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BURNED CHURCH.

Sensational Case Nearing An End at Morganton.

A sensational trial has been in progress for several days at Morganton. Two years ago Jack Keaton was arrested for burning a Methodist church in that county. After the hearing before a magistrate he fled the State. A short time since he was discovered by State Detective Perry in Tennessee and arrested and brought back to North Carolina. While living in Tennessee he had married and has a wife and one child there. Keaton when placed on trial admitted that he burned the church and acknowledged that he had sworn falsely on the hearing before the magistrate. However, he swears that the two McCalls, for whom he worked, had persuaded him to burn the church in order to divert attention from one of the McCalls who had burned a barn. The McCalls have employed brilliant counsel and are fighting in every way possible to break down Keaton's testimony. The burning of a church is a very grave offense in this State.—Raleigh Times.

NEGRO KILLED NEAR HARRISBURG.

Bob Louis Shoots Lum Morris—Accidentally Shoots Himself Also—He is Committed to Jail.

A difficulty occurred near Harrisburg Sunday night in which Bob Louis shot and killed Lum Morris. It seems that the quarrel came about the good graces of one Martha Houie to which each had aspired.

It appears that Morris had threatened the life of Louis and the case will have an element of self defense in it.

Louis, in shooting at Morris, shot himself through the left hand. He fired five shots. There was something of a mix-up in which one Saunders cut Louis' clothing.

Esq. Pitts committed Louis to jail, and, as we go to press, he is brought back in the trial of Saunders.

Splendid Words of Governor Stone.

In his brief address at Charleston, Governor Stone, of Pennsylvania, said: "We understand your pride in Lee, and Jackson, just as we glory ourselves in Grant and Meade. The Lord will never decide when the gray and blue hosts are assembled before Him which were right, and I am glad of it. The only true patriots are those who fight for their homes and family and their convictions, and we both did that. That is the best and most generous tribute to the boys in gray we have ever heard from a Northern source.—Richmond Times.

AGED CITIZEN PASSES AWAY.

Mr. Geo. M. V. Winecuff Dies at the Age of 77 years—Buried with Masonic Honors.

Mr. George M. V. Winecuff, after several days of acute suffering, passed away in death at 3:30 p. m. Saturday, the 19th, at his home just above Concord.

Mr. Winecuff had attained the good ripe age of 77 years. He leaves seven children to mourn his loss and emulate his many virtues. He was a good citizen and faithful member of the church from early manhood. He was also a member of the Masonic fraternity, to which he was very much attached. He was a regular attendant on the meetings and about forty of the fraternity attended his burial and bestowed the honors of the order in burial ceremony.

The funeral was conducted by his pastor, the Rev. Mr. Bradley, at Mt. Olivet church, of which he was a member, on Sunday evening at 4 o'clock.

A very large concourse of people manifested their respect for his memory by attending the funeral services.

Gin Narrowly Saved.

Mr. J. Shakespeare. Harris came near losing his cotton gin this (Monday) morning. The saw mill was running and the fire flashed out probably by a match and caught in the cotton. It ran over three bales and burned about 150 pounds of seed cotton. Mr. J. J. Cox, Mr. C. H. Morrison and others fell to heroic work and saved the gin.

Another Good School Record.

Master Raymond Bell, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Bell, made the splendid record during the last session of the graded school of not a single absence and only one time tardy, and that was from the fire alarm which does not properly count bad against a future captain of the fire brigade. His average in his studies was above 90.

We have room in The Standard for a whole lot of good reports from the young folks at school.

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"CITY OF PITTSBURG" BURNS.

The Sidewheel Steamer Takes Fire Sunday Morning on the Mississippi—Probably 60 People Perish.

A Cairo dispatch of the 20th says the sidewheel steamer, City of Pittsburg, was burned on Sunday morning at Turner's Landing 24 miles from the city. The loss of life was terrible and the list may reach 60 though the number was not definitely known. The alarm was given between four and five o'clock and people rushed out of their berths in panic.

Some that escaped drowning were severely burned.

Little Cathleen at Rest.

Little Cathleen Estelle, only child of Mr. and Mrs. Rowland Harris, died at their home on West Depot street on Sunday morning at 6:10 o'clock.

She had suffered ill health for about a month and was severely sick for a week.

Pressure of fluid on the brain gave her convulsions and medical skill and trained nursing were powerless to overcome the disease and save her to the anxious parents.

She was just three years, three months and two days old and was lovely and winning in a peculiar degree.

The funeral services were conducted at the home today (Monday) at 2 o'clock by Rev. J. H. Barnhardt and the little sleeping body was laid to rest in the city cemetery while the angelic spirit has flown to Him who said, "Suffer the little children to come unto me and forbid them not: for of such is the kingdom of heaven."

Our condolence is tendered to the stricken parents while fancy wings its flight to the regions of bliss and sees little Cathleen resting sweetly in the tenderest of all bosoms and with two gentle little hands beckoning them to dry up these tears and wend their wend their way to their little one.

Sale of Wm. Heilig Lot in Mt. Pleasant.

The lot belonging to the estate of the late William Heilig and lying near the German Reformed church in Mt. Pleasant was sold today (Monday), Mr. George L. Heilig being the purchaser. The price paid was \$1.17. This was an adjourned sale, the 10 per cent. bid having been made on the sale of the 31st, ult.

Rev. W. T. Talbot, Pastor of Baptist Church at Bala Mill.

Rev. W. T. Talbot has been called as pastor of the Baptist church at Bala Mill. He announces that his appointment at that place will be every third Sunday of the month.

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