The Messenger.

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JOTTINGS.

[illegible] the Methodist [illegible] Sunday.

[illegible] made a [illegible] Monday.

[illegible] from now [illegible] for 55 cents.

[illegible] and The [illegible] another year for [illegible]

[illegible] price will [illegible] at J. S. [illegible]

[illegible] is very good, [illegible] much [illegible]

[illegible] on Crooked [illegible] We hope for [illegible]

[illegible] will ring [illegible]

[illegible] Mar- [illegible]

[illegible] Merrimon tame, [illegible]

[illegible] has struck [illegible] organ [illegible] and by.

[illegible] Meyers, [illegible] had a good [illegible] Creek.

[illegible] Terms [illegible]

[illegible] to the [illegible]

[illegible] Hawkins [illegible]

[illegible] next to the Bap- [illegible]

[illegible] returned again [illegible] out [illegible]

[illegible] academy here [illegible] Prof. P. P. [illegible]

[illegible] has been [illegible] some time, [illegible] Mar- [illegible]

[illegible] Mrs. E. [illegible] home.

[illegible] of empty [illegible] have lately [illegible] after having conveyed [illegible] the Atlantic seaboard.

[illegible] Mar- [illegible]

[illegible] Mrs. H. [illegible]

[illegible] O. R. & C. [illegible] in Marion, [illegible] and was [illegible]

[illegible] will locate a [illegible] the monu- [illegible] rest.

[illegible] the hero of the [illegible] at Santiago, [illegible] Saturday [illegible] to Asheville for [illegible] Con- [illegible] Pearson. He [illegible] the [illegible] see relatives

—Mr. G. W. Cline, the shoe maker, is very ill with fever.

—Miss Ida Merroney, of Salisbury, is visiting at Mr. J. H. Gorman's.

—Mr. Gus Martin recently came home from down the O. R. & C. Railroad.

—Our radish of last week should have been about ten inches in circumference—but yet it is a whopper.

—Mr. J. M. Bobbitt visited Charlotte this week. We are sorry to hear that he is thinking of moving to that place.

—Mrs. Keene, of Asheville, who has been visiting at Mr. Gorman's, is visiting at Mrs. Gowan's on Buck Creek.

—Mr. Elisha Neal, assisting Sheriff Nichols, appears to be signing many receipts in the collection of taxes.

—Miss Lizzie Wharton, of Greensboro, and little Mary Shaver, of Salisbury, are visiting at W. B. Rathill's.

—Services will be conducted here in the Episcopal church on Sunday next, morning and evening by the Rector.

—The superior, or civil court, will convene here on Sept. 19th. Judge Coble likely will preside. See list of jurymen.

—North Carolina Bankers Association, Charlotte, N. C., Aug. 10-11, round trip $5.00. Tickets sold Aug. 8-10, limit, Aug. 13th.

—Mr. J. M. Bobbitt and family has moved from the Flemming dwelling to his completely renewed house—the Siedge place.

—In an other column will be seen the advertisement of the Marion Institute for the fourth year under its present principal—Prof. Guy.

—From Marion to annual meeting of the Society of Friends, High Point, N. C., Aug. 9-16, by Southern Railroad for $6.05 round trip. Tickets sold Aug. 6, 9-10, limit, Aug. 20th.

—President Hunt of the O. R. & C. Ry., a very approachable, genial gentleman, left here on Tuesday morning in his private car for Cincinatti, his home, going by way of Spartanburg, S. C.

—Edward McCall, Tom Brown, [illegible] and James Haney, all four of McDowell county, were in the fight at Santiago, Cuba. It is probably a mistake that Dan Hany was killed as has been reported.

—Mr. Calvin Finley received a letter a few days since saying that his son, Walter, who has been working in Norfolk, Va., had been seriously, if not fatally stabbed. He was sent for to be with his son.

—Miss Hallyburton, and Prof. E. P. Mosely, principal of the graded schools, at Raleigh, will aid in the McDowell teachers institute. On Friday of the institute a public address will be given on education.

—At Eagle Hotel are registered: Messrs. A. M. Sinclair, Philadelphia, T. C. Hampton and C. W. Skiff, Vein Mountain Gold Mine, S. D. Lampkin, A. Tripp, M. K. Abbergotte, S. Albert, C. E. Bloom, of O. R. & C. Railway, Blacksburg.

In the early part of the week little Hugo Kraemer, son of Widow Kraemer, was on a pile of cross ties when they began to roll, he falling to the ground and some of the ties falling on him across the lower part of the bowels. He is in a very critical state. Drs. Morphew and Kirby attended him.

—On Saturday, August 13th, the Hon. W. T. Crawford will address the public in the Court House on the political issues of the times. The circular from Hon. S. L. Rogers says that he will divide time with any Republican speaker authorized to represent his party. Ladies are especially invited.

—Mr. John Jimmerson came home last Friday on a three weeks' furlough from the camp of the Second Regiment at Raleigh, which on Monday moved to St. Simons Island, on the Southeast coast of Georgia. Mr. Jimmerson is at home on account of having accidentally broken an arm in a skirmish drill.

—Why not have a standing live business committee whose object would be to secure proper immigrants by writing for them, working for them, showing them around town, finding them when they come, and asking a reasonable price only for property? We need to wake up some more and keep our eyes open.

—We have before us a few lines from one who is seeking a good location on reasonable terms for ginseng nursery in this part of North Carolina. He wants to locate where he can collect the most ginseng seeds and roots for planting purposes. He wants to know who dig ginseng for sale or who would cultivate it. Here is an opportunity for some one to help the country. Apply at this office if you want to correspond.

—Mr. J. McNaughton recently moved his office to his office room at his lumber yard west of Southern depot. He has moved his household goods into the H. A. Tate residence where he will live, the latter building having been vacated by Mr. J. L. C. Bird who has moved to his new residence on South Main. Mr. McNaughton left this week for Rochester, and New York city, where he joins his wife and daughter there on a visit.

—[illegible] inches of rain [illegible] days in July.

—Mr. Chas. Bowman of [illegible], Ariz., is at the Flemming.

—Mr. W. A. Reynolds, of [illegible], Mich., arrived recently at the Flemming on business.

—Charlotte Firemen's Tournament, Charlotte, N. C., Aug. [illegible]. Tickets sold, 7-9, limit Aug. 12th.

—Mrs. E. F. Greenlee and Miss Bouchelle left yesterday to visit friends and relatives at Wilkesboro.

—Signal officer Thos. McGuire, reports temperature for the week, maximum, [illegible], minimum [illegible], average, 73; rainfall, 2.91 inches.

—Prof. E. W. Sikes, of Wake Forest College, was in [illegible] the first of the week soliciting patronage for his excellent institution. He had been west of the [illegible].

—Mr. Wilford Hoskins [illegible], on the Yancy farm at Turkey Cove this year has had threshed out by Mr. Edgar McCall, 800 bushels of wheat. [illegible] said they lead in that section.

—We were officially requested to announce that [illegible] Locke Craig would address the people here last Monday. He was engaged at the time in an important criminal case in Asheville and could not come.

—The lands, etc., of the Marion Bullion Co., which has been advertised for sale, was bid in by a party from Charlotte. It is to be hoped that this valuable property may be fully developed for the benefit of all concerned.

—Lieutenant W. A. Rowe, Sergt. J. E. Smith, Dr. Reid and Private G. H. Hollister, arrived from Jacksonville, Fla., on Wednesday and will be at the Flemming some days to secure recruits for the First N. C. Regiment to which they belong.

—Miss Mattie Perry, who left last week, is to return [illegible] after the school enterprise to be located in the Catawba Hotel. It is said that workmen will ere long begin to clear away from about the building to make ready later for the lumber and carpenters.

—On Wednesday Harry McCall, who has been running a [illegible] machine at the Catawba [illegible] Factory, got his right hand caught under a roller, mashing and lacerating the palm. Drs. Kirby and Ashworth dressed and sewed up the wounds. No bones are broken and the use of the hand will [illegible] be regained.

—A woman dressed in men's clothes was arrested Wednesday by Marshal Rader near the Southern depot. She would not give any name in particular, [illegible] several names—Johnson, etc., and default of means to pay her fine of $5 and cost before the mayor she (she would be fined) was remanded to the calaboose. She has been about the depot since Sunday. Yesterday on condition that the woman would leave in an hour she was turned loose. It is reported this morning that John Quinn while in the company of this woman was run over last night by the passenger train three miles west of Marion and seriously injured.

MET SUDDEN DEATH

A Sad Accident Closes the Life of James Powell

Early on Sunday morning last as Raut Woodard, a colored driver at the hospital, was passing along the railroad in Morganton just east of the depot, he discovered the dead body of James Powell, son of Wm. Powell, by the side of the track. He informed several persons of the discovery and soon quite a number went to the place where the lifeless body lay.

Coroner Dale was notified and arrived during the morning and selecting a jury made an investigation of the case. From the testimony of several witnesses it was learned that the deceased had been seen late the night previous in a condition which made it particularly dangerous for him to traverse the track of the railway en route to his home, which he often did when [illegible]. One witness stated that he saw Powell about midnight sitting on a [illegible] beside the rail at the entrance of the cut near where the body was found, in a stupor and spoke to him about his dangerous position and pulled him off the track. Powell resented in unequivocal language the interference, claiming that he was able to take care of himself, and again sat down on the track. The witness then went away.

The jury decided that the unfortunate man met his death by being struck by a passing train, probably a freight, which was going out during the early hours of Sunday morning.

The body was found with a cut upon the back of the head where the wound which caused death was received. It was discovered lying at full length upon the ground, parallel with and about three feet from the track.

"Bud" Powell, as he was generally known, resided with his wife and children on the James [illegible] farm, about two miles east of town and he was evidently on the way home when he was killed as stated. He was about 26 years of age.

The funeral was held from Bethel church and the interment made in the adjoining cemetery, at 12 o'clock Monday, Rev. W. H. Houck conducting the services.

NOTICE

I hereby announce myself [illegible] candidate for Treasurer of McDowell county, subject to the action of the Democratic primary election.

[illegible] J. W[illegible]

July 11, 1898.

AWFUL CRIME NOW AVENGED

Martin Thorn Electrocuted at Sing Sing For the Killing of Guldensuppe.

LAST UTTERANCE PRAYER

Condemned Man Exhibits Absolutely No Signs of Nervousness on the March to the Death Chair and Goes to His Doom Calmly.

New York, Aug. [illegible]—Martin Thorn was put to death in the prison at Sing

MARTIN THORN.

Sing [illegible] this morning for the murder of William Guldensuppe.

Thorn sat up late last night than was his custom. He talked of his parents, his boyhood days in Germany and his [illegible] in this country. He [illegible] Warden Sage, [illegible] early today, [illegible]

"Thorn told me he was not nervous and would not [illegible]. He said he was [illegible] that he had made [illegible] with his master. He slept well and had no fear of death. [illegible]"

[illegible] to the chair.

[illegible] of the Roman Catholic church.

[illegible] execution and after the current had been turned on [illegible] seconds Thorn was dead.

Story of the Tragedy.

The murder for which Thorn paid the death penalty was one of the most mysterious as well as heinous crimes of the century. In June of 1897 there was discovered in East river and in Ogden's woods, north of this city, portions of a human body. The head was missing.

By a series of curious links in the chain of circumstantial evidence, the dismembered remains were identified by a number of witnesses as portions of the body of William Guldensuppe, a rubber in a Turkish bathhouse in this city. Guldensuppe had not been at his work for several days before the ghastly discoveries of his supposed remains, nor has he been seen since that time, but it was alleged he was in Germany, though no one appeared to know.

The postulate of the identity of the corpse being conceded, the next thing to be done was to look up Guldensuppe's connections, and from them to ascertain a possible motive for his murder. It was easily ascertained that he had lived on terms of intimacy with Mrs. Augusta Nack, a midwife, but that some time before the disappearance of Guldensuppe, the pair had quarreled, and that in the woman's [illegible] Guldensuppe had fought with and beaten the man who had supplanted him in his mistress' affections. Martin Thorn, a barber, smarting under the beating he had received, was overheard to threaten to get even with Guldensuppe.

Motive For the Crime.

Here, then, was motive that might have [illegible] a man desirous [illegible] whose [illegible] at any moment be- [illegible] and the successful rival [illegible] the superior [illegible] his professions [illegible] and might [illegible] the pain and [illegible]

[illegible] was followed a few days [illegible] by that of Thorn [illegible] difficulty in finding [illegible] were [illegible] another barber [illegible] of the [illegible]

[illegible] that Mrs. Nack [illegible] a cottage in [illegible] she was about to establish a "baby farm," that [illegible] Thorn [illegible] afterwards [illegible] of the remains in various ways.

[illegible] Mrs. Nack and Thorn [illegible] prison [illegible] Appeals to the [illegible] were vain [illegible] was carried out today.

[illegible]

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