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| ATTEMPTED ASSAULT. | WEEK OF PRAYER. | THE FIRST SUNDAY. | ABOUT THE TOWN. | PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS. | FROM OVER THE STATE. |
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| <p>Brothers Were Unsuccessful and Were Given a Good Flogging.</p> <p>Mr. Will Lisk, of Morgan, who is here today, tells us of the attempted assault on a lady living in his township. The attempt was made two weeks ago by two men named Cranford, brothers, on Mrs. M. C. Parks.</p> <p>She gave an alarm which brought her brother-in-law, Mr. James Basinger, to her rescue. The Cranford men were drinking and began "sassing" Mr. Basinger. He forthwith gave them a good flogging, since which they have not been seen in that part of the country.</p> <p>Cranfords lived across the river and were in Morgan cutting cord wood for a distillery.</p> <p>Mr. Kluttz's Idea.</p> <p>We get this from the Raleigh News & Observer:</p> <p>"I have great faith in the Legislature which meets here next week," said Congressman-elect Kluttz, at the Yarboro. "I don't know exactly what they'll do about an election law. I've not read the Louisiana law as carefully as I should, but it seems to me it's about the only law we can have by which we can eliminate the negro vote without at the same time depriving many ignorant white people of the right of suffrage. I don't think we can stop short of a constitutional amendment."</p> <p>Miss Rintels to Marry.</p> <p>Invitations have been issued to the marriage of Miss Bessie Victoria Rintels, of Charlotte, who is to marry Mr. Emanuel N. Campe on Wednesday evening, January 11th.</p> <p>Miss Rintels has visited Miss Ray Wallace in Salisbury and has a number of friends here.</p> <p>Horse Thief.</p> <p>Thursday night some one stole a bridle from Mr. A. W. Wine-coff's stable, put it on a horse which he got out of Mr. R. L. Shaver's stable and rode the animal several miles in the country.</p> <p>The horse was returned yesterday by a friend of Mr. Shaver, who had found it straying about. The animal showed that it had been run hard.</p> <p>Church Dedication.</p> <p>The dedication of Christiana church, Lutheran, in the county, takes place to-morrow.</p> <p>The dedicatory sermon is to be preached at 11 o'clock in the morning by Rev. L. E. Busby, of this city.</p> <p>Corporal Cahill.</p> <p>Mrs. F. Cahill has received a letter from her son, John B., who is with the First N. C. Regiment in Cuba.</p> <p>John has recently been appointed corporal in Company L.</p> <p>Marriage.</p> <p>December 22, 1898, at the home of the bride's father, Mr. Lewis I. Cauble and Miss Agnes C. L. Oddie were united in the bonds of matrimony by Rev. C. A. Brown.</p> <p>NOTICE.—Any one wishing Brick can see Mr. John Hanna, or leave orders at Ludwick & Black's stable. R. A. BROWN.</p> <p>NO CURE—NO PAY</p> <p>That is the way all druggists sell GROVE'S TASTELESS CHILL TONIC for Malaria, Chills and Fever. It is simply Iron and Quinine in a tasteless form. Children love it. Adults prefer it to bitter, nauseating Tonics. Price 50 cents.</p> <p>BUSTED ALL TO PIECES.—The prices on Lounges, Couches, Extension Tables, China Presses, China Sets and Book Cases at G. W. Wright's.</p> | <p>Arranged by the Pastors' Association for Next Week.</p> <p>The Pastors' Association has arranged the following program for the week of prayer, beginning next Monday:</p> <p>Monday, 7 p. m.—"Confession," Rev. Craven, at Reformed Church.</p> <p>Tuesday, 7 p. m.—"Power of United Effort," Rev. L. E. Busby, at Presbyterian church.</p> <p>Wednesday, 7 p. m.—"Nations and rulers," Rev. Dr. Rumble, at Methodist church.</p> <p>Thursday, 7 p. m.—"Home and Foreign Missions," Rev. D. P. Tate, at Baptist church.</p> <p>Friday, 7 p. m.—"Families and Schools," Rev. Dr. Weaver, at Lutheran church.</p> <p>The choirs will conduct the music at their respective churches. All the people are earnestly invited to attend the services. Each night's service will consume one hour's time.</p> <p>Died on the Train.</p> <p>Yesterday morning Judge F. Carroll Brewster, one of the best known jurists of Pennsylvania, died on board the south-bound vestibule while that train was between Greensboro and Salisbury. He was on his way to Florida to spend the winter, having been in bad health for some time. Death was caused by paralysis of the heart.</p> <p>The body was taken off at Charlotte and prepared for burial and sent back to Philadelphia last night.</p> <p>The Florida Trains.</p> <p>The Southern's fine Florida limited trains will be put on January 15th. Superintendent W. B. Ryder to-day received a telegram conveying this information. The schedule going north will be the same it was last year. The schedule going south will be ten minutes faster. The same superb service will be given that distinguished these trains last season.—Charlotte News.</p> <p>New School House.</p> <p>The frame of the new school house for the colored children is up. The house is being built on West Inniss street below Sheriff Monroe's, and will be used by Rev. George Shutz, missionary of the Missouri Lutheran Synod.</p> <p>Petition for a Bridge.</p> <p>We understand that a number of farmers will petition the county commissioners Monday to place a bridge over the branch in West Point. It is badly needed and one will no doubt soon be placed there.</p> <p>To Build Here.</p> <p>Mr. Eli Parks, who works at Spencer, has sold his property in South Carolina. We understand he will soon build a residence in Salisbury.</p> <p>The Grip Here.</p> <p>The grip has invaded Salisbury. There are many cases reported in the city.</p> <p>Fresh lot of lime just received. R. J. HOLMES.</p> <p>YELLOW FEVER in town is feared by all, but it is a pleasure to visit the mammoth store rooms of George W. Wright and see the grand selection of Xmas and bridal presents to be had at his Emporium.</p> <p>Spring Lamb, fat Mutton, Liver Pudding, Head Cheese, stall fed Beef, corn fed Pork and all kinds of Sausage and other fresh meats at J. S. Marable's.</p> <p>FOR RENT.—4-room cottage on Chestnut Hill. W. R. WOODSON.</p> | <p>Divine Services to be Held.—The Day's Directory.</p> <p>Chestnut Hill—Regular services at the Methodist church.</p> <p>Methodist—At 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. there will be services at the Church Street Methodist church.</p> <p>Episcopal—Regular services will be conducted at St. Luke's and St. John's, St. Peter's and St. Paul's chapels.</p> <p>Reformed—There will be no services at Faith Reformed church, owing to the absence of the pastor.</p> <p>Catholic Church—The usual Sunday services will be conducted to-morrow. High mass at 10:30 a. m., evening devotions at 7:30. All are welcome.</p> <p>Spencer—At the Methodist church there will be services at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m., conducted by the pastor. The subjects will be appropriate to the day.</p> <p>Dr. Stallings, missionary of the N. C. Baptist State Convention, will preach in the academy at the Vance Mills at 11 a. m. and in the academy at Chestnut Hill at 7 p. m.</p> <p>Presbyterian—At the First Presbyterian church there will be the usual services.</p> <p>Christian Endeavors—The Y. P. S. C. E. will hold its regular meeting Sunday night after service. Subject "The Angel Presence for the New Year." A full meeting is desired. Members please remember to send verses, if obliged to be absent. Visitors heartily welcome.</p> <p>Lutheran Church—No services in the morning owing to the absence of the pastor in preaching dedication sermon of Christiana church. The pastor will, however, return in time for night service. Sunday school will meet at 3 p. m., and be reorganized for the year. Every teacher and scholar is urged to be present.</p> <p>A Young Peoples' Union.</p> <p>An entertainment was given by Mrs. B. H. Owens last night at her home six miles in the country in the shape of a young peoples' union. A dozen or more guests, including some friends from Salisbury were invited. The occasion was most delightful and enjoyable. An elegant supper was served about 10 o'clock, presided over by Mrs. Owens and daughters.</p> <p>After supper an hour or more was spent playing when those fortunate enough to receive an invitation departed with expressions of appreciation for the hospitality of the hostess and her interesting family.</p> <p>An Elegant Tea.</p> <p>Miss King Lindsay gave an elegant tea at her home at South River last night. Winston, Durham, Statesville and other points were represented. The guests were highly entertained and spent a most enjoyable evening. They departed at a late hour with many earnest expressions of pleasure for Miss Lindsay's hospitality.</p> <p>BOARDERS WANTED.—Apply to Mrs. Dr. Stallings, Park Avenue, Salisbury.</p> <p>PIANOS FOR SALE.—A good second hand, old style, six and a half octave Steinway. A bargain. Apply to Dr. Stallings, Park Avenue, Salisbury.</p> <p>Carolina Racket for Xmas goods</p> | <p>Local Items Condensed in a Few Lines.</p> <p>Farewell, 1898!</p> <p>Mrs. Ellen Heilig is sick with pleurisy.</p> <p>Cotton sold to-day for 5.80 on the Salisbury market.</p> <p>The postoffice will observe Sunday hours on Monday.</p> <p>See Harry Bros. ad. They have made a big cut in prices.</p> <p>The white graded school will resume work Monday after a week's holiday.</p> <p>The Spencer postoffice will be closed Monday, it being a legal holiday.</p> <p>Weather forecast: Rain; clearing to-night; fair Sunday. Cold wave.</p> <p>The banks of the city will be closed Monday, it being a legal holiday.</p> <p>Mrs. H. M. Wright and children, who have been sick, are improving.</p> <p>This is the last day of the week, last day of the month and last day of the year.</p> <p>The young men of the city will give a dance in the opera house Monday night.</p> <p>A full line of Burt's Own Make ladies and children's shoes just received.—Burt Shoe Co.</p> <p>Prof. Luther Darr is back at Harry Bros. after recuperating in the country for awhile.</p> <p>Miss Sallie Swicegood had the misfortune to burn one of her hands this afternoon.</p> <p>Lichtenstein & Teiser have a new ad in the Sun to-day. You should not fail to read it.</p> <p>Mrs. Coit's school reopens Monday. The other schools of the city will also open Monday.</p> <p>Mrs. Linn, of Trading Ford, whose illness was mentioned yesterday, is reported some better.</p> <p>Mrs. Sechler Correll, who lived near China Grove, died last night. Death was caused by heart trouble.</p> <p>School shoes that are leather inner soles, outer soles, heels and counters—guaranteed—Burt Shoe Co.</p> <p>It is feared that a little child at Crescent will die from the effects of having a piece of peanut lodge in its throat.</p> <p>Nearly all of the boys and girls who are spending the holidays here will return to their books next week.</p> <p>Five interments were made in the city cemeteries during the month ending to-day, and one in the cemetery on Chestnut Hill.</p> <p>Martin E. Miller, of Rockwell, reports the killing of another hog about seventeen months old last Monday. It weighed 506 pounds.</p> <p>It is quiet in police circles now. Everybody seems to have settled down since Christmas. There were no cases for trial this morning.</p> <p>The brick sidewalk near Foreman Bros. livery stable, on Main street, should be repaired at once. Strangers that see the condition of this street will hardly be impressed with the fact that Salisbury is a live, progressive city.</p> <p>The cost sale at J. R. C. Brown, Jr., still goes on. The crowd yesterday was much larger than the day before and the people were enthusiastic over the low prices and nice goods.</p> <p>Everybody in the county can get presents for all at G. W. Wright's. Go to headquarters. The Rockers, Tables and Pictures are exquisite and will please the most fastidious, and at prices in reach of all.</p> | <p>A Number of Holiday Visitors Are Still on the Road.</p> <p>Prof. Burton Craige is spending the day in Charlotte.</p> <p>Capt. and Mrs. T. F. Haughton, of Asheville, are in the city to-day.</p> <p>David Mauney returned this morning from a visit at Yadkin Falls.</p> <p>W. M. James, who formerly lived in Salisbury, was here this morning.</p> <p>L. V. Brown, of Asheville, a former Salisburian, is visiting J. Allen Brown.</p> <p>"Dood" Poole returned home from Richmond last night, where he has been spending Christmas.</p> <p>Miss Kate Newell, who has been visiting Miss Mary Mowery, returned to Asheville this morning.</p> <p>Rev. S. S. Bost returned to Durham this morning. He had been in this county several days visiting.</p> <p>Mrs. N. B. Yeager, of Plymouth, N. C., is visiting her son, J. S. Day, this week, also his niece, Katie Loane.</p> <p>Mr. Maurice Colinsky, of the Economy Clothing Store, has returned from a trip to Washington and Roanoke.</p> <p>Master Ed Heins, who has been visiting at Ridgeway, S. C., returned home yesterday, accompanied by his uncle, Mr. S. S. Cooper.</p> <p>Rev. Henry Dunham, colored, formerly a student of Livingstone college, chaplain of the Third North Carolina regiment, is visiting Bishop C. R. Harris.</p> <p>Miss Lallah Hill, of Concord, has gone to Jacksonville, Fla., to visit Miss Robinson, after which she will sail for Cuba to visit her brother, Capt. Edward Hill, of Co. L, First N. C. regiment.</p> <p>L. P. Bolick and sister, Miss Tennie, of Denver, N. C., who had been visiting relatives here, returned home this morning. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bolick, who will spend several days in Denver.</p> <p>Miss Leslie Watkins, the charming young guest of Miss Adelaide Looney, leaves for her home in Birmingham, Ala., to-night. After a stay of two weeks here many new acquaintances regret her sudden departure. She will be accompanied home by her charming hostess, Miss Looney.</p> <p>HORRIBLY BURNED.</p> <p>Young Man Died as a Result of Falling in a Fire.</p> <p>Jake Arey, a young man, of Morgan township, this county, died Wednesday of this week from the effects of burns received by falling in a fire.</p> <p>Mr. Arey was a victim of epilepsy and while in a fit fell in the fire at his home on Tuesday. He was so fearfully burned that death ensued on the following day.</p> <p>Young Arey was twenty-five years of age and unmarried.</p> <p>The news of this awful death was brought in to-day by Mr. Will Lisk.</p> <p>The Town Charter.</p> <p>Last night the city commissioners met and heard the proposed new charter of the city read. It required a couple of hours for the reading of it and the board then adjourned till next Thursday night their regular meeting night, when some action will be taken upon the document—changes made if deemed necessary.</p> <p>Carolina Racket for Xmas goods.</p> | <p>Interesting News Condensed from the Papers of the State.</p> <p>Marshall Dunlap, a half-witted negro boy of Anson county, accidentally shot and killed himself while handling an "unloaded" pistol.</p> <p>O. H. Dockery, Sr., will contest the election of Congressman-elect John D. Bellamy, of the Sixth Congressional district. All reports to the contrary are wild conjectures.—Raleigh Post.</p> <p>Mr. W. T. Henderson, who was elected treasurer of Gaston county in November, died at his home in Dallas a few days ago. He was sick when elected, but qualified. He was about 35 years of age.</p> <p>Sam Miller, of lower Hominny, in Buncombe county, was accidentally shot by his brother William while the two were hunting on Wednesday. Miller's wound is believed to be fatal.</p> <p>At Forest City, Rutherford county, last week, two little boys were playing with a revolver when the weapon was discharged in the hands of one of them. The ball lodged in the body of the other, five years old, causing his death.</p> <p>At Marion Saturday night permission was given by the municipal authorities to explode fireworks, and while the fun was in progress Thomas Parker was badly burned in the face. One of his eyes, it is said, is out and the other one almost out.</p> <p>Mr. O. P. Sowers suffered a serious loss Monday and one which took the joy from his Christmas. He lost from his pocket a purse containing \$90—\$35 in gold and the remainder in bills with a small amount of change.—Statesville Landmark.</p> <p>Willie Ferrall, a Durham boy 14½ years old, hasn't missed attending Sunday school a single Sunday in ten years. He completed his tenth year record last Sunday and Mr. B. N. Duke gave him a \$20 gold piece. He deserved it.</p> <p>Thomas Lucas, a mulatto negro, 25 years of age, was shot from ambush by an unknown person within speaking distance of his own home, near Eagle Creek, Wake county, Thursday night. Lucas was a peaceable citizen, and no motive for the cold-blooded murder can be assigned.</p> <p>A big haul of counterfeiters was made at Argo, Nash county, on Thursday, by Deputy Collector Perkins and several gentlemen connected with the Secret Service Department of the government. Four members of one family were arrested and they were brought to Raleigh yesterday by Deputy Marshal Hammock and placed in Wake county jail.</p> <p>The Herald says old man Gillis Holt, who lived near Milton, Caswell county, died Tuesday morning of last week. He had been drinking heavily for some time and the night before his death he drank whiskey and walked the floor all night in a perfect delirium. Tuesday morning he was sitting with a bottle of whiskey in his hand, still drinking, when he fell over and died.</p> <p>Bucklen's Arnica Salve.</p> <p>The best salve in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns, and Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by Kluttz & Co., druggists.</p> <p>THE BEST PRESCRIPTION FOR CHILLS</p> <p>and fever is a bottle of GROVE'S TASTELESS CHILL TONIC. 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