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## DOLL BAZAAR

To Be Given by the Ladies of the Episcopal Church Beginning Next Monday Night.

As this is the time for the parades to get the doll babies for Christmas, the ladies of the Episcopal church have decided to have a doll bazaar, beginning next Monday night. In addition to the selling of these handsomely dressed, bisque dolls, oysters in any way will be served, and orders will be filled for the business men, too, who are too busy to leave their stores.

The bazaar will continue two or three days. The place at this time is not definitely known, but will be decided in time.

Remember it begins next Monday night.

## Mr. Harry Woodhouse Dead.

Some days ago, as noted in The Standard, Mr. Harry Woodhouse, of this place was critically ill in a hospital at Augusta, Ga. At an early hour this (Thursday) morning a telegram was received announcing that he died at 12 o'clock Wednesday night.

Mr. Woodhouse was engaged in the cotton mill business at Augusta for some time, having left here several months ago. He was a man of about 35 years of age, and of a good and quiet disposition. He was unmarried, and leaves behind his mother, Mrs. E. T. Woodhouse, one brother, Mr. Irvin Woodhouse, and one sister, Mrs. Alida Burkhead.

As to when the burial will take place, it is not definitely known, as this will be decided after Mr. Irvin Woodhouse and Mrs. Woodhouse, who went to Augusta Monday to the bedside of their brother and son, arrive here tonight at 8.53 o'clock.

## He Arrived at Savannah Too Late.

The First North Carolina regiment is off for Mariel, Cuba, having left some time after midnight Wednesday night. Mr. Joe Hill, who left here Wednesday night arrived there at 5 o'clock but was too late to join his brother, Capt. Edward Hill. He at once telegraphed home stating the condition of affairs.

## Mr. W. A. Penninger Hurt.

Wednesday afternoon, while leading a cow, Mr. W. A. Penninger, of Forest Hill, received a bad injury. The animal undertook to get loose from him by running. Mr. Penninger, while trying to hold it, was thrown to the ground violently, and as a result his collar bone and two ribs were broken. At this time he is resting easy.

## The Julia Magruder Club Meets.

Written for The Standard. A very interesting and instructive meeting of the Julia Magruder Book Club was held with Mrs. Gowan Dusenbury on Tuesday, December 6. The topic of the afternoon being "Shakespeare" and our hostess, Mrs. Dusenbury, too, were prepared somewhat for the charming two hours before us.

Mrs. J. D. Arnold handled her subject "Shakespeare's England," in a most masterly manner.

The paper was replete with rich thoughts garnished with the choicest language.

Mrs. Gowan Dusenbury's paper on "Shakespeare and his contemporary writers" showed much thought and the difficult task of condensing such

a broad subject was well done and her paper interesting from beginning to end.

Mrs. Houston gave a very entertaining sketch of the author of "People for Whom Shakespeare wrote." It was well written, concise and much to the point, and was an interesting feature of the evening.

Quotations from "The King of English Literature" closed the programme for the afternoon.

Mrs. Dusenbury served a most elaborate and deliciously prepared menu and the evening was voted a success and great pleasure in every detail.

## MRS. RUSSELL DEAD.

Passes Away After a Year of Linger- ing with Dropsy—Leaves No Immediate Family.

Mrs. Russell, the widow of the late Dwight Russell, died at her home in No 1 township, on this (Thursday) morning at 7 o'clock, after a lingering illness of about one year with a dropsical affection.

She was 67 years of age. She was a consistent member of Rocky River church where her funeral will be preached by her pastor, Rev. C. Miller, and her remains will be buried Friday at 10 o'clock.

Mrs. Russell's maiden name was Davis, and she was a native of Rutherford county. Mrs. Russell had no children, and therefore leaves no member of her own family.

## A Negro Who Has Solved the Race Problem.

"I have a brother down in North Carolina," said Henry Hardy, a well known and intelligent colored man, who was waiting to see a member of Congress at the Ebbitt, "that has solved the race question, so far as he is individually concerned. He owns two good farms, and has quite a large number of horses, mules and cows. All this property he earned by steady attention to business. He takes no interest in politics. The best white people of the country are his friends, and his note for a considerable sum is as good at the bank as any man's."

"My own observation is that the better class of whites and the respectable portion of black people, who mind their own business and have no time to loaf about, get on well together in the South. A certain class of white men, generally the sort we call poor trash, are responsible for all the cruelties that have been inflicted on innocent negroes who commit vile deeds and bring reproach on the whole race." —Washington Post, 6th.

## Drowns in the French Broad.

Miss Amie Willis, of near Asheville, probably committed suicide Tuesday by drowning herself in the French Broad river. Her habit was to ride out on horseback. Tuesday evening she failed to return and her body was found later in the river. The inquest rendered the verdict that she probably did the rash act in a moment of mental depression.

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## PERSONAL POINTERS.

—Mr. Claude Ritchie, of New London, is here today.

—Mr. Jno. W. Boston came in from Albemarle this morning on a business trip.

—Mr. Caleb Littles and Mr. E. E. Snuggs were here today from Albemarle.

—Mr. Sam L. Smith, of Charlotte, is here today in the interest of the Standard Oil Co.

—Mr. H. G. Woodruff and wife, of New York, are visiting at the home of Mr. J. M. Odell. Mr. Woodruff has been giving Concord a pleasant visit almost every year for about nineteen years.

—Mr. G. W. Brown returned home last night from Salisbury. Mrs. Brown has not returned on account of the critical illness of Mrs. Verble, who is now over 90 years of age and is perfectly blind.

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## News Obtained Through Faith

Faith, Dec. 8.—Mr. Calvin Canup is having a handsome new residence built.

Mr. Wm. Foil is putting up a nice two-story residence.

Mr. Pleas Holsouser has bought the house and lot of Mr. John Peeler.

The brass band here has learned to play quite well, and is now able to give us enjoyable serenades.

Mr. Michael Shuping, aged 72, and Miss Nancy Ludwig, aged 46, were married Sunday by Rev. J. M. L. Lyerly.

Mr. J. T. Wyatt has gone to Salisbury to superintend the putting in of cross walks for the town. The granite slabs are 12 inches broad, 5 to 6 inches thick and 3 to 12 feet long. Two slabs are put in at a crossing twelve inches apart.

Mr. Wyatt, who is somewhat of an enthusiast for curiosities, has a gourd that will hold one fourth of a bushel. Who can beat it?

## 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. Fetzner's drug store.

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