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MRS. McDONALD DEAD.

Concord's Oldest Inhabitant Falls Asleep - To See Seven Generations - She Follows Her Husband and Five Children to the Grave - Funeral Services at the Home.

Mrs. Caroline McDonald is dead. At 11:12 today (Saturday) the eyes of Mrs. McDonald, who is well known by all here, closed to sleep the sleep of death. While it was not known when, still her death has been expected by her children and many friends, and even she herself realized and wished for it to come. She was conscious that her three score years and ten had passed and that a place beyond awaited her coming.

Mrs. McDonald was born in the city of Philadelphia, Pa., on March 1st, 1812, her maiden name having been Caroline Dungan.

In the year 1834 she was married to Mr. Jno. McDonald in Norristown, Pa. They then went to Valley Forge and from there they moved to Columbia, S. C. In 1838 they again returned to Norristown and two years afterwards, in 1840, they came to this place.

Seventeen years ago her husband preceded her to the grave, and five children have also gone before their mother. She was the mother of twelve children—eight sons and four daughters. Seven are now living. They are Messrs. James McDonald, Robt. E. McDonald, and Edmund McDonald, all of whom live in Charlotte; Mr. John A. McDonald, who is now in a western State; Mrs. D. R. Coleman, of Belleville, Canada, who arrived here some days ago; Miss Mary McDonald and Capt. Chas. McDonald, both of whom have lived with their mother here.

The deceased was a noble woman and had many devoted friends who have always been near to her and who feel that one of their esteemed ones has passed away.

On the first day of last March she reached her 87th birthday, which score is reached by no one else in Concord, though her friend, Mrs. Elizabeth Gibson, of this place, was born in April of the same year. Having seen her great grandmother, seven generations have in their order passed before her view. Twenty-two grandchildren and ten great-grandchildren are left behind.

The funeral services will be conducted at the home tomorrow afternoon at 4:30 o'clock by Rev. W. C. Alexander.

Mr. Corl loses a horse. "Ranger," the black horse used as a bus horse, owned by our liveryman, Mr. M. J. Corl, died Friday night. On the Sunday night before the horse, by some means, became fastened in its stall and overexerted itself in trying to get loose.

In almost every neighborhood there is some one whose life has been saved by Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, or who has been cured of chronic diarrhoea by the use of that medicine. Such persons make a point of telling of it whenever opportunity offers, hoping that it may be the means of saving other lives. For sale by M. L. Marsh & Co., Druggist.

The Measuring Party.

Quite a good number of the persons who received invitations attended the measuring party at the Methodist parsonage Friday night. As previously stated, the fee for entrance was not according as a man is able financially but according to his height, though persons nearly six feet high were compelled to pay more than one three inches taller. As an appreciation of your presence the ladies had prepared a nice supper for the attendants where one might eat plenty of the nicest that could be made. The proceeds of the party will be used for the Central Methodist church. The occasion, which was a new one, proved a success in every respect. Twenty-five dollars was realized.

Miss Margery Overman to Wed.

Cards are out announcing the marriage of Miss Margery Overman, of Salisbury, to Mr. Edwin Clarke Gregory, which comes to pass on the 26th of this month in the Methodist church at Salisbury.

Looking Better in Cuba.

The Cuban generals have met again and reinstated Gen. Maximo Gomez and have designated a board of three generals to aid him in the distribution of the \$3,000,000.

Ten bandits have voluntarily surrendered at San Luis and offer aid in suppressing the other outlaws. It seems that progress is being made in Cuba.

SHORT LOCALS.

Glass lamps complete, 15 cents. The Racket.

Your attention is called to the statement ordered by the town commissioners, found in The Standard today and Friday. 1,000 Tooth-picks for 4c. The Racket.

Miss Ethel Patterson returned to China Grove Friday night after spending more than a week with her sister, Mrs. Stevens.

An elegant line of Toilet Soaps—3 cakes in a box, "Dime Leader," 4c. Buttermilk, 8c. French soaps assorted, at 10, 14 and 24 cents per box. The Racket.

Statement By Town Commissioners.

The commissioners for the town of Concord made the following statement covering the period of the present administration to date:

Amount paid on the old debt (not bonded)	\$3,692.26
Cost of sewerage to the town and paid	3,340.84
West Depot street re-macadamized, paid	1,500.00
South Main street has also been graded and macadamized. Through the efforts of the board and the mayor the freight depot has been enlarged and a handsome passenger depot has been built.	

Besides the above extra expenses all current expenses of the town have been paid, or will be paid on presentation, including keeping streets and bridges in repair, electric light bills for 18 months, amounting to \$1,819.27, and water works rent, police and other officers of the town, and all the debts made by the present administration have either been paid or will be paid on presentation.

No town orders have been issued, neither will any be issued. By order of the board. J. L. Miller, Treasurer.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The Best Salve in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale at P. B. Fetzer's Drug store.

PRAISE BE TO HIM.

Tomorrow the Day When All Should Worship in Their Respective Houses of God.

Tomorrow is the time for the Rite of Baptism of the First Presbyterian church for the quarter in connection with the services. Services will also be held there tomorrow night by the pastor, Rev. W. C. Alexander.

Rev. B. Lacy Hoge will hold services tomorrow at the Baptist church. There will be services both morning and night. Subject for 11 a. m., "God's Love." Subject for 7.30 p. m., "Lightning."

The pastor, Rev. Chas. F. Rankin, will conduct services at the Presbyterian chapel at Forest Hill tomorrow morning and at Cannonville tomorrow night.

Regular services will be held at Central Methodist church both tomorrow morning and night by the pastor, Rev. J. E. Thompson.

There will be regular services at St. James' Lutheran church tomorrow morning and night by the pastor, Rev. C. B. Miller.

Usual services will be held at Forest Hill Methodist church tomorrow morning and night by the pastor, Rev. J. D. Arnold.

Regular services both tomorrow morning and night at Epworth Methodist church by the pastor, Rev. T. W. Smith.

Rev. W. B. Oney will conduct services at St. Andrews Lutheran church tomorrow night.

A Breezy Time Tonight.

"A Breezy Time" which has been a laughing success for the past season, and in which the managers, Fitz and Webster, have achieved fame and fortune, will be at the opera house tonight.

"A Breezy Time" is a musical farce comedy creation with an abundance of fun and a paucity of serious interest. In other words, its purpose is to divert rather than to engross the attention. It believes the general opinion that a farce comedy can not have a coherent plot. In point of fact it has a scheme of interest that runs throughout the entire play and makes a very good rack upon which to hang a series of specialty performances of a high order and enjoyable nature.

This musical comedy, fairly scintillates with mirth and merriment, has the sweetest songs, jolliest jokes, and happiest hits. The novelties introduced include the three-legged sailor, lawn tennis quintette, frolic of frogs, the rooster dance, and a grand cake walk by the entire company.

The rich and poor, the old and young, man and wife, sweetheart and lover find everything to applaud, laugh at and appreciate in "A Breeze Time."

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Mr. Odell Sells His Stock.

The Charlotte Observer contains the following:

"At a meeting of the stockholders of the East Durham and Pearl Cotton Mills, held in the East Durham office of the company, Mr. W. A. Erwin, who is president, secretary and treasurer of the Erwin cotton mill, in West Durham, was elected president of the East Durham concern and vice-president of the Pearl mill. Mr. J. M. Odell, of Concord, former president of the mills, retires from the two firms altogether. Mr. J. Harper Erwin, a brother of Mr. W. A. Erwin, was elected secretary and treasurer of the two mills to succeed the late Mr. W. H. Branson. Mr. J. M. Odell has sold his interests in the two cotton mills to Messrs. B. N. Duke and G. W. Watts, two of Durham's tobacco millionaires. This newly organized interest in cotton mill stock gives these two gentlemen the controlling interest in all of the cotton manufacturing establishments around Durham.

Millions Given Away.

It is certainly gratifying to the public to know of one concern in the land who are not afraid to be generous to the needy and suffering. The proprietors of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, have given away over ten million trial bottles of this great medicine; and have the satisfaction of knowing it has absolutely cured thousands of hopeless cases. Asthma, Bronchitis, Hoarseness and all diseases of the Throat, Chest and Lungs are surely cured by it. Call at P. B. Fetzer's drug store and get a trial bottle free. Regular size 50c. and \$1. Every bottle guaranteed, or price refunded.

PERSONAL POINTERS.

—Dr. J. E. Smoot spent last night in Salisbury.

—Miss Fannie Stricker is spending the afternoon in Charlotte.

—Mr. and Mrs. Penick Query went to Harrisburg this morning to spend Sunday with his relatives.

Green Mountain Maple Syrup.

Quart Bottles at 30 cents.
Pint Bottles at 20 cents.
Sweet Pickles per Bottle 10 cents.
Canned Kornlet at 20 cents per can.

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