

Pousse Pâté...

And why not a pie-pusher as well as a coffee-pusher? It's far more necessary...

PILL AFTER PIE.

THE ROANOKE NEWS.

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 7, 1897.

TOWN AND VICINITY.

TENTH month. OCTOBER is here. This is the month of fairs. The days are growing shorter...

A SERIES OF MEETINGS.—Rev. J. A. Hornaday has given notice that he will begin a series of meetings at the Methodist Episcopal church here the fourth Sunday in this month...

DAY OF ATONEMENT.—Yesterday was known in the Jewish calendar as Yom Kippur, or Day of Atonement—the greatest of all the Hebrew holidays...

IF your child is puny, fretful, troubled with glandular swellings, inflamed eyes, or sores on the head, face, or body...

MARRIAGE LICENSES.—There was a little more activity in the matrimonial market during the past month...

FOR several months, I was troubled with a persistent humor on my head which gave me considerable annoyance...

LARGE EGG PLANT.—Mrs. E. T. Clark sent to this office one of the largest and finest egg plants we have ever seen...

NATURAL HISTORY.—"Now children," said the fair teacher of the class in natural history, up at the Institute...

MOVED TO TOWN.—Mr. J. L. Williams and family, who for the past year have been living at Littleton...

WITKINER'S CHAPEL.—The following news notes are sent by W. C. W. Children's Day exercises at Witkiner's Chapel...

DELIGHTFUL MUSICAL.—The music loving people of Weldon and surrounding country will be given an opportunity of attending a most enjoyable musical entertainment at Eury's Hall...

IT is the same old story and yet constantly recurring that Simmons-Liver Regulator is the best family medicine...

MOVED TO WELDON.—We are always glad to welcome new families to town. On this occasion we are particularly pleased to welcome as residents of Weldon in the future...

A GOOD PRAYER.—An exchange tells the following: "An old railroad man who had drifted into church where a revival was going on was asked to lead in prayer..."

MILINERY OPENING.—Mrs. P. A. Lewis will have her fall opening of millinery next Wednesday and Thursday, the 13th and 14th...

UNCLAIMED LETTERS.—The following is a list of letters remaining unclaimed for in the Weldon postoffice:

Yellow Fever Germ. breed in the bowels. Kill them and you are safe from the dreadful disease. Casarets destroy the germs throughout the system...

A Timely Friend. With perfect propriety may we call that excellent remedy, Salvation Oil, a timely friend. This liniment rapidly cures rheumatism, neuralgia and pains...

Yellow Jack Preventative. Guard against Yellow Jack by keeping the system thoroughly clean and free from germ breeding matter. Casarets Candy Cathartic will cleanse the system and all contagious disease germs.

A SERIES OF MEETINGS.—A series of meetings will begin in the Baptist church at 7:30 o'clock next Monday night, Oct. 11. Rev. F. H. Martin, pastor of the Swanton Memorial Baptist church of Swanton will assist the pastor.

THOUGHT IT WAS SUNDAY.—It is generally supposed that a young man has a pretty severe attack when he calls to see his best girl on Saturday night. Weldon comes forward with one, however, who is a diplomat of the first water.

DR. T. T. ROSS.—We are pleased to announce that our popular and efficient dentist, Dr. T. T. Ross, has returned to Weldon and has resumed his practice here.

H. D. ALLEN & CO.—We take great pleasure in calling attention to the advertisement of H. D. Allen & Co. These gentlemen have had large experience in handling goods and they start out with fair prospects ahead of them.

THE United Industrial company is having a commodious warehouse built at their mill. Messrs. A. & C. Wright were awarded the contract but Messrs. Eury & Driscoll are doing the work.

CRIMINAL COURT.

The Special Term Finishes Up The Business For Which It Was Called and Adjourns.

Halifax Criminal court, special term, finished up its business last Friday and adjourned. There were 120 cases on the docket.

State vs. P. C. White, defendant pleads guilty; judgment suspended on payment of cost.

State vs. John Davis and Homer Webb, l. and r.; verdict, not guilty.

State vs. Bailey Turner, l. and r.; verdict guilty. 10 months in State's prison.

State vs. Jack Alston, perjury, guilty; two years in State's prison.

State vs. Ashley Pender, resisting officer, verdict, guilty; 30 days in jail.

State vs. Allen Alston, forgery, verdict guilty; 8 months in State's prison.

State vs. Jim Jones, resisting officer, guilty; judgment suspended on payment of costs.

State vs. Wiley Phillips, l. and r.; verdict guilty; 8 months in State's prison.

State vs. Bartholomew Hamill, l. and r.; guilty; 4 months in county jail.

State vs. George Smith, vagrancy, pleads guilty; 60 days in jail, with leave to hire out.

State vs. Tom Powell, false returns, guilty; 60 days in jail, leave to hire out.

State vs. James Moore, l. and r.; guilty; 8 months in State's prison.

State vs. Lafayette Faulcon and Shepard Hockaday, l. and r.; pleads guilty; judgment suspended on payment of costs, with leave to hire out for costs.

State vs. Charles Harvey, a. and b., defendant pleads guilty; \$20 and costs with leave to hire out.

State vs. Walter Cotton, forgery, guilty; 8 months in State's prison.

State vs. Essex Johnson, a. and b., defendant pleads guilty; judgment suspended on payment of costs.

State vs. Americus Smith, l. and r.; guilty; judgment suspended on payment of costs.

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A CASKET OF JEWELS.

Specimens Gathered Here and There and Presented at Their Face Value.

Mr. W. A. Wilcox, of Halifax, was here Saturday.

Mrs. W. B. Tillery left yesterday for Edfield on a visit to relatives.

Miss Fannie Dankum, of Richmond, is visiting Mrs. H. L. Harvey.

Mr. W. H. Summerell, of Winston, was among the callers here Tuesday.

Judge J. M. Mallen, of Petersburg, was here for a short time Monday.

Mrs. J. T. Good has returned home from a pleasant visit to Lynchburg.

Rev. J. A. Hornaday is assisting in a series of meetings at Greenville this week.

Mrs. T. B. Dunn has returned home from a visit to her parents at Reidsville.

Mr. Thomas Jenkins, of Rocky Mount, came up to Weldon Sunday on a brief visit.

Dr. J. E. Shields, of Scotland Neck, was among the welcome visitors here last week.

Mrs. Aaron Prescott has returned home after an extended visit to relatives in Raleigh.

Rev. B. W. Spillman, of Raleigh, is spending several days here on a visit to his mother.

Senator Marion Butler was in town Monday night. He spoke at Jackson during the day.

Chairman T. N. Harrison, of the board of county commissioners, was in town last week.

Miss Meta Capell, of Rocky Mount, was here Sunday, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Parnell.

Mrs. H. C. Spiers went up to Macon last Friday to attend a meeting of the Woman's Missionary Society.

Dr. W. H. Whitehead, a leading physician of Rocky Mount, passed through Tuesday en route to Richmond.

Mr. W. W. Stainback, of Greenville county, Va., has accepted a position in the store of Mr. P. N. Stainback.

Miss Mary Long Green left yesterday for Greensboro, where she will enter the State Normal and Industrial school.

Mrs. D. R. Capell, of Rocky Mount, spent several days here this week on a visit to her mother and other relatives.

Miss Dora Hornaday went up to Macon Friday to take part in the Bright Jewels' exercises in the Methodist church at that place.

Misses Estelle Edwards and Pattie Summerell spent several days at Garysburg last week on a visit to relatives and friends.

Mrs. W. E. Daniel and children have returned home from a visit to the beautiful country home of Captain and Mrs. C. G. Sneed, in Fluvanna county, Va.

Mrs. A. S. Allen and little son have returned home from a visit to Mrs. Allen's parents, Captain and Mrs. C. G. Sneed, at Park Union, Fluvanna county, Va.

HOW'S THIS. We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

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Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system.

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A WARNING. To all evil disposed persons, gamblers or so-called fakirs, game of chance men, villainous infusers of country fairs, etc.

We kindly warn you to stay away from the show grounds of this show; you will not be tolerated for one second. The proper authorities will be informed each day when we exhibit to arrest any man or person engaging in any scheme for the purpose of swindling our patrons.

We advertise largely, fairly, squarely and honestly, and every act, word or feature is a sacred bona fide affidavit that we will do what we say, and we are in duty bound to protect our friends.

We repeat, no game of chance, no gambling, no drinking booths, will be allowed near this show. If by chance they are there, it is the duty of all good, respectable citizens to report them to the city authorities at once, and we will join hands in prosecuting them to the fullest extent of the law.

In coming to the Big Show don't let anyone make you believe you can get something for nothing. Have the exact change for your tickets, it will save you a great deal of delay and unnecessary trouble.

The public's obedient servant, W. H. HARRIS, Owner, manager and founder of the World Famous Nickel Plate Shows.

For Sale at A Bargain. A MONARCH COMBINATION POOL and BILLIARD TABLE—as good as new, been used very little. Original cost \$250. Will be sold for \$100 CASH.

Apply at This Office. THESE poets who are always singing of "the beautiful autumn season" never pulled any fodder, and shucked mighty little corn.

COUNTY MATTERS.

Proceedings of the Board at Their Regular Monthly Meeting.

The county commissioners met in regular session Monday, and held a two days' meeting, all members of the board being present as follows:

T. N. Harrison, chairman; A. A. White, J. P. Futrell, J. H. Norman and C. P. Anthony, Mack M. Ferguson, clerk.

The morning hours Monday were taken up in hearing from different firms who desired to put in bids for the erection of a wire fence on the county line between Halifax and Martin.

The tax collectors for the different townships were present when the afternoon session began and presented their insolvent lists. They were each given 30 more days to make a final report.

The new tax books were placed in the hands of the collectors, with instructions to "rush" as the funds in the treasury are at a low ebb.

The following accounts were audited and ordered to be paid:

ACCOUNTS ALLOWED. E. L. Whitehead, boarding pris. 10 00 J. H. Norman, con. pris. to jail 7 50 C. W. Skinner, " " " 3 00

J. M. Applewhite, building bridges 54 64 Jack Oliver, con pris. to jail, 1 80 W. B. Harrington, building bridge 94 75 O. P. Stallings, lumber and work on 13 bridges, 310 70.

A. Neville, repairing bridge 1 00 T. C. Newsum, " " " 15 00 Eury & Pender, goods county, 7 57 H. J. Wood, sup. co. home, 43 25.

Eury & Co., goods county, 1 75 Thos. Mills, repairing co. home 1 00 Me M. Ferguson, making tax list 154 14 " " " making out stub books 75 00.

T. N. Harrison, goods county, 54 53 W. M. Cohen, goods co. home, 15 75 Roanoke News, pub. notice, 2 00 T. N. Harrison, 2 days and mileage 6 50 Me M. Ferguson, recording, 9 25 J. T. Dawson, services Criminal at, 69 90 M. W. Williams, jail account, 235 95 J. H. Fenner, work court house 1 00 Louis Cook, " " " 50c Gil Williams and Alston, rep. bridge, 10 00.

J. H. Howard, goods county, 1 00 C. P. Simmons, conveying luminae to Bal. ch. 17 10 S. M. Gray, taking copies tax collector's bonds, 35 25.

Hartel's Printing House, printing 7 77 S. P. Wood, coffee paper, 2 00 Hale Bros., goods county, 12 50 B. Y. Harris, building bridge, 12 50 J. N. Brown, goods for jail 1 15 Commonwealth, pub. notices 5 00 D. C. Fenner, putting pump e. h. yard, 75 00.

B. I. A. Brook, sup. co. fence, 2 50 C. W. Dann, con pris. jail, 7 00 W. K. Pittman, rep. bridge, 12 00.

The contract was awarded to the Page Woven Wire Manufacturing Company, of Adrian, Mich., to build the fence along the county line of Halifax and Martin.

A committee was appointed to examine and report on the driven well recently put down on the court house square.

There was some other routine business but of no importance to the general public.

ADVERTISEMENTS.

Children are a source of comfort. They are a source of care, also, and on which the fate of the world hangs.

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SALE OF LAND. By virtue of a deed of trust executed to me by W. B. Finch on the 12th day of January 1897, for certain purposes therein mentioned which deed is registered in the Registers office of Halifax county in book 114 of page 314, I shall sell to the highest bidder for cash, at the court house in Halifax on Monday, the 25th day of Oct. 1897, all of the right, title and interest of W. B. Finch (which is one third) in that tract of land on which the late W. B. Finch resided just prior to his death, and is the land which the said W. B. Finch bequeathed to his mother Sallie F. Finch whose maiden name was Sallie E. Brinkley, bounded by the lands of W. V. Bobbitt, L. D. Johnson and others, the whole tract containing about two hundred acres, and lying on the road leading from Medoc to Edfield.

SAMUEL G. PARNELL, Trustee. Halifax, N. C., Sept. 18, 1897. sep 18 1897.

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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS. COATS, CAPES

AND BLANKETS

Of Ladies' Coats and Capes and Children's Coats, there are more than a thousand new ones to be seen here

A hint of these is given; no page would contain a description of them all. Of Capes the saving possible here is almost beyond precedent, and on blankets of which over a thousand pairs from 50c. to \$1.00 there is a great saving. Why, \$6 all wool beauties are here \$4.

LADIES' CAPES.—The special lot sold last week is gone. Here is another. Plush Capes, hood and fur trimmed, fine silk plush which you cannot tell from London dyed seal never before under \$8, here \$5.

LADIES' COATS.—Of good black Beaver, 3.50; stylish ones of excellent curly black cheviot, which should be here \$5.00 and are likely to be in most stores \$6, are here \$4. Such value, however, cannot be long unquoted. At \$4 also are stylish broad trimmed Coats of fancy mixed woolen cloth. Fine chevots at \$6.50 and \$8.00.

MAIL ORDERS PROMPTLY FILLED.

Watt, Rettew & Clay,

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