

Waxhaw News.
(Enterprise.)

Mr. Lee Gribble of Dallas spent Saturday and Sunday at Esq. R. T. Sistar's. His little son, Master Robert, who has been spending some time here returned home with him.

The cotton marketed at this place up to December 12 this season amounts to 4,529 bales amount marketed to the same date last year, 5,107 bales. This shows a shortage this year of only 578 bales.

Mr. Lee McCain, son of Mr. J. C. McCain, and Miss Cora McCain, daughter of Mr. H. M. McCain, both of the Jackson Forest community, were married last Thursday at Unity, Rev. C. S. Young officiating.

Freddie James, the three year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Banks Stevens of Bonds Grove section, died Wednesday of last week from attack of diphtheria. Mrs. Stevens is critically ill.

Arthur Broom, son of Mr. B. C. Broom, had his arm broken in a runaway last Saturday morning. The little fellow was loading wood on a wagon when a cord of wood began to fall and the mules became excited. As they began to run, Arthur, who was standing on the double - trees, climbed inside and in the runaway was thrown from the wagon, with the results as above stated.

Mr. John Ferguson, an aged citizen living near Catawba Junction, was killed Sunday afternoon by the local passenger train, No. 52, at Spence, a small station on the Seaboard line about one mile south of Catawba. Mr. Ferguson was walking on the sidewalk when the train rounded a sharp curve and gave the station blow, and thinking the train was on the switch he stepped over on the main line and was struck and instantly killed by the engine.

Did Well This Year.

Mr. H. M. Nicholson, formerly of Union county, is doing some good farming. This year he worked one horse and has gathered eleven bales of cotton and over 200 bushels of corn and did it all himself too. He says Lee county has advanced 500 per cent during the seven years he has been here. The quality of the land is superlative and the health unsurpassed. It speaks well of the county to have recommendations like this.—Lee County Times.

Saved His Wife's Life.

"My wife would have been in her grave to-day," writes O. H. Brown of Muscadine, Ala., "if it had not been for Dr. King's New Discovery. She was down in her bed, not able to get up without help. She had a severe bronchial trouble and a dreadful cough. I got her a bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery, and she soon began to mend, and was well in a short time." Infallible for coughs and colds, its the most reliable remedy on earth for desperate lung trouble, hemorrhages, lagrippe, asthma, hay fever, croup and whooping cough 50c and \$1.00; trial bottle free. Guaranteed by English Drug Co.

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PRISONERS WRITE LETTER.

Young Men Who Were Sent Up for Store Breaking Say That They Are Sorry And That Whiskey Caused It.

We desire to say to the good people of Union county that we are sorry for the offence we committed in our community last summer.

To those whom we wronged we are very grateful for their withdrawal from the prosecution.

We likewise appreciate their signatures to the petition asking the governor of North Carolina to pardon us.

To commit larceny was not our desire—no far from it but it was under the influence of strong drink that we committed our offence.

No one but ourselves know how very crushed we are over the whole affair.

We have come to ourselves and sadly experiencing the bitter results of our transgressions against the laws of our State and man.

Life without liberty is a desert, barren and flowerless and we long to be free once more and do everything possible to wipe out the past by living pure and better lives before God and man.

To all those who have signed the petition asking our release we beg to tender our sincere thanks and lasting gratitude and we earnestly implore the assistance and influence of all the people and earnestly assure you that your kindness shall ever be remembered.

Very Respectfully,
Ben Starnes
Everette Melton
James Richardson
Dexter Stack.
State Farm, Halifax county.

More Women than Men.

It surprised many North Carolinians to know that there are 9,345 more women in this State than men. We had somehow or other gotten the idea that in New England the women predominated in number but that in the South the males were more numerous. The census dispenses that notion, and gives the figures showing that there are 9,345 more women in North Carolina than men. The figures are: Females, 1,107,816; males, 1,098,471. This means that if every man should find a mate there would be 9,345 women who would find no mate. There are only five States in the Union in which the women out number the men. They are Massachusetts, Rhode Island, Maryland, North Carolina, South Carolina and the District of Columbia.

A gentleman who was asked the reason why there were more women than men in North and South Carolina said: "That is easy. Those two States lost thousands of men in the war between the States. That is the reason." But is he right? Virginia and Georgia lost almost as many as the two Carolinas and yet the men outnumber the women in these States. Pennsylvania and Ohio contributed more soldiers to the Federal army in proportion to population than Massachusetts and Rhode Island and sustained heavier losses, and yet these two States have more men than women. North Carolina has lost many more men than women by emigration. It has been our bane since, as well as before the war. But the tide has turned and the next census will show that fewer North Carolinians are seeking homes in other States than in any former period in history.—Raleigh News & Observer.

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Asleep Across Dead Body.

Sparta Star.

Last Saturday evening at Jennings store in Glade Creek township, at about 4 o'clock, Mitchell Wilson was shot through the heart and instantly killed by John Moxley, son of Reed Moxley. From the best information we have the facts in the case are as follows: Wilson Moxley and others were at Jennings store. Moxley was drunk and Wilson suggested that he go home. They started off together, Wilson leading Moxley by the arm to steady his step and carrying Moxley's double barrel-barrel shotgun for him. After going a short distance down the road Moxley saw a dog and asked Wilson for the shotgun. He gave it to him and Moxley emptied both barrels at the dog. They went on a little farther when Moxley pulled out a pistol and fired first into the bank of the road, and in his drunken rage waved the pistol and fired again. This shot entered Wilson's heart. He walked a few steps and fell forward dead. Moxley followed Wilson and fell over Wilson's dead body. Jesse Green, who lives only a few hundred feet from the place where the crime was committed, saw the shooting from his house and immediately went to the scene. He saw Wilson lying there dead as he thought and Moxley was lying across the body asleep. Moxley was arrested and brought before Squire Troy Carico and bound over to Superior court in a \$500 bond, which Moxley gave. It is generally believed that the killing was not intentional as Wilson and Moxley are good friends. Wilson was an honest, hardworking, good and sober citizen.

Conscience Watermelon.

Statesville Landmark.
The news comes from Fairfield Ia., that Lefe Coop, who lives at that place, has received a letter from Rev. William Whitlock, now residing in California, in which the minister writes that nearly fifty years ago, while he was working for Mr. Coop's father, he stole a watermelon from a vine. He says the theft has been a weight on his conscience. He asked Mr. Coop to set a price on it, so he may settle the bill. The theft, he says, occurred when he was 12 years old. It took the gentleman a long time to decide to make amends for the offence, but possibly it is better late than never.

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