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### SOCIAL GAME THAT IS GAMBLING.

Rev. Dr. Howerton in the First Presbyterian church in Charlotte Sunday preaching on the text "Thou hast left thy first love," dwelt upon the questionable amusements of life, but was explicit in denouncing as gambling straight out the practice of progressive euchre for prizes.

Our attention has been called to the fact that our own community, or in certain social circles, this playing for prizes is practiced. The person referred to is a parent on whom the fearful responsibility of rearing a family weighs with natural and commendable force.

Many a bad life took its start at home or in circles of which the home of the child formed a part. A nice little game among the elite that makes the lower modes of gambling look less hideous is but an apt means of inflaming the young mind with evil fascination as the social imbibing of intoxicants generates alcoholism.

It would be well for persons to be careful of the nature and tendencies of what are called innocent social amusements and see that they are not other than such. Playing games for prizes cannot be other than a species of gambling and may be and probably is amenable to law. It is well that parents have their eyes open to this danger and suppress the evils or break the social circles.

Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor denounces the bench, the bar and the box on closing Sheriff Martin and his deputies at Wilkesbarre trial. He says:

"The companies, sheriffs and judge and counsel for the defense seemed moved by one motive—that this verdict should show that workers have no rights which corporations are bound to respect, and that their mercenaries have the right, if necessary, to take even human life at the employer's caprice, especially when that life belongs to a foreign workman."

And it would have been all right, doubtless, if Mr. Gompers could have dictated to judge, attorneys and jury the trial and verdict according to his prejudged decision. It was a bad set if more cranky than the author of the above paragraph.

There are three little things which do more work than any other three little things created—they are the ant, the bee and DeWitt's Little Early Risers, the last being the famous little pills for stomach and liver troubles.—Gibson's Drug Store.

### THANKS.

The Evening Journal which has been published daily at Concord with Mr. Jake Newell as editor has suspended publication. The Journal was a good little paper but the old reliable Concord STANDARD can hold the fort in that town and is abundantly sufficient for the needs of the place.—Raleigh Press-Visitor

### A Gallant Southerner.

The fact that General Lee is a Southerner, and a Confederate general at that, makes the satisfaction expressed by the Northern press and by the Republican administration, all the more gratifying.

We of the South have always known that the National honor could be placed in no safer hands than in those of the soldiers of the lost cause; but our Northern friends have not always appreciated that fact.

This is the first opportunity a Southern soldier of high rank has had to prove his patriotism and fidelity to the national interests, and we have President McKinley's testimony and the satisfaction of the entire Northern press to show that he has acquitted himself brilliantly.—New Orleans Picayune.

### The Doors will be Open to All.

The doors are wide open for any one to come in. He will be met with welcoming hands and made to feel at home, but he must come as one of the family and not as an alien seeking a trade. Whether he has been a Populist or Republican he is free to enter and even to seek and receive honors, but not under those names. If our Populist friends are wise they will heed this call. Most of them are too good men to fritter away their energies and their votes in support of a party that is not able to stand alone. We know that many of them are tired of this continual driving of bargains, and we hope that when the Democratic primaries are open they will come back to their accustomed places as in the days of old. If not the blame will be on their own heads if the Russells and Hancocks and Babbs continue to fatten at their expense.—Tarboro Southerner.

### A Narrow Escape.

Thankful words written by Mrs. Ada E Hart, of Groton, S. D.: "Was taken with a bad cold which settled on my lungs; cough set in and finally terminated in Consumption. Four doctors gave me up, saying I could live but a short time. I gave myself up to my Savior, determined if I could not stay with my friends on earth, I would meet my absent ones above. My husband was advised to get Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds. I gave it a trial, took in all eight bottles. It has cured me, and thank God I am saved and now a well and healthy woman." Trial bottles free at P B Fetzer's drug store.

Regular size 50c. and \$1.00 Guaranteed or price refunded.

### Both Won.

New York, March 10.—The Cuban junta has received by messenger an official report of General Reo, who commanded the Cuban forces at the battle of Najasa February 21-24. The details of the battle show that while the Cubans were outnumbered four to one, for four days they held their position and caused the Spanish troops to retreat, leaving 293 dead upon the field. The Spanish version said the fighting resulted in a victory for Spain.

You may make fun of the ground hog tradition as much as you please, but it certainly proved true this year. There has undoubtedly been more wintry weather since the 2nd of February than before that day, when the ground hog so wisely went back into its hole.—Chatham Record.

A thrill of terror is experienced when a brassy cough of croup sounds through the house at night. But the terror soon changes to relief after One Minute Cough Cure has been administered. Safe and harmless for children.—Gibson's Drug Store.

## Coal! coal!

For all kinds of coal—Soft or Hard—call on me. My Lump Coal can not be surpassed in quality. Prices as low as can be had.

J. A. C. Blackwelder

At Store on West Depot Street.

Phone No. 68

## NEW JEWELER, H. B. FRAZIER,

3rd Store Litaker Building. You will find a nice line of Jewelry at my place. Repairing a specialty. All work guaranteed. Served 2 years apprenticeship under Williams & Dotter, Jewelers, Philadelphia. Hoping to share a part of your patronage in the future, I am Respectfully,  
H. B. FRAZIER,  
Jeweler.

Mar. 19.

## LOOK

Any one wishing to purchase new, High Arm, Wheeler & Wilson Sewing Machine, iron drawers, cover and end leaf, fine oak finish, with complete attachments, should call at this office. We only have one, and will offer the buyer special price.

## W D Anthony

HAS TAKEN THE AGENCY FOR THE Decorator's Wall Paper Company, of NEW YORK and CHICAGO. This paper has flattering testimonials from six of the leading metropolitan papers of these two cities as being most handsome and very cheap. See samples at Fetzer's Drugstore Mar. 17

### Needs No Explanation.

Madison, N. C., Aug. 4, 1897. Goose Grease Liniment Co., Greensboro, N. C. Dear Sirs:—Please ship us at once one gross Goose Grease Liniment. We are entirely out. Don't fail to ship once. Please give us jobbers price. It is the best thing we have ever used.  
W C JONES & Co

## M. B. STICKLEY Attorney at Law, Concord N. C.

SPECIAL ATTENTION GIVEN TO COLLECTIONS.  
Office upstairs in King building near Postoffice.

## MORRISON H. CALDWELL ATTORNEY AT LAW, CONCORD, N. C.

Office in Morris building, opposite Court house.

## L. T. HARTSELL ATTORNEY-AT-LAW, CONCORD, N. C.

Prompt attention given to all business. Office in Morris building opposite court house.

# THE RACKET

## Special.

834 yards of coarse Bleached uslin in 30 yard lengths at 5c per yard, worth 7c. yard.

Also 450 yards in 1-2 to 4 yards lengths at 18 cents per pound.

These are good goods. Some pieces are slightly wrinkled, some soiled and others perfect as cut from the bolt.

We also have a lot of full pices of unbleached muslin, suitable for trimmings at 2 to 2c. per yard.

## Stationary.

550 page pencil tablets at 5c.

300 boxes of the latest style, square note paper and envelopes worth 15c. to go for 10c. per box.

### OUR LIVE BUSINESS MEN.

THAT ADVERTISE WITH THE STANDARD.

Bell, Harris & Co., furniture dealers and undertakers.

D J Bostian, racket store.

Dr. N D Fetzer, drug store.

Osannon & Fetzer Co., dry goods and clothing.

Odell Manufacturing Co., dealers in general merchandise.

G W Patterson, wholesale dealer

Brown Bros., liverymen.

Dry & Miller, shoe dealers.

Dr. J P Gibson, drugs.

Craven Bros., furniture dealers and undertakers.

Cabarrus Savings Bank.

Concord National Bank.

Eryn & Morrison, groceries.

K L Craven, coal dealer

J A C Blackwelder, coal dealer.

Lesly & Watson, dry goods.

A J & J F Yorke, jewelry.

## SHOE REPAIRS.

## W. J. PARLEIR 30 YEARS' EXPERIENCE.

Examine these prices: Men's half sole, sewed, 60c., ladies' half sole, sewed, 50c., men's half sole, pegged, 35c., ladies' half sole, pegged, 30c. Patches cemented 10c and up. Repairing is my specialty. I use only the best materials that can be bought. Do all work myself and guarantee satisfaction.

Office near Steam Laundry.

Respectfully,

W. J. PARLEIR.

Concord, N. C. f21

## CONCORD LODGE of KNIGHTS of HONOR.

Meets on the second Friday evening of each month.

Hall in the rear of Dr. W C Houston's Dental rooms.

This lodge has paid to the families of its deceased members twenty thousand dollars since its organization.

The Knights of Honor is now in its twenty-fifth year of existence, and has disbursed up to the 14th of January, 1898, more than sixty-one millions of dollars to the families of its deceased members in the United States.

For further information call on N. D. FETZER or K. L. CRAVEN.

## PATTERSON'S

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## GROCERIES.

We are better prepared this season than ever to please the public with BARGAINS.

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Corn, Oats, Rye, Ship Stuff Flour, &c.

We carry the largest stock of

Snuff, Tobacco, Candles, Soda, Canned Goods, Soap, Coffee, Sugar, Salt, Oil, Molasses, Meats, Potash, Fireware, Matches, Etc. in the country, and can give you some startling prices. We will buy your

## Cotton, Eggs, Corn, PEAS, FLOUR, ETC.

We are also agents for the

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Will sell at factory prices.

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Concord, N. C.

PHONE NO. 27.

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Offer the business public a reliable, permanent, conservative and accommodating banking institution.

We solicit your business with the assurance of honorable treatment and due appreciation of your patronage.

If we can serve you at any time be glad to have you come and see us.

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