

THE GLEANER.

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Local, State and General.

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

The Wilmington fair begins to-day.

There was a three-inch snow in Watauga county on the 17th ult.

Capt. F. M. Wooten, is running an express on the Western N. C. R. R.

Mr. James F. Jordan, an old citizen of Raleigh, died suddenly of heart disease Saturday evening.

By proclamation of the President, Thursday, the 25th of this month named as a national thanksgiving day.

W. R. Richardson has been installed Keeper of the Capitol in place of Henry Miller resigned.

Maj. John C. Winder has been elected to fill the place of Superintendent of the R. & G. R. R., made vacant by the resignation of Capt. A. B. Andrews.

Diphtheria is raging to an alarming extent in Jones county, among men, women and children. So the Nut Shell is informed.

It is stated in the Oxford correspondence of the Raleigh News that the Oxford Leader will reappear in a few weeks.

The case of W. M. Mebane against the County of Guilford was heard last week before Hon. W. N. H. Smith as referee.

The New Garden Fair Saturday a week ago in Guilford county was a success. D. F. Caldwell orator. Let us get up something like it here.

Mrs. Hannah was 100 years old last Sunday week, and celebrated the day by joining the Methodist church in Wadesboro.

Capt. J. A. Graham, who happened to the misfortune to lose his elegant dwelling by fire last spring, is now erecting upon the site, a new one, that will be an ornament to our town.

The first prisoner Lincoln county has contributed to the penitentiary was handed over by the sheriff of that county last week. The destination belongs to a negro man named John Shank.

Full account of proceedings of Board of County Commissioners shall appear in our next. The vacancies in the Board occasioned by the deaths of Dr. F. R. Freeman and Greene Andrews were filled by the election of Dr. G. K. Foust and G. M. Hazell Esq.

W. R. Albright, at the Bason old stand, is constantly receiving his fall and winter stock. He means to sell his goods, and if you want them, and will go to see him there is no difficulty about your trading. All he asks is that you look at and price his goods, and then if you can do better elsewhere he has no sort of objections. See his double column advertisement in this paper.

My, How SWEET!—Royster's candy emporium in Raleigh is the biggest thing, and the sweetest thing of the kind in the State. He has a large force constantly manufacturing candies of all kinds, from the very best article of sugar. He does not use a peculiar white clay which is found in Florida, and shipped in large quantities North for the adulteration of candy. He has recently obtained the services of Mr. Leonard, an experienced candy manufacturer, who now has charge of the manufacturing department. All who try Royster's candy, will never buy from any one else. It is pure, and elegant and cheap.

A FUSS IN THE FAMILY.—It is an unpleasant thing but they will occur, and sometimes they have the strangest origin. This one occurred in this way. Last winter the old man bought all the children shoes, except Bill at a distant town where he had carried his tobacco to sell. Bill's shoes he bought of J. Q. Gant & Co., at Company Shops. This winter all the shoes were worn out but Bill's, so the old man got all the rest new shoes, Bill's being good of course he got none. Well, Bill boy like, wanted a new pair anyhow. The old lady, as mothers will do, took sides with Bill, who thus encouraged sauced the old man, he laid the unattractive conduct at the door of the old lady, she flared up, and abused the old man and called him a fool for not buying all the children shoes at Gant's and the result is that that once peaceful family is torn by internal dissensions and all on account of J. Q. Gant & Co., selling shoes that last so long. See the advertisement of J. Q. Gant & Co., in another column.

THE DEATH OF MRS. ANNIE RUFFIN.

—We briefly announced the death of this venerable, and estimable lady in our last issue. The following particulars concerning her life we copy from the Raleigh Sentinel:

Mrs. Ruffin died in Hillsboro on Thursday last, aged 82 years. She was the daughter of William Kirkland of that town, who was a precisely old Scotch merchant, and sister of John U. Kirkland. Mrs. Judge Stange, Mrs. McRae, of Fayetteville, and Mrs. McClester, of Georgia. She was the admired and beloved wife of the late Chief Justice Ruffin whom she married at an early age of girlhood, for she was only fifteen, but twenty in size, manners and mental maturity. She was the mother of thirteen children, a more exemplary woman in all the relations of life never lived. As mother, friend, neighbor, relative and mistress of slaves her example and life will long remain a lesson and a pattern to be imitated. She lived for years on a fine estate on Haw river, where she dispensed a generous and elegant hospitality to the many friends of her distinguished husband, and to strangers who passed along the great thoroughfare upon which she lived. She was a devout christian and member of the Episcopal church and did not show her religion by formal observances, but in private devotion. No fond husband ever had a more devoted wife. No children a more affectionate, provident mother. No slave a kinder mistress, and no poor neighbor a more charitable friend. Her life and life will not be seen again. In her end the grave had no victory and death no sting.

At Lilesville Anson county, on the 28th last month, the Grangers the Friends of Temperance, and the Good Templars all had a jolly time. These three societies met, in large numbers, and had good eating, good speaking, and a delightful ball at night Col. L. L. Polk was the orator of the day, but there were several others who responded to calls upon them. From a special letter to the Morning Star we learn of this good time of the temperance people and the Grangers.

A Overhush of Usla, Hanover Germany writes to Gov. Brogden for information concerning his brother-in-law, Franz Remme, who emigrated from near the Hartz mountains, some thirty years ago, and settled in this State where he is supposed to live now the owner of a plantation. Remme has property in Germany, which has fallen to him, and he is wanted to claim and receive it. Where is Remme, or so name of his children?

The Agricultural Fair at Wilmington opens to-day. It is to close with a grand ball. A premium is to be awarded to the best brass band. All important that farmers should be accomplished, ed horn-blowers. When they are aroused to the importance of this branch of agriculture we may expect a brass band on every well regulated farm.

The Statesville Landmark learns upon what it deems good authority that Capt. S. A. Ashe of Raleigh, the junior partner of the able law firm of Merimon Fuller & Ashe, has for nearly a year, been engaged in writing the history of North Carolina, and that T. B. Kings, bury upon learning this fact has abandoned his project of writing a history, as some time ago announced he would.

W. F. Avery, one of the editors of the Charlotte Observer severs his connection with that paper, and bids its readers good-bye. He does not propose to abandon the profession of journalism. Chas. R. Jones and F. Brevard McDowell are now editors and proprietors of that enterprising able Journal.

The grand-daughter of Judge Potter and the daughter of a Baptist minister, died in abject poverty, in an old kitchen in Raleigh lately. The Rev. Dr. Pritchard conducted the burial service while her husband, a penitentiary convict under guard, wept at her grave.

D. F. Caldwell and Col. C. B. Jones are out making speeches and soliciting subscriptions to build a narrow gauge railroad from Mt. Airy to Greensboro. The people of Greensboro appear bent upon building this road. Success to them.

Upon the occasion of Capt. W. F. Avery, discontinuing his connection with the Daily Charlotte Observer, he was presented, by the employees of that office, with a handsome cane in token of their good will for, and appreciation of the noble qualities of the Captain.

The Supreme Court of the United States has decided that National Banks cannot be effected by the State usury laws; that they are subject only to the forfeitures prescribed in the national bank act, in which there is no forfeiture of the principal at all.

Barn-burning is a pastime in Iredell county. Robert McNelly lost his barn with three and J. T. Goodwin his with one horse lately.

The trial of young Thos. Strange for the homicide committed in Haywood county some months ago, was at the recent term of Haywood Superior Court, removed to Buncombe Court for trial, which continues the case until next April. The solicitor stated that he was entirely satisfied of the innocence of young Bridgers who was thereupon discharged.

We call attention to the advertisement of E. J. Parish, proprietor of the "Farmers Warehouse" at Durham. Mr. Parish refers to well known citizens of our county who can testify to the inducements and advantages offered to farmers at Farmers Warehouse. Durham is the largest tobacco market in the State and is fast rivaling Danville in size, and now equals it in prices.

A boy named Johnson, as we learn, about twelve years old, got into a quarrel with his younger brother in Salisbury last week and stabbed him fatally. The stab was from the back and penetrated the lungs producing death shortly thereafter. The youthful fratricide is in Salisbury jail, bail having been refused.

The water question is agitating the people of Raleigh. They want a supply of water, other liquids they have. A Mr. Allen of Baltimore enlightened a recent meeting upon the subject. We are sorry for any one in want of water, and earnestly hope the demand of Raleigh may be supplied.

Enoch Nichols, at the recent term of New Hanover Superior Court candidly expressed the opinion that the jury was a set of d-d rascals. This was done in the hearing of the jury as it passed to the jury room. Judge McKoy imposed a fine of fifty dollars upon the gentleman of candor, or thirty days imprisonment at his election.

General Joe Lane, who was a candidate for Vice-President with Breckinridge in 1860 is a native of Buncombe county in this State, and has a son who has just been elected to Congress from Oregon.

The Charlotte Observer man under the head of "Glorious news," says that Edwin Booth is coming to that city. The Opera House has been engaged for him on the 5th January by J. T. Ford who manages all his Southern engagements.

John W. Norwood was selected to deliver a eulogy on the life and character of the late Gov. Graham, at Orange court last week but was prevented by ill health from performing this pleasant task.

A man in Transylvania county went to church and left his four children in the house. Upon his return the house was burned down, and the bones of the four children in the ashes. So learns the Charlotte Observer.

The Central, at Lexington in this State has changed hands. John Taylor, editor and proprietor, has sold out, and the management of the paper will pass into the hands of W. H. Moffitt, Esq.

James McDougald, registrar, and Max Houser judge of election in Jefferson ward Richmond Va., have been arrested, charged with fraudulent election returns.

The Hillsboro Recorder of last week, gives quite a full account of the charge of Judge Kerr to the Grand-jury. Its editor, though not a stenographer we suppose, must be something of a short hand reporter.

The Rockingham Courier says: A negro woman is said to have given birth to two children in Rockingham a few days since, one of which was black and the other white. A remarkable case of civil rights.

"Leasing" the A. T. & O. R. R. and the W. N. C. R. R. to the Carolina Central Railway is the drift of railroad talk this week," says the Statesville Landmark.

Maj. J. C. Winder, Secretary of the State Agricultural Association, resigned, and placed filled by the election of John Devereaux.

Capt. S. A. Ashe is not writing the history of N. C. as reported and Mr. Kingsbury will prosecute the work. The Raleigh News is authority.

The loss occasioned by the Virginia City fire is estimated at seven and a half millions. Two thousand five hundred mien are thrown out of employment.

Eli Moore, negro, was arrested in Wadesboro last week charged with committing an outrage upon a white girl.

Meetings are being held and an effort to raise money for a survey of the proposed Gold-boro & Fayetteville Railroad is being made. The friends of the project an hopeful.

A MORNING'S SORROW.—Mrs. Mary Arthur of this city, had two sons—D. S. Arthur and C. W. Arthur in the Confederate army. She has reason to believe that one of her sons is dead, and she has not heard of the other for years. Any person knowing the whereabouts of either of her sons will confer a great favor upon a widowed mother by addressing her in Wadesboro.

Southern journalists will confer a favor by giving this paragraph an insertion in their respective paper.—Vicksburg Herald.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

1875. Fall and Winter Stock. 1875.

I wish to inform my friends that I am now receiving my fall and winter stock of DRY-GOODS, NOTIONS, HATS, BOOTS AND SHOES.

Ready-Made Clothing, &c.

I sell the best CALICOES at ten cents a yard. I sell ready-made clothing as cheap as they can be found at retail anywhere in or out of the State. Best spool cotton, warranted 200 yards, at five cents a spool. All varieties of LADIES DRESS GOODS on hand. A large portion of my goods I buy direct from the manufacturer. I also keep constantly a full supply of Groceries, Crockery, Glass-Ware, and Family Medicines. Good Red Sole Leather at 20 cents a pound. I have no old stock on hand,—bought at high prices to work off with my new stock. Barter of all kinds taken. With thanks for the liberal share of trade I have received, I am very respectfully, W. R. ALBRIGHT, N. B. —1203 acres fine land for sale in parcels to suit purchasers. W. R. A.

COMMERCIAL. Graham Market.

CORRECTED WEEKLY BY SCOTT & DONNELL.

Table with market prices for various goods like Apples, Beans, Butter, etc. as of Tuesday, Nov. 2, 1875.

Durham Tobacco Market.

Table with tobacco market prices for Common, Medium, Good, etc. as of Nov. 2, 1875.

SCHEDULE.

Piedmont Air-Line Railway schedule table with stations and times.

CONDENSED TIME-TABLE.

Condensed time-table for going north and south with stations and express times.

GOING EAST. GOING WEST.

Table with station and mail times for going east and west.

E. J. PARISH, Farmers' Warehouse, For the sale of LEAF TOBACCO, DURHAM, N. C.

Carry your Tobacco to Farmers' Warehouse. HIGHEST MARKET PRICES. CORRECT WEIGHTS, AND FAIR DEALING.

Have very large size orders for all Grades of Tobacco. All shipments promptly attended to. Orders Solicited. BRIGHT WRAPPERS & SMOKERS A SPECIALTY.

IT WON'T PAY!

You know it won't pay to make your purchase from old stock, already picked over. Our Mr. Gant has just returned from the North, where he personally selected and purchased a large stock of Dry-Goods, Groceries, Queens-Ware, Hollow-Ware, Willow-Ware, Hardware,

Boots and Shoes

of every variety, including the best hand made. We make a specialty of Boots and Shoes, and we ask an examination of our stock. Look and judge for yourself. We defy competition in price or quality.

Carriage and Cabinet MAKING.

I have moved my Shop from Big Falls to my residence, two miles north, where I am prepared to do all carriage and buggy work in a workman-like manner. I also MAKE OR REPAIR FURNITURE

Drugs, Paints, GLASS & C.

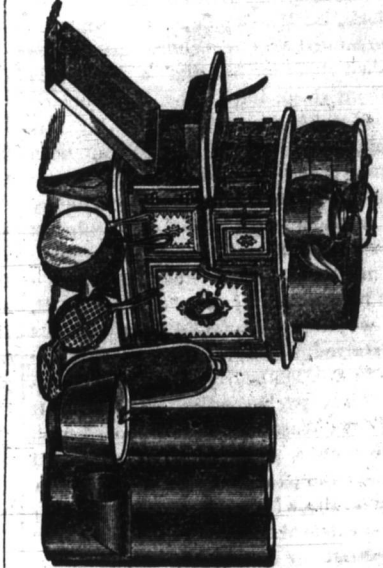
We keep constantly on hand a good assortment of FRESH DRUGS AND CHEMICALS, different brands of fine Lead, a large stock of WINDOW GLASS,

Village & Country Merchants

a better article than they buy North for the same money. Also we have a large stock of TRUSSES AND SUPPORTERS, TOILET AND FANCY ARTICLES.

ADVERTISEMENTS.

HOME ENTERTAINERS. THE "TROPIC" COOKING STOVE. MANUFACTURED BY SERGEANT & McCAULEY, GREENSBORO, N. C.



These Stoves are vastly superior to the great majority of Stoves bought of Northern Manufacturers. The best of material is used in the manufacture, and they have never failed to give entire satisfaction.

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

1875. Spring and Summer GOODS!!

The very latest Styles and Cheap. DRY-GOODS, NOTIONS, CLOTHING, LADIES TRIMMED HATS, GROCERIES, HARDWARE, CROCKERY WOODEN-WARE.

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