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STOCKHOLDERS MEETING.

The Semi-Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of the Odell Manufacturing Company—Amount of Work Done During the Six Months—A Four Per Cent Dividend Declared.

The Odell Manufacturing Company held their semi-annual meeting today (Tuesday) at their office. The report of the president, Mr. J. M. Odell, and the report of the secretary and treasurer, Mr. W. R. Odell, was found satisfactory to the stockholders, showing that good work had been done.

We are permitted to publish a part of the report made to the stockholders, which will no doubt interest our readers and probably surprise them to find such an amount of work being done.

From January 1st to July 1st this company has manufactured 2,989,729 pounds of cotton, equal to about 6,350 bales of 470 pounds each, 11,530,522 yards of goods, and 44,399 seamless bags.

For their help during these six months they have paid out \$92,551.38, which makes an average of \$15,435.23 per month.

The usual semi-annual dividend of 4 per cent. was paid.

We Lost the Game.

Our baseball team when they left anticipated meeting a heavy team and it seems that their supposition was correct. When such a game as this comes up we are informed that the best players of Union, Pelzer and Piedmont combine, so the game must have been a good one and one in which some fine players took part. The game resulted in a score of 18 to 8 in favor of the South Carolinians.

A Fire Near Gold Hill.

On Sunday night fire broke out at the McMackin mine near Gold Hill, destroying the office, engine house, tool house and hoister and some of the timber in one of the shafts. It is not definitely known how the fire originated but it is thought to have been caused by a lamp left in the tool house. The mine belongs to the Whitney Reduction Co., of which Mr. E. B. C. Hambley is manager.

An Aged Lady Dead.

Mrs. Bost, an aged lady, and the mother of Messrs. George, Frank and William Bost, of our county, died Monday night at the home of her son, Mr. Frank Bost, in No. 3 township. She was the mother too of Mrs. J. L. Hudson of Cannonville. The funeral will be conducted at Centre Methodist church Wednesday.

Miss Crowell Married.

On last Sunday morning Miss Maggie Crowell, of Richfield, was married to a young man named Godfrey, from South Carolina. The marriage was a surprise to the relatives of the bride. They spent Sunday at Misenheimer's springs. Miss Crowell is a niece of Mr. J. L. Crowell and has visited here.

Baseball.

There is prospects of Salisbury and Concord hitching on the diamond at Henderson next week. Arrangements are being made now for the game, says the Salisbury Sun.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

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In Eulogy of Rev. C. A. Rose.

Memorial services were held in St. John's E. L. Church, Salisbury, on last Sunday night, says the Salisbury Sun. Rev. L. E. Busby conducted suitable religious services and addresses of eulogy were made by Mr. Jno. M. Julian and Prof. R. G. Kizer. In the death of Rev. Rose was a loss so general and marked that none who knew can but realize that loss. But it is a special pleasure to testify to his noble life. The Sun's report indicates the fullness into which these speakers entered into their theme.

The National Union.

On Monday night the National Union met and transacted some of its business yet unfinished. Three members, Dr. J. E. Smoot, and Messrs. Fred Swink and Jno. W. Cook were taken through the initiatory work. Dr. J. E. Smoot was elected Council Deputy for the lodge. The order will meet on the second Tuesday night of each month, and it is very probable that they will meet in the Masonic hall. Two more members are to be initiated at the next meeting.

Used a Saw On Him.

We were told Saturday of a difficulty down at Millertown, this county, in which a negro was almost decapitated.

Mr. McAlister, the storekeeper at a distillery, struck a negro in the back of the neck with a saw and the negro's head fell forward on his breast. The neck was almost cut in two, and, of course the wound was a dangerous one, but, we understand, it is thought the injured man will get well.—Salisbury Sun.

Some Trustees Omitted.

In yesterday's Daily an error appeared as to the trustees of schools in No. 9 township. The numbers of the townships were incorrectly arranged and hence we insert the last three in order to satisfactorily state it:

No. 9—C. F. Smith, Geo. C. Shinn and R. F. Biles.

No. 10—H. C. Cook, D. W. Turner and F. P. Boger.

No. 11—Wm. L. Morris, A. H. Litaker and R. C. Blackwelder.

A Contract in Charlotte.

Contractor Hamilton informs us that he has a contract to build a residence for Mr. M. W. Barber, in Charlotte. He will commence on the work next week.

Lightning Cured His Arm.

A remarkable freak of lightning occurred here yesterday when a sudden shock restored to its old-time vigor the left arm of Eli Forbes, which had been useless for thirteen years on account of rheumatism. While he was sitting at the window yesterday a thundershower came up and with it were two sharp flashes of lightning. With one of the tremendous crashes Mr. Forbes felt a sharp pricking of his flesh and tingling in his bones and with a jerk his left arm shot violently forward from its cramped position. The shock was over in a flash and Mr. Forbes felt his left arm bristle with vitality and tingle with vigor. To his delight he found he could use the arm as well as ever.—East Brookfield, Miss., Dispatch, 7th.

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Bridge Question Unsettled.

It will be remembered that a number of months ago several manufacturers of iron bridges had representatives here endeavoring to secure the contract for a bridge over Rocky River. The lowest bid was put in by the King Iron Bridge Co., which company was represented by C. C. Morrison. Mr. Morrison has been here several times since that time in regard to the placing of the bridge but nothing definite could be reached. It has now been decided to cross the river at another place instead of at near the Black mill and hence other dimensions will be necessary for the bridge. Mr. Morrison, together with Surveyor Q. E. Smith, have been out there and have taken a measurement necessary before contracting for the bridge.

A Missionary Institute.

At the last general conference of the Methodist church it was ordered that each presiding elder hold a missionary institute in his district once a year. This institution began in Salisbury today (Tuesday). Rev. J. D. Arnold, of Forest Hill church; Rev. Nelson, of the Concord circuit, and Rev. Thompson, of Central church attended.

The First Country Melons.

For some weeks we have had on our market melons from Georgia and South-Carolina but we now have country melons. Mr. Tom Litaker, who lives only a few miles below town, brought the first load. There were eighty in the lot.

Nearly Three Acres to Tend.

A superintendent of one department in our largest factory finds himself busy with 2.84 square acres of floor to traverse. This is occupied with looms and the necessary space for cloth and its packing.

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Father's Skin to Save Child.

Next week at St. Joseph's Hospital, in Marsfield, Wis., doctors will perform a delicate operation on the five-year-old daughter of John Beickman.

It will be the grafting of a large area of skin on the child. The father will submit to have the skin removed from his body to save her life.

The little one was almost fatally burned four weeks ago, when her clothes caught fire. On nearly one-third of the surface of her body only the raw flesh remains.—Atlanta Constitution.

Yellow Jaundice Cured.

Suffering humanity should be supplied with every means possible for its relief. It is with pleasure we publish the following: "This is to certify that I was a terrible sufferer from Yellow Jaundice for over six months, and was treated by some of the best physicians in our city and to no avail. Dr. Bell, our druggist, recommended Electric Bitters; and after taking two bottles I was entirely cured. I now take great pleasure in recommending them to any person suffering from this terrible malady. I am gratefully yours, M. A. Hogarty, Lexington, Ky." Sold by P. B. Fetzner's Drug store

A Sharp Rejoinder.

Some years ago Rev. E. Klumph, now of Elm, Wayne county, Mich., while seated in a village store, accosted by a saloon keeper with the remark: "Come over to the church to-night and hear me lecture on temperance."

The reply was: "I won't, you said whiskey sellers were robbers."

"I didn't," replied Rev. Klumph.

"Why did you say?"
"I said you were worse than a robber. I said you took my innocent boy and sent him home a maudlin fool. I said you took an intelligent man, and sent a lunatic to the asylum. I said you took a respected citizen, and sent a criminal to prison. I said you took a kind father, and sent a fiend to throw his family into the street. I said you took a loving husband, and sent a demon to kick his wife. I said you took the immortal soul, and sent it to hell. I said your were worse than a robber."

Sharp, and yet terribly true.

Moved to China Grove.

The household goods of Mr. Chas. Kimball have been moved to China Grove where he will probably live. Mr. Kimball will not leave for several days yet. They will very probably board there. We regret to lose this family from our town.

PERSONAL POINTERS.

—Mr. Walter Hess, of Salisbury, who was a member of Company L, is here today.

—Mr. L. J. Foil, of Mt. Pleasant, and Messrs Jno. A. Barnhardt and Monroe Melchor, of Pioneer Mills, attended the meeting of the Odell Manufacturing Co. today.

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