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CHOLOROFORM USED.

Some Person Opens the Window and Pours Cholorform Into the Mouth of Will Johnson -His Probable Scheme Not Accomplished.

For the last several nights there has been reasons to believe that some night thief is getting in his work in our town and it has been hoped that he would be caught. Two different houses have been prowled about but he has not yet been caught. Worse than all though was the one Sunday night when some person went to the window at the home of Mrs. Bettie Johnson on Spring street where Will Johnson was sleeping poured some choloroform into h's mouth and nose. This was very probably done about 11 o'clock. A while afterwards he woke and found himself in this His blinds were condition. found to be wide open and several things of small value were found out in the yard. It is thought that the perpetrator of the deed intended to ransack the room to find some money, but he failed.

A Large Timber Deal.

Mr. Geo. E. Fisher will soon have finished his large contract of cutting timber out in No. 6 township, but when that is finished he has another still larger undertaking before him. He has bought the right to cut pine and of land near Rocky River springs and will begin soon. He purchased the right from Mr. S. J. Biggers, of Charlotte Messrs. Davis Barrier and Lewis Misenheimer have contracted to cut the timber for Mr. Misenheimer and have purchased a new engine and boiler for the work. Mr. Misenheimer, who is now living at Rimer will move to Rocky River springs. The lumber, af ter cut, will be put on the cars at Porters, a station on the Yadkin. Mr. Misenheimer has heretofore sold to this place exclusively but will ship to several places from there.

Court Proceedings.

State vs. Jack Armstrong, affray. Not guilty.

State vs. J. Ed. Henderson, guilty.

State vs. J. Ed. Henderson violating stock law. / Not guilty. State vs. Nathaniel Fulham, assault with deadly weapon. Plead not guilty, Found guilty, judgement suspended on payment of the costs.

State vs. Chas. C. Her, larceny. Guilty and sentenced to the chain gang for four months.

The case of Mrs. Manie Davis vs. Mr. J. Mack Davis, wherein the former applied for a divorce, was taken up. The divorce was granted.

State vs. Sam Ellis, larceny of a screw-driver. Guilty and sentenced to the chain gang four months.

An Old Lady at Cannonville Dead.

On Sunday night at Cannonville at the home of Mr. John Shoe Miss Susan Harwood died after having seen over ninety years pass by. She was the last one of that family, all of her brothers and sisters having preceded her to the grave. The remains will be taken to the family burying ground in Stanly county, five miles below Mt. Pleasant.

If troubled with rheumatism, give Chamberlain's Pain Balm a trial. It will not cost you a cent if it does no good. One application will relieve the pain. It also cures sprains and bruises in one-third the time required by any other treatment. Cuts, burns, frostbites, quinsey, pains in the side and chest, glandular and other swellings are quickly cured by applying it. Every bottle warranted. Prices, 25 and 50 cts.—M L Marsh & Co.

DRILL THE TONGUE DAILY.

It Is the Instrument That Makes the its ears in its hind legs. World Happier and Better.

"Upon those who are ambi- two hundred years. tious to make the world happier and better rests the obligation of world at the present time is drilling the tongue into lustrous about \$3,000,000,000. kindness, purity, and refinement," writes Rev. Newell 346, while smokeless gunpowder Dwight Hillis, D. D., of "The Diffusion of Happiness Through Conversation," in the August Ladies' Home Journal. "Not by spasmodic efforts, not with occasional hints and words of good cheer, are men prone to use the weight in food. tongue in the interest of happiness. The daily drill of the sites," the dials of clocks are tongue as an instrument of hap- made to turn round, while the piness and influence is to enter into the fundamental conception of living. Nor is this law binding only upon those happy persons who are said to be good entertainers. Some there are who are so fortunately organized that they exhale benefactions upon any company into which they enter. /Unconsciously and without any set purpose, they oil the Lexington, is here today. bearings of life, lessen friction, provoke laughter and good cheer as naturally as flowers that do not struggle to throw off sweetness, as the cedar wood that without thinking gives off fragrance. But the law of happi- Maude Brown. ness-making is not confined to a oak timber on five hundred acres few gifted individuals. It is binding upon all of every rank, station and temperament.

"On high festal days, days in Athens, when processions formed at stated intervals, in the processions marched men with instruments of music, and also incense-bearers. When group of musicians had marched by and the sound of music was dying out of the air, another group took up the sweet strain. When distance had removed far the incense-bearers another group came on to fill the air with Archey and Leonard Brown clouds of smoke from the sweet spent yesterday in Salisbury. aromatic shrubs. Too oft our world marches forward to the sound of sad notes and requiems. Happy are those whose sweet and gentle speech fills the common life with sweetness and light as did the ancient ministers of obstructing public cart-way. Not joy and music. For their wholesome tongues are indeed 'trees of relatives at Greensboro life' and their words like 'apples of gold in pictures of silver.'

> Last tall I sprained my left 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 promised faithfully not to tell Chamberlain's Pain Balm. tried it and one-half of a 50-cent kiss me just once, and in less bottle cured me entirely. I now than a minute he had repeated it. recommend it to all my friends .-F A Babcock, Erie, Pa. It is for sale by M L Marsh & Co., druggist.

Maxton Was Victorious.

Messrs. Billy LeGrande, Ernest Graves and Dolph Mangum—the boys sent by Charlotte at the request of the Maxton team—have returned here after playing with the Maxton boys last Saturday in their game against the Wilmington boys. Maxton was victorious in a score of 8 to 4.

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.

m. Miles' Pain Pilis are guaranteed to stop

Observations.

One variety of the cricket has

Icebergs sometimes last for

Gunpowder dates from A. D. dates back to 1845.

The brain of an ant is larger in proportion to its size than that of any other known creature.

A caterpillar is so greedy that in one month it usually devours six thousand times its own

In China, "the land of oppohands stand still.—Ex.

PERSONAL POINTERS.

-Mr. J. G. Heilig, of Salisbury, is here.

-S. F. Stephens, of Charlotte, was here this morning.

-Mr. Horace Freeman, of They Collide Wednesday.

spent yesterday with Louis their armors on Wednesday

-Miss Bessie Campbell is spending a few days with Miss

bury, spent yesterday and today with Louis Brown. -Mr. L. D. Duval went over

spend a few days. -Mr. Jones Yorke went on a business trip to the eastern part

to Charlotte Saturday evening to

of the State this morning. -Mr. Frisby Thomas, of Bal timore, spent today here with Mr. Ernest Fetzer.

-Miss Grace Brown, and

-Mr. C H Richmond has returned to Danville after spend-G Richmond.

-Mr. D. B. Coltrane returned home this morning after spending Saturday and Sunday with

family are spending today here trouble. Regular size 50c and \$1. with their friends. They will Trial bottles free at Fetzer's Drug leave tonight for Newberry, S. Store. Every bottle guar nteed. hip while handling some heavy C., where Mr. Scherer has accepted a call as pastor.

It Goes Without Saying.

Clara-One can't believe a word the men say any more.

Maud—Why not? Clara—Well, there's Jack, he I anyone if I would permit him to

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Program Greensboro Gala Week. TUESDAY.

Meeting of the North Carolina State Firemen's Association in

the forenoon. The total value of gold in the and the State Horticultural Society in the afternoon and even-

WEDNESDAY.

Street parade and spectacular trades display.

Quick steaming contest. Horse racing in the afternoon. THURSDAY.

Bicycle parade. Hand reel race. Grab reel race. Horse hook and ladder race. Junior hand reel race. Hand hook and ladder race.

FRIDAY. Championship reel race. Individual foot race. Horse hose wagon race. Special races.

Industrial display and band and orchestral concert at the Banner Warehouse each day from 9 a. m. to 12 m., and from 2 to 5 p. m.

Art display each day.

The Charlotte and Concord -Lander Gray, of Castonia, boys are preparing to gird afternoon here and pitch a hot fight. Charlotte has it in her head now that Concord will yet yield the spoils to her but Concord still boasts of her baseball -Paul Barnhardt, of Salis- superiority and will make a most desperate effort to sustain herself. The Charlotte contingent will be here Wednesday expecting a hard fight, and no doubt our people will be largely in evidence.

HIS LIFE WAS SAVED.

Mr. J. E. Lilly, a prominent citizen of Hannibal, Mo., lately had a wonderful deliverance from a frightful death. In telling of it he says: "I was taken with typhoid fever that ran into pneumonia. My lungs became hardened. I was so weak I couldn't even sit up in bed. Nothing helped me. I expected soon to die of consumption, when I ing a few days here with Mr. G heard of Dr. King's New Discovery. One bottle gave me relief. I continued to use it, and and now am well and strong. I can't say too much in its praise." This murvellous medicine is the' surest and quickest cure in the -Rev. M. G. G. Scherer and world for all throat and lung

A Card of Thanks.

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

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Call and see us --- we like you

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