

THE GLEANER.

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Local, State and General.

W. T. JOHNSON, EDITOR.

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

The Shelby Aurora has moved to Rutherford.

The house currency committee reported adversely on the bill to repeal the ten per cent. tax on state bank notes.

The house appropriation committee struck out appropriations for 7 clerks and reduced the salary of members to \$4,000.

The dinner recently given at Harrell's store, Sampson county, for the benefit of the orphan asylum at Oxford, netted \$100.

Chas. Buchanan, a Mitchell county kuklux, has been pardoned out of the Albany penitentiary and is now at home.

Burglars have been at work at Mill River, Buncombe county. They made an attempt the other night to break into the store of Rollins & Porter.

A Nash county married man and a divorced woman eloped last night. The woman took her 5 children with her, but the man left his 6 at home.

There was a row a few days ago at a shooting match in Yancey county. Wesley Higgins was badly hurt by rocks thrown by John and Thomas Edge.

At Cedar Fork, Davie county, the other day, two brothers-in-law by the name of Seaford and Hendrick got into a row, which resulted in Seaford being killed by a pistol shot. Whiskey did it.

The wife of H. Willeford and a 5 year-old child were fatally burned one day last week in Atwell township, Rowan county. The clothing of the child first took fire and the mother caught in attempting to rescue it.

Farmers would do well to note the fact that on the 8th and 9th of this month there will be a big "break" in tobacco at Webb's warehouse in Hillsboro. Read the advertisement of E. H. Pogue & Co. and consult your own interest by having your tobacco on hand on those days.

Rev. T. M. Jones D. D. President Greensboro Female College will preach in the Christian Church at this place next Sabbath, 11 o'clock, A. M. Quarterly meeting at the Church on Saturday previous, 11 o'clock A. M. The Sacrament of the Lord Supper will be administered immediately after preaching on the Sabbath.

The burial of Capt. A. G. Moore, who met his death, as elsewhere recited, took place in the village grave yard, at this place last Saturday. The remains were brought from the residence of Col. T. M. Holt, the brother-in-law of the deceased followed by an immense concourse of relatives and friends. From all parts of the county many had assembled in the town to pay their last respects by being present at the last sad rites and duties, which the living can bestow upon the dead. The funeral services were conducted in the Presbyterian church, by Rev. A. Currie and were appropriate and impressive. From the church to the grave yard, a distance of about a quarter of a mile, the cortege passed. It was by far the largest ever seen in our town. The employees of the late firm, of which deceased was a member were in attendance in large numbers, and with bowed heads and grief stricken faces they testified the affection and esteem in which they held their late employer. We should estimate the number in the procession at not less, certainly, than a thousand, while it may have been many more.

On Monday morning hands were put on the A. & N. C. R. R., at La Grange and Goldsboro, to widen the track between those points and it was intended that a wide gauge engine and cars should proceed to La Grange and turn over passengers and mail to a narrow gauge train, which was not to come down the road on the regular schedule, but night closed in on the hands and caught them in two miles apart, consequently the wide gauge train from Goldsboro could not get within eight miles of La Grange as the two miles of road unchanged prevented the train from reaching the remaining stretch of widened road between that point and La Grange consequently the mail was delayed until yesterday noon. The gauge we learn, was changed yesterday to falling Creek and the wide gauge train meeting the narrow gauge train at that point, the mail arrived here last night about 8 o'clock. The entire change on the road we learn, will be completed in about a week.—Nat Shell of 26th.

TRAGEDY.—Last week, on Tuesday the 25th of last month, our county was the scene of one of those unfortunate tragedies, which occasionally occur, in all communities, despite civilization and the holier influences of religion. Late in the evening, our village was startled by the information that Geo. W. Swepson had shot, and it was feared, mortally wounded Capt. A. G. Moore, of the well known firm of Holt & Moore, proprietors of the Granite Cotton Factory. Dr. G. W. Long hurried to the spot, in obedience to a hasty message, where he was soon joined by Doctors B. F. Mebane, J. S. Murphy, J. A. Moore. The shot man, Capt. A. G. Moore, was found lying in the road, nearly opposite the house of G. W. Swepson, near the Haw River House. He had a large sized ball through his left arm, above the shoulder, and into his chest, from the effects of which all the lower part of his body was completely paralyzed. The wounded man was immediately taken a short distance to the home of Col. T. M. Holt, his business partner and brother-in-law. As soon as the Doctors made a thorough examination the wound was pronounced mortal. The unfortunate man had so regarded it from the moment the fatal shot was fired. Dr. R. W. Glenn from Greensboro was summoned, and all that love, affection and skill could do was done, but in despite of all Capt. A. G. Moore, after great suffering died about six and a half o'clock on the evening of the 27th. Immediately after the shooting Geo. W. Swepson sent a messenger to the Sheriff, who went, and to whom he surrendered himself. A judicial investigation before Esquires, G. D. Cobb, S. A. White and T. J. Turner was commenced on Wednesday evening, continuing up to the present and will doubtless continue for several days longer.

Quite a crowd is in attendance each day. A large number of witnesses have already been examined and at this writing (Saturday) many others are to examine.

An attempted account of the causes and circumstances which led to the sad affair might be unjust to the living or to the memory of the dead, and besides we think such accounts capable of thwarting the ends of justice, while no good purpose can thereby be served; therefore, we shall not attempt a publication of the evidence or a synopsis thereof. The state is represented by Messrs Dillard & Gilmer of Greensboro and Capt. J. A. Graham of this town. The prisoner is represented by Col. T. C. Fuller of Raleigh. Col. Thos. Ruffin of Hillsboro and Messrs Boyd Basson & Parker of Graham. The deceased was well known throughout the county, and his portion of the state and had many warm friends upon whom the news of his tragic death produced great sorrow. The accused G. W. Swepson is also well known throughout the State and beyond its limits. Taking it all in all it is one of the saddest occurrences that has afflicted any community, within our knowledge, for a long time. We will say no more. Capt. A. G. Moore is dead. Geo. W. Swepson is charged with his murder. Judicial investigation into the charge is now going on.

CHARLESTON, W. V., Jan. 26. Dawson and Estess, the Lee murderers were taken from jail to the woods and probably hung.

A colored man, Dorilly, was killed by Hines early this evening. A negro crowd took Hines from the jail to the woods.

St. LOUIS, Jan. 26.—Babeek and witnesses in his case were notified that they need not appear on Monday at McKee's trial will not be completed.

New York, Jan. 22.—The direct Cable Company offers \$2,500 for the discovery of the vessel that broke their cable and 2 500 more for the conviction of the offender.

Charles O'Connor considers the danger past, and is improving rapidly.

Seven heifers purchased in Kentucky for \$35,000, arrived at Jersey City. They are the breed known as the Rose of Sharon, and were bought for persons in England to whom they will be shipped.

A Ragusa correspondent telegraphs the London Times that there had been two days fighting; 280 Turks and 100 insurgents killed.

The Paris Monitor announces that ex-President Thiers will contest deputyship of the 9th Paris arrondissement.

The Toronto jury in the case of ex-alderman Clements, charged with procuring an abortion upon Miss Gilmore, return a verdict of not guilty.

LIVERPOOL, Jan. 22.—Stormy weather still continues. Notwithstanding the net work of telegraph lines between this place and London, communication is entirely destroyed, a circumstance that has not occurred before for years.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 22.—Seventy Republicans in Joint Caucus last night appointed the following "Union Republican Congressional Committee": Craig and West, of the Senate; Wheeler, Burchard, Lynch and Page, of the House.

Marion Star, Alex. Ellerbe and his family, consisting of his wife and five children, have been living on the plantation of Mr. Wesley and White six miles from town. Ellerbe and his wife visited a neighbor last Sunday afternoon and returned about two hours after dark, just as the morning roof of his house fell in. All five of his children—aged respectively from two to fourteen years, were consumed in the burning building. The remains of four children seemed to have been in bed locked in sweet sleep, while the remains of the oldest one, a girl, was found near the door.

P. T. Barnum, the showman, is at busily engaged in perfecting arrangements for a centennial show during the coming summer, which is to eclipse all his former efforts. He will have employed 1100 men and women and 500 horses and ponies, and it will require 120 railroad cars for transportation purposes. He proposes to visit all the prominent cities and towns in the United States, going as far East as Bangor, and as far West as Kansas City.

General Beauregard states in his petition for the removal of his political disabilities, that it is made at the request of his friends, in view of his becoming a member of the Louisiana Board of Levee Commissioners, "so that there should be no doubt of his ability to hold a State office."

Steamer City of Melbourne from Sydney, has arrived. She brought despatches from the Sandwich Island government which were forwarded to Washington, granting protection to Capt. James I. Waddell, of the Pacific Mail service. He commanded the Shenandoah during the war.

A lady spiritualist Mrs. Hamilton from Portugal Michigan is creating a sensation in Fayetteville. She displays her great gift as clairvoyant by calling up spirits, who are recognized as old citizens of the town and answers questions with wonderful accuracy.

In Cincinnati recently a physician died, was buried, and an administrator appointed. Among the bills presented to the administrator for payment was one from a brother of the deceased for \$7,50, expenses incurred in attending the funeral of his dead brother.

A MEDICAL STUDENT DROWNED.—F. W. McCorkle, of Newton N. C., a medical student at the Maryland University, was drowned on Saturday night by falling in Jones' Fall at the foot of Platanal street, in Baltimore.—Daily Sentinel.

President Eliot, of Harvard College, in a letter to Professor Joyner, of Vanderbilt University, at Nashville Tenn., says: "I am an advocate of compulsory elementary education, and of an enforced reading and writing test for the ballot."

Since the 1st of December 600 persons nearly all colored, have emigrated from Georgia to the Western and Southern States, while 250 negroes have left the turpentine districts of North Carolina for Florida in the last fortnight.

The result of the French senatorial election is still in doubt. The prime minister has the returns but will not let the papers publish them and it is supposed by this that it is not favorable to the government.

Robert Alston, of South Carolina ruined by the war, sent a letter to the New York Tribune, detailing his pitiful story. Daniel Denney, a Boston merchant, sent him a check for \$5,000.

Of the one hundred and seventy-eight Congregational clergymen who died last year, eight were eighty years old, and only six over forty. The average age was over sixty-four years.

Mr. Geo. W. Hardwick, late of the Lynchburg Republican has become associate editor of the Wilmington Star. Mr. H. is a good writer and a professional newspaper man.

670 French paintings, to sculptures and 60 engravings have been selected by the French commission, appointed for the purpose to be sent to the centennial.

A. B. Davis Esq. of Charlotte has been appointed by Dr. Columbus Mills Master of the State Grange to deliver a lecture upon grasses before the National Grange at its next session.

Rev. W. C. Child, D. D., a prominent Baptist minister of Boston, died on the 14 inst. He was a graduate of Union College.

At a recent leap year party in Wilmington a bouquet was presented to the young gentleman who was elected the "belle" of the evening.

European governments will reserve their replies to the American-Cuban note until they consult each other in regard to it.

"Sap-gaga" is the newest western lexicographic horror as applied to certain political characters.

Bessie Turner received ten times as much for her book as Shakespeare did for his plays.

Canadian poultry, as well as Canadian meat, has been successfully shipped to England and meets with ready sale.

A Mrs. Gause is lecturing around Toisnot on phrenology and matrimony.

Mrs. Andrew Johnson, widow of the Ex-President, is dead.

Judge David Davis of Illinois, is leaning up, as a prominent Democratic candidate for President.

A large eagle is reported as having flown over Charlotte recently.

Dean, the celebrated Hungarian statesman, is reported dying.

The following card we take the liberty of publishing for the benefit of our granger friends, and others.

The North Carolina State Grange P. of H. will hold its third annual session in Greensboro, beginning Tuesday, Feb. 15th. Every master of a Sub Grange is entitled to admission as a delegate (there will be no election for delegates in the several counties as heretofore.) Arrangements will be made with hotels and railroads for reduced rates of fare for all members in attendance. G. W. LAWRENCE Sec'y.

Knocked senseless. Durham P. G. A difficulty occurred between T. G. Cozart and G. A. Reams last Friday evening in the course of which Reams received a severe wound over his left eye. He was knocked senseless and knew nothing for some time. It was at first thought his skull was broken but upon examination that was found to be a mistake. Up to this writing he has not been able to get out.

Mark Taylor, a young negro at Sealed, Mo., has gone mad and believes himself the Savior. In his paroxysms he recites whole chapters and even books of the bible without missing a word, a feat all the more remarkable because he cannot read and was always a vicious boy.

Wages are ten cents a day in China, but with those ten cents you can subscribe for a daily paper, buy a pair of stockings, witness a play that lasts nineteen hours, and have a comfortable sum left to send to the benighted denizens of the New World to be used for missionary purposes.

Gen. Johnson, Charlotte Observer: That noble old Roman, Gen. Joseph E. Johnson, arrived in this city yesterday morning, and spent the greater part of the day, leaving in the afternoon for Statesville. He will return in a few days.

At a shooting match in Johnston county a man named, W. H. Jernigan got into a difficulty with a man, named Tom Barefoot, when a fight ensued Jernigan striking Barefoot with a bed slat and killing him almost instantly. Jernigan escaped.

It is seasonably suggested that those who are making the most fuss about the official employment of Union soldiers, were so far in the rear that they had no chance to get acquainted with Union Soldiers during the war, or to find out who really did the fighting.

W. T. Austin a citizen of Stokes county was found dead in his room in a hotel in Wilmington, suffocated with gas.

The Lincoln Progress is "reliably informed that eight mad dogs were killed in the western end of that county this week."

It is stated that the shops of the western North Carolina Railroad will shortly be moved from Salisbury to Morganton.

S. F. Terry has been ousted out of the Reidsville postoffice to make room for R. H. Wray, another faithful one.

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Sealed proposals for making and burning (200,000) two hundred thousand good brick at or near Maj. James W. Leas store, for the purpose of building a church at Cross Roads Alamance county, N. C., will be received by the building committee till 1 o'clock P. M., of the 1st Monday of March, at which time and place, the contract will be awarded. Wood water and plank for coverings hawks and kilns with privilege of a good yard furnished to hand. The brick are to be made as soon as the season opens.

The clay was tested by the late John Berry and pronounced by him to be equal to any in the State. Specimens of the brick made by him can be seen in the Chimneys at Maj. Leas. Water can be turned on the clay by means of troughs without lifting. An approved bond of \$1,500.00 one thousand five hundred dollars will be required for the faithful performance of the contract.

A. MURRAY, Esq. Pleasant Grove Alamance Co. JAMES MURRAY, ex Sheriff. ANDREW MURRAY, Esq. W. P. BARNWELL, Esq. CAPT. B. F. WHITE. MAJ. JAS. W. LEAS. ROBERT A. HODGE. W. J. WALKER. Committee. BENJ. F. WHITE, Sec. Jan. 22 1876.

COMMERCIAL. Graham Market.

Tuesday, Feb. 1, 1876.

Table listing market prices for various commodities including Apples, Beans, Butter, Corn, Flour, Hides, Lard, Meat, Oats, Onions, Peas, Potatoes, Pork, Peaches, Rags, Shingles, Tallow, and Wood.

Durham Tobacco Market.

Receipts very good. Great deal of wet tobacco on the market: would urge planters not to put their tobacco on the market unless in good order.

Table listing prices for tobacco products including Common, Medium, Good, and Smokers grades.

PROBATE COURT. Alamance County.

James A. Turrentine as Administrator of John S. Turrentine, Plaintiff, vs. G. D. Cobb and wife Catherine E. Joseph Fix and wife Sarah J. W. H. Turrentine and Joseph D. Turrentine, Defendants.

State of North Carolina. To the Sheriff of Alamance County—Greeting: You are hereby commanded to summon G. D. Cobb and wife Catherine E. Joseph Fix and wife Sarah J. W. H. Turrentine and Joseph D. Turrentine, the defendants above named, if they be found within your county to appear at the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court for the County of Alamance within twenty days after the service of this summons on them, exclusive of the day of such service, and answer the complaint which will be deposited in the office of said Clerk within ten days from the date of this summons: And let said defendants take notice that if they fail to answer the complaint within that time the plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the complaint.

Herein full not and of this summons make due return. Given under my hand and the seal of said Court, this 27 day of Nov. 1875.

In the above proceeding, it appearing to the satisfaction of the court, that Joseph D. Turrentine is a party thereto, and that he is a non-resident of the State, it is ordered, that publication be made in the Alamance Gleaner for six successive weeks in lieu of personal service of summons upon said Joseph D. Turrentine at office in Graham, this 27th Nov. 1875.

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SCHEDULE. FIEDMONT AIR-LINE RAILWAY

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CONDENSED TIME-TABLE. In Effect on and after Sunday, Dec 19th, 1875.

GOING NORTH. STATIONS. MAIL.

Table showing train schedule for going north, including stations like Leave Charlotte, Air-Line Junction, Salisbury, Greensboro, Danville, Dundas, and Arrive at Richmond.

GOING SOUTH. STATIONS. MAIL.

Table showing train schedule for going south, including stations like Leave Richmond, Burkville, Dundas, Danville, Greensboro, Salisbury, Air-Line Junction, and Arrive at Charlotte.

GOING EAST. GOING WEST. STATIONS. MAIL. MAIL.

Table showing train schedule for going east and west, including stations like Leave Greensboro, Co. Shops, Ar. Raleigh, Ar. at Goldsboro, and Ar. at Goldsboro.

NORTH WESTERN N. C. R. W. (SALEM BRANCH).

Table showing train schedule for the Salem branch, including stations like Leave Greensboro, Arrive at Salem, Leave Salem, and Arrive at Greensboro.

Passenger trains leaving Raleigh at 11:05 A.M. connect at Greensboro with the Southern bound train; making the quickest time to all Southern cities. Accommodation train leaving Raleigh at 7:00 P. M., connects with Northern bound train at Greensboro for Richmond and all points East. Price of tickets same as via other routes.

Accommodation train leaving Greensboro at 7:00 P. M. connects with Northern and Southern bound trains on the Wilmington and Weldon Railroad.

Lynchburg Accommodation leave Richmond daily at 9:00 A. M., arrive at Burkeville 12:30 P. M., leave Burkeville 1:30 P. M., arrive at Richmond 4:35 P. M. No Change of Cars between Charlotte and Richmond, 29th Miles. For further information, address JOHN R. MACMURDO, Genl. Passenger Agent, Richmond Va.

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