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GASTONIA, N. C. 

At the Churches.

Associate Reformed Presby-

terian church-Preaching at 11

a. m. and 7 p. m.; Sunday school 10 a. m.; prayer meeting Wednesday evening 7 p. m.

Pirst Presbyterian church-

First Baptist church-Preach-

giving Day at 10 a. m. All members of the Junior Order of

United American Mechanics are

especially invited to be present at the Thanksgiving service. Rev. W. H. Reddish, pastor.

St. Michael's Catholic church

—Services every Sunday at 3 p. m. Mass at 11 a. m., on the second and fourth Sundays. Rev.

Bradley Hall, Loray—Services Sunday night conducted by Rev. J. A. Hoyle.

West Rod Methodist church-

Regular services Sunday at 11

a. m. and 7 p. m. Rpworth League at 6 p. m. Rev. J. M.

Main Street Methodist church

Mt. Holly Presbyterian church—Communion services Sunday, conducted by Rev. R. C. Anderson, by presbyterial appuintment. Preparatory service begins Friday. This pulpit is

Sunday conducted by the pastor, Rev. J. M. Porbis, who will be

assisted Saturday and Sunday by Rev. J. J. Kennedy. Pre-

paratory services begin Friday. Olney Presbyterian church-

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Creek Presbyterian
Communion services

Presbyterian

Pr. James, pastor.

Downum, pastor.

pastor.

now vacant.

Long

church

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Animals Not in it.

Catawba County News.

Mr. Henry Rhyne said he did not come to the show on Friday to see the animals, but came to 6:15 p. m. Rev. E. L. Bain,

see the girls. Severnment Ginners' Report

leawed. Charlette Observer, 22d.

The government ginners' re-port, which was issued yester-terday afternoon at 2 o'clock, showed that 8,531,000 bales of cotton had been ginned up to the 14th instant, the date of the taking of the census. The re-port issued on the same date last year showed that but 7,497,000 bales had been ginned. Two years ago, the report showed that 9,786,000 bales had been

Communion services Sunday conducted by the pastor, Rev. G. A. Sparrow. Preparatory services begin Friday. ginned. Yesterday's report was about what the local cotton men ex-pected. Evidently the same feeling prevailed in all circles for the speculative market was not influenced in the least. GASHTTH.

What's Doing Among our Neighhors Just Acress the Line.

YORK AND YORKVILLE.

Master William M. Allison second son of Mrs. W. M. Al-lison, had his left arm broken last Priday afternoon. The fracture is a very ugly one and is calculated to give not a little trouble before it is finally healed. The interior of the court room presented quite a handsome appearance when court convened yesterday morning as the result of the general renovation it has received during the past few

weeks. There was quite an important business meeting of the Civic league in the court house last Friday afternoon and it was well attended. The secretary reported that as a result of a canvass of the town during the few days previous, quite a number of members had been secured, and the treasurer reported subscriptions to the amount of about \$75.

Mr. James Miskelly, aged about seveny-five years, who lived with his son-in-law on a farm belonging to Dr. W. G. White and located on the Pinckney road about four miles west of Yorkville, died suddenly yesterday afternoon at about 1 o'clock, presumably from ap-oplexy. He walked out from the house for some purpose ac-companied by a little grand child, and from such information as the child could give, seems to have sat down and expired almost instantly. Coroner Louthian went to the scene yester-day afternoon, accompanied by Dr. J. D. McDowell. The Dr. was of the opinion that death was from natural causes, probably apoplexy, and it was decided that an inquest was unneces-

The dead body of Mr. Thomas well on the premises of F. B. Smith, at the corner of Congress and Jefferson streets, at about 1 o'clock this afternoon. The dis-covery of the dead body was purely accidental. Long concitation, but without result, death having evidently occurred several hours before

Mr. Bludworth was a member of the grand jury and no other member of that body had seen him since yesterday afternoon. The reporter hears that several people saw him this morning, but the rumors have not been verified. He had employment with the Yorkville B. & M. Co. The deceased was a son of the late John Bludworth and of Mrs. M. A. Bludworth of Yorkville. Preaching Sunday at 11 a. m. There are no bruises or other and 7 p. m.; Sunday school at 10 a. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday night. Rev. R. C. Seems to be able to give any reason why the young man should have committed spicide. ing at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m.;
Sunday school at 9:45 a. m.; B.
V. P. U., Tuesday 7:30 p. m.;
prayer meeting Wednesday at 7
p. m. Special services Thanksworth was seen last night at vestigation may throw some light on the mystery. It can be stated positively that Mr. Bludworth was seen last 'night at about 9:30 and that he appeared

to be in his usual good spirits.

### LORAY LOCALS.

New Inman Automatic Banding Machine a Curiosity

Loray, Nov. 21—Sunday was one of the days borrowed from April and will have to be paid back with interest. The showers were so frequent that the attendance at our Sunday schools was considerably below the average. There were services at West End Sunday morning, conducted by Rev.F. W. Bradley. Rev. J. W. Puckett, of Hot Springs, was a visitot here Saturday night and Sunday. Mr. Puckett has many friends here who are always glad to see him. Rev. J. E. McSwain, of Caroleen, visited his mother and brother here Monday on his way to the M. P. Conference, which was considerably below the to the M. P. Conference, which convenes at Rocky Mount today. Rev. H. H. Mitchell ac-companied him and will join the conference and take active work

while the Southern's shifting crew was shifting cars here Saturday evening a freight car was pushed off the end of the coal chute and now people are wondering how they will get it on the track again.

Several of our people are at-tending court this week. Some of them are witnesses in the case of Will Weaver, who is on trial for cutting Mr. J. R. Payssoux sometime ago. This has been reported time and again as having happened at the Loray, when in fact it was not here at all but the wounded men were brought here and cared for by kind-hearted people.

The Inman automatic banding machine, which has recently been installed in the Loray started up and proceeds to make H. Bludworth was taken from a bands for the spinning frames, making 120 per hour without any aid.

We are glad that the new pastor at West End is to be Rev. J. M. Downum. This makes his sixth appointment to West End, which would be contrary to the rules of Conference were it not tor the fact that the first four years were to West End in Statesville. Mr. Downum made many friends here during the conference year just closed who will be glad to hear of his re-

Mr. J. R. Osmeut, of Moun-tain Island, was here Sunday on a visit to his daughter, Mrs. R. L. Brice.

Mr. Judson Waldrop has been laid up for several days with Black pueumonia, but our latest information is that he is getting 6, 1862.

Raymond Nance and Miss Maud Randall. The ceremony will be performed by Rev. R. L. Bain at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. S. C. Raudall. The couple are popular young people and we join their many friends in wishing them much happiness.

A Record of the Contestation This County

By L. M Hoffman

ABBREVIATIONS.

cm-commissioned

e-enlisted d-died k-killed w-wounded m-missing p-promoted pr-prisoner r-resigned

Co-company

Best, A. J., Co. B. 28th Regt. e March 29, 1862; accidentally w at Richmond. Best, Michael, Co.- Sr. Res.

Mills, is a curiosity. The yarn is on a cylinder and one end placed in the machine which is and Chancellorsville.

Black, Pinckney, Co. B. 23d Regt. e March 15, 1862. Black, S., Co. C. 37th Regt. e Aug. 15, 1862. Black, Adam, Co. D. 37th Regt. e Aug. 12, 1862, Black, Joseph, Co. H. 37th Regt e Aug. 12, 1862. Black, Thomas, Co. H. 37th

Regt. e Aug. 12, 1862. Black, Matthew, Co. H. 37th Regt. e Aug. 2, 1863. Black, Benjamin, Co. H. 37th

25, 1862; at Ellyson's Mills. Black, Alfred, Co. M. 16th Regt. e May 1, 1861; dg Jan. 6, 1862.

better.

There will be a wedding in our town to-night at 8 o'clock. The contracting parties are Mr.

Blaylock, J. B., Co. B. 28th Regt. e Sept. 18, 1861; w at Cedar Run, Aug. 9, 1862, lost arm.

Blackwood, Joseph. Co. H.
37th Regt. e Dec. 6, 1863 and w.
Rlackwood, James, Co. H.
49th Regt. e March 22, 1862; d
of win leg at Petersburg, Aug.
10, 1864. Blount, Geo. W. Co. K. 49th Rept. e March 15. 1862; dt.

## Gaston's Old Soldiers

Made in Hen to the Couse of The Coulederecy, Campiled From Many Seprent —Pirol Authoritic List Ever Printed—do floorly Complete us Time and Later Can Make H.

PART II.

For the sake of convenience and saving space the following abbreviations are made in the list below:

dg-discharged dt-detailed

tr-transferred,

Beam, D. L., Co. H. 37th Regt. e Aug. 12, 1862. Beam, H. S., Co. H. 37th Regt. e Aug. 12, 1862; w. Beam, Geo. M., May 10, 1862; Seat 1 1862, et al. 1862; Sept. 1, 1862, at Ox Hill. Beam, Luther, Co. M. 16th

Regt.; w in seven days fight near Richmond.
Beam, Tilman, Co. I. 37th
Regt. e Aug. 15, 1862; dg Dec.

Beason, Archibald, Co. K 49th Regt. e March 15, 1862; tr to Co. G. April 1st, 1862. Bird, Oliver, Co. H. 37th Regt.

Black, Alfred, Co. B. 23d Regt, e March 15, 1862.

Regt. e Aug. 2, 1863. Black, Thomas, Co. M. 16th Regt. e March 17, 1862; k June

Black, Ephraim, Co. M., 16th Regt. e May 1, 1861; dg Jan.

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Boyd, Wm., Co. B. Regt. 28th e July 30, 1861; d April 2, 1862, at Washington.
Boyd, Edward, Co. M. 16th Regt. e March 17, 1862; d Oct. 1862, of w received at Ox Hill, Regt. Capt. Com. May 1, 1861;

1862, of w received at Ox Hill, Sept. 1. 1862, Boyd, R. P., Co. H. 49th Regt. e, pr at Malvern Hill; w in army at Drewry's Bluff, May 16, 1864; pr at Five Porks. Bolick, J. M., Co. C. 71st Regt. e about May 24, 1864, Jr. Res.

Bolick, J. M., Co. C. 71st
Regt. e about May 24, 1864, Jr.
Res.

Brown, John M., Co. D. 1st
Regt. e March 15, 1862; dg.
Brown, Juo. A., Co. I. 11th
Regt. e March 15, 1862; d Aug.
20, 1862, of disease.
Brown, John T., Co. M. 16th
Regt. e March 17, 1862.
Brown, Jonas, Co. M. 16th
Regt. e March 5, 1863.
Brown, Jonas, Co. M. 16th
Regt. e March 5, 1863.
Brown, David L., Co. H. 37th
Regt. e Aug. 10, 1862.
Brown, J. Logan, Co. H. 37th
Regt. e Oct. 6, 1861; dg Oct.

e Oct. 6, 1861; dg Oct

Brown, Oliver, Co. H. 37th Regt. e May 10, 1862; k May 27, 1862, at Hanover Court House. Brown, Monroe, Co. H. 49th Regt. e March 22, 1862; w in back and pr March 25, 1865. Brown, H. H., Co. H. 34th Regt. e March 1, 1863; d June 23, 1863, at Richmond. Broadway, Whiten, Co. C.

Broadway, Whiten, Co. C. 10th Regt. Artillery; slightly

Brimer, J. P., Co. R. 11th Regt. e April 7, 1862; w at Gettysburg. Brimer, Alfrad, Co. B. 10th Regt e July 17, 1863, at Gettys-

Brimer, George, Co. H. 37th Regt. e Oct. 6, 1861; d Aug. 1, Brimer, James P., Co. H. 37th Regt. s Oct. 6, 1861; d. Brimer, T. A., Co. H. 49th Regt. e March 22, 1862; ex-changed March 1, 1863 for Houston Hall

Bradley, B. G., Co. A. 29th Regt.
Bradley, Chilcon, Co. E. 59th
Regt. (4th Cavalry)
Bradley, F. W., Co. C. 71st
Regt. a about May 24, 1895.

Briggs, B. P., Co. M. 16th Regt. Cupt. Com. May 1, 1861; p Major June 17, 1861. Briggs, Wm. B., Co. E. 46th Regt 2d Licett, Com. March 15, 1862, r. Briggs, Juo. W., Co. E. 49th Regt. e March 15, 1862, p. Cor-

Browning, Perry, Co. C. 71st Regt. e about May 24, 1864, Jr.

Burch, Albert, Co. C. 8th Battalion Heavy Artillery. Burch, R. B., Co. C. 71st Regt. e about May 24, 1864, Jr.

Res.
Barton, J. R., Co. M. 16th
Regt. e May 1, 1861; w Dec. 13,
1862, at Predericksburg.
Bynum, Rufff, Co. D. 7th
Regt. e Aug. 1861; d Nov.
1861 in Hyde Co., N. C.
Bynum, W. L., Co. H. 52d
Regt. e March 25, 1862; d of
disease. Bynum, Presk, Co. H. 52d Regt. e July 6, 1862; k at Gettysburg.

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Brimer, Jawes P., Co. H. 37th Regt. e Oct. 5, 1861; d.
Brimer, T. A., Co. H. 69th Regt. e March 22, 1862; exchanged March 1, 1863 for Houston Hall
Brison, Bes. Co. H. 11th Regt. pt.
Brison, J. H., Co. H. 23d Regt. e April 1863; w in both legs at Chancelloraville.
Brison, J. B. P., Co. H. 23d Regt. e June 12, 1861; w at Spottsylvania.
Brison, J. W., Co. H. 49th Regt. e March 22, 1862, lat corp; d of w received May 10, 1866.
Brison, H. B., Co. H. 49th Regt. e March 22, 1862, w in jaw at Malvern Hill July 1, 1862.
Brison, J. B. P., Co. H. 49th Regt. e March 22, 1862; w in jaw at Malvern Hill July 1, 1862.
Brison, T. L., Co. H. 49th Regt. e March 22, 1862; k at Malvern Hill July 1, 1862.
Brison, T. L., Co. H. 49th Regt. e & Sept. 17, 1862, at Sharpsburg.
Brill, BR, Co. H. 21at Regt. e May 8, 1863.
Bradley, B. G., Co. A. 29th Regt.

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