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NARROW ESCAPE

Of Mr N J Heathcock—Presiding Elder to Preach Sunday—Two New Houses Being Built.

Dr J R Brooks, presiding elder of the Salisbury district, will preach at Forest Hill Methodist church next Sunday at 11 o'clock.

Rev. J D Arnold desires to see all the Sunday school teachers of the Forest Hill Sunday school at the teachers' meeting tonight at the parsonage.

Mrs. Rev. J D Arnold returned from Raleigh last night, where she had been visiting her mother for some time.

Alfred Hart, of Kansas City, Mo., selling agent for the Odell Manufacturing Company, is in the city.

Mr. M A Carpenter, who, with his family, moved to Salisbury a short time ago, came down Thursday and succeeded in getting employment in the cotton mill here again. They cannot stay away after once living here awhile.

Mr. M J Corl is having two cottages erected on Pear street, just below Mr R F Coble's residence.

Mr. H G Woodruff, who has been in the city for several days, left this (Friday) morning.

Mr. Arthur Elmore and family left for Randleman, N. C., this (Friday) morning.

Mr. N J Heathcock had a narrow escape here Thursday while trying to adjust a belt in the dye house. The shafting caught his clothing, tearing off his vest and shirt and breaking his watch all to pieces. Fortunately the driving belt fell off, otherwise Mr. Heathcock would have fared badly.

COL. J. D. CAMERON DEAD

One of North Carolina's Most Notable Citizens—Veteran Newspaper Man.

Col. John Donald Cameron, the venerable newspaper man, died at his home, the Villa, in Asheville Thursday morning. Col. Cameron was one of the most conspicuous figures in North Carolina, and was the author of the "Handbook of North Carolina," which was printed mostly for homeseekers at the World's Fair.

Mr. Cameron was once editor of the Hillsboro Recorder, from there he was called to the editorial charge of the Raleigh News, and was also connected with the Asheville Citizen when it made its appearance from weekly to semi-weekly, and then to a daily.

He was possessed of a graceful and fluent, though discriminating style, and was frequently called the McCauley of North Carolina journalism.

The funeral was conducted this (Friday) evening, and taken to Hillsboro for burial.

AT THE OPERA HOUSE TONIGHT.

Fields and Hanson's Minstrels Will Appear.

Field and Hanson's Minstrels gave us something nice on the streets this evening with their band of seventeen pieces, and will also give us something nice tonight in Caton's hall. Remember it is for the benefit of the fire company. A large house is anticipated.

How to Look Good.

Good looks are really more than skin deep, depending entirely on a healthy condition of all the vital organs. If the liver be inactive, you have a bilious look; if your stomach be disordered, you have a dispeptic look; if your kidneys be affected, you have a pinched look. Secure good health, and you will surely have good looks. "Electric Bitters" is a good Alterative and Tonic. Acts directly on the stomach, liver and kidneys. Purifies the blood, cures pimples, blotches and boils, and gives a good complexion. Every bottle guaranteed. Sold at P B Fetzer's Drug store.

ANOTHER PLAN PROPOSED.

By Which the Producer of Cotton May Deal Direct With the Manufacturer.

Pioneer Mills correspondence to Charlotte News:

My plan to remedy the low price of cotton is this: To change the time of paying our debts from October, November and December, 1898, to June, July and August, 1899, which is the end of the manufacturers' year. By this change the South would have a monopoly on her own product, cotton, which the world is bound to have. The world is bound to have this cotton, there is no doubt about that, and under this system the law of supply and demand would rule and fix the price, and not gamblers of Wall Street and Liverpool, as now they do. It would be the manufacturer and the farmer that would fix the price. For instance, the planter could rent a large sample room in every city and town and as he had his cotton ginned he could take his samples to these sample rooms with name and number of sample, and the manufacturer could go to his sample room and select the grade and number of bales he wanted and the price he could afford to pay, and the agent at this room could let the planter know, and he could deliver the same as wanted.

Now, Mr. Editor, this is a Southern movement for self protection, if we of the South do not organize and protect our products and our industries, I will insure you that England, nor our own New England and Northern States will not, for their interest is in getting cotton as cheap as they can. If we of the South will organize and protect ourselves, instead of going wild over politics we could become one of the richest parts of this globe, but it will take a co-operation of the farmers, manufacturers, merchants and planters, all to meet together and discuss this or some other plans for self protection.

There are many details to be discussed through the press or at a mass-meeting of the people, if they see fit to call a meeting. I would say there is need of a meeting of this kind, for one reason there seems to be not a very good feeling between the town and country, which will grow wider as long as hard times exist.

Consumption Positively Cured.

Mr. R R Greeve, merchant, of Chilhowie, Va., certifies that he had consumption, was given up to die, sought all medical treatment that money could procure, tried all cough remedies he could hear of, but got no relief; spent many nights sitting up in a chair; was induced to try Dr. King's New Discovery, and was cured by use of two bottles. For past three years has been attending to business, and says Dr. King's New Discovery is the grandest remedy ever made, as it has done so much for him and also for others in his community. Dr. King's New Discovery is guaranteed for Coughs, Colds and Consumption. It don't fail. Trial bottle at P B Fetzer's Drug store.

New Advertisements.

Dry & Miller have something to say about Santa Claus making tracks. Craven Bros., request you to wake up, so read their ad.

Popular presents are what A J & J F Yorke call your attention to in their ad.

Notice.

When you want Fresh Oysters, stewed, fried or raw, birds-on toast, fresh fish or a square meal, prepared by an old experienced cook (Wile. McMoore) call at Boger & Johnston's Restaurant in the Brick Row near the Court House.

PERSONAL POINTERS.

—Mr. A J Yorke returned to the city yesterday.

—Mrs. F S Starrette and daughter, of Mooresville, spent last night in the city.

—Miss Sue Harris returned to her home at Mebane this morning, after spending awhile at the home of her uncle, Mr. Shakespeare Harris.

Florida Oranges

—AND—
FRESH: CAKES

—AND—
CRACKERS

— AT —
Ervin & Smith's GROCERS

TRAYLOR IS GONE.

There is No Longer Any Doubt of His Leaving.

There is no longer any doubt of the departure of Mr. O A Traylor from this city with the intention of making his stay a permanent one.

The World today talked with a gentleman to whom Mr. Traylor confided that he would not return, and the gentleman stated that he knew for certain that he would not be seen here soon again.

The amount of his bond is \$1,200 and his step-father, Mr. J J Allen, is his bondsman. Mr. Allen knows nothing of Traylor's whereabouts.—Salisbury World.

Telephones Put In.

The Concord Telephone Company have started their telephones for actual service, having given Misses Nannie and Kate Archibald, the operators of the central office, their instructions Thursday. A few of the phones in residences are not connected yet today (Friday), but Mr. Lester Coltrane, manager of the system informs us that they will all be in working order next week. There are about eighty-five subscribers to it in town, and it also connects with the Riviera Dairy and Sunderland Hall.

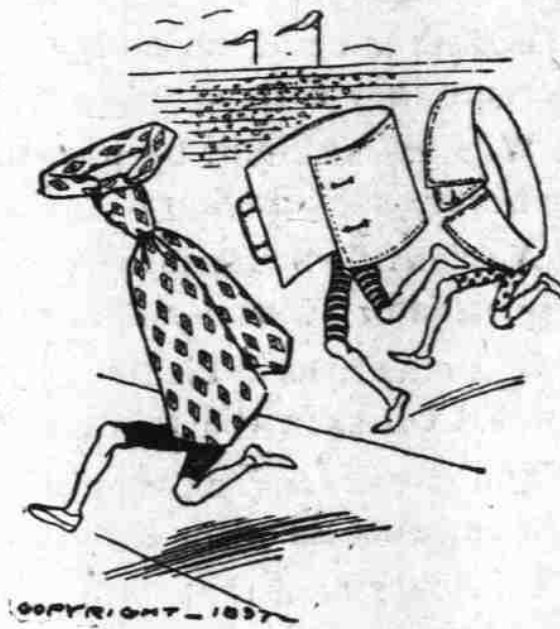
THE STANDARD has equipped itself with one, and we would ask that the people please phone us the names of their visiting friends, or anything that is of interest to the people.

Fields & Hanson's Minstrels.

When you heard the exhilarating sound of Fields & Hanson's Grand Concert Band today, and saw the entire company on parade, you may take it as a gentle reminder of the fact that it is time to purchase your tickets for the evening's entertainment, which will, it is boldly claimed, excel anything yet seen here in minstrelsy. The program is one succession of absolute novelties and timely hits, and includes the following: The new first part, "An Evening with the Elks," "The Golden Shower," a minstrel farce, terminating with "The Dance of Dawson City's 400," a spectacular march, "The Grand Old Guard," the magnificent dancing diversion, "In the Tenderloin," and several other positive innovations.

Capt. Ryder Heard From.

In regard to the action of the board of county commissioners about the filling in of the railroad crossing, Capt. Ryder has replied promptly, saying that their action shall have attention.



Your Running Expenses

for men's furnishing goods will be a great deal less if you buy the right goods at the right place. We are good buyers. We buy at the bottom price. Our friends tell us that our selection of patterns in neckwear is most excellent. You can judge that for yourself when you look at the big line of new goods that we have just received.

We have other attractions in furnishing goods. Some very handsome Switz Conde underwear at \$1 a garment that has always sold for \$1.50. That's quite a saving. Drop in tomorrow and fix yourself up for Sunday.

Cannon & Fetzer Company.



Santa Claus

Is Already Making Tracks

for our store, where he knows he will find a stock of shoes for every one that are things of beauty for Xmas presents. For ladies we have them in Goat and Kid skin. For men, Calf, Vici Kid, Kangaroo and Patent Leather, also Tans of beautiful shade in Ladies' and Men's. Also we would not have you to overlook children's in Tans, all of which combine comfort, style and durability. We carry a complete line of polish, any color for any shoe, also a line of hosiery which cannot be surpassed. Give a call and convince yourself. Respectfully,

Dry & Miller, SHOE FURNISHERS.

Bell, Harris & Co.

FURNITURE.

5 CENT COTTON

Cuts no figure with us. We buy in car lots for cash, therefore giving our customers the benefit of saving

20 TO 25 PER CENT.

SATISFIED WITH A LIVING PROFIT

Come and see presents of all kind. Can select for any occasion from \$25c to \$500. Christmas is comitg. For the next 30 days, we will give our customers a chance to save money.

Undertaking business and Free Hearse and the best line of supplies in the state. Mr. Will Bell gives his personal attention to it. Calls answered day or night.

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