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MR. JAMES K. DEATON DEAD

Passes Away at 6 O'clock Friday Evening From Consumption.

Mr. James K Deaton died at his home at 6 o'clock Friday evening at the age of about 53 years. The deceased was a well known character in the county, having for about ten years served as superintendent of the O'Leil mills, and was for a period the superintendent of the mill at Mountain Island.

His health has been waning for some years, lung disease being the malady. He has suffered much from hemorrhages that wasted his vitality.

He leaves a wife and five sisters, four of whom reside in Cabarrus and one in Mooresville.

The funeral rites will be conducted at Forest Hill M. E. church Sunday at 11 o'clock.

A SAVAGE CRIME.

Mr. Falls, of Pleasant Ridge, Cut in the Bowels by Phonse Rhyne—Negro Escapes.

Mr. T G Falls, of Pleasant Ridge, near Gastonia, was fearfully cut by a negro, Phonse Rhyne, Thursday evening.

The negro was engaged in a quarrel and Mr. Fall only stepped up and tried to avert any difficulty by quieting the affair, when the crazed wretch, without warning, stabbed him and run. He is being pursued, but has probably made good his escape. Three physicians were called in and Mr. Falls was found to be cut in the abdomen and his bowels were pierced in two places. The physicians stiched the cuts and Mr. Falls may recover.

Be Qualified Before Dec. 1st.

We hope that no Democrat elected to the office of magistrate on the 8th will fail to qualify before Dec. 1st, lest the appointment be made by the Governor and be unsatisfactory. There is no question in the mind of the writer that there are more magistrates than are needed, and the opportunities of usefulness are not sufficient to stimulate most of those elected to thoroughly prepare themselves for efficiency, but it is better to fill the places according to law with the hope of lopping off this fungus fusion growth ere long and re-attain a greater degree of dignity and stability to the office of justice of the peace.

Early Termination Needed.

Advises from Judge Day of the Paris commission gave much satisfaction to the administration Friday night, says a Washington dispatch. Hopes are held out for an early treaty of peace. Meanwhile Admiral Dewey reports the Philippines in a most deplorable condition for want of proper authority. Some of the islands are in the hands of the insurgents, some under the Spaniards and some declaring of independence under an American protectorate.

Masonic Notice.

Regular communication of Stokes Lodge No. 33, A. F. & A. M., Monday night, Nov. 21st. Full attendance important. By order of W. M.

JAS. G. FINK, Sec.

A FATAL FOG DID IT.

Nine Men Killed and Six Injured By a Dashing Train.

A terrible slaughter occurred near Jersey City Friday morning. Nine men were killed and six more or less wounded out of 19. It was a group of working men. There were two freight tracks and two passenger tracks. A dense fog and settling smoke made it impossible to see any considerable distance. A freight train was approaching and the workmen stepped off that track out of the way, but just then a fast passenger train was approaching and struck the whole group with the above terrible results. There seems to be no room for aught than unmitigated grief at the calamity. No one seems to have been at fault. Even the watchman that called to the men to get off the freight track himself was killed on the passenger track.

A Constitutional Convention.

Now that such an overwhelming victory has been won in the name of the Democratic party, it is to be hoped that the people throughout the State will set their thoughts upon the question of holding a Convention for the purpose of qualifying the suffrage.

The Observer's views on this subject have been long known, and it is unnecessary to repeat them at this time. Certain it is that the State cannot stand the strain of another such campaign as we have just passed through without almost fatal injury to the body politic. We are not arraigning any one for anything which has been done in the campaign; we simply mean that the conditions which have disgraced the State for the past few years could have been prevented and should have been, and that it will be a political crime if, with our recent experience staring us in the face, we do not take the earliest steps possible to prevent them hereafter.

Let the people instruct their Legislative servants upon this point.—Fayetteville Observer.

Shot For Voting Democratic.

The Commonwealth says that Joe Wisbel, a negro man of Halifax about 80 years old, was shot from ambush a few nights ago as he was going quietly home. There is no way of accounting for the savage deed save that he has been voting the Democratic ticket. He may recover from his wounds.

Dr. J. B. Fox Married.

The many relatives and friends of Rev. Junius B Fox, Ph. D., of Newberry, S. C., will be glad to know that he was married on Wednesday the 9th inst., to Miss Nannie Mayes, also of Newberry. Rev. Prof. W K Sligh, of Newberry College, officiated.

How is this for a definition of money? "That which, having no, we want; having, we want more; having more, we want more still; and the more we secure the less happy and contented we become."

—Monroe Enquirer.

President McKinley has accepted the invitation to review the Seventh Army Corps at Savannah on December 15th.

PERSONAL POINTERS.

—Mrs. J W Wadsworth returned to Charlotte this morning after visiting relatives here.

—Prof. Frank Wright, who has been teaching at the China Grove Academy, spent last night here.

—Mrs. C O Hook, of Charlotte, arrived here this morning to spend several days at the home of Capt. Chas. McDonald.

—Judge Montgomery and Mr. D B Coltrane returned home last night from the conference in session at Winston.

—Mr. J N Holden, the insurance agent who has been staying in our town for quite a while, has returned to his home at Raleigh for a few days.

—Mrs. Dr. Register returned to Charlotte this morning after spending several days here at Judge Montgomery's.

—Prof. Bowers and wife, Miss Sallie Fisher, and Mr. Dan Barrier, passed through here from Mount Pleasant this morning on their way to China Grove to attend the conference.

—Mrs. W A Foil, of Charlotte, came over this morning on her way to Mt. Pleasant to visit relatives for several days. Mr. Foil will be over tomorrow night, and will spend several days hunting.

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Rev. W B Oney will conduct services at St. Andrews Lutheran church tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock.

As the pastors of Central, Forest Hill and Epworth Methodist churches are at Winston attending conference, there will be no services at either of these churches tomorrow.

As Rev. O B Miller will preach at China Grove tomorrow morning, there will be no services at St. James' Lutheran church until tomorrow night.

There will be regular services at the Presbyterian church both tomorrow morning and tomorrow night by the pastor, Rev. W C Alexander.

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