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A BATCH OF LOCAL NEWS.

Picked Up and Put in Shape By Our Hustling Pencil Pusher

Mr. J F Honeycutt, for some time in the jaws of gripp, is out again.

Messrs D B Coltrane and J C Wadsworth have begun work on their new homes.

Mr. and Mrs. S J Lowe will occupy Dr. N D Fetzler's house on South Main street.

Will Barrier one of the best young men of No. S, has become engineer at the Fenix Flour Mills.

Mr. Jno. B Caldwell, by expiration of his contract, has retired from the depot. He is succeeded by Mr. Phifer, of New York.

The Cocoa Lady, who was entertaining Swink's customers a few weeks since, was thrown from a horse in Raleigh and painfully hurt.

The corner stone of the Confederate Monument at Raleigh is to be laid on the 20th of May. Mt Airy granite has been selected for the purpose.

If you have a house to paint we care not for the length, the breadth or the HEIGHT thereof. Give us the job. ANTHONY & SAPPENFIELD

Prof. John L. Weber, who has held the chair of English at Trinity College, has resigned, and will return to his old home in South Carolina.

Your attention is called to Ould Mercantile Company's new ad. They started in with a yearly contract. They know a good advertising medium.

Dr. W H Wakefield will be in Concord at the St Cloud Hotel on Wednesday, April 18th, for one day, Practice limited to Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat. a17.

Mr. W J Andersen, who was with Mr. G M Lore for quite a while, has accepted a position in Washington, to which point he will move his family.

Mr. Charlie Alexander has bought himself a Texas pony, and is affording amusement to several in riding him. These ponies are nearly as stubborn as the Oregon stock.

There is some overhauling of the water works mains on Union street. Mr. Fetzler has had less trouble during the past winter than usual, owing the absence of hard freezes. Mr. F V Snell is here working the hydrants up.

A newspaper is the record of facts and it sometimes accidentally records things not facts. But when there is a dull thud in news, it is a painful time to be in the hands of printers calling for copy. These are the times, usually, when history that isn't history is recorded.

The Praise Service at the First Presbyterian church, Thursday night, was attended by a large congregation. It was a lovely evening delightfully and profitably spent. The interest, on the part of the audience, never waned from the time Prof. Robert L. Keesler, in his own inimitable style and masterly touch, played an organ voluntary, to the Postlude. The offertory was for the benefit of missions. The singers were Misses Lou Stuart and Rose Harris, Mesdames H I Woodhouse, Kate Noell, M L Ross and Henry Propst and Messrs. H I Woodhouse, J O Pink, W J Anderson, and A E Lentz.

THE RUSH OF HUMANITY.

People Who Travel as Seen by Our Reporter.

—Tump Snell, of Greensboro, is in the city.

—Mrs. Jno. W Wadsworth has returned to Charlotte.

—Mr. and Mrs. Harris Crowell, of Mt. Pleasant, were in the city.

—Master Joe Cannon has returned from Lenoir, where he has been in school.

—Miss Jennie Sapp has returned from a visit to Salisbury of several weeks.

J T Pounds asks us to say that he is still plaining and selling lumber, and that he is ready at any time to take contracts. The idea has gotten out that he was in the coffin business alone. a8

See what Cannons, Fetzler & Bell have to say. They are alive to the best wishes of those desiring furniture. This firm is shipping goods to Charlotte and lots of other points in the state.

There will be a meeting of the North Carolina Board of Pharmacy at Raleigh Wednesday and Thursday, April 11th and 12th at which time candidates for licenses to practice pharmacy will be examined.

Dr. Young received a whole bag full of government seeds. He handed them out among farmers, as was intended. Non wishing to plant any more seeds for a pig to amuse himself with on a moonlight night in our garden, we didn't accept any seed. But every one hasn't a pig.

Rev. H S Wingard, D. D., one of the most eloquent pulpit orators of the Lutheran church in the South, will deliver the Baccalaureate sermon before the graduating class of Mount Amos Female Seminary, Mt Pleasant, N. C., on Sunday June 3rd. There are eleven in the graduating class.

It was reported here yesterday that Noah Whitley, who lives near Big Lick in this county, killed his daughter, Rosa Whitley, on last Monday evening by beating her over the head with a piece of iron. Whitley was drunk at the time, and had a fight with another man during the day. We have been unable to secure further particulars.—Stanly News.

The large cotton factory of the Patterson Manufacturing Co., China Grove, N C, has just been completed and started up. This is the first mill to adopt electricity for pumping water. The only attention necessary at the pumping station is when the motor is stopped and started. The cost of the water thus procured is estimated to be one cent per 1000 gallons.—Boston Journal of Commerce.

The Lincoln Courier says: "Mr. S S Rahn, made us a pleasant call on last Monday." We know this gentleman was a minister and a teacher years ago. Had brother Starrette, of the Courier, experienced what we use to under this gentleman as a teacher at Mt. Pleasant, he would know his proper title and call him by the same. Some of the most vivid lessons ever received was at the hands of this scholarly gentleman—they were punctuated with vividness or something else just as vigorous.

SEEKING SOUTHERN HOMES.

Several Railroad Projects Taking Shape for Active Work.

Baltimore, March 15—The Manufacturers' Record in its weekly summary of the business conditions of the South says:

One of the noticeable features of the business in the south is the unusually large number of capitalists and homeseekers who are now investigating the resources and attractions of this section, and this being followed by some large sales of properties and extensive colonization projects. Many reports to the Manufacturers' Record complain of the injury to business by the tariff agitation and in some industries there is much uncertainty as to the future on this account, but on the whole the South shows a gradual improvement, with more disposition to take up new enterprises. There is considerable activity in public improvement matters, including waterworks, electric light works and sewerage systems and reports for the week show such enterprises for one town in Maryland, one in Arkansas, three in Florida, one in Louisiana, and one in Missouri, one in Tennessee, seven in Texas, two in Virginia, and one in Kentucky.

Notwithstanding the general depression in railroad matters several railroad projects, some of considerable importance, are taking shape for active work. The total production of coal in the South in 1893 was 28,700,000 tons against 24,900,000 in 1892 and 15,200,000 tons in 1887.

Got Some "Hard Tack."

There is a man named Cobb, near Roswell, Ga., who has a biscuit in possession which he brought home from the war.—Durham Sun.

And there is a veteran in Franklin county, this State, who preserved as a memento of the war a little chunk of bacon, smaller than a banana, that was the last two-weeks' ration he drew at the Appomattox. The writer saw it on exhibition a few years ago at a veteran's reunion in Louisburg. If the Tarheel and the Cracker should happen to get together with their commissary wagons they would doubtless have an old-time "feast of reason and flow of soul"—but little else.—Gastonia Gazette.

To Build a Government Distillery.

Several farmers of Southern Cabarrus county were in the city today for the purpose of investigating the cost and making a final decision in regard to a proposal by some of them to build a large government distillery in that section. The site selected for the place is on the South Fork of Anderson's creek, and five miles east of Pioneer Mills. In case the plant is erected it will be a very large one, and it now looks as if Collector Carter will get to add it to his list.—Charlotte News.

Greeting To Her Concord Friends.

New York, March 13—Editor Standard: Please say to the ladies of Concord, and surrounding country that I will be home in due time with a splendid assortment of Easter hats. Styles this season are exceedingly good and there is such variety that every one may have a becoming shape. Very Respectfully. N L Alexander, Milliner.

New lot of night shirts just received at Cannon & Fetzler's.

THE FAMILY PURCHASING.

What the Longs Have Been Doing the Past Week.

Ed Standard: I wrote you sometime since that Geo. A Long and his father would be in town looking out a situation and that Geo. was going to purchase a lot, they were in town yesterday (Monday) looking around at some lots and houses. Geo. did not purchase a lot of any person, though several were offered him, he seemed to be inclined to lean towards the court house; on Tuesday he came back with a determination to purchase and on finding the clever fellow, Joe K Patterson, he bought of him, such as young people like he is get, and on tomorrow 10 a. m. o'clock will be united in the holy bonds of matrimony to Miss Dorz Klutz daughter of J O Klutz.

I want to write you about two of your townsmen and hope he will not take any exception; on last Thursday he was piloting me down Coddle Creek, on the Gibson farm, and on hearing the bank I came near going into the creek and the good clever fellow asked me where I got it, and said that I did not get it from him. So on Friday we met again and this good clever fellow went to jump across a ditch and did so but did not; stop he jumped backwards and into the ditch on his back in mud and water; out he came laughing but I could not see where the laugh come in. The next thing I saw of that man he was making towards the house. Swamp Sparrow.

Judgement Against Bank Owners.

Messrs J C Irvin, H C Jowles, W M Cooper, W J Lazenby, J A Harbin and W F Munday were at Lexington last week and this, the three first as defendants and the others as witnesses in a suit brought in Davidson Superior Court by Messrs Cecil & Watson, contractors of Lexington against the owners of the First National Bank building of Statesville. The suit was brought to recover a balance due on the contract, payment of which was resisted on the ground that the building did not come up to specification. The case was tried Tuesday and the verdict was in favor of the plaintiffs for the sum of \$486 and costs. The defendants were represented by Mr. H M Pinnix, of Lexington, and Mr. J C Buxton, of Winston; the plaintiffs by Messrs Robbins and Raper, of Lexington.

The verdict was very much of a surprise to those familiar with the facts, and the bank people will probably appeal.—Statesville Landmark.

Maj. Robbins Rewarded.

A letter received from Hon. Jno S Henderson announces that through the influence of Senator Ransom and himself the Secretary of War has appointed Maj. W M Robbins, of Statesville, on the Gettysburg Battlefield Commission, to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Gen. W H Forney, of Alabama.

The position is an honorable and lucrative one. It pays a salary of \$10 per day while employed, and gives employment nearly all the time.

Farmers, Attention!

We have acids and guanos for sale cheaper than ever. See us before you buy.

f28 LIPPARDS & BARRIER.

Subscribe for the Standard.

THE BLAND BILL-PASSES.

The Senate Votes For it in 44 to 31 [Now the President.]

At 12:30 on Thursday the Bland seigniorage bill was taken up by the Senate; Mr. Carey, republican, of Wyoming, concluded his speech against it. Then Dubois, republican of Idaho, Mr. Mitchell, of Oregon, Mr. Palmer of Illinois spoke. Mr. Pettigrew, of South Dakota, had just begun an argument in favor of the bill when Senator Harris rose and said. "Mr. President, the hour of 2 is recorded by the clock and at that hour the unanimous agreement of the Senate is that the final vote shall be taken on the passage of this bill. I ask for that vote." It was taken and resulted thus:

Yes—Allen, Blair, Berry, Blackburn, Blanchard, Bond, Cook, Cocksell, Coke, Colquhoun, Daniel, Dabbs, Faulkner, George, Gordon, Hays, Hinchey, Harbin, Harney, Jones, of Arkansas; Kyle, Lindsay, McLaughlin, Martin, Mills, Mitchell, of Oregon, Morgan, Paine, Puffer, Perkins, Pettigrew, Power, Pugh, Quay, Ransom, Roach, Shoup, Stearns, Teller, Turpie, Vest, Voorhees, White, Welcott—44.

Nays—Aldrich, Allison, Brier, Caffery, Carey, Chandler, Cullem, Davis, Dolph, Frye, Gallinger, Gibson, Gorman, Hale, Hawley, Higgins, Lodge, McMillan, McPherson, Manderson, Mitchell, of Wisconsin; Morrill, Murphy, Palmer, Platt, Proctor, Smith, Stockbridge, Vilas, Washburn, Wilson—31.

Ten republicans voted for it and nine democrats against it. The 3 populists voted for it. Senator Vance was in Florida and didn't vote, but Senator Ransom did.

Don't Take Them Long to Learn.

He is a "fly" old married man but he can't fool his wife if she is small. The other night when the female minstrels were here he picked up his hat about 8 p. m. and said he "thought" he would go to the post-office. His wife "thought" she would go also, and she did. He remonstrated that he would be gone only a few minutes. She said this just suited her—she wanted to walk a little. Then he said he had just thought of it—he promised to "see a party" downtown. She said all right—she would wait at a neighbor's for him, and the poor fellow had to give in, but he never intimated that he wanted to go to the show—neither did his wife.—Greensboro Record.

A Million Friends.

A friend in need is friend indeed, and not less than one million people have found just such a friend in Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption, coughs and colds.—If you have never used this great cough medicine, one trial will convince you that it has wonderful curative powers in all diseases of throat, chest, and lungs. Each bottle is guaranteed to do all that is claimed or money will be refunded. Trial bottles free at Fetzler's Drug store. Large bottles 50c and \$1 00.

Stanly News: Mr. C A Shankle, while cutting trees near the Albemarle depot the other day, accidentally let one fall across the telegraph wire which tore down the wire for some distance. The damage however was soon repaired. [Mr. Shankle use to be a citizen of Mt. Pleasant.]