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## MURDER, LYNCHING.

Every Mills a Negro Kills Mr. Mills H. Flack Near Forest City and is Lynched on the Way to Jail.

Our State has another lynching, not for the usual cause but a case of very great provocation.

Near Forest City in Rutherford county about 9 o'clock Tuesday morning, Avery Mills a turbulent vicious negro killed Mr. Mills H. Flack.

Mills lived on Mr. Flack's farm and a difficulty arose when Mr. Flack attempted to gather some fruit on Monday. Mills' wife threatened to shoot Flack who left to avoid a difficulty. The next day Mr. Flack and sons were working near the negro's house when he came out and stirred up the fruit difficulty. A quarrel ensued and it is said that Mills' wife brought him his pistol and he shot Mr. Flack near the heart. With his gun he shot Mills slightly wounding him. In the struggle Flack got Mills' pistol and only slightly wounding him. Mr. Flack died an hour later.

Mills and his wife were arrested and as the officers were taking them to Rutherfordton jail they were overtaken by a mob and the man was pulled out of the vehicle and taken away.

The officers attempted to follow and regain the prisoner whereupon he was thrown against a bank and shot to death instantly.

The woman escaped while all this was going on but was recaptured and is in jail.

There were strong pleadings to the crowd to refrain from violence but all was to no purpose.

The special to the Charlotte Observer giving the account says arrests of lynchers will be made.

### Mrs. Ed. Cook, of Spray, Dead.

A telegram was received today (Wednesday) from Spray, N. C., by relatives at Forest Hill, announcing the death of Mrs. Ed. Cook, who died this morning after an illness of only about a week with typhoid fever. Mrs. Cook was a young woman of some 20 years and was a Miss Jarrett before her marriage. She leaves a husband and one son, about two years old, to mourn their loss. Her mother died only about three weeks ago.

Mr. Cook is a Concord man and is highly esteemed by the people in Spray. He has many friends in this city who will sympathize with him in the loss of his young wife.

### Business Change.

Mr. Jno. W. Cook has purchased a half interest in Mr. J. C. Smith's store and they together have purchased the J. L. Boger restaurant.

## ORGAN TONES.

Good Rains Too Late for Corn But 'Good for Turnips—A Harmless' Rdn—Away But Narrow Escape—Reunion With Church Rites and Social Feast—Nearing Her Ninety-Second Year. Written for The Standard.

Organ Church, Aug. 28.—Our community has been blessed with copious showers the last week. The rain came too late to benefit the corn crop, but our farmers are taking advantage of the season by sowing turnip seed. Turnips not only make a palatable dish for the table, but make one of the best substitutes for corn, and is relished by stock of all kinds. Farmers, don't forget to have a big turnip patch.

Rev. Geo. H. Cox, who had a cancer removed from his under lip two weeks ago, is doing nicely.

Miss Alice Powlas, who has been confined to her bed for six weeks with typhoid fever, is able to be up and about her room.

On Tuesday of last week as Mr. L. W. S. Bost was going to China Grove with a two-horse team, the lines became uncoupled. He stopped to adjust them, but as he stepped on the double-tree to reach the lines the team started to run, throwing the driver on the tongue, and seeing no way of escape he rolled off, the wagon passing on without touching him, and he came out with only a few slight bruises. The team ran about half a mile and stopped.

Mr. Augustus Klutz has a new house-keeper at his home.

Last Friday was a happy day for grandma Lippard. About seventy-five of her relatives and friends gathered at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Katie Rimer, with whom grandma lives. Rev. Mr. Reidesell, of Lower Stone church, preached a very interesting and instructive sermon, then Rev. Mr. Cox administered the Holy Communion to grandma and a few intimate friends. At noon a large table was erected in the yard, and soon was loaded with the good things which the good ladies had not forgotten to take with them. The afternoon was spent in pleasant chat. Grandma is nearing her ninety-second birthday, but for certain reasons her friends thought best not to wait till then for the reunion, or social gathering, as it might more properly be called.

During last May an infant child of our neighbor was suffering from cholera infantum. The doctors had given up all hopes of recovery. I took a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy to the house telling them I felt sure it would do good if used according to directions. In two days time the child had fully recovered. The child is now vigorous and healthy. I have recommended this remedy frequently and have never known it to fail.—Mrs. Curtis Baker, Bookwalter, Ohio. For sale at Marsh's drug store.

## Third Day's Work at the Teachers' Institute.

This is the third day of the Teachers' Institute and it is becoming more interesting every day. It is one of the best and most practical institutes that has ever been held in the county. Prof. C. S. Coler gave two lectures this morning one on history and one on physiology. Supt. Stickley gave a lecture this morning on school law. Dr. J. E. Smoot gave a very interesting talk this evening on alcohol and its effects upon the organs of the body. An interesting program has been prepared for tomorrow. Do not fail to attend the Institute if you have not already enrolled. You will find it practical, profitable, and beneficial.

## Winning Hearts—A Fine Tribute.

Rev. J. H. McLain, the new pastor at Poplar Tent church, is already winning the hearts of his people and entering into his work with great zeal. His churches in South Carolina were devoted to him and regretted very much to part with him. Both churches passed resolutions of regret, showing their esteem and love for him and his family. We copy below the resolutions as passed by the congregation of Allison Creek church:

"We beg leave to give expression of our feelings in regard to giving up our pastor, who has been so long and pleasantly associated with us as our spiritual leader and guide.

And we as a church and as a congregation do hereby express publicly our high esteem for Rev. J. M. McLain as a man and as a minister of the gospel.

And that we, while regretting his going away from us at his own request, concur with him in asking Bethel presbytery to dissolve the pastoral relations existing between him and this church (Allison Creek.)

And that he goes from us with our best wishes and earnest prayers for the welfare of himself, his dear wife and little ones and for success in his holy vocation, and in the hope that his life may be long spared to do much good in that lot or field where God in his providence has called him to labor.

And further, we commend him and his loved ones to the Christian love and fellowship of those among whom his lot is cast and assure them that they have chosen wisely.

Subscribed by officers of Allison Creek church.

J. A. M. L. Stewart,  
Wm. J. Neely,  
Wm. Shoate,  
J. R. Cook,  
D. R. A. Watson.

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## Mt. Pleasant Items.

Mt. Pleasant, Aug. 29.—Mr. R. W. Barrier has gone to Albemarle where he has accepted a position with Little Bros.

Messrs. G. D. Moose and J. L. Smith spent several days in Asheville last week.

Mrs. Andy Propst, and sister Miss Eddleman, of China Grove, were visiting relatives in our town last week.

Mr. Hule Miller, of Bear Poplar, and Mr. Clarence Betts, of Albemarle, spent several days in town last week.

President W. A. Lutz, moved to this place last Monday, school opens the fourth of next month. It is rumored that the ladies will give the boys a reception.

Prof. G. F. McAllister and P. M. Nussman spent several days in Mecklenburg, last week.

Dr. I. W. Ivey, of New London, is at the hotel doing dental work.

## A Good Cough Medicine.

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Mr. W. G. Means returned home Tuesday night from Cleveland springs much improved, but still unwell.

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