

# THE GLEANER.

GRAHAM, N. C., APRIL 6, 1875.

Local, State and General.

W. T. JOHNSON, EDITOR.

Mr. John C. Robertson, of Company Shops, is our authorized agent to receive subscriptions, and receipt for the same.

Communication from Flat River too late for this issue. Shall appear in our next.

The congregation of the church of the Good Shepherd, (Episcopal) worshipped for the first time, in its new Chapel on Hillsboro street, in Raleigh, on Easter Sunday.

Anna Dickinson, the great female lecturer of the North will hold forth in Raleigh soon, upon some of the doctrines to which she is dedicating her life.

The bridge at Clem C. Curtis, was repaired last week. Good crossing there now. You people on the other side bring us something to eat, and come to see us, and bring us some wood, and subscribe for our paper.

CONSOLIDATION.—Uncle Bob Hanner has consolidated with W. R. Albright, at the Bason old stand. He may be found there, and has, now, goods to sell. Uncle Bob couldn't stand a small stock so he went in with Albright where he has around him a full stock of every thing you want. He don't have time to whittle now.

On Tuesday night, the 30th of March, the large stables and barn connected with the Hotel at Company Shops, were destroyed by fire. The fire occurred about 8 o'clock, P. M. There was, stored in the barn on the first floor, a quantity of lime belonging to Mr. Daniel Worth, and on the second floor a quantity of hay. The horses were saved. How the fire originated is a matter of conjecture.

The contract for building the two bridges across Haw River, one at Saxapahaw, the other at the railroad bridge, has been let to Messrs Ferrel and Neal of Chatham county.

The one at Saxapahaw at two thousand and six hundred dollars, the other at two thousand. The timbers are already being brought to the spot at Saxapahaw, which was the first contract let. Messrs. Ferrel and Neal are energetic men and will push their work rapidly.

We call attention to the advertisement, of J. P. Gully wholesale and retail dealer in dry goods, ready-made clothing, boots and shoes &c., in Raleigh. He is doing a very extensive and rapidly increasing business. He is supplying a large number of country merchants who say they can do better with him than in our Northern cities. They go and select, and thus save the expense of a trip, and the uncertainty of getting just what they want by ordering. His stock is complete, and what is of greater importance he is in every way reliable. You may depend upon his representations.

On last Friday, at Company Shops, Wilson Ray, colored, was up before Esquire Sellars for beating his wife with a light wood knot. While the case was being heard Wilson took it into his head to leave the Shops. Jim Sellars, special officer in charge, objected. Wilson started and Jim started. Wilson was fired up and let on steam and moved off at a rapid rate; Jim following, but at less speed, and, seeing that Wilson had the heels of him, he stopped, formed line and opened fire. Wilson looked back, saw the danger, threw the throttle valve wide open and dashed on at a fearful rate and—was gone. Since the change of gauge people are leaving the Shops hurriedly. Whether Wilson was suddenly seized with a desire to follow in the track of those already gone we can't say. Everything is moving to Greensboro. A grand through line demands it. Wilson may be there by this time. The last seen of him he was widening the gauge.

BUY A LANTERN.—Friday night was dark. Two of our young men extended their call. They fell into a ditch, and lost a hat and a ring. Now what are they going to do about that ring? Is the one that lost it going to tell just how it was? Did they think any body was going to bring them a light? How would you, have looked if a light had been brought, young man? Just out of the ditch, wouldn't you have cut a figure. What did you walk into the ditch for? You knew the way. You had no excuse. You had no horse to

Jump and rare and pitch, and sling you in the muddy ditch. Are you going to yell for a light again, and disturb a neighborhood just because you go stalking along and fall into a ditch. Now here, you clean off those clothes and that hat and go and buy the girl another ring, a little finer one mind you, than the one you lost, and hereafter be careful of your walk, young man, be careful of your walk!

OUTBREAK.—On Saturday, 27th ult., three colored convicts who had been engaged at work near the eastern limits of the city succeeded in making their escape under the following circumstances:

The men were under the command of Mr. Ford, a regular guard, who had proceeded with the prisoners in a wagon to Walnut creek for water. When the wagon was about a mile from the city, Richard Battle, a leader of the revolters, dealt Mr. Ford a blow on the head with a hatchet, felling him to the ground. Battle then cried out let's finish him, and again struck the guard in the head. Another prisoner seized the gun and attempted to fire on him, but being unacquainted with the use of the piece, was unable to shoot. The driver in the meantime ran off to give an alarm, when the prisoners escaped. At latest accounts Mr. Ford was in a critical condition.

A posse of men from the Penitentiary have been sent in pursuit of the criminals, but we have not as yet heard of their arrest.—Era.

The Southern Home says: Dr. Cyrus Alexander, of Cabarrus, is a grandson of Abram Alexander, President of the Mecklenburg Convention. He is about 75 years old, a stout, vigorous old man, generous, genial, kind-hearted, patriotic—a worthy descendant of an illustrious sire. The children of Robt. I. McDowell, Esq., are more intimately identified with the Mecklenburg Declaration than any other persons. They are connected with that great event through the Brevards, Davidsons, Jacks and Irwins. The descendants of Dr. Winslow Alexander are identified with it through the Alexanders, Davidsons and Grams. There may be other families of whom we are ignorant that have this triple connection. If so, we would be glad to have their names. There are, we believe, a number of families that have a double connection, for it was natural for the descendants of the Whigs to intermarry.

The Statesville Landmark says: On the 16th instant, Amos Church, who lives eight miles west of Wilkesboro, was burning coal half a mile distant from his house. His wife, about dark, put her children to bed, being three in number, the oldest of whom was five years of age, and went to carry Mr. Church his supper. She remained with her husband until about 8 o'clock, and on her return home, to her horror, found house, children and all burned up. The bones of the eldest, which seemed to have made an effort to get out of the house, were found near the door.

The Wilmington Star of March 28th, says: We learn that a big buck darkey stepped in a saloon at Polkton on Wednesday last and demanded his dinner. He was told that he couldn't eat there. The darkey then began to curse around right and left, insisting on eating his dinner "right thar." Several experienced physicians, who have examined the case, think that he will certainly get well in a few weeks. The ball entered the left breast and took off the edge of that darkey's appetite.

The Wilmington Journal, from a friend in Tarboro learns that Maj. D. W. Hurt, of that place, has a calf that has a calf. The mother is not yet two years old, and the little calf is nearly a month old. The mother gives a pint of milk a day over and above what is required for her diminutive offspring. The little fellow is about as big as a poodle dog.

The Southern Home says that the Centennial Committee have invited Hon. John Kerr to be one of the orators at the celebration on the 20th of May. The other address will be delivered by a Tennessee orator. The selection of Judge Kerr as the orator on the part of North Carolina is a happy one. He is one of our most gifted men and eloquent speakers, and will brilliantly grace the occasion.

The Raleigh News says: Gen. Wm. R. Cox, of this city, has been appointed one of the Assistant Marshals of the Mecklenburg Centennial occasion, and we are pleased to know that he has signified his acceptance of the position.

The Sentinel of the 1st says: Some scoundrel tore up the bridge at Gordon's crossing the other side of Hillsboro and it was only discovered in time to prevent destruction of the mail train and great loss of life. There should be guards stationed at such places.

The plantation of Mr. Solomon Pender, in Edgecombe county, was left a complete waste by the tornado which was particularly destructive in that county.

The revivals of religion at the two Baptist Churches, and at Person Street Church in Raleigh, are progressing with unabated success.

The jail at Snow Hill, in Greene county, has been burned. The prisoners were all secured. The fire was accidental.

IMPORTANT REVENUE NOTICE.—Collector Young of this city is daily mailing to hundreds of dealers in this district, who are liable to pay a special tax to the government, a blank form No. 11 to be filled by them and sworn to before either a deputy collector or justice of the peace, and returned with the money prior to the first of May. All persons failing to secure the license prior to May 1st, will lay themselves liable to prosecution in the courts besides paying a penalty. Let all look out and not fall in the clutches of the United States Court and Revenue officers. Raleigh Sentinel.

A case has just been decided by the Supreme Court of the United States, involving the right of woman to "vote under the Fourteenth Amendment. It was claimed, that by that Amendment they were made citizens, and that all citizens were entitled to vote, without regard to the laws of the State in which they propose to vote. The Court was unanimous in its opinion that the Fourteenth Amendment conferred no such right. The case went up from Missouri. The strong minded must look elsewhere for authority to exercise this coveted privilege.

The Reidsville Enterprise is succeeded by the Reidsville News. The News is a seven column paper, neatly printed and well edited. We congratulate the proprietors upon their evident prosperity in the newspaper line. It is one of our valued exchanges. Robert S. Bethell, James W. Reid, and J. R. Webster are editors and proprietors. Their town and county should feel proud of their paper.

The Tenth Hibernian Ball, of the Hibernian Association of Wilmington, was given at the Opera House in that city, on Easter Monday evening. From the account given by the Journal it was a grand and enjoyable affair.

Subscriptions to help defray the expense of the approaching Centennial of the Mecklenburg Declaration of Independence at Charlotte, are being taken in Wilmington.

T. B. Satterthwaite, a leading citizen and prominent lawyer of Pitt county fell dead on the street in Washington, N. C., on Wednesday, 24th last month.

There is a new county, formed from the northern portion of New Hanover, named Pender. The citizens are quarreling about the location of the county seat.

Gen. Joseph E. Johnston has accepted the invitation extended him by the Committee to act as Chief Marshal at the Mecklenburg Centennial.

A case has just been decided by the Supreme Court, in which it is declared that female suffrage is unconstitutional.

The Chief Signal officer has sent one of his observers to Georgia to look after, and report upon the recent tornado in that State.

The mite box of the Episcopal Church of the Good Shepard at Raleigh was robbed recently, of every cent in it.

Bishop Lyman confirmed twenty-two young ladies at St. Mary's in Raleigh, recently.

A white woman dropped dead in her room in Goldsboro, named Martha Ann Turner.

The Mayor of Wilmington is holding over. The Journal and Star designate his Court as "The Usuper's Court."

The recent tornado was very destructive in Warren county.

One of the sweetest things about a young and budding love, says the Norwich Bulletin, is the way in which she will smooth the hair so gently off your brow, and then smile as tenderly in your face and show that about four of her back teeth are gone.

It cost the Shah of Persia a little to buy a bonnet for his wife. There are fifty of her. One case with that number of new bonnets was sent from Paris the other day directed to His Majesty at Teheran.

In New York, Mary Chamberlayne, aged sixteen, sued John F. Holmes, aged sixty, for breach of promise. She recovered six thousand dollars. That old man had better quit fooling, unless he means business.

Brownlow says: "Small men, with plenty of money and no brains, may crawl into the Senate as the snail crawled to the top of the pyramid, but such a fellow can't run a great newspaper."

They can take photographs in Paris upwards of four feet long. If they can get to the full height of a woman it will answer every purpose.

Wm. J. Story editor of the Chicago Times, has been imprisoned for publishing articles reflecting upon the grand jury. Better be careful.

A young woman in Macoupin county Ill., recently sawed a cord of hard wood in 105 minutes, cutting each stick twice. Pretty and not quite 18, she performed this feat because her mother told her that she was good for nothing but to read novels.

Four hundred armed miners, on a strike, are marching about in the neighborhood of Hazletown Pa.,

The recent rise in the price of gold which pinches the importers, disturbs values, and deranges markets, to the great detriment of the business of the country, may be set down to the failures of the Forty-Third Congress to act upon the currency question. It is a natural result of the persistent neglect of Congress on this great national subject.—New York Sun.

It is said that Parson Brownlow, having become a Knoxville editor, has laid in seven dozen penholders and four quarts of ink. As it has heretofore been his custom to write with a red-hot pitchfork dipped in aquafortis, we should like to know what he is going to do with pen-holders and ink.—Louisville Courier Journal Dem.)

Mrs. Beecher is said to be "an awful homely woman." And yet there are men who actually blame Henry Ward for going over to Mr. Tilton's and sitting on the floor and looking at engravings!—Louisville Courier Journal.

An Illinois granger is about leasing 8,500 acres of land in Monroe county, Mississippi, upon which fifty Illinois families will settle when the negotiations are completed.

A Troy bigamist ran out of a back door while his two wives were fighting over the question as to which should have him and has not since been seen.

A man born with a good sound constitution, a good stomach, a good heart and good limbs, and a pretty good headpiece is rich.

Miss Eastman, of Boston, speaks of "eyes as bright as buttons on an angel's underclothing."

TO THE AFFLICTED.—No matter under what form of sickness you labor, there is the great truth you should keep in mind: All disease originate in an impure condition of the blood. Purify that, and the disease must depart; but you cannot purify the blood by the use of poisonous drugs, and exhaustive stimulants. The best Blood Purifier ever discovered is Dr. WALKER'S FAMOUS VINEGAR BITTERS, compounded of simple.

## ADVERTISEMENTS.

**J. Q. GANT & CO.,**  
Company Shops, N. C.

Buy their goods for CASH, and thus get them at the lowest figures, are content with small profits, and that is why they sell so cheap and such

EXCELLENT GOODS.

That they did so has been the wonder.—Now you know the reason why. They keep everything to eat and to wear, and a great many other things. They will buy all you have to sell, for cash or barter. In

## SHOES

they defy competition.—They buy direct from manufacturers, and can't be undersold in

## Price or Quality.

Everything they have is new.

Dry-Goods, Queens-Ware, Hollow-Ware, Willow-Ware, and Shoes that will wear forever—as nearly as shoes do.

CARRIAGE FINDINGS,—in fact you'll find everything there. Go see. feb 16-3m

## FRESH AND JUST RECEIVED.

A large lot of Garden Seed, of all kinds. Also a lot of Flower Seed. feb 16-2m P. R. HARDEN.

## SCOTT & DONNELL,

Graham, N. C.,

DEALERS IN

Dry-Goods, Groceries, Hardware, IRON, STEEL, NAILS, MOLASSES OILS, DYE-STUFFS, DRUGS, MEDICINE, LARD, BACON, &c. &c.

Terms Cash or Barter. feb 16-3m

## NOTICE.

Application will be made, at the office of the North Carolina Rail Road Company in thirty days from date, for the issue of a duplicate of certificate No. 1567 dated, May 11th, 1866, for two Shares of Stock in said Company, the original being lost or mislaid, this March 9th, 1875. GRIFFIN SELLERS.

## King Alfonso

is giving the Carlists a lively time, and

## A. B. TATE & CO.,

at the old stand of Murray & Tate, in Graham, are giving all who try to undersell them a lively time. Alfonso and Tate & Co., are both bound to succeed. Tate & Co. will buy at the highest prices all you have to sell, and at the lowest prices sell you all you want to buy.

## SCOTT & DONNELL.

GRAHAM, N. C.,

Buy and sell

COTTON, CORN, FLOUR, BACON LARD, AND ALL KINDS OF COUNTRY PRODUCE. feb 16-2m

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**P. R. HARDEN,**  
Graham, N. C.,

DEALER IN

## Dry-Goods Groceries,

HARDWARE.

Drugs, Medicines, Paints, Oils, Dye-Staffs, Clothing, Hats, Caps, Boots, Shoes.

Rubbers, Tobacco, Cigars, Seeds, Tens, KEROSENE OIL, CROCKERY,

Earthenware, Glassware, Coffees, Spices

Grain, Flour, Farming Implements.

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## Pumps! Pumps!!

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**THOMAS S. ROBERTSON,**

Company Shops, N. C.,

is manufacturing and selling the best and

CHEAPEST PUMPS

ever offered to the people of this State. These pumps are as durable as wooden pumps can be made. They are easy as any one wanting water could wish. They are sold as cheap as any one who proposes to buy could ask.

Pumps delivered anywhere on short notice. Each pump warranted. The manufacturer refers to every pump of his in use. Not one has ever failed. feb 23-1y

## New Goods.

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**W. R. ALBRIGHT,**

(at Bason's old stand.)

GRAHAM, N. C.,

Dealer in

DRY-GOODS, NOTIONS, HATS

SHOES, GROCERIES,

HARD-WARE, QUEENS-WARE, &c.

Having bought goods on favorable terms I will sell cheap for cash or barter. Polite and attentive clerks to wait on customers and show goods to all.

Quick Sales and Small Profits will make money. Call and examine if you do not buy. It can do no harm. feb 23-3m

## W. F. JONES & SONS,

GRAHAM, N. C.,

Buggy and Carriage Makers,

Are prepared to fill at the shortest notice all orders in their line. Repairing promptly and neatly done, at

MODERATE RATES.

They also keep constantly on hand for sale at their shop, an assortment of

Iron, Nails, Buggy Material, Prepared

Paints of all colors,

Ploughs, and Collars.

Any style of coffin furnished at two hours notice. All kinds of produce taken at market prices.

We are thankful for past patronage, and hope to merit its continuance. feb 16-2m

## AT MURRAY'S

OLD STAND,

Keep constantly on hand

DRY-GOODS, GROCERIES,

QUEENS WARE, BOOTS, AND

SHOES, PIECE GOODS,

&c. &c.

All of which we will sell as low as can be had elsewhere, for

Cash or Barter.

All kinds of produce wanted. Look at our stock, compare with others and buy if you will. feb 9-3m W. G. HARDEN.

## GEORGE W. LONG, M. D.,

PHYSICIAN and SURGEON,

Graham, N. C.,

Tenders his professional services to the public. Office and residence at the "Graham High School" buildings where he may be found, night or day, ready to attend all calls, unless professionally engaged. feb 9-ly

## Land Sale.

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On Saturday, April 10th, 1875, I will sell at the Court House door in Graham, to the highest bidder, for cash, one tract of land in the county of Alamance, on the waters of Rock Creek, adjoining the lands of William Webster, Milton Levy, William Sharpe and others, containing one hundred and seventy acres. It is known as the Broser tract, and is the same conveyed by Levi Isely to Julian Isely, and by him conveyed to the undersigned. No doubt about the title. JAMES E. BOYD, feb 9-ly

## A DISTILLERY FOR SALE.

Capacity eighty gallons per day. Also twenty-five barrels pure Corn Whiskey, made from corn malt. HUTCHISON & CO.

Address feb 23 W. R. ALBRIGHT, Graham, N. C.

## New Drug Store.

DR. J. S. MURPHY

Respectfully notifies the public that he has opened a complete and well filled DRUG STORE at

Company Shops,

where anything kept in a well ordered Drug Store may be found.

The physicians of the county and the public generally, are invited to patronize this new enterprise. An experienced druggist—a regular graduate in pharmacy, is in charge, so that physicians and the public may rest assured that all prescriptions and orders will be correctly and carefully filled.

Prices as reasonable as can be afforded. feb 16-3m

## ADVERTISEMENTS.

## NOTICE

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In pursuance of an order of the Superior Court of Alamance county, I will, on

Tuesday, April 20th, 1875,

at Jerry Leg's store, in Caswell county, sell the following real property, to wit:

One tract of land in Caswell county adjoining the lands of Jerry Lee, Wood Covington and others, containing one hundred acres. One other tract of land in Caswell county adjoining the lands of L. Borland and others, containing twenty-three and one-half acres.

AND

at the late residence of Jacob Summers, deceased, in Alamance county, on

TUESDAY, APRIL 27th, 1875.

I will sell one tract of land in Alamance county, on the waters of Travis Creek, adjoining the lands of Daniel Tickle and others, containing one hundred and seventy-five acres.

The above described real property was in the division of the lands of Jacob Summers, deceased, allotted to the heirs of Andrew Summers.

Terms:—Ten per cent cash, balance of purchase money secured, by bond with sufficient surety, payable at six months.

E. S. PARKER, Commissioner. mar 9-4

## CUTTING AND MAKING.

Robert A. Noell,

Offers his services as a Tailor, to the public. His shop is at his residence, in

GRAHAM, N. C.

His work warranted, in fit and finish. feb 16-ly

## \$5 to \$20 Per Day at home. Terms \$5 to \$20 free. Address G. BRINSON and Co., Portland, Maine.

## ALL PERSONS

Having claims against the County of Alamance are requested to present them to the Register of Deeds before the first Monday in May, 1875.

By order of the Board of Commissioners T. G. McLEAN, Clerk. feb 9-3m

## TWO VALUABLE FARMS For Sale.

Having a large quantity of land, I wish to dispose of the following described plantations: First:—The farm known as the Ruffin Quarter place, situated in Alamance county on the waters of Haw river and Big Alamance, containing

Two Hundred and Seventy Acres,

one third timber, the balance in a fine state of cultivation. Upon this farm, which is conveniently and healthfully located, two miles south of Graham, the county seat, is a fine young orchard consisting of 1200 young fruit trees, of choice varieties, carefully selected; a good dwelling-house and all necessary out-houses for croppers, tenants, or laborers.—In every way a desirable farm.

Second:—The farm known as the Boon place containing

Two Hundred and Seventy-Three Acres,

lying four miles south of Company Shops, on the waters of Big Alamance within a few hundred yards of Alamance Factory. Of this farm about one half is cleared, and in a fine state of cultivation, the balance in original growth. Upon it are two homesteads, both of which are comfortable and conveniently located.

These farms are adapted to the growth of grain of all kinds, tobacco, clover and grasses. Upon each are large meadows, in good condition.

I also wish to sell a

Valuable Water power,

on Haw river, attached to which are about forty acres of land; or as much as may be desired. This valuable property is on both sides of Haw river eight miles from Mebaneville, on the N. C. Railroad, and is improved to the following extent:

There is an excellent dam, recently and substantially built, affording a head of water, unfalling, and sufficient to run any quantity and quality of machinery. Eligible sites on both sides of the river. There is a grist and saw mill in operation, a good store house, miller's house, and some shanties.

Terms made easy. For particulars address either myself, or E. S. Parker, attorney at law, Graham P. O., Alamance county, N. C. W. R. ALBRIGHT.

If the above described water power is not soon sold I would like a partner, or partners with some capital, to engage in manufacturing. W. R. A.

## J. A. LONG,

Attorney & Counsellor at Law,

YANCEYVILLE, N. C.

GRAHAM & GRAHAM,

Associate Counsel,

## GRAHAM HIGH SCHOOL.

REV. D. A. LONG, A. M., Principal.

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