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WHOLE No.—1,104

HE WAS DRUNK AND SAID SO

Frank Ratcliff, a Negro, begged the Chief of Police to Arrest Him and Put Him Away.

Wednesday night about 9 o'clock, a well-dressed mulatto country negro was parading the streets of the city looking for Chief of Police Boger, and when the gentleman was found the drunken negro told the officer that he had come to town and sold his cotton, and that he had taken several drinks of whiskey and it made him drunk. He begged the chief to spirit him away and get him off the streets.

He told the chief that his name was Frank Ratcliff, and that he lives on Mr. Ephraim Tucker's place in No. 9 township. Ratcliff was locked up in the county jail until this morning when he was taken out and given his freedom, after paying a small fine. He claimed that he knew nothing of what had taken place the night before. He came to this county from Virginia about four years ago, and said that he had not been drunk in two years.

Chief Boger said it was the first case that he ever had where a man came to him and begged to be arrested and locked up.

Both Well-Known Here.

In the Salisbury letter to the Charlotte Observer, we notice the following:

Mr. Sam Wiley and Miss Beulah Bernhardt are to be married on the 14th of October. The marriage will be an interesting social event. The ceremony will take place in the Lutheran church. Miss Annie Wiley and Miss Bernhardt, sisters of the contracting parties, are to be maids of honor. The colors of the wedding will be white and red, the bridesmaids wearing white dresses, red ribbons and carrying red roses. Mr. and Mrs. Bernhardt will take a trip North.

Charming Concord Girls.

The Wadesboro letter to the Charlotte Observer contained the following personal item:

"Misses Kate and Nannie Archibald, two of Concord's most charming young ladies, spent Saturday, Sunday, and Monday with Miss Rena Ingram, and left on the vestibule Tuesday morning for Matthews, whence they return to Concord today."

Dismal Swamp on Fire.

The Dismal Swamp fires are raging in the reeds, the peat bog is burning underneath the surface, and the cinder flakes are falling on our streets. If this unprecedented drought continues the bears will be driven from their jungles in the Dismal Swamp and lakes will multiply therein.—Elizabeth City Economist.

Stands at the Head.

Aug. J. Bogel, the leading druggist of Shreveport, La., says: Dr. King's new discovery is the only thing that cures my cough, and it is the best seller I have. J. F. Campbell, merchant of Safford, Ariz., writes: Dr. King's New Discovery is all that is claimed for it; it never fails and is a sure cure for consumption, coughs and colds. I cannot say enough for its merits. Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption, coughs and colds is not an experiment. It has been tried for a quarter of a century, and today stands at the head. It never disappoints. Free trial bottles at Fetzer's Drug store.

What stops Neuralgia? Dr. King's Pain Pills

A CONCORD LADY A BRIDE.

Miss Millie Swink, of this City, and Mr. Sam. F. Harmon Were Married Tuesday at White Sulphur Springs.

While marriages are in order and of almost daily occurrence, it will no doubt surprise a great many that one of Concord's most estimable young ladies was wedded to a citizen of Asheville.

The parties to whom we have reference, is Miss Mollie Swink, daughter of Mr. George Swink, of this city, and Mr. Samuel F. Harmon, a traveling salesman of Asheville. They were married last Tuesday afternoon at White Sulphur Springs, a suburban resort near that fashionable city on the mountains.

Only a few intimate friends of the contracting parties outside of their immediate families knew that the event would be so soon, although it has been surmised by a number of friends.

Yellow Fever in the South.

The telegraphic dispatches of yesterday contained in substance, the following on the yellow fever epidemic in the South:

"New Orleans reports 12 new cases of yellow fever and two deaths, Mobile four new cases and 30 old ones; Biloxi one new case, 42 in all; and two deaths, Edwards 13 new cases, 68 in all, two deaths, Ocean Springs, seven new cases, 15 under treatment.—Dr. Wasdin has recovered; Dr. Lowell is dead.—A newsboy died in Beaumont, Texas, and people are fleeing from that city.

McKinley and the South.

But do McKinley and his political advisers desire a white Republican party in the South? We do not think they do. What McKinley is working for is a re-nomination. He knows that there will be a big effort for the Republican presidential nomination in the next national contest, and he is preparing to control the delegates from the Southern States. He is putting into office men who will do their utmost to have McKinley delegates elected to the next national Republican convention. For the good of the South, for the upbuilding of the South, he cares very little in comparison with his own political success. He cannot help knowing that the putting of negroes into the principal federal offices is hurtful to the South. The best class of emigrants do not care to go where negroes are given such prominence, however worthy the negro officeholders may be. No, McKinley is not stretching out a helping hand to the South. He is looking out for his political future.—Savannah News.

For Over Fifty Years

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup has been used for over fifty years by millions of mothers for their children while teething, with perfect success. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays all pain, cures wind colic, and is the best remedy for Diarrhoea. It will relieve the poor little sufferer immediately. Sold by druggists in every part of the world. Twenty-five cents a bottle. Be sure and ask for "Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup," and take no other kind.

Cure for Typhoid Fever.

Anyone suffering with typhoid fever, I guarantee to effect a permanent cure, using preparations of my own, made of roots and herbs. I have recently cured five cases and can furnish testimonials. Anyone needing my services, call on or address me,
AXOS MCNEELY,
Oct. 15 1mo & w. Concord, N. C.

PERSONAL POINTERS.

—Miss Dora Guffey, of Alpha, is visiting relatives in the city.

—Miss May Stafford, of Harrisburg, is visiting relatives in the city.

—Dr. J. H. Newell, of Newell's was among the visitors in the city today.

—Mr. J. W. Cannon is in China Grove this afternoon, looking after his factories at that place.

—Mr. Sam F. Hodges left the city this morning for a short business trip on the road.

—Mr. Billy Guikum was in the city a few hours this morning, shaking hands with old friends.

—After a visit of several weeks to relatives in this city, Miss Bessie Kimball returned to her home in Salisbury.

—Misses Kate and Nannie Archibald, who have been visiting relatives and friends at Matthews and Wadesboro, returned to the city last evening.

—Messrs. W. L. Robbins and Alley Walter, of Foerst Hill, left for Dallas last night, to attend Gaston county court, having been summoned there to appear as witnesses in the Shealey suit.

Practise economy in buying medicines as in other matters. Its economy to get Hood's Sarsaparilla because it contains more medicinal value than any other—100 doses one dollar.

Hood's Pills are the only pill to take with Hood's Sarsaparilla. Cure all Liver Pills.

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*** KINGAN'S ***

SUGAR-CURED HAMS

AND

Boneless Breakfast

BACON

—AT—

Ervin & Smith GROCERS.

Notice!

The Tax Books for 1897 are now in my hands for collection. The public is earnestly requested to come forward and settle at once. I will be in my office until the 16th day of October after which time until the 30th day of October I will be as follows:

Rock River—No. 1 township—Monday, October 18, 1897.

Poplar Tent—No. 2 township—Tuesday, October 19, 1897.

Deweese—No. 3 township—Wednesday, October 20, 1897.

Cook's—No. 4 township—Thursday, October 21, 1897.

Mt. Gilead—No. 5 township—Friday, October 22, 1897.

J. M. Faggart's—No. 6 township—Saturday, October 23, 1897.

Reed Misenheimer's—No. 7 township—Monday, October 25, 1897.

Mt. Pleasant—No. 8 township—Tuesday, October 26, 1897.

C. F. Smith's—No. 9 township—Wednesday, October 27, 1897.

Bethel—No. 10 township—Thursday, October 28, 1897.

Old Field—No. 11 township—Friday, October 29, 1897.

Concord—No. 12 township—Saturday, October 30, 1897.

Please come forward and settle as these taxes must be collected at once.

M. L. BUCHANAN,
Sheriff.

Ho for the Ginners!

The place to get your cotton ginned is at A. B. Young's gin on West Corbin street. You get your bags, gins and ties free and highest cash prices for your seeds. Satisfaction guaranteed.
D. M. CORZINE,
Manager.



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—RUBBER OVERSHOES—all sizes.

—SCHOOL UMBRELLAS—Good Silk Umbrellas 26 and 28 inches 45 cts. Just the thing for Children.

—SCHOOL CAPS—All Styles at prices all can afford—10, 15 and 25 cts. Among them are plenty caps worth 50 and 75 cts, but we give choice of the best at 25 cts.

Cannon & Fetzer Company.

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Yours respectfully,

Bell, Harris & Co.

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Bell, Harris & Company.

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We also give you your preference as to handle bars, saddle and pedals. Now is your opportunity if you want a wheel at a low price.

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