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A building and loan association is needed in every town and it is a matter for every town to have its own association.

In Charlotte the amount subscribed to building and loan associations each month is from 2,000 shares to 3,000 shares each six months. This means from \$200,000 to \$300,000 each six months. This money goes into houses and makes property owners instead of renters.

One of the best features of a building and loan association is the habit of saving it gives on the subscribers who thus associate themselves together. A man becomes a better citizen when he is a home owner. He is more apt to take active interest in the affairs of the community.

It is said that several young men, sons of those who voted for James at Wadesboro, were seen for the first time at the schools were opened, drunk on the streets, one of whom was looked up. These fathers may change their minds before another election.

Marion Butler is in harness again. He is practically in charge of the republican party in North Carolina.

Mr Butler said in Washington last week he expected his new Greensboro paper to carry North Carolina into the republican column. He has recently emerged from obscurity and has established himself in power over the cohorts of the party which will under his leadership in the course of a few years vanish from the earth so far as state politics is concerned.

He is the most abandoned man and the most thoroughly repudiated party leader who has figured in public affairs in the state in a generation.

NEWS ITEMS.

Sir Henry Irving, the greatest of English actors, is dead from a sudden stroke of apoplexy.

At a meeting in High Point on Saturday of the stockholders of the Eagle Furniture Company, whose plant was destroyed last week by fire, it was decided that they would rebuild at once.

The duty on Miss Alice Roosevelt's presents, given to her on her trip by crown heads and courtiers of nations and tribes in the East, amounts to more than President Roosevelt's salary a year.

Eleven prisoners escaped from the jail in Asheville on Sunday night. It is said that it was the most deliberately planned and shrewdly executed jail delivery that has occurred in western North Carolina in twenty years.

President Roosevelt has invited Governor Glenn, Senator Simmons, Senator Overman and Col. A. B. Andrews, vice president of the Southern Railway to accompany him through the state.

The Depot and several stores in Advance, Davie County were broken into by robbers, last Saturday night. They got very little money.

Mr M. C. Mott, who something over a year ago was appointed attorney for the Creek Indian Nation in the Indian Territory, and whose appointment was held up because of alleged irregularities, has been confirmed in his position with pay from the date of his appointment.

The Mocksville Cabinet, Wks. A. L. Betts proprietor, is making the counter for The Bank of York. It is a very handsome piece of work, and shows conclusively that there is no use to go to Grand Rapids, Mich. when you need The Work-Mocksville Courier.

The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Victor Russell, of the Nokomis Cotton mill, died Sunday afternoon and was buried Monday. Aged about five months.—Dispatch.

Mrs J. M. Weatherly is critically ill with typhoid fever at her home near Jamestown. It is in this neighborhood that so many deaths from typhoid have occurred recently. One large family was nearly entirely taken off by the disease.—Greensboro Telegram.

Rev Levi Cox, of Buffalo Ford, and Miss Rebecca Willett, were united in marriage last Sunday at the home of the bride's father, Squire N. W. Dixon officiated.—Siler City Wit.

Mr W. B. Hockett, a worthy gentleman known to many of our readers, especially in southern Guilford, is reported critically ill at the home of his daughter, near Walker's Hill.—Patriot.

A P. Staley & Bros have been fitting up their new store for a week or more and hope to have their opening in a week. This store when completed will be one of the "hand-somest jewelry stores in the state.—High Point Enterprise.

A college professor says an education is "a transformation from an uneducated, incoherent homogeneity to a definite, coherent heterogeneity by a series of differentiations." We always had a vague idea that it was something like that, but couldn't express it clearly, like the professor.

General James D. Glenn, brother and private secretary of Governor Glenn, died Wednesday morning at his home in Wadesboro from an attack of acute indigestion. General Glenn was about sixty years old and was prominent in political and military life. He is survived by his wife and several children.

One of the "reconstruction" Governors of South Carolina, where Tom Dixon laid the scene of his stirring play, has already served his term in the penitentiary. Now the Honorable or the ex-Honorable or the dis-Honorable George Washington Murray, who was a congressman from South Carolina during that period, will serve three years in the penitentiary for forgery. The sentence was given two years ago but has been held up on an appeal. It is an interesting coincidence that the announcement that the appeal had been denied by the Supreme Court and that Murray must serve his sentence was made just two days prior to the presentation in Columbia of "The Glensman," a tragedy so strongly the characters of a real Governor and a real politician of that State, one not very unlike this same Murray.—Charlotte Observer.

For all kinds of Piles. To draw the live out of a burn, to cure cuts without leaving a scar, or to cure boils, sores, tetter, eczema all skin and scalp diseases, use DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. A specific for blind, bleeding, itching and protruding piles. Stops the pain instantly and cures permanently. Get the genuine. Sold by Standard Drug Co., J. T. Underwood.

Indigestion in the Higher Educational Institutions. Superintendent Bruce Craven, of the Morganton Graded School, is attracting a great deal of attention by his contention that the spirit of indigestion prevails to an alarming degree in all our educational institutions. Here are some specific instances which he adduces to show the general truthfulness of his allegations.

1. Boys convicted before the faculty of gambling were given a "practical lecture," which to them meant "Hereafter be more careful about getting caught."

2. There is a college graduate in North Carolina who is a professed Pantheist and who says he went to college a Christian and that in four years the teachings of a single professor, while his religion was changing, many other souls were won and are bearing today fruit of which we know not.

3. There are hundreds of teachers so indifferent to consecrated goals as to daily impress the students with the belief that philosophy and literature and kindred things are the only gods.

4. There is a boy who went to college a Christian and from a Christian family, who knew not the ailments of wine and associated vices. At college he became so dissipated as to lose his mind and character, and he told me in his asylum cell that he would not have lost himself and the hopes of his life if there had been any spiritual guidance or restraint when he was first subjected to the novel temptations. This happened at a "religious college" and the one I believe to be far the best in the state for religious influence, but like all others it depends too much on the "Christian atmosphere" resulting from the pious lives of men too busy to lend a helping hand to pull a Pilgrim from the slough of despond.

There is certainly food for some very serious thought in what Prof. Craven charges. And it seems to me that the colleges, but fairly reflect the conditions prevailing throughout the country. The material advancement of the times seem to be filling men's thoughts to the exclusion of everything else.—Greensboro Telegram.

It makes no difference how long you have been sick, if you are troubled with indigestion, constipation, liver and kidney troubles, Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea will make you well. 36 cents.—Asheboro Drug Co.

Indigestion Indigestion

One of the Best Yet.

About two years ago I was taken with an incessant aching and burning of the stomach which produced inflammation. Nothing would stay on my stomach, neither food, milk, or even water. I would vomit everything I got so soon as I would eat it. Finally I almost as weakened down I had to take lay beds, and would often have violent attacks of colic. Three doctors treated me and pronounced my trouble indigestion. Their treatment did me no good whatever. Everything I swallowed disagreed with me, and I could not retain a thing I ate. Finally a friend begged me to try Mrs. Person's Remedy, and I was willing to try anything. On the third dose I knew it agreed with me and was doing me good. In a week's use I could retain light diet like crackers, milk and rice. At that time I was confined to my bed seven weeks, and was not able to sit up at all. In a month's time I could eat anything I wanted, ham, cabbage, potatoes—anything. Of course as my general health was built up I got strong, and when I had taken six bottles I WAS WELL, and have never had a touch of indigestion since.

Mrs. Person's Remedy will cure nervousness when nothing else will. I wish I could write as strong as I feel about it, but I cannot say enough in its praise, and for the good it has done me.

DR. H. B. JOHNSON, FORT WELLS, N. C., APRIL 8, 1904.

Geo. W. Murray, colored, a former member of congress, has been sentenced to the penitentiary for three years for forgery.

Royal Baking Powder

is made of Grape Cream of Tartar. Absolutely Pure.

Makes the food more Wholesome and Delicious.

JUDGE COOKE WAKES UP THE HYPOCRITES AND LAW-BREAKERS.

Extracts from His Charge at Gaston Court.

The Gaston Gazette's report of Judge Cooke's charge to the Grand Jury contains the following:

Judge Cooke divided time into two classes (1) those violative of personal rights, and (2) those violative of community rights or public interest.

Under the first head came crimes against personal security, liberty and property. Briefly defining the different phases of homicide, Judge Cooke proceeded to discuss elaborately the crime of manslaughter—the crime committed by railroads, corporations and individuals when death is caused by their gross negligence of duty.

In the last 12 months, said the court, more lives have been lost in railroad accidents than have been lost in the three blood-red days at Gettysburg. When death results from gross negligence of the railroad company or its agents, somebody is guilty of manslaughter, though there may have been no intention to kill, and the public will never have the good service, the safe equipment and the proper protection of life in travel until the railroads are caused to know that they are not only liable for civil damages, but are amenable to the criminal law.

The same principle applies to other corporations operating machinery and also to doctors and druggists. If you indict a doctor every time he makes a mistake in diagnosis or treatment, you put "an out of business." But it is not the purpose of the law. That if a doctor or a druggist should intend to give one medicine and by carelessness or negligence should give another that kills the patient, he would be guilty of manslaughter. If the medicine did not kill, but proved dangerously harmful, the crime would be assault with serious consequences. If a person sent on hunting carries his gun careless so as to kill another, or if a person points an "unloaded" pistol and kills another, it is manslaughter.

In the beginning of our law, when water power was the only available power for grinding our wheat and corn, there was no remedy against the mill pond that was a menace to health, but that is changed in this day. No man can keep a pond that is known to make people sick.

Of the offenses against the community at large I wish to direct your attention especially to offenses against public morality. Those charged with the administration of public justice must have regard for the law. If the judge leans toward a friend or toward the strong, he is corrupting justice. If the clerk of the court should charge too much to the extortion; if he should fail to issue papers which by law he is required to issue, he is indictable; if a justice of the peace exceed his authority to shield wrong-doing; if the lawyers, who are officers of the court should fail to turn over moneys for disbursements in a case, as they may often easily do, should compound a felony, they are indictable. The high priests who minister at the altar of justice must do so with clean hands. Under offenses against public morals, his honor discussed "graft" as the gain in an office of trust of more than the office was legally entitled to.

He cited the South Carolina dispensary. Better have open barrooms than a dispensary if graft is to control. I don't know how you people here in Gaston manage. I understand that in old times there were no deacons and sideboards here in Gaston. That was too small. You just set it out in a water bucket with a tin dipper. Now you have awung wonderfully to the other extreme. I'll say this about the dispensary—they have one in my county. It is just as better than open barroom. There's no higher compliment than to say of a man he's a law-abiding citizen. If you can't say that, what you can say is not equivalent. You don't read that much in obituaries now-a-days. No, in some way or other too many men fail to respect the law.

Toobing speculation in futures, Judge Cooke paid his respects to the amen corner gamblers, and then admonished the jury, saying, "If you don't indict the amen corner gamblers, don't you indict the boys for playing poker; and if you don't indict these two, don't you send up negroes for playing craps. Understand me, if they ought to be indicted, but if you don't indict the first you ought to have too much courage and self-respect to touch the others."

Here's a prominent man carrying a pistol 365 days in the year. No attention paid to him. But his tent affords a doze roasting ears or a watermelon—and that's a temptation to be reckoned with if it's a nigger that is tempted, especially if it's a rattle-snake melon and he imagines it's got red meat—and he is sent to the roads, knowing, too, that his

landlord broke the law unharmed. How are you going to elevate that man? Both men ought to be indicted. But if you don't indict prominent men who break the law, don't you indict the backwoods offender. But for your own comfort I'll say the law doesn't require you to indict yourself or any of your family.

Speaking of cruelty to animals, Judge Cooke said: A man who is cruel to a faithful horse will not make a faithful friend. He'll desert you, watch him.

Concluding his charge Judge Cooke declared that a faithful administration of the law is the highest expression of a community's moral character and that this highest expression could never be reached until the law was administered upon a basis of absolute equality.

County Correspondence.

Sandy Creek Items

The Howard Overland Show that was to be at Mallow, the 11th inst. did not appear. It is said that the day was the delight of the farmers.

Mr. Washington Brown has bought J. F. Jones' farm and Mr. Jones has bought his at Rocky Mount N. C. and moved his family there.

Mr. J. M. Williams is visiting his daughter Mrs. Isaac at Winston-Salem now.

Edwards C. P. and T. J. Long of Greensboro have an appointment to preach at the P. B. church at Sandy Creek first Sunday in Nov.

Can't be out the average on the creek. Mr. Bob Swain carries the laurel now when the creek is in the best of its season.

Mr. G. P. Ward lost a good horse recently. Mr. Dan Jarrett of Newton, N. C. is visiting his father here. Mr. Settlemyer, Mrs. Jarrett and his daughter is very sick with whooping cough.

Mr. E. L. Ward is on the sick list now. Mr. S. N. Burgess and family attended the Holmes meeting at Siler last week.

Mr. P. F. Jones is making preparations to build a fine home.

A Judicious Inquiry.

A well known traveling man who visits the drug trade says he has often heard druggists inquire of customers how they asked for a cough medicine, whether it was wanted for a child or an adult, and if for a child they almost invariably recommended Chamberlain's Cough Remedy.

The reason for this is that they know there is no danger from it, and that it always cures. Giving it, and for coughs, colds and croup it is unexcelled. For sale by Standard Drug Co., Asheboro N. C. and Asheville Drug Co., Asheville, N. C. and W. A. Underwood, Randleman N. C.

Westmore Local.

Funerals are at Westmore their usual time. Mrs. Bessie Ann Boyd spent Saturday and Sunday in Asheville.

Master Shelby Underwood is improving slowly. Quite a number of our young people attended the quarterly conference at Pleasant Hill last Sunday.

Miss Laura Snyder is at home again after spending a few weeks in High Point. The contracted meeting began at Old Trinity last Sunday with brother Albert Sherrill in charge. Mrs. Mattie Royals of Trinity High school spent Saturday and Sunday with her parents.

Bombay News.

Bombay, N. C., Oct. 15, 1903. As we have not seen anything in your valuable paper from Bombay in quite a while, I decided to send up a few lines. Our farmers are busy preparing their wheat land. Corn shuckings are all the go which brings an amount for the young people and profit for the older ones. Our school is progressing nicely under the efficient management of Prof. Robertson with Mr. D. B. Thompson, of Leno, as his aid. They have recently studied with an average attendance of sixty, the best in the history of the institution. One of the greatest teachers that Bombay has been in securing a teacher that is strict enough, but are glad to say that Prof. Robertson is not lacking in this respect. Now if the parents will stand behind him and say "back on 'em" we think he will hold the fort.

Mr. E. V. Nance, of Troy, spent a few hours in our community last Sunday.

Miss Cora Kinney spent last Saturday and Sunday visiting her folks in Davidson Co. Mr. Joe Russell also visited special friends in our community.

Mrs. Ellen Ingram visited Flow Kearns at Salem Church last Sunday.

Misses John F. Crawford, James Kearns, Correll Harrison, Ernest Crawford and Keyana Ingram were also out visiting last Sunday. "Patsy" nobody knows where there is a reporter or correspondent that can keep up with this crowd.

The friends of Mr. Chas. Keatinge will be glad to learn that he is improving. He has gained some weight recently. We think it is a good sign if it is really affected with that dread disease "consumption" would try the fresh air treatment as he has.

Mr. C. W. Stokes, of Jackson Hill, spent a few hours in this community one day this week.

Prof. Robertson made a pleasant visit near Salem Church recently.

Rev. J. F. Frazier filled his regular appointment at Old Grove on last Sunday evening and preached an excellent sermon. Brother Fincher has grown in favor with all the people all over the circuit and we hope the Conference will see fit to send him back on another year.

RHEUMATISM

Pain or Back Pain, Swollen Joints, Itching, Burning Etc. CURED THROUGH THE BLOOD BY B. B. B.



There is Hope—The above picture represents the before and after effect of B. B. B. on a most severe case of Rheumatism. It is so many years—a precious case. It is simply wonderful that B. B. B. has so completely cured the blood, making it pure and strong, and restoring the active principle in the blood, which causes the awful symptoms of Rheumatism.

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Payne's New Discovery

During the Autumn and Winter months when sudden changes take place in the weather, and the constitution is exposed to chilling blasts which force their way through the pores freezing the blood, Nasal Catarrh is a disease of frequent occurrence, often presenting the most distressing features. Payne's New Discovery cures this ailment in its most advanced stages.

Hear What Others Say. I was reduced by Nasal Catarrh and General Debility to the condition of a weak man a few months ago. I used PAYNE'S New Discovery, one bottle of which cured me, and twenty seven months have been added to my weight.

PAYNE'S New Discovery, \$1.00 a bottle, three, \$2.50. PAYNE'S Quick Relief, 25cts. a bottle, PAYNE'S Medicated Soap, 10 cts. Where we have no special agent, we will send the medicine, charges prepaid, on receipt of price.

THE QUAKER HERB CO., CINCINNATI, O. Sold by Asheboro Drug Co., W. A. Underwood, Randleman.

Ramseur Store Co., The Store that Sells More Goods Than Any Other in the County.

Our Messrs. Watkins and Carter have recently returned from the Northern Markets where they purchased the largest, best selected stock we have ever carried. Our Fall and Winter display of both foreign and domestic fabrics are "strikingly in style" and at popular prices.

Japanese Taffetas and Beau de Sole Silks 36 inches wide at 50cts.—100 yds. broad Cloth—all colors, Serges, Albatross, Mohair, Veneers, Voiles, Etc.

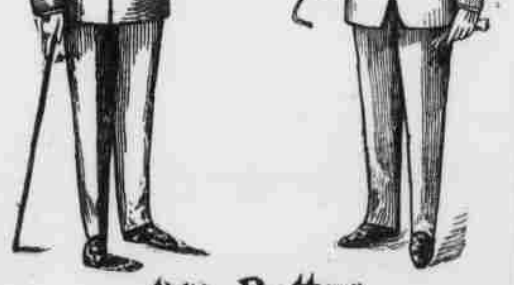
LADIES' JACKETS AND RAIN COATS. We have the largest line of Ladies' Jackets and Rain Coats, all lengths, we have ever carried—\$3.50 to \$15.00. They are beautiful. Call and see them.

Our Millinery Department is in charge of Miss Ora May Cox, an accomplished young lady and an up-to-date Milliner from High Point, who will take pleasure in showing you the latest styles in Children's, Misses' and Ladies' Hats.

We carry a large line of men's and boys' Clothing, Underwear, Hats, Shoes, Shirts, Collars and Ties. We sell the

Kirschbaum and Reinhard & Meyer Clothing

HONOR BRAND CLOTHES



Are Better. We can sell you the best suit of clothes you ever bought for the price. Suits for \$5.00 to \$18.00—very latest styles.

"WINNIAWALK SHOES" for men, exclusively because of their excellent style, easy fitting and superior wearing qualities. \$3.50 and \$4.00. Automobile, Southern Girl and Southland Belle Shoes for the ladies are the best to be had for the price, \$2.50, \$2.00 and \$1.50.

Young men if you want to be in style get a double-breasted Black Suit and Winniawalk Shoes and then watch the ladies smile, etc. You will be politely waited upon by H. B. Carter, Chas. B. Smith, Jas. I. Lambert, Walter F. Smith, Vaughn C. Manley, Cecil E. Macon, A. H. Foster, Misses Pearle Ferris and Ora May Cox and in a host of business W. H. Watkins and I. F. Craven. We intend that our customers shall fare as well as anybody's customers.

Ramseur Store Co.

we Can interest you in a Heating Stove? We have a full line of seasonable hardware. We have just received a complete line of Harness, double and single, and will make you attractive prices on any thing in that line. Gun, Ammunition and Sporting Goods of all kinds. Barbour, Virginia and High Point Buggies. Lewis & Winslow Hardware Company.

Winter Wear for Men Women and Children. Fine Shoes, Good Shoes, Long Wear Shoes, Fine Clothes, Good Clothes, Clothes that wear well. Dress Goods of the Latest Styles. Everything for every body at W. J. Miller's Store.

Rock Hill Buggies. Rock Hill Buggies are a little higher in price but are better. You can get your money's worth in a ROCK HILL when sometimes you cannot get your money's worth in some other make. THE ROCK HILL BUGGY COMPANY is situated near by, therefore, patronize Southern enterprises. We have a fine lot of them on hand and will be glad for you to call to see us.

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Horses and Mules. McDowell Bros have at their Stables the best Car of Horses and Mules ever brought to Asheboro at this season. The mules are all extra good size and good ages. The horses are all good quality and fine drivers. Before buying see McDowell Brothers, Asheboro, N. C.

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