
Amount paid Bible cause, 5.00
Amount paid all other purposes, 333.19

Total, \$1,939.73

During the three years of the present pastorate over 300 have been received into the church, and the net increase has been over 70 per cent. The pastor took charge with 229 members; he closes the third year with 400.

Kohl Will Accept Defeat.

MONTGOMERY, Ala., Nov. 26.—The talk of revolution in Alabama over the governorship is idle. There is no sentiment in favor of the Kohl claims and Governor Jones and other State officers elected in August last will take the oath of office in the presence of the two houses on the first day of December.

Gave the Negro the Certificate.

COLUMBIA, S. C., Nov. 26.—The State board of canvassers tonight completed a two days' hearing of the contested election of Gen. E. W. Moise, the Democratic candidate for Congress from the seventh (or back) district, by George W. Murray, the negro Republican. The certificate of election is given to Murray by forty votes only, the total being Moise 4,957; Murray 4,955. "The face of the returns, as sent up by the county boards, gave Murray little more than 2,500 votes. Over 1,700 of Murray's votes, thrown out as illegal on account of off size ballots, were counted by General Moise. It is estimated that the State board allowed participation in State affairs to influence it, and its action has created one of the political sensations of the year in South Carolina.

SHORT LOCALS

The McEushern house and lot, on Depot street, was sold at public auction. Mrs. R. A. Brown purchased same for \$250.

Christmas soon will be here. Adorn the turkey with the kitchen. The feathers will be taken off. And with stuffing he'll be filled.

Elizabeth Bagel, of Wake, was taken ill Sunday—the green 62—the brick 16. After leaving the man's dining table by a young man's boss.

Mr. N. C. Smith, coefficient manager of All-News, has purchased of Mr. W. H. Brown the right in the life insurance policy of Charlotte. It is reported that Mr. Brown is about going to the North Sea.

Extincter shells don't let Mr. H. and Mrs. Lease. The shells are different. But in the respect they resemble each other.

D. M. Stallings, of Boat Mills, who has been attending school at Rutherfordton College, has come home for a while.

Dr. P. A. Barrier, of Mt. Pleasant, spent several hours in the city. He will wear a Cleveland beaver and will until the inauguration.

The Standard regrets to learn of the probable necessity of Master Frank O. Rogers returning home from his duties at Horner's School, on account of sore eyes. For the past two weeks they have been in a serious condition.

Cicero Thompson, one of the best barbers in the State, and J. J. Ezell, the electric light engineer, had a little squabble, a little shooting, etc., on Saturday night. The legal investigation made it necessary to bind both parties over to the Superior court.

The Standard, as well as others, does not know that Rev. H. M. Blair, the popular pastor of the Forest Hill M. E. church, will be returned here or not. Mr. Blair has been here three years and he is decidedly more popular now than the first year. The work under his care has prospered.

Mr. Lee Thompson, a student of North Carolina College, at Mount Pleasant, was seriously hurt by falling across a bench on Thanksgiving day. Several ribs were broken, besides internal injuries. His father, of Lexington, went down to see him.

The Standard has sent out a number of statements to daily subscribers, and up to going to press not one has felt bad blood. We hope the matter is not considered merely a huge joke. In this connection a number of local subscribers confer an ever-lasting favor upon us by calling out their sympathy in the form of fifty lucre.

Just before the election 300 men employed in the stone quarries near Hartford Green, went on a strike against a reduction of wages. Fearing the result of the election the party managers got together and arranged to have the old rate kept up. The men went to work. But the election is over and now notice has been given that a reduction will be made December 1st.

Getting It Right.

From Judge.

"You live on Mason street, do you not, Miss Elzear?"
"No, Mrs. Hawkins. I live in a house that is situated at one side of that thoroughfare."

Another Room Ten to Trinity.

The trustees of Trinity College held an important meeting in Durham a few days ago. Some important measures were adopted. The trustees voted \$10,000 more to the college. The Board recommended that the annual conferences be discontinued of a financial agent.

A Marriage That Was to Be.

It is reported that a marriage was to have been contracted between Winston and a young lady had made arrangements so far. The bridegroom was awaited at the altar for his action is that the girl whom he had promised had "recorded" him once, "as fair play."

Remember the Lyceum meets on Friday night. Call on Dr. N. D. Fetzer for a ticket. Fee of cost.

Diphtheria Frying Havoc.

OTTAWA, Ont., Nov. 26.—Lumber men who have arrived here from the lumbering shanties report black diphtheria as making serious havoc with the men employed in cutting timber in the Madawaska Company, many deaths having already taken place. The Ontario Government has sent up a number of doctors with the hope of checking the disease.

House For Rent.

One Dwelling House and Lot for rent adjoining Mrs. Dracken.

D. L. CANNON.

Building and Loan.

The Ninth Series of stock in the Concord Perpetual Building and Loan Association will commence on Saturday December 3rd. Books now open for Subscriptions with Secretary and Treasurer at Cannons & Fetzer store. Call and take some stock in this one of Concord's most valuable institutions. It is a good paying investment and safe.

J. P. ALLISON, Pres.

H. J. WOODHOUSE, Sec. & Treasr., Nov. 21 to Dec. 3rd.

NORTH CAROLINA, Admr's Cabarrus County. Notice.

Having been duly appointed and qualified Administrator of John A. Menheimer, dec'd, by the proper court of Cabarrus county, all persons holding claims against the said deceased, are hereby notified to present them to the undersigned, duly authenticated, for payment on or before the 10th day of November, 1893, or this notice will be plead as a bar to their recovery; also, all persons owing said deceased, are notified that prompt payment is expected. This November 11th, 1892.

R. W. MISENHEIMER, Administrator.

Tax Notice!

IMPORTANT TO ALL:

I hereby notify all tax-payers that I will, on the 10th day of December, 1892, levy and seize the personal property of all persons who have not by that time paid their property taxes. At the same time I shall return to the mayor the names of all persons who have not paid their poll taxes to the town. This hurry is necessitated in consequence of the need of funds for the graded school, and for the interests on bonds. This is no notice simply to scare, but is exactly what I am compelled by law to do. If anybody thinks I am not compelled to act, they can take it easy and see and pay costs.

J. L. BOGER,

TOWN TAX COLLECTOR, Office, City Hall, opp. Court House.

TRUSTEE'S SALE.

By virtue of authority vested in me by deed in trust, or mortgage, executed by George Hart and wife, Maggie Hart, on the 24th day of October, 1888, which deed in trust, or mortgage, is duly recorded in Register's office for Cabarrus county in Book 4, pages 110 and 111 of record of mortgages. I will sell at public auction, at the court house door, in Concord, N. C., on Monday, December 5th, 1892, to the highest bidder, for cash, the property described in said mortgage, adjoining Charley Lion and others. Title to said property supposed to be good, but purchaser takes only such title as I am authorized to convey under said mortgage.

P. B. FETZER, Trustee.

Nov. 2, '92.