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EVANGELIST MOODY DEAD.

lies in Triumphant Faith and Bright Visions at Noonday.

The great Dwight L. Moody passed to his reward at noon on the 22nd.

He came home from Kansas City, Mo., about a month ago completely broken down from overwork. He never completely rallied.

The end came peacefully and triumphantly. After partial recovery from a sinking spell he said, "I see earth receding; heaven is opening; God is calling me," when he passed away.

The San Francisco Minstrels.

The San Francisco Minstrels gave us the best show of the kind that Concord has enjoyed for many moons.

The instrumental music was good, we should say very excellent. The songs were fair, the jokes decidedly laughable, and the nonsense even had the air of wit and laughableness.

The acrobatic features were good, some features being decidedly excellent.

The star of the troupe is the male imitator of the female. With a voice highly cultivated and manners so graceful he almost outdoes femininity and happily breaks in with the masculine just enough "lest we forget."

The charming parts of the performance so much overshadow the usual and questionable parts regarded as an essential element in a minstrel that this troupe can hardly be too highly commended.

Result of the Spelling Contest.

Mrs. S. V. Erwin's school has closed for the first term, and to Claudius Smith she awarded the prize for the best spelling. The pupils surprised their teacher by giving her as a Christmas present a beautiful black scarf. Her school numbers thirty-two, and they closed their first term by having a Christmas tree.

Knocked Senseless at Salisbury.

The Salisbury correspondent to the Charlotte Observer says the latter part of the performance of the San Francisco minstrels there Thursday night was cut short by an accident to a member of the troupe, who was a comic acrobat. He got a fall from the shoulders of his associate in the part, which deprived him of his senses for some time.

Business Will Be Suspended Monday.

Monday will find our stores and other business houses closed and all business suspended for the day. With the absence of fireworks, except possibly some at night, and business closed, Concord will have a quiet Christmas. There will be no issue of The Standard on Monday.

It will not be a surprise to any who are at all familiar with good qualities of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, to know that people everywhere take pleasure in relating their experience in the use of that splendid medicine, and in telling of the benefit they have received from it. Of bad coughs it has cured, of threatened attacks of pneumonia it has saved, and of the children it has saved from attacks of croup and whooping cough. It is a grand, good medicine. For sale by M. L. Marsh & Co.

To Celebrate Xmas By Marriage.

The holidays are the busy times for the Register of Deeds, as several times each day he is liable to be called upon to fill out his red blanks of marriage. Mr. Cephas Litaker, who is acting in the absence of Mr. Johnson, has been doing a good business so far, these being some of the names left on record: Arthur Bundy, of Forest Hill and Miss Josie Hall, of No. 7 township; Joe Chambers, of No. 5 township and Miss Mollie Propst, of Forest Hill; Chas. Deal and Miss Etta Misenheimer, both of No. 5 township; J. D. Crisco and Miss Fannie Petrea, of the Bala mill; George Fincher and Miss Mattie Taylor, of the Cabarrus mill; J. G. Moose and Miss Lottie Earnhardt, of No. 7 township.

Mr. Wilson to Leave Concord.

We are sorry to learn that Mr. W. S. Wilson, who has been assisting Mr. Jay Lentz as teacher in the Concord High School, has resigned his position here to return to the University to study law. Mr. Wilson is not pleased with the work of teaching and wishes to pursue his law course. Mr. Lentz has not yet selected one to take Mr. Wilson's place.

Has Not Yet Accepted.

Rev. W. L. Lingle, of Dalton, Ga., spent Friday night here. It will be remembered that the First Presbyterian church has extended a call to him as pastor. He has not yet accepted the call.

Mrs. Martin Furr Dead.

On Friday evening about 8 o'clock Mrs. Furr, the wife of Mr. Martin Furr, died after suffering some time with pneumonia. She was 40 years of age. She leaves a husband and several children.

What Two Women Did.

Mrs. Jesse H. Sewell, who came to Texas from North Carolina after the death of her husband, twelve years ago, bought and to-day for which she paid cash with money she made by raising bees and poultry. Mrs. Sewell and her daughter, the latter a grown young lady, are preparing to start a blooded stock farm. The ladies say they will not give up bees and hens, but will also raise cattle and sheep now that they have ceased to be renters. —Dallas News.

To accommodate those who are partial to the use of atomizers in applying liquids into the nasal passages for catarrhal troubles, the proprietors prepare Ely's Liquid Cream Balm. Price including the spraying tube is 75 cents. Druggists or by mail. The liquid embodies the medicinal properties of the solid preparation. Cream Balm is quickly absorbed by the membrane and does not dry up the secretions, but changes them to a natural and healthy character. Ely Brothers, 56 Warren St., N. Y.

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AWFUL LANDSLIDE.

Two Hotels, a Monastery and Four Vessels Go Down.

A Rome dispatch of the 22nd tells of a terrible disaster and strange phenomenon at Amalfi, a tourist resort on the gulf of Salerno.

Two large hotels and a man-asery that rested on a rock were suddenly and without a moment's warning hurled down into the depths carrying with them all the occupants. More too, it crushed down with it four vessels with their crews that happened to be near when the slide of about 50,000 cubic yards of rock and earth went off with a thundering roar.

It took place in the afternoon and the loss of life, while very great, is not set down in an estimate.

With the Churches Tomorrow.

The pastor, Rev. C. B. Miller, will hold regular services tomorrow morning and tomorrow night at St. James Lutheran church. The evening service will commence at 7 o'clock.

Regular services at Forest Hill Methodist church tomorrow, both morning and night, by the pastor, Rev. R. M. Hoyle.

Tomorrow morning at 11 o'clock Rev. E. H. Harding, of Virginia, will conduct services at Central M. E. church. Tomorrow night Rev. W. W. Bays, now the presiding elder of this district, will deliver a sermon.

Rev. P. M. Trexler, of Newton, will preach at the Reform church tomorrow morning.

The pastor, Rev. B. Lacy Hoge, will hold regular services tomorrow morning and night at the Baptist church. Subject for 11 a. m., "The Fall of Ai." Subject for 7 p. m., "Adultery."

Services at Forest Hill Presbyterian church tomorrow morning and at Cannonville Presbyterian church tomorrow night, by the pastor, Rev. Cochran Preston.

There will be regular services at All Saints Episcopal church tomorrow morning at 11 o'clock by the rector, Rev. J. C. Davis. Sunday school at 3 o'clock, but no services at 4 o'clock. The Christmas exercises will be held Christmas morning at 11 o'clock.

PERSONALS.

—Mr. Frank Robbins arrived here this morning.

—Mr. Dick Boyd, of Fayetteville, is here until Monday night.

—Mr. Robt. Walthall went to Farmville, Va., this morning to spend a few days with his mother.

—Little Misses Jennie, Ruth and Elizabeth Coltrane and Blanche Brown went to Bessemer this morning to spend Christmas with Mrs. Garrison.

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— AT —

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Christmas Holiday Excursion Rates.

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My son has been troubled for years with chronic diarrhoea. Sometime ago I persuaded him to take some of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. After using two bottles of the 25-cent size he was cured. I give this testimonial, hoping some one similarly afflicted may read it and be benefited. —Thomas C. Bower, Glencoe, O. For sale by M. L. Marsh & Co. Druggist.

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