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## A HOT TIME IN GREENSBORO.

The Benbow Goes Up in Smoke on Saturday—A Total Loss.

Greensboro had a period of intense excitement Saturday. At 12:30 some one observed that the Benbow Hotel was on fire. The origin will probably never be known but the first appearance was on the upper floor. The fire department responded quickly but the pressure was too low at first to reach the flames with the hose and the fire engine broke down. Thus the magnificent five story building was doomed. Winston was called on and responded most promptly and did good service.

No other buildings were lost. There was little breeze and this was most fortunate for the city.

The fire beginning above was favorable to saving life and property. There were no serious accidents and most of the contents of the building were removed, though some valuable trunks, etc., were lost.

The building was a total loss to its owner, Capt. J B Fisher. There was no insurance on it. He bought it in 1892 for \$50,000 and had never had it insured.

The hotel is to be rebuilt at once, though probably a still finer building will take the place.

As Greensboro stood helpless against the flames Winston and Durham were called on for help. Each responded and Durham's fire fighters were alongside the track waiting to bound the train when they received a message that they would not be needed, but the engineer at Winston was dispatched by an official to touch only the high places. The trip of 29 miles was made in 35 minutes.

## The Season Opens Then.

Get ready for the opening of the baseball season. Wednesday and Thursday are the days, and the Cheraw boys will be here to handle our boys if they can.

Our baseball people are looking forward to the games, and it is expected that we will have a victory from them. This will be the first time our people will have seen the boys on the diamond this year.

## A German Cablegram.

Operator McConnell received a message last Saturday that was very different from any of the past. It was a cablegram from near Dresden, in Germany, and was addressed to an unknown party at Mt. Pleasant. The entire message was in German and was missent.

## Failed to Attend!

Deputy Marshall Hampton arrived here last Saturday evening from Federal court at Charlotte having come after Mr. W D Rhinehardt, of our county, who failed to answer when called Saturday. There is a charge of illicit distilling against him.

## The Little Child Dead.

Mrs. Quantz and Mr. Jno. R Patterson spent Sunday in Salisbury, having been called there by the death of the ten months old child of their sister, Mrs. Nelson Earnhardt. It died Friday evening.

## 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.

## FOR FARMERS ESPECIALLY.

Every Farmer in Cabarrus County Will Do Well to Be Here Next Week and Attend the Meetings—No Expense Connected With It for the Attendants.

Let not the people of our county forget that on Tuesday and Wednesday of next week, the 27th and 28th, that the Dairymen's Association and the Swinebreeder's Association of this State will meet here. There is no reason why our farmers should not turn out to these meetings, for new ideas will be given you as to the most successful plans of work in this line, and your presence will probably at the last prove beneficial to you and to the county, for prosperous farmers make a prosperous county. The following circular letter has been issued by the secretary and treasurer of the organization, Mr. Frank E Emery:

"The North Carolina State Dairymen's Association will meet in Concord, N. C., on June 27th and 28th, 1899. There is expected a full program for two days and some discussions of dairy affairs in the South, and in this State in particular, which will be well worth the time spent in attendance by farmers who have begun, or who are contemplating a start in this branch of farming.

It is time for more farmers than have yet done so to withdraw from cropping their lands continually for "money crops" and look to some branch of animal husbandry for relief. Dairying is the foremost of these and paves the way for the next best, swine husbandry. Indeed, these two are intimately linked by the large amount of the products in successful dairying, which the pig can turn to the best possible account.

It is better to grow forage and soiling crops, and care for animals, which are enriching the farm and paying for what they use and your time, than to be growing cotton or tobacco, under the present outlook.

## The Atlantic Symphony Quartette.

Mr. Chas. J Woodell, advance agent for the Atlantic Symphony Quartette, was here today making arrangements for the company to appear here next Monday night. One of the members of the quartette will sing in one of our churches next Sunday.

## One of Their Nine Gone.

Our baseball boys have lost one of their number after beginning only their series of games. Mr. Ernest Graves, who had intended to stay with us the summer, accepted a position at Chapel Hill and has returned there.

Mr. Pete Force is expected here tonight to take his place in the nine.

## A Card of Thanks.

I wish to say that I feel under lasting obligations for what Chamberlain's Cough remedy has done for our family. We have used it in so many cases of coughs, lung troubles and whooping cough, and it has always given the most perfect satisfaction, we feel greatly indebted to the manufacturers of this remedy and wish them to please accept our hearty thanks.—Respectfully, Mrs. S Doty, Des Moines, Iowa. For sale by M L Marsh & Co., druggist.

## THE TEACHERS' ASSEMBLY.

Prof. D Matt Thompson President—Superintendent Mebane Endorsed.

The Teachers' Assembly at Morehead has closed one of its best meetings. Prof. D Matt Thompson, of Statesville, was elected president.

By a standing vote the Assembly endorsed the administration of Supt. Mebane and thanked him for his efforts to have the office of State Superintendent above the plane of politics.

A resolution expressing pleasure at the progress of local taxation was adopted and its further extension was urged.

The teachers dispersed for their homes today.

## The Standard to Change Quarters.

The room in the Morris building formerly occupied by Mr. J T Pounds has been rented by The Standard and it is hoped that we will get in our new quarters by the first of next month. In our present quarters sufficient room is lacking and besides the owners intend, as soon as possible, to tear away the old brick row and put up some buildings that will be a credit to our town. This movement may not materialize, though, this year.

## PERSONAL POINTERS.

—Mr. N F Yorke spent today in Salisbury.

—Rev. H N Miller and wife spent today here.

—Mr. Sam L Smith, of Charlotte, is here today.

—Mr. Gray Barber, of Charlotte, spent yesterday here.

—Editor Jno. B Sherrill spent this afternoon in Charlotte.

—Mr. H M Barrow returned home this morning from Kings Mountain

—Mayor Means went back to Charlotte this morning to attend Federal court.

—Mr. D B Coltrane returned home from Bessemer this morning, after spending Sunday.

—Mr. Geo. L Nightingale returned to Charlotte this morning, after spending Saturday and Sunday here.

—Prof. Jas. P Cook has returned home from Morehead City, where he attended the meeting of the teachers.

## A Fresh Line

— OF —



FANCY CAKES

— AT —

S. J. Ervin's.

## NOTICE!

TO THE CITIZENS OF CONCORD: We, the undersigned Policemen for the town of Concord, will visit your premises in a few days, and all premises not found in good sanitary condition will be reported to the Mayor. Take due notice and attend to this matter at once and save cost.

Jas. F Harris, John R Cruse, Eli T Goldston, Sanitary Policemen.

June 20th, 1899.

Dr. Miles' Pain-Expeller is guaranteed to stop headaches in 20 minutes. One cent a dose.

## A New Specimen of Wheat.

Several have already been in The Standard office viewing a specimen of wheat from Mr. J M Roger's field beyond Enochville. This is a new kind of wheat somewhat resembling a bearded wheat but has a muffled appearance and a fine looking head. Mr. Rogers started this kind of wheat with only three heads and has been increasing until now he has five shocks.

## 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.

## He Was Found Wanting.

Will Gobble, a young man of our town, claiming to be a detective, and who stands charged with raising a bill, was called for trial at Federal court last Saturday but was found wanting. Probably the young man thought it best to skip his bond than to attend the trial.

## 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 Fetzner's Drug store.

## A CLEARANCE SALE.

All thin goods go regardless of their COST. Commencing Tuesday morning and lasting till Saturday night, the economic buyers of Concord will reap a harvest. A clearance sale indeed this will be. Watch this space closely and visit the store daily, as many genuine bargains will be on the counters that we can't put in the paper.

## ORGANDIES.

These hot weather fabrics are most needed right now. The price is cut, and that very deep. The styles are of the best. For this week all fine pure Silk Organdie, sold 75c. a yard, now 49c. A good variety of 40c. colored Organdies, very sheer, to close at 25c. All 25c. Organdies go at 15c. Hundreds of yards of Lawns at 5, 7½ and 10c. A great showing in Belt Buckles, etc. Tomorrow 500 gold plated one piece BEAUTY PINS, the 2 for 5c. kind, at 1c. each. The 5c. kind 2 for 5c. Black Beauty Pins 2 for 5c.

## SILKS.

All our fine Waist Silks embraced in this Sale. All dollar Silks go at 73c. 75c. Waist Silks, sale price, 49c. 50c. Waist Silks, all Pure Silk, 25c. yard. The newest Patterns and the finest of Fabrics are represented in this CLEAN UP SALE.

A warm time in Thin Goods tomorrow.

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