

# Daily Concord Standard.

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## A FINE CONCERT.

The First Regiment Band Gave Concord a Treat—A Large Crowd Present—Concord Represented in the Number By a Talented and Skilled Performer.

Our people turned out well on Wednesday night in the newly constructed auditorium to hear the music of the First North Carolina regiment band, under the direction of Prof. Chas. Coe.

The programme rendered was of good length and in every way pleasing to the audience. Their music is of different grades—some to suit the ears of dancers, the lovers of opera, and the devotees of strictly high grade band music. All had a place in the program. The expression observed by the members is very noticeable, adding much to the proof of their skill.

One of the performers in the band is Jay Sims, of this place, who has now acquired marked skill on the slide trombone, which instrument he began to master after leaving here last year. He went in the army as chief bugler, was made principal musician, and then laid aside his cornet for the slide trombone. In a number of the selections in the concert Wednesday night he showed what perseverance, together with talent, can acquire.

This is, without question, the best concert that Concord has had and well can the soldiers, together with every Tar Heel, feel proud of the First North Carolina Regimental Band.

This band will make a tour of the principal towns of the State and will then accept an offer at some place, where the organization will be kept up. Three places in the State are now making efforts to get them.

The following program was rendered Wednesday night:

1. March—Nibelungen; R Wagner.
  2. Grand Selection—The Bohemian Girl; Balfe.
  3. Fantasia—My Old Kentucky Home; Herman.
  4. Waltz—La Gitani; Buckolosi.
  5. Melody—Fond Heart; G Lange.
- Intermission.
6. March—Sinegambia; Volker.
  7. Selection—The Serenade; V Herbert.
  8. Melody—Ye Olden Times; Beyer.
  9. Negro Oddity—'Possum and de Coon.
  10. Polka—Old North State; Coe.

### ENCORES.

- Stars and Stripes; Sousa.
- Kentucky Babe, arranged by C Coe.
- Alabama Coon, arranged by C Coe.
- Dixie.
- Double Time, arranged by C Coe.

### The Soldiers Supper.

In the Firemen's hall Wednesday night Capt. Edward Hill and Lieutenants Goodman and Goldston gave a supper to the members of Company L. It was highly enjoyable for all of them and they will in years yet to come remember when they partook for the last time of the hospitalities of their commissioned officers.

### THE BEST PRESCRIPTION FOR CHILLS

and fever is a bottle of Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic. Never fails to cure! Then why experiment with worthless imitations? Price 50 cents. Your money back if it fails to cure.

## THE UNION MEETING

Of the Baptist Associations of Mecklenburg and Cabarrus Counties Begins Tonight—Services Always Public and the People Are Cordially Invited to Attend.

The opening services of the union meeting of the Mecklenburg and Cabarrus Baptist Associations will be held in the Baptist church tonight, beginning at 7:30 o'clock.

Rev. W O Alexander, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, will hold devotional services. A sermon will be delivered by Rev. L R Pruett, of Charlotte.

The following is the programme for tomorrow:

Devotional service, by Rev. W B Oney.

Meeting called to order and roll call of churches.

"How to Have the Revival Spirit in Our Church All the Year and at Every Service," Rev. L R Pruett.

"State Missions," Rev. S F Conrad.

"Our Sunday Schools and Their Needs," Rev. J L Shinn.

General discussion, same subject.

### AFTERNOON SERVICES.

Devotional service, by Rev. J E Thompson.

"The Baptism With the Holy Ghost," Dr. A C Barron.

"The Importance of Cheerful Cooperation on the Part of the Members with the Pastors and Deacons," W C Dowd.

General discussion, same subject.

"What Proportion of Our Income Ought We to Give to the Lord's Work," I W Durham.

### His Verdict Set Aside.

On Tuesday the jury found Abram Brown, a negro, guilty of retailing whiskey without license, and Judge Shaw sentenced him to the chain gang for twelve months. Today (Thursday), however, the verdict was set aside and Abram, a negro of considerable age, is free. Judge Shaw stated that he had the best of reason for not believing that this old negro is guilty of any offence, though the testimony of Mr. Garrison, the detective, is true as to what he himself saw.

He will be given a new trial at the next term of court when it is thought that something more will develop.

### A Great Convention in Atlanta.

The great international Sunday School Convention is in session at Atlanta, Ga. It met Wednesday evening and will close Sunday evening. The committee on lessons for the years 1900 and 1905, inclusive, will make a report which will of course be adopted. This is the ninth international and the fourteenth national convention of that great body of organized Sunday school workers. There will be an elaborate program disposed of.

### Forest Hill Items.

A large reservoir is being built in the rear of Mill No. 3. This tank when finished will hold eighty or ninety thousand gallons of water.

Mr. J M Mabery gave a dinner Wednesday to his son, Marshall, and a few invited friends.

### CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund money if it fails to cure. 25c. The genuine has L. B. Q. on each tablet.

### A Bridesmaid and Groomsman from Here.

Numbers from different parts of the State attended the marriage of Mr. Edwin Clark Gregory and Miss Margery Overman in Salisbury Wednesday evening. Miss Emily Gibson was one of the bridesmaids and Mr. Frank O Regers one of the groomsman. Miss Julia McGruder, Miss Nannie Cannon, and Mrs. Robt. E Gibson were guests also from this place.

### Wouldn't It Be a Good Chance.

Quite a number of people, after attending the concert Wednesday night in the newly erected stables of Mr. P M Morris, have expressed themselves as to what a fine auditorium this would make. The building is wide and long, and if equipped with raised seats on the sides would be amply large to seat the crowds here for almost any occasion, and still give room for a large stage. Probably this will cause the matter to be investigated more and the management will probably decide upon such a plan. Wouldn't it be nice?

### Called Meeting of the W. C. T. U.

The W. C. T. U. is called to meet at the residence of Mrs. Craven on Friday afternoon at 4 o'clock. A report on the Tracy meeting will be made, and steps taken towards sending delegates to the State Convention which meets in Greensboro in June. New members will be received at this meeting.

All ladies in sympathy with keeping temperance sentiment thoroughly awake and to the front in this community are invited to be present.

### Aaron Russell was Convicted.

It will be remembered that a number of months ago a barrel of oil was stolen from the warehouse of the Standard Oil Co. at the depot; Their agent, Mr. Jno. B Caldwell, said nothing about the matter until circumstances developed. Aaron Russell, a negro who had worked for Mr. Caldwell and who at times carried the keys to the warehouse, was convicted by the court for stealing the oil but the judgement was suspended for certain reasons.

### Free Pills

Send your address to H. E. Bucklen & Co., Chicago, and get a free sample box of Dr. King's New Life Pills. A trial will convince you of their merits. These pills are easy in action and are particularly effective in the cure of Constipation and Sick Headache. For malaria and Liver troubles they have been proved invaluable. They are guaranteed to be perfectly free from every deleterious substance and to be purely vegetable. They do not weaken by their action, but by giving tone to the stomach and bowels greatly invigorate the system. Regular size 25c. per box. Sold by P B Fetzer.

### ANNOUNCEMENT.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of Mayor of Concord, subject to the action of the Democratic Convention.

GEORGE W. MEANS.

Pure Plymouth Rock Eggs, 13 for 50c. Truman Chapman.

### Speaking of Chickens.

Anyone not in the business would be surprised to know the number of chickens and eggs shipped through Greensboro from Wilkesboro, Mt. Airy, Sanford and intermediate points, to the northern markets. The Southern Express Co. ships an average of 100 crates or 2,500 chickens daily or nearly a million yearly. At 15 cents this would amount to \$150,000. As for eggs, strange to say, they are even more numerous than chickens. Fifty crates daily, 30 dozen to the crate, over six million yearly, 12½ cents a dozen, nearly \$100,000. Verily, the pullet and hen berry business is considerable in this section and it looks like one or the other would have to give out.—Greensboro Telegram.

### PERSONAL POINTERS.

—Col. H C Jones, of Charlotte, is here today.

—Mr. Will White, of Charlotte, came over this morning.

—Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Deaton came over from Charlotte yesterday.

Mrs. D J Bostian and little son have gone to Lincolnton to spend two weeks.

—Rev. Clapp and his sister-in-law, Miss Ethel Patterson, were here from China Grove today.

—Mrs. C W Trice and daughters, together with her son, Willie Trice, returned to Lexington this morning.

—Mrs. J E Thomason and Mrs. H M Barrow went to Greensboro this morning to attend the Epworth League convention.

—Mr. John F Yorke came over from Charlotte yesterday evening. He is making preparations to go to house-keeping in Charlotte soon.

—Mr. Frank Rogers returned home this morning from the University. He attended the Gregory-Overman wedding last evening in Salisbury.

## Fresh Florida

- Squashes,
- Strawberries,
- Cabbage
- and Beans at

S. J. ERVIN'S.

## Men's Shirts.

The season of the year is approaching when a man is looking for something fancy and knobby or something neat and modest in a comfortable SHIRT.

We have fully prepared for your shirt wants. We have any and everything in silk fronts, puff bosoms, stiff bosoms, etc., that your shirt fancy might call for. Drop in and get some shirt ideas.

All sizes in Scrivens Drawers, 75 cents.

H. L. PARKS & Company.

## A Laundry Song.

Tell us not in mournful numbers, Be you girl or be you boy, That we will fail to please you If you'll patronize the Concord.

Enjoyment, not discomfort, Gives our work in every way. And we aim that each customer Finds it better than today.

Work that perhaps another Seeing, he would faint exclaim, Oh, my poorly wash'd brother, You did not "remember the Maine!"

Think about our Laundry work that It gives pleasure without alloy; Peace, contentment and satisfaction Have the patrons of the Concord.

Then let us your work be doing, Our plant of methods are the best. Send or 'phone and we will call, And the Concord will do the rest.

Concord Steam Laundry & Dye Works  
Phone No. 2. Shirts Repaired Free

## Money Talks!

We have just bought out—  
A STOVE HOUSE at a PRICE.  
Ready CASH does the work. List to select from. Everyone is acquainted with our Famous Line of Star Leader, Iron King, Times, Happy Times, South Land, Elmo and others. We bought to sell. Give us a look. We will do the rest.

Bell, Harris & Company.

Have you seen our—  
TIRED MAN'S CHAIR?