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A GENERAL MELEE.

Negoes, Razors, Pistols and Baseball Bats All "Flyin' Thro' De Air—Wm. Clay Seriously Cut and Four Negro Arrested.

A Sunday school picnic was the attraction at Bell Mission church in No. 5 township on Saturday last, at which the colored population was out in full force. A brass band furnished music for the occasion and a baseball game was one of chief events.

All went well until about 4 o'clock in the afternoon, when John Barley and Old Tig began to work upon the feelings of the men folks, and as a natural consequence a general melee followed—a free for all fight.

One William Clay, by trade a painter and by profession on a sport, stepped to the fore and announced that he could lick any two negroes on the grounds, whereupon some blood-thirsty companion who craved this distinction, struck him on the nose with a bat. At the same instance some one from behind ripped out a razor and did the carving act, cutting a gash seven inches in length, ranging from the pit of the stomach to the right hip. Clay is in a precarious condition and it is feared that peritonitis will develop. Dr. Sam Montgomery dressed the wounds.

After Clay was stretched out the band ceased to play and the crowd dispersed, the participants of the row going in a chosen direction.

Crowell Foard, Noah Foard, Luther Barringer and Alfred Barringer were arrested and given a preliminary hearing in 'Squire Pitts' court.

Crowell Foard and Luther Barringer were bound over to court. The other two were discharged.

Inaccuracies Noted.

We are sorry for a few inaccuracies in publishing the program for the township Sunday School Convention of Nos. 2 and 3 in last week's issue. We should have said Messrs. W. J. McLaughlin and Charles Hamilton, township vice-presidents. Also we omitted to say that Rev. Preston, the pastor at Patterson's Mill church will make an address, subject: The Essentials to Success in the Sunday School.

The errors are probably due to receiving the message over the phone.

Bitten On the Nose By a Dog.

Dr. Young was called to No. 5 township Sunday to dress a wound on the face of a small child of Mr. Mack Earnhardt. The child and the dog were in the yard, and as the dog had finished his noonday meal, he nabbed the child on the nose, inflicting a painful and ugly wound.

It is not thought that the dog had rabies, but a watchful eye will be kept on his dogship, and in case signs develop the child will receive the attention of special treatment by experts.

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BASEBALL TO-MORROW.

Two Games Booked With King's Mountain—Reinforcements.

King's Mountain has no light weights on her baseball team, like Charlotte, and have taken on reinforcements since our boys played them on their diamond Thursday and Friday last. The mountain boys will arrive in full force tomorrow morning and the game will be called promptly at 4 o'clock in the afternoon.

In the meantime Concord has added to her force a favorite among our people, in the person of Dr. Paul Caldwell, who will arrive tonight from Brooklyn, N. Y. He is quite an acquisition to the team and one to be proud of.

The admission fee will be 25 cents to the grand stand.

The Mayor's Office.

For many years the town hall in its ragged and uninviting condition, was an eye sore to the town. But old scores have been wiped out and the new administration now has one of the neatest and most convenient quarters that can be found in any town or city the size of Concord. The office of the mayor has been fitted up with a roller-top desk and other necessary furniture, while the floor is carpeted and as clean as a pin.

The office of the Chief of Police is not yet finished, but will be completed within the next week or so.

The pretty front, together with the large court room in the rear, presents the appearance of thrift and a general good business.

Let the good work continue.

A Russian Jew Beggar.

A Russian Jew was picked up by the police Saturday last charged with beating trains and begging. He was given a preliminary trial and in default of bond was sent to jail to await court, which convenes Monday next.

The Jew beggar induced Mr. Gaskill, the merchant, to contribute 60 cents to his wants, and when the man was searched at the jail it was found that he had between \$8 and \$10 in silver, one razor and three pocket knives on his person.

The Ministers Meet.

The Ministers Association met at Central Methodist church parsonage. Rev. J. D. Arnold being absent the discussion for the day was postponed till he returns. The Association was favored with several graphic and highly imaginative selections from sermons. The selections were read by brother J. E. Thompson, but they were not taken from his sermons. SEC. J. N. F.

Masonic Notice.

Stokes Lodge No. 32 A. F. & A. M. Regular communication July 17th at 8 o'clock. Installation of officers. If the brethren be prompt, the session will be short—come. JAS. C. FINK, Sec.

Last fall I sprained my left hip while handling some heavy boxes. The doctor I called on said at first that it was a slight strain and would soon be well, but it grew worse and the doctor then said I had rheumatism. It continued to grow worse and I could hardly get around to work. I went to a drug store and the druggist recommended me to try Chamberlain's Pain Balm. I tried it and one-half of a 50-cent bottle cured me entirely. I now recommend it to all my friends.—F A Babcock, Erie, Pa. It is for sale by M L Marsh & Co., druggist.

PERSONAL POINTERS.

—Mr. W. T. Powe, of Greensboro, was in the city today.

—Miss Fannie Cook of Forest Hill, has gone to Spray to visit relatives.

—Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Lowe returned Saturday night from Misenheimer's springs.

—Jas. Young has gone to Bynum to spend several days with his friend, Chas Hislop.

—Miss Dollie Ritz has returned from High Point, after spending two weeks there with friends.

—Misses Mamie and Lillie Ury are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Freeman for several days.

—Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Lentz have returned home after a week's stay at Misenheimer's springs.

We were informed by a very conserved merchant that fully 3,000 water melons were sold at retail here on Saturday last.

—Mrs. Chas. E. Stone returned to Charlotte this morning, after a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Alexander.

Robert Young has entered school at China Grove Academy under Prof. P. E. Wright. The school began this week.

—Misses Fannie and Bessie Boyte have returned to Charlotte, after a week's visit to Mrs. P. M. Misenheimer.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Mauney, of Yadkin Falls, are visiting at Mr. J. L. Crowell's. They will leave for their home tomorrow.

—Mr. Wade Barrier, city editor of The Standard, is spending several days at Misenheimer's springs.

—Miss Emma White who has been visiting Misses Kate and Belle means for several weeks, left this morning for her home at Belvedere.

—Mrs. D. B. Coltrane left this morning for a month's stay at Mt. Airy and White Sulphur Springs. Her children preceded her.

—Miss Mabel Wilson, of Charlotte, and Miss Caldwell, of Poplar Tent, are visiting their aunt, Mrs. S. L. Carroll, on Spring street.

The Sick.

Mr. Paul Parks is thought to be very much improved today.

Esq. N. Phillips is able to be out again, but Mrs. Phillips, his wife, and their daughter, Miss Beulah, are still confined to their beds with malarial fever.

Miss Lizzie Lipe, of Cannonville, is very low, suffering with a pulmonary trouble.

Miss Edna Pitts and Mr. Frank McGraw are both absent from the Racket store today, being too unwell for duty. Miss May Pitts is substituting for her sister.

Mr. Tom Barringer is slowly improving. He has fever.

Mr. Chal White was in town today, but did not report for duty at the Cannon & Fetzer Co. store.

Miss Dora Hix, of the millinery department at Dayvault's, has returned to her home at Turnersburg to spend a month. Miss Lizzie Kincaid accompanied her to spend the month with her.

Mr. Walter Ridenhour, who is employed in a bank at Greensboro, is visiting his relatives in Stanly county, having arrived there Saturday. He contemplates visiting Concord before he returns to his work.

Malarial Nose Bleeding.

Travis Eudy, the young son of Mr. W D Eudy, who lives on North Main street, and who has been troubled with chills for several weeks, suffered a very severe attack of nose bleeding Sunday. Several of the most experienced of the medical fraternity were called in and after several hours of untiring efforts, the flow was checked. The case is defined as malarial nose bleeding, the flow of blood beginning with a chill and usually lasts until the fever has died away.

A Mob Works a Ruse.

A mob at Gainsville, Ga., deceived the sheriff last Saturday morning and shot to death a negro, Si Smith, the murderer of Judge W. B. Snell, of Atlanta. It was a shrewd trick in which they pretended to be bringing in a culprit. When they got in they quickly found Smith and riddled him with bullets.

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