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THE FLOWERS COLLECTION

BRIEFS CAUGHT ON THE FLY.

THE PEOPLE WHO COME AND GO, LITTLE LOCALS.

Items of Interest Condensed and Boiled Down—The Personals and Brief News Items of a Day.

Mrs M L Carpenter is sick with the grip.

Hilton Rufty spent Sunday night with his parents in the city.

Dr R A Shimpock, of Gold Hill was in town yesterday morning.

Peter W Hainston, of Cooleemee has been visiting in the city.

J T Wyatt, of Faith, was in town yesterday and gave us Faith items.

E W Koontz, a freight conductor on the Southern is sick with grip.

A H Graf, one of Gold Hill subscribers, was in town yesterday.

Senator John S Henderson was at home Sunday and has returned to Raleigh.

Senator Pritchard and Judge Avery went up the Western road Sunday night.

Mr Pleasant Barber, of Barber, was in town yesterday and returned last night.

Stanton Tiernan spent Sunday with his home people and returned yesterday to High Point.

Misses Gertrude Wise and Daisy Peebles who have been visiting at Zeb, have returned to salisbury.

Adam Kepley, son of Lawson Kepley, is quite sick. Mr Kepley came in yesterday for a physician

S L Canup, who has been sick for a week, will go to work this morning. Mrs Canup is also improving.

Mr W Smithdeal, who has been confined to his room for several days, was able to be out yesterday for the first time.

Old Lang Syne.

"Should old acquaintance be forgot?
And never thought of more
Then tell your friends for bargans go
To Lufsey's 5 and 10 cent store.

And dont forget that picture that is going to be given away Wednesday. So call around that day and register. It will cost you nothing. Our wool dusters have arrived.

Officer Eagle Up.

Policeman George C Eagle, who has been off the force on account of sickness for more than two weeks was able to be out yesterday.

Foundry Shut Down.

The foundry of J M Peacock was shut down yesterday on account of repairs. They will begin today if nothing prevents.

Mr. Blakey Here.

Mr. R. E. Blakey who for four or five years has been manager of the job department of the Charlotte Observer, has resigned his position. Mr. Blakey was here yesterday and came in to see us. He has many newspaper friends in the state and was on intimate terms with all the journalists of Salisbury in the days gone by. Mr Blakey is on his way to Pittsburgh Pennsylvania, where he is going to visit relatives,

A cut of Mr. Wright.

The News and Observer in its Sunday issue, gives a good cut of B. Lee Wright Esq., representative from Rowan Mr. Wright is the author of a bill to prevent child labor in cotton mills in N. C. This is an important bill, and Mr. Wright has his soul in it.

Guardian money to invest—John J. Stewart. 2 5

FOR SALE—A good cheap second hand wheel. Apply at this office.

COUNTY COMMISSIONERS MEETING.

The Commissioners met Yesterday and discussed more bonds for good Roads.

The regular meeting of the county commissioners was held yesterday, and the usual reports and recommendations, and the contracts for furnishing supplies for the chain-gang were made.

The most important features of the meeting were the discussion of good roads, and the rebuilding of the jail in another part of town. The death of John Hairston in the jail Saturday night forcibly illustrates the need of a larger building if an insane man is to be kept in jail. This place is thoroughly crowded, and as our evening contemporary has well said, a thing much needed is a department for the insane of Rowan, if we receive no more recognition at the hands of the Western Insane asylum at Morganton. This poor negro had been confined to jail almost a year, a place in which he did not belong, and for whose care, Mr. Kimer was not employed But the jailers and keepers of the county home must be troubled with these unfortunates, and their burdens should be lightened as much as possible. We hope that the commissioners in their wisdom will hasten the establishment of a good jail, and we understand that they will.

The bond issue was discussed well. If bonds were issued an election would have to be held. and the sum of $200.000 to be paid in 50 years would be asked for, We hope to give our readers more of this later.

Old Maids' Convention.

We regret very much that the Philadelphia Times' account of the Old Maids' Convention was lost and could not be found. This amusing play will be produced here Thursday night, and there can be no doubt that it will have a good house and justify every expectation. The seats are now on sale at Kluttz's drug store, and can be had any day between now and the night of the performance.

Fast Work Yesterday.

E M. Andrews and & Co., who have been doing business in the Central Hotel building, have moved into the store room vacated by W. Smithdeal & Co. They moved their entire stock within six hours. Those who are patrons of these firms will do well to remember that there have been several important changes in the places of business. First Mr Reid has gone from Main street, near the public square, to the new Savings Bank building in probably the handsomest store in the town. Mr Smithdeal has moved into this place. and E M Andrews & Co go into Mr Smithdeal's place.

Mr Jones Here.

Mr, T. W. Jones Jr,, of Asheville, son of Lieutenant Colonel T. W. Jones of Asheville was in town last night on his way to West Point. Mr. Jones is a University graduate, and is quite a popular young man throughout the State. He says he dosen't fear the West Point lynchers, and all things else being equal, thinks he'll get home alive. The examination of applicants for admission into West Point doesn't come off until the first of March, but Mr, Jones wishes to thoroughly prepare himself upon those branches of study, about which all men have forgotten everything they ever knew but are required to know in order to enter there. He will come back to his home after the examination and returns to West Point in June.

We do a general insurance business, best companies at the lowest rates. Your patronage is solicited Maupin Bros.

Lost—At Salisbury or Spencer, one link cuff button (gold) with the initial, W. C. M Return to this office or W C Maupin and get reward, 1-22

ANOTHER DASTARDLY DEED

A NEGRO ROCKS THE YADKIN.

He is Caught However and Will be Tried This Morning for his Appearance at Next Court.

Rowan County is by no means freed from vandals and in addition to the shooting and rocking of the train from Spencer Saturday night, and the murder at that place the same night, a negro giving his name as Lander Teal, from South Carolina, threw a rock yesterday morning at the Yadkin passenger train betwen Salisbury and Woodside, and shattered a glass, some of the glass striking a lady passenger. Sheriff Julian was notified of the rascal's attempt at murder, and was soon down there and had him arrested. The negro confessed to the deed and has no defense to make of it. He will be given a hearing this morning at nine oclock, and will of course be kept in jail to await trial at the term of February court. Such attempts as these are becoming entirely too frequent and no punishment except banishment to Kansas, could be too severe for the diabolical scoundrels.

The Muzzle Law.

Unless you are sure that your dog cannot find a muzzle in town, you had better not let him run at large, for the police will certainly arrest him. Saturday, Mr. Nash's little dog was arrested and Mr. Nash was summoned to appear for him. He declared that it was impossible to get a muzzle in Salisbury, and both of them were dismissed.

Young Girl Dead.

Young Miss Clara Wooten, of Chestnut Hill, died Saturday night. We gave an account, which was unavoidably crowded out, Sunday morning. She was the daughter of Mr John Wooten, and was only eight years old. At school Mr. Tarrh, her teacher. says she was an excellent pupil. Her remains were interred Sunday.

Items From Faith.

The J O U A M expect to get into their new quarters this week as it is nearly finished up and part of the furniture has arrived.

Mr Peeler, the oldest gentleman in Faith, is confined to his bed with grip.

Mrs Frank Wilhelm has been quite sick for several days.

Several teams are busy hauling street curbing over to the railroad and loading it on the cars for J T Wyatt.

Mr and Mrs Reuben Foil and daughter are all sick at their home here, but are on the road to recovery now.

Mr and Mrs Snider the sewing machine man have just bought som fine curbing from J T Wyatt it was taken to the old English cemetery near the Baptist church.

Away back in old times the people used to take a drink of whiskey out of a horn, as other vessels were not known then. Hence the word let's take a horn' Dr. Shimpock of Gold Hill has just told us that he has one of these old horns and that he will let us have it for our collection. That is something that we have not got yet in our collection. The longer we live the more we get, and the more we hear of

White Rose cream should be used by all who desire to have a clear and smooth complexion. It will soften the roughest skin. Price 25c. For sale by J. W. Cornelison & Co., and James Plumer. 1-20-1mo

If you are looking for a home. we can please you in city or in country property. Maupin Bros.

MURDER NEAR SPENCER.

A Negro Killed While Gambling Saturday, And Part of the Crowd Arrested.

Notwithstanding the vigilance of Rowan's officers, the wretches occasionally get in their work, and a gruesome business it is too when they do it. A horrible, murder was committed near Spencer Saturday night about midnight After shooting the negro who was running the murderer dragged him from the Presbyterian church and stamped him twice. It seems that four negroes were engaged in a game of craps, and, the murdered Dillard Cox, had won the money, Just then the murderer Sam Malone, started to pick up the money, and Cox drew a pistol upon him. Malone took the pistol from him and then Cox ran with Malone after him. Cox tried to enter a front door, and Malone shot at him there thrte times two of the shots taking effect in the leg, and the other near the heart. Cox attempted to crawl under the Presbyterian church and die there, but Malone [illegible] out and stamped him twice before he died. Shortly afted the affair occurrd, Sheriff Julian was on the scene with two deputies, but an all night search proved unavailing. The other two negroes engaged in the game were arrested. One of the witnesses declared before the corner's jury that Cox in his dying statement said "Sam and Paul [another participant] killed me." The corner's trial rendered a verdict of Cox'e death at the hands of Malone, and the two witnesses were bound over in $500 and $100 bonds respectively.

Three States Storm-swept.

Chicago, Feb. 4.—The States of Michigan, Illinois and Iowa are storm-swept, and in places there are tie-ups. Heavy winds, heavy snow, zero temperature prevails and railroad travel is interupted in three states.

Talk of Tar and Feathers

Kansas City, Feb. 3.—A special to The Times from Topeka, Kan., says: "Policeman Luster has reported to City Marshall Stahl a plot of the liquor men to tar and feather Mrs. Nation, the joint-smasher. Luster sayes that a negro tough whom he once befriended gave him the information. The report has frightened Mrs. Nation and her Topeka crusaders but they declare they will continue the work of destroying 'murder shops' They met at 9 o'clock this morning at Mrs. Nation's room and held a session of prayer. Mrs. Nation braved the storm to-day and made three temperance speeches.

"A recruiting office for the Topeka brigade, Kansas division, Carrie Nation's Army, has been opened. About 300 'soldiers' have signed the roll, mostly women The programme of the defenders to march down Kansas avenue at [illegible] p. m. tomorrow, with drums beating and flags flying and hold prayer meeting in front of every joint.

Mr. Hobson Sick.

Mr W H Hobson, of Jerusalem, Davie county, and father of our young clerk in the postoffice, is quite sick at his home with grip. Mr Hobson has many friends over the State, and the least they might wish him, would be speedy and happy recovery from his uncomfortable condition in which he now lies.

Mrs. J. D. Hall Very Low.

We regret to learn that Mrs J D Hall is at the point of death She was very sick for five days and Mr Hall says she has baffled medical skill altogether. It seems that no one knows her trouble but she is not expected to live until tomorrow.

Buy a home from Maupin Bros. with rent money.

AUTOMOBILE CLUB MEETS.

MISS SALLIE BUSBY ENTERTAINS THEM.

Young People have an Excellent Time at The home of This Fine Young Hostess. A Good Number Present.

Buffaloes, Bachelors, walking clubs, and now the greatest of all, the self dependent, automatic, autodynamic, autocratic automobile club. What a fine organization! It really is. As an introduction to our remarks, let us produce the alleged shade of a well known poet at a recent seance:

There was a sound of courting last night,
And Salisbury's stags had gathered then,
For portents pointed to a fearful fight
The warmest in the memory of men;
Kerr Craige and Jule Mcbroke over the town,
O, horrid beyond compare, was Arthur Frazier's frown
Glowered, Medusa like, 'twas simply a sin,
It knocked all the spotts off Stahle Linn.

There was a pause in the writing here. In a moment the shade resumed:

My muse doth lag, come Browny Hargrave, come.
Muse of my heart, my soul serene,
Inspire my lay that I may fairly hum,
"Hum" is part of humbuggery, I ween.

Here the shade disappeared and never returned, It is presumed that he intended to say that this club met and from eight. until late, made matters as lively as young folks could. The boys had long looked to this as the crowning event of a most pleasurable season it lacked little of it, with the excellent hostess and the delicious refreshments.

Owing to a great rush we could not give the names of those belonging to this club.

Dutch Creek Mine Sold.

The Dutch Creek Mine which belonged to Capt. J J Newman was sold yesterday, by Capt. W M Wiley. The bidding opened at $200, and closed at $1,225 Mr. Chas. L Herzig of New York bought the property.

Mr. Rice Leaves.

Mr. J H L Rice was in town yesterday and says he has started to move to Cleveland. Owing to the fact that he cannot yet secure a house he will work in Cleveland and Mrs. Rice will stay with Mrs J D Heathman until they do move to Cleveland. We regret to see them leave, and wish them success in Cleveland.

A Laundry Agency at Spencer.

Messrs. Dr. J. S. Bryan and J. C. Henley, of Spencer. have become agents for the Leon Steam Laundry, of Charlotte. A basket will be left at Dr. Bryan's drug store to receive all kinds of washable frabrics. where also orders can be left to call for and deliver articles. Basket will be shipped Wednesdays and returned on Fridays. Orders may also be left at J. C. Henley's stables.

LOST—Envelope bearing Geo. W. Wright's name containing lady's ring and small diamond. Return to this office and get reward.

For Rent—Two houses—Brooklyn also two furnished rooms.—Mrs G. H. Hilig. 1-24-1wk.

Strayed—A large white milch cow, Reward for her return to M. L. Jackson. 2-1

We collect rents and remit promptly. Put your houses in our hands, Maupin Bros.

NEWS ABOUT GOLD KNOB.

Some Sickness, But most of Them are Improving.

(Correspondent to TRUTH-INDEX).

Gold Knob, N. C., Feb. 3, 1901.

—Mr T J Bargar, who has been quite sick, is improving slowly.

Mr H W Barnhardt, who has been down with pneumonia, is improving and will be able to take his place in the school room again soon.

We are glad to note that the little son of Mr. John Bargar is about well after an attack of pneumonia.

Mr W H Phillips has returned to his home in Catawba county.

The weather has been intensely cold for a few days, but is warmer now.

Mr James Trexler, who was married a few weeks ago, has moved on Mr N B Drury's farm, and likes his new home and married life fine.

Miss Fannie Lyerly, who has been ill a couple weeks, is getting better, also Mr Arthur Lyerly.

Miss Francis Trexler is getting much better after a few days illness.

Mrs Barnhart, who has been here waiting on her son, has returned to her home near Concord.

Wishing the editors and many readers of the Index a long and prosperous life, I remain,

Cow Boy.

The Sub-Committee's Work.

The sub-committe having under consideration the resolution for impeachment of Judges nnd Douglas held two meetings yesterday, but as yet na conclusion has been reached. Another meeting will be held Monday morning,

"At that time," said Judge Allen chairman of the sub-committee, last night, "we will very probably complete our report and it will be submitted to a meeting of the full committee Monday night."

No witnesses were examined at yesterday's meeting. The afternoon session was devoted to a discussion of the evidence and to a statement of the facts in the case, as brought out by the testimony, This statement will be used in the report.

At last night's meeting this report of the evidence was completed and the questions of law involved were considered.

The evidence taken will accompany the sub-committee's report to the full committee tomorrow night.

It is thought by those familiar with such proceedings that the resolution will come before the House for action on Tuesday or Wednesday. Its passage will have the effect of immediately suspending Judges Furches and Douglas for the exercise of their office. The further proceedings before the Senate will determine whether this suspension will be permanent. —News and Observer.

Collector Bradshaw was in the city last night.

H G Miller, of Zeb, was in town yesterday.

Glorious News.

Comes from Dr D B Cargile, of Washita, I T. He writes: "Electric Bitters has cured Mrs. Brewer of scrofula, which had caused her great suffering for years. Terrible sores would break out on her head and face, and the best doctors could give no help; but now her health is excellent." Electric Bitters is the best blood purifier known. It's the supreme remedy for eczema, tetter, salt rheum, ulcers, boils and running sores. It stimulates liver, kidneys and bowls, expels poisons, helps digestion, builds up the strength. Only 50 cents. Sold by Theo F Kluttz & Co, druggists. Guaranteed.

Oysters Birds and Steaks served to order at the Criterian Cafe. Try a 25c meal and see if you are not well pleased. Prompt attention given to all orders. Bruner Julian proprietor. Phone 217.

IN THE LECISLATURE NOW.

STORMY TIMES THESE BE IN RALEIGH.

Winston to Have a Dispensary, And the Charlotte Observer to be dispensed With so They say.

Yesterday, was a rough one, it was a brand new one. The Legislature gave a change of menu in doing awey with the raising of peanuts on the State farms, but the crop of peanut politicians is retained and made as prolific as possible. A sensation was created when Winston, Watts and others oriticised the Charlotte Observer in its utterance of Friday morning relative to the action of the majority towards the minority We hope this will not cause any unpleasant feeling among the Democrats. No good can come of it. Among the legal business bills were introduced for the following objects: One to regulate the fees of the register of deeds. Another to affix the license for insurance companies. One to prohibit the raising of peanuts on the State farms. To prohibit the granting of license to negro lawyers by the Supreme Court,

The bill allowing the sheriff to collect back taxes to and including 1895 passed.

In the Senate, a bill was passed allowing the Norfolk and Western railroad to extend branches in this State. The resolution for the betterment of ventilation in the capital was adopted. The bill for the re-establishment of the treasurer's office in Surry county, passed its third reading. Mr. Candler of the minority said in reference to the charge of browbeating, that the Democrats had been fair enough, and that he hoped that they would always be as much so.

Rowan Barber Shop.—Hair cut 15c. Burt McNeely has moved his shop to East Main st., opposite court house. Workmanship second to none. Give him a trial. 1-1.

White Rose Cream is the finest and most elegant preparation on the market for tan, sunburn, chapped hands and all roughness of the skin. Contains nothing ticky or greasy. For sale by J. Cornelison &Co., and

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Lemon and Chocolate Bon Bons, lb .....20 to 40c
Same in boxes, per lb..25 to 50c
Half pound boxes 15c
Everything nice and fresh.

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Fresh Cakes all the time.
Call and be convinced.

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Formerly with N.J. Carter. 1-1tf.