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## A BATCH OF LOCAL NEWS.

**Picked, Up and Put in Shape By Our Hostling Pencil Pusher**  
When will we have the telephone in operation.  
There are 445 students at the University.  
Your attention is called to the mortgage sale by Mr. J A Rankin, trustee.  
The yearly protracted meeting at Forest Hill Methodist church will begin a week from next Sunday.  
Rev. T W Smith is conducting a very successful revival at Cannonville. Much interest is manifested.  
The sale of revenue stamps in Statesville for September amounted to \$15,996.97.  
Twenty-seven inch bleached Butchers or embroidery linen only 25c yard. The Racket. 5  
When a merchant stops advertising people get the idea into their heads that his "business is going down."  
Only one marriage license has been issued up to date this month, that one to a colored couple—Augustus Culp to Rhoda Miller.  
The much talked of Jabez Myers, of Charlotte, has reached New York. He is reported on the road to speedy and permanent recovery.  
Mrs. E C Black, near Pioneer Mills, Cabarrus county is dead. She was 80 years of age. She was the mother of Mr. Jack Black, of Charleston.  
Dr. W H Wakefield, of Winston, will be in Concord, at the St. Cloud Hotel, on Saturday, October 20th, the practice limited to eye, ear, nose and throat.  
There is to be a swell affair at the home of Charley Wade, colored tonight. Handsome invitations are out and a great time is anticipated by the first class of our colored people.  
Henry L Propst will have oysters every Saturday and will serve them in stews or fries, by quart or pint and delivered in any part of the city. Leave orders at store. 3t.  
A lady was asked by a Standard man if she had any news. Her reply was that if she had heard anything worth noticing she could not remember it, as she could think of nothing but that fall hat.  
Mr. Kimbro J Davis, who has been in the Odell mill here for a year or more, has accepted a position as superintendent of a mill at Bynum's, Chatham county. Mr. Davis has many warm friends here and we hate very much to lose him.  
The Standard will have to retract its statement as to the hole in the sidewalk in the front of Smithdeal & Morris's. A nice little pond is there and Mr. Penick Query is hard at work on a boat he is building for his own private use. Later it is now filled.  
If there is a township in the county in which a Democratic club has not yet been organized no time should be lost in forming one. We are going to whip this fight, but organization is absolutely necessary to do it, and from now until sun set on the day of election every patriot should work without ceasing for the success of the party that has given us good government.

## THE RUSH OF HUMANITY.

**People Who Travel as Seen by Our Reporter.**  
—Mrs. F V Barriet has returned to Salisbury.  
—Misses Sallie McAlister and Effie Misenheimer spent the day in town.  
—Mr. W W Rankin, who represents the big tobacco factory at Statesville, was in the city.  
—Mr. John Robertson, of Augusta, Ga., who was visiting in the city, left today for Charlotte.  
—Mrs. Lally Hix, of Wilkesboro, N. C., is visiting at her father's, Mr. T C Stricker.  
George P Pell, formerly of the Mt. Airy News, has entered school as a candidate for the degree for doctor of philosophy in law. So George is going to be a lawyer.  
Durham Sun: "Frank Robbins, of Concord, superintendent of the Cannon Cotton Mills, arrived in the city today on a visit to R L Patterson." [Mr. Robbins lives in China Grove and is not superintendent of the Cannon cotton mills, but of the Patterson Mills.]  
Rev. Jim Scherer, brother of Rev. Scherer, of Concord, and Lutheran missionary to Japan from the North Carolina Synod, was married recently to a Miss Brown, an American lady and also a missionary to Japan. She was sent by the Northern Presbyterian church.  
Salisbury Herald of the 4th Misses Rose Harris, Grace Gibson, and Lall Hill and Messrs Geo. L Patterson, Frank L Smith, Jno. F York, R L Keesler and J P Borders, of Concord, were in the audience at the opera house here last night. Mr. Keesler and Miss Hill are still among us. The others have returned home.  
**Convict Affairs.**  
Mr. H W Smith, superintendent of the Cabarrus convict gang was over yesterday. Mr. Smith stands guard over 28 men. He was taken yesterday out to see Mecklenburg's camp, and was greatly pleased with the work.  
The convicts have worked their way on the Statesville road as far as Dr. Irwin's, and on the Dilworth boulevard as far as Mr. Rigler's. The work on both roads is progressing well.—Charlotte Observer.  
**New Way to Lay Out the Rep.-Pops.**  
With one of the places of registration at an undertaker's establishment with a tombstone yard next door, Democrats should have no trouble in "laying 'em out."—Greensboro Record.  
In one of the wards in Statesville the registrar is a tombstone man and registers the voters at his office in the midst of his marble yard. In another ward the registrar is a merchant and he registers the voters in his store, which adjoins an undertaking establishment.  
These are evil omens for the confusionists.—Statesville Landmark.  
**Music School.**  
I have opened a music school and am prepared to teach piano, organ and orchestral instruments. I will give lessons at the home of the pupil or at my music room over Johnston's drug store. Respectfully,  
Ollw PROF. R. L. KEESLER.

## MR. HILEMAN SURPRISED.

**Esq. Puryear Ran on Him and Did Him Up.**  
Mr. Hileman, the man who has been Democrat, independent, Democrat again, then on the fence and then Populist and whom Senator Means wiped up for the North Carolina Senate two years ago, was expecting a bully time Thursday night at Georgeville. Mr. Puryear went down and they say it was an awful sight how Mr. Hileman was hacked. He got one of the best lectures he ever had.  
Mr. T J Shyan tells us that Mr. Puryear made one of the finest, complete and most convincing speeches he ever heard. Mr. Hileman took his medicine like a good man.  
**A Midnight Caller.**  
On Thursday night to the sound of mournful cry of a female voice, the citizens on North Main street were awakened from their peaceful slumbers sometime after midnight to find that a poor unfortunate negro girl parading the streets, half naked and half starved, driven from home and friends without money or where to lay her head. She claimed to be from Albemarle and said she had been on the road for two weeks. Her name is Harriet Moore, so she says, and when asked what her father's name was she gave us to understand that it was "Jack." The last seen of her was at Brown's livery stable about daybreak, but soon afterwards she had "taken the sneak."  
**How the Figure Should Stand.**  
The Asheville Citizen copying the News' analysis of the vote in this State upon which the Republican campaign committee made its decision not to send campaign funds into this State, adds: The figures above can be further elucidated. Harrison's vote in 1888 was 134,000; in 1892 was 100,000 about; showing that of the Populist vote of 44,000 for Weaver in 1892 about 34,000 were drawn from the Republican party. The figures this fall should stand, Democrats 150,000; Republicans and Populist, combined, 130,000.—Charlotte News.  
**Have You Registered?**  
Registration books are now open. Persons entitled to vote who have not previously voted in the townships where they live, should register without delay. Those who have voted before should see that their names are on the book.  
**Wanted.**  
Solicitors with reference, wanted by the largest, strongest and most progressive live stock insurance company in the world. Liberal contract and big inducements to both agents and insured. Address at once, with stamp Aetna Mutual Live Stock Insurance, Co. 100 S. 10th St., Phila., Pa. 3ts  
**Jellico Coal.**  
It is important that you consider the character of coal you buy. An inferior quality is always expensive. The celebrated Jellico coal possesses the highest heating capacity and the smallest proportion of ashes of any coal known, and is conceded to be the most satisfactory on the market. It is offered with the guarantee that it will show the best results. Always reliable. Its reputation is based on its merits. Your orders solicited.  
K L CRAVEN.

## "A Little Child Shall Lead Them."

It is one of the silent days of summer. Not a breath stirs. The leaves hang listless on the trees, and the flowers hold up their heads to Heaven to welcome the coming rain.  
A squad of workmen are trudging along the road in silence. Suddenly one of them stumbles and to save himself, he lets go his bag of tools which falls with a clatter on the dusty road.  
"Who did that?" he demanded savagely.  
A minute later he offers to fight any one—the whole lot. Words fly after words, and the man loses his temper altogether.  
They are standing opposite a gentleman's house, and when the dispute is at its worst, the gate opens, and a little golden-haired girl, scarcely more than a baby, is in their midst before they realize it.  
I have never seen a more striking scene—the man struck dumb, the child utterly unconscious of her strange surroundings. The burly man, who imagined himself tripped up, relaxes his clenched fist; the anger dies out of his face. I can hear it now—the first ripple of laughter that went round the group of men when the little one said:  
"What's he been doin'? Why don't he kiss and be friends?"  
In the baby face they saw what they had missed; and as the tiny hands helped to gather up the tools, a love that perhaps has never grown quite cold, held sway in their hearts.  
Love what is lovable in others, for in every fallen man there is the germ that may prove the promise of a better, happier, hoisier life. Do not tears well up in your eyes when you think of the men and women you have passed by? What would you say if you saw tomorrow their epitaphs—  
Poorly lived and poorly died,  
Poorly buried and nobody cried?  
**Full of History.**  
There is a tree on Gen. James D Glenn's farm, in the Meadows, that measures twenty feet in circumference and shades an acre of ground when its foliage is full. It budded and the leaves put out last spring, but they died. Another tree on the place bears the name of Wm. Byrd and the year 1732, cut by Byrd himself. Both trees are oak. The General's farm is a part of the Royal grant to Wm. Byrd, who surveyed the "Land of Eden," Gen. Farley won it from the noted surveyor in a game of poker, and sold it to Wm. Brodnax, the father of Dr. Brodnax. It descended from the last named gentleman to his nephew, the present owner. An office built by Gen. Farley before the Revolution is still standing and in good state of preservation. The shingles were put on with wrought nails.—Reidsville Weekly.

## GEO. MILLS CONFESSES.

**Iana Wimberly's Father Is in Jail on Charge of Murder.**  
Perhaps the dirtiest and most atrocious crime known in the annals of North Carolina courts has been unravelled in the Superior Court of Wake county.  
The trial has been on this week and it is too dirty for cold time to picture and carry into homes.  
Our readers will remember the case George Mills was jailed on—the charge of seducing and murdering Miss Iana Wimberly, of Wake county. She was a niece of his.  
The unravelling of the case and net work woven around George Mills not only fastened him to it, but put such strong suspicion on Wimberly, the father of the murdered girl, that the judge issued a bench warrant for Wimberly on the charge of having a hand in the murder.  
The case went to the grand jury and George Mills was called before that body and in being questioned so closely he confessed the whole thing, and his tale sounds straight.  
The girl—the poor dead girl—was not virtuous in life—her own brothers had taken her virtue; and the family, without the knowledge of Iana, held a conference to devise plans to get rid of Iana.  
One can not keep from believing Mills tale. He is a simpleton, almost, and his confession and statements seem genuine.  
Sentence has not yet been passed upon Mills.  
**The Great Aid is Advertising.**  
Investigation of Bradstreet's records show that 80 per cent. of the business concerns that fail are those who do not advertise. The record is authentic, and conclusively proves that the great aid to success in mercantile pursuits is to advertise.  
**A Household Treasure.**  
D W Fuller, of Canajoharie, N. Y., says that he always keeps Dr. King's New Discovery in the house and his family has always found the very best results follow its use; that he would not be without it, if procurable. G A Dykerman, Druggist, Catskill, N. Y., says that Dr. King's New Discovery is undoubtedly the best cough remedy; that he has used it in his family for eight years, and it has never failed to do all that is claimed for it. Why not try a remedy so long tried and tested. Trial bottle free at Fetzer's Drug store. Regular size 50 c. and \$1.00.  
**Lost!**  
A butterfly breast-pin with small chain between Methodist church and Loan street. Finder will be suitably rewarded by leaving same at Miss Mary Brachen's millinery store.  
**Did You Ever**  
Try Electric Bitters as a remedy for troubles? If not get a bottle now and get relief. This medicine has been found to be peculiarly adapted to the relief and cure of all Female complaints, exerting a wonderful direct influence in giving strength and tone to the organs. If you have loss appetite, constipation, Headache, fainting spells, or are nervous sleepless, excitable, melancholy or troubled with dizzy spells, Electric Bitters is the medicine you need. Health and strength are guaranteed by its use. Large bottles only fifty cents at Fetzer's Drug store.