

The Watauga Democrat

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Murdered by a Mormon.

Mt. Olive, N. C., cor. Goldsboro Argus. Alonzo Jackson was killed in Sampson county on Cohara last week by a Mormon preacher, the report is, while in a discussion about religion. Mr. Jackson being an educated man and a school teacher, completely wound the Mormon Elder up, and the Mormon got mad and left.

Afterwards, meeting Mr. Jackson along the road, he cut his throat from ear to and then dragged him out in the woods and left him for dead.

Mr. Jackson revived, and realizing his fate, took his note book and pencil and wrote the cause and who did the killing, and then rolled and dragged himself as near the road as he could, but failed to quite reach the road before he died. The guilty party is not yet captured. Mr. Jackson has taught school in Wayne, near here, and was well thought of.

A Comb With a History.

Mr. W. J. Moore, of Turkey, has in his possession a comb with a history. It is a single horn blade of an ordinary open and shut pocket comb and was presented to him in 1860 by the late Jno. C. Carroll, then of the firm of Johnson, Chestnut & Co., of Clinton. Mr. Moore carried it through the entire four years of war and used it in making his daily toilet in camp. This comb was in the battles of Bull Run, Manassas, the Wilderness, Antietam, Drury's Bluff, Cold Harbor, and other memorable battles of the war. Mr. Moore has carried it in his pocket ever since as a talisman.—Clinton Democrat.

Topic: Judge Simonton has rendered his decision in the celebrated case of the Southern railway vs. the North Carolina railroad, which was argued before him a few weeks ago. The decision maintains the jurisdiction of the Federal Court. It also continues the injunction against the governor, the attorney general and the railroad commissioners, retaining them from interfering with the Southern's lease of the North Carolina road. Kerr Craige was appointed special master to investigate the charge that the Southern secured the lease through fraud. The case will come up for hearing on its merits upon the filing of the master's report.

The jury in the case of the Waters-Pierce Oil Company, controlled by the Standard Oil Company, charged with violation of the anti-trust law, brought in a verdict for the State, canceling the permit to do business in Texas. The Illinois courts have broken up the American Tobacco Company in that State and New York has had them indicted, the jury standing 10 to 2 for conviction and another trial will soon be had. When will the North Carolina courts move on the Trusts?—News in Observer.

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In commemoration of the fact that Queen Victoria has reigned longer than any other sovereign in Europe, a committee representing various public improvement societies, proposes that localities in all parts of the kingdom shall dedicate some plot of ground to the use of the people, to be called the "Queen's Place," or "Park," or "Field." The movement is in support of securing sightly hilltops, beautiful views of the sea and other spots in which the view is the chief value, from private ownership.—Ex.

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While a circus parade was passing Sixth and Market streets in Wilmington, Del., a few days ago, an elephant swung his trunk, striking Mrs. W. A. Sparks in the face and knocking her down. Mrs. Sparks threatened to bring suit against the circus manager, but compromised the matter on the basis of \$500 for her injuries. As the result of the elephant's trunk striking her face, the sight of Mrs. Spark's right eye has been badly damaged, and she may lose it.—Ex.

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Durham Sun: It is too warm. Dr. T. B. Kingsbury, editor of the Wilmington Messenger, and Dr. J. C. Kilgo, president of Trinity College, have locked horns and are in a hot discussion over matters that pertain to education. The articles which have appeared are very spicy. The weather is entirely too warm for such sudorific matter. Brethren "as much as leth in you, live peacefully with all men."

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Henry Watterson issues a rallying call to the gold Democrats to attend the State gold convention on Wednesday closing up with "Mean while, to hell with the whey-faced traitor, wherever he appears, who, pretending to be for us, is perpetually prophesying evil against us." It is evident that there has been no cooling off in the political atmosphere in Kentucky.—News and Observer,

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