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### SOCIETY MEETING.

Mont Amœna's Doors Trown Open to the Public Last Night—Excellent Exercises and Reward Game.

Written for The Standard.

Mt. Pleasant, May 20.—On Friday, May 19, 1899, nature was in her most amiable mood, warm, but not hot, the sun shining brilliantly all day and ending his career for the day by showing a beautiful sunset. And all things too, in the little village of Mt. Pleasant seemed happy, even trying to show Dame Nature that we mortals could be happy too, and outshine a beauteous sunset. Soon after the gorgeous hues of sunset had faded from the sky, the people began to assemble at the Mont Amœna Female Seminary to attend a public meeting of the Bernheim Literary Society of that institution. Each seemed in eager haste for each knew that a rare treat was in store for them.

It is impossible for us to decide the beautiful decorations, and the still more beautiful members of the society, so we haste to the programme.

The president, Miss Pearl Rendleman, called the house to order and asked Prof. M G G Scherer to lead in prayer, after which the roll was called by the secretary, Miss Engleman, with a response by quotations from prominent authors.

A beautiful programme, consisting of instrumental and vocal combinations, together with recitations and tableaux, was rendered.

The hidden library consisted of twelve volumes. These were each represented by one or more of the ladies. The audience was furnished with paper and pencils to write the names of the books the one giving the most nearly complete list was to receive a prize.

No one gave a completely correct list, but four persons gave eleven out of the twelve. The four then drew lots to decide, Mr. Hugh A Crigler winning. The other three were Miss Lucile Lynn and Messrs J V Sutton and C E Moser.

After presenting the prize, which was a pretty boquet made still more desirable by being presented by such a fair person, the president then closed the meeting by leading in the Lord's prayer.

Then the ladies of the M. A. F. S. entertained those of the audience who desired to remain.

The affair was most enjoyable and shows the thorough work of the institution as well as the society.

Long live the Bernheim Literary Society.

Regular communication of Stokes Lodge No. 32, A. F. & A. M., Monday night, May 22nd, at 8 o'clock. By order of W. M.

JAS. C. FINK, Sec.

### NO CURE, NO PAY.

That is the way all druggists sell Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic for chills and Malaria. It is simply Iron and Quinine in a tasteless form. Children love it. Adults refer to it as bitter, nauseating Tonic. Price, 50c.

### FIRES AT AN OFFICER.

A Negro While Escaping Turns and Fires On Special Policeman Lofin—Neither One Hits His Target.

Last Saturday night Mr. John Lofin, who was a special policeman that night, went down to the home of Mayor Means. While they were standing in front of the house talking some negroes came along using very profane language. Mayor Means and Policeman Lofin halted the crowd, six negroes. Four of the negroes stopped but the other two put to their heels. Mr. Lofin struck out after them and was giving them a good chase when one of the negroes turned and fired at the officer. The negro shot three times at the officer and the officer shot five times. Neither one was hit and the negroes made good their escape. Nothing yet has been done about the matter.

### Retailing and Drinking Whiskey.

Mayor Means had his court again today (Monday) to try cases of drunk and disorderly and for retailing whiskey.

Henry Chambers, a negro, was captured last Saturday night in the act of retailing whiskey. Chief of Police Harris caught him in the act and pulled him in. In default of a \$300 justified bond he was taken to jail to await court. Henry has been convicted of retailing whiskey before.

Jake Ellis, colored, was tried for being drunk and using profane language. He was fined five dollars and the costs.

Tom Ellis, colored, was tried also for being drunk and cursing. He was made to pay a \$12.50 fine and the costs.

The case of Warren Coleman, wherein he was indicted for exciting fish as a sign too near the street, resulted in an acquittal, on account of an error in the town ordinance.

### Marriage at Forest Hill.

On Saturday night at Forest Hill, Mr. Sam Lowder, an ex-member of the First North Carolina regiment, was married to Miss Nellie Pierce, of Forest Hill. Miss Pierce is a daughter of Mr. Geo. L. Pierce, of Texas, who formerly lived here.

### He is Still Going.

Mayor Geo. W. Means informed us some days ago that Gus Ritchel, the man who is on a warged walk and who has one of Mr. Mean's fine game roosters on his wheelbarrow, has been heard from and is now below Birmingham, Ala. The rooster has become tame and is the desired companion of the wheelbarrow pusher.

### The Sure LaGrippe Cure.

There is no use suffering from this dreadful malady, if you will only get the right remedy. You are having pain all through, your liver is out of order, have no appetite, no life or ambition, have a bad cold, in fact are completely used up. Electric Bitters is the only remedy that will give you prompt and sure relief. They act directly on your Liver, Stomach and Kidneys, tone up the whole system and make you feel like a new being. They are guaranteed to cure or price refunded. For sale at P B Fetzer's drug store, only 50 cents per bottle.

Pure Plymouth Rock Eggs, 15 for 50c. Truman Chapman.

### Mining and Building News.

Crescent High school had a large number of visitors at their commencement exercises just closed.

While the men were removing the dirt for a cellar in Salisbury at the old Hedrick building, they dug up a fine Indian pot. The old building was 150 years old perhaps, or more. The Redman had lived there first and had forgot to take his pot when he left.

J T Wyatt has received lots of samples of ores from parties offering to sell their mines and mineral lands. He received some ores from Missouri Friday and perhaps the owner will now sell his mine in less than six months.

T C Wyatt, of Pool, has found a mine on his land that is rich. A large vein was discovered.

There is a vein of gold running through R A Raney's plantation near Faith in Rowan county with a good stream of water running through it.

J T Wyatt is getting \$400 worth of door and window sills out, all to go in one building, made out of granite.

The Standard has a large circulation. We hear from it in far away California.

Faith Reformed church is now covered.

The Lutherans will build soon. They have purchased a fine lot to build on for \$40.

**CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY**  
Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund money if it fails to cure. 25c. The genuin has L. B. Q. on each tablet.

### A Vacation Granted Him.

Rev. W C Alexander, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, who a short time ago suffered a slight stroke of paralysis and is unwell, has been granted a leave of absence from his duties until the first of August. A purse of over \$115 was donated by the congregation for his assistance in recuperating during these months. It is earnestly hoped that he will recover during this time.

The ancient believe that rheumatism was the work of a demon within a man. Any one who has had an attack of sciatic or inflammatory rheumatism will agree that the infliction is demoniac enough to warrant the belief. It has never been claimed that Chamberlain's Pain Balm would cast out demons, but it will cure rheumatism, and hundreds bear testimony to the truth of this statement. One application relieves the Pain, and this quick relief which it affords is alone worth many times its cost. For sale by M. L. Marsh & Co.

### Mrs. J. Y. Templeton, of Mooresville, Dead.

On last Saturday night Mrs. J Y Templeton, of Mooresville, died after being sick for several months. Mrs. Templeton was a sister of Mrs. Joel Reid, of this place. She leaves a husband and six children.

### For Over Fifty Years

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup has been used for over fifty years by millions of mothers for their children while teething, with perfect success. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays all pain, cures wind colic, and is the best remedy for Diarrhoea. It will relieve the poor little sufferer immediately. Sold by druggists in every part of the world, Twenty-five cents a bottle. Be sure and ask for "Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup," and take no other kind.

### Preparing for Baseball This Season.

The Concord Baseball Association, with the members as last year, will not be formed this year, but an association will be made by the members of the baseball club. Arrangements are being made for games this year and Mr. Dolph Mangum, of Mebane, who was here with the boys last year, has also signed with our club for this year. Another person, to assist Billy Weddington in the box, will be employed by the association. His name is not yet decided. The grounds have been rented from the former club.

### PERSONA LPOINTERS.

—Mr. Wm. Smithdeal, of Salisbury, spent today here.

—Mr. Jas. Watson, of Salisbury spent yesterday here.

—Mr. S J Lowe, of Charlotte, spent yesterday here with his family.

—Miss Margaret Cannon returned home last Saturday evening from Charlotte.

—Mrs. Jno. A Sims returned home last Saturday night from Statesville.

—Hon. Kerr Craige, of Salisbury, is spending today with his sister, Mrs. A B Young.

—Miss Jessie Cobb returned home this morning from Charlotte, after spending several days.

—Miss Belle Eddleman, of China Grove, passed through here today on her way to Mt. Pleasant.

—Mr. Clarence Connelly, one of the salesmen for H L Parks & Co., spent yesterday at his home in Charlotte.

—Mr. Milton Hartsell is employed at the depot in the absence of Mr. Jno. M Young who is at the bedside of his mother, who is very low.

## FIRST LOT OF PINEAPPLES

IN TODAY AT

S. J. ERVIN'S,

## HOT TIMES AT THE FURNITURE STORE OF Bell, Harris & Company

Is what those hustling boys have been experiencing for the past few days.

A car load of those famous STAR LEADER COOK STOVES. Two car loads of FURNITURE, and last, but not least, a car of MORPHEOUS SPRINGS. REST EASY.

We are in a position to give you prices that, in spite of the steady advance all along the line, will make you glad.

When in need of anything in our line we will be pleased to

SAVE YOU MONEY. BELL, HARRIS & CO.

## H. L. PARKS & CO.'S CLOTHING SALE

Beginning today and to continue for the next thirty days we will inaugurate the greatest bargain Clothing Sale ever offered to the people of Concord and this section of the country. Our limited space will prevent us naming all the attractive features we have to offer in this department. Below we mention a few of the great values to be had here:

Men's fine all Wool Suits, worth \$12 50 to \$15 00, will be sold at \$10

Men's fine Worsted Suits, worth \$10 to \$12 50, will be sold for \$7 50

Men's all Wool Suits, worth \$7 50 to \$8 50, will go in this sale at \$5 98

Also a nice lot of Men's Suits, good values, at \$3 50, \$2 98 and \$1 98

Everything in Boys' Suits and Boys' and Men's odd Pants will be sold in proportion to the above prices.

If you have the Cash in hand and are in need of a SUIT of CLOTHES you will be the loser if you don't look through this department before you BUY. All we ask of you is a few moments of your time and we feel sure that we can convince you these are plain unvarnished facts.

Respectfully,

H. L. PARKS & Company.

### To Our Customers.

On account of the extra work and expense required to keep and collect small accounts, we have decided to adopt a

Cash System, beginning June 1.

For the convenience of those who prefer it, we will sell, at a discount of 5 per cent., coupon books in denominations of \$1.00 and up. We believe this will prove highly satisfactory and certainly more convenient to you. We solicit your patronage and promise to do our utmost to please you. Our work is equal to the best.

The above will be strictly enforced. Respectfully,

Concord Steam Laundry & Dye Works  
R E Eidenhour, J M Purcell, Proprietor, Manager.  
Phone No. 2. Shirts Repaired Free.