

Local Records.

A car-load of shingles for sale by B. Nooe Jr.

Five hundred cedar posts wanted by B. Nooe Jr.

Dr. H. T. Chapin has bought the old Jackson farm near this place.

Dr. J. H. Hric will be at Womble's Hotel, Monroeville, on 2nd and 2nd St. prepared to do all kinds of dental work.

The first quarterly meeting of the Pittsboro church will be held in the Methodist church here on the 19th and 20th of this month.

A colored man, named Manuel Latterloh, had his right hand badly mangled in a feed cutting machine at this place, on last Saturday, losing his thumb and three fingers.

As the editor will be at Raleigh for the next two months he will thank his correspondents to be mailed to him there, so that he may there have the pleasure of enjoying their welcome visits.

It would be very much appreciated if some friend in every township would write for The Record all the items of neighborhood news. Write all the happenings that may be of any interest.

Although the edit will be at Raleigh for the next two months, the Record office will be open as usual and the foreman, Mr. W. H. Battley, is authorized and ready to receive any and all subscriptions.

The railroad fare will be \$2.75 from here to Raleigh and return for persons wishing to attend the inauguration of Gov. Aycock, on next Tuesday. A large number of military companies will attend and make a grand parade.

There have at London's Popular Store four jackets left worth \$1.00, \$1.50, \$2.00 and \$2.50. You can take your choice at \$1.00. As to six caps which will be sold just as cheap. Come at once, for they will not last long. They also have a few trimmed hats that will be sold at half prices this week.

They keep the largest stock of clothing in the county at London's Popular Store, and they are now offering special inducements to cash buyers. If you need a suit now is your time to buy. Full stock of men's hats and ladies' undergarments. They will sell this week a large stock of men's pants goods at very low prices.

The county commissioners, at their meeting on last Monday, daily considered the application of W. D. Bright to retain spirituous liquors at Pittsboro. Speeches were made against it by Rev. D. C. Holt and Rev. J. H. Frizzle, and in favor of license by Mr. R. H. Hayes as attorney for Mr. Bright, and quite a crowd was present. The commissioners refused to issue license.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur H. London are visiting Mr. H. A. London Jr. at Charlotte.

Mr. Clarence Holt has gone to Asheville where he is clerking in the store of Mr. Moffitt.

Mr. Robert S. Thompson, of Roanoke, Virginia, has been here on a short visit to his old home.

Miss Lina Culson, of Leonor, returned home on last Monday, after a visit of several weeks here to her sister, Mrs. C. E. Bland.

Messrs. B. Nooe Jr. and T. E. Caldwell are delegates from the Masonic lodge at this place in attendance at the Grand Lodge, which is now holding its annual session at Raleigh.

Mr. Peter Perry, of Nebraska, called at the Recorder's office last Saturday. He was born and reared in Hadley township, and 27 years ago, when he was 30 years old, he moved from Chatham to Indiana, where he lived four years and then went to his present home in Nebraska. This was his first visit to Pittsboro in thirty years and he found very few of his old acquaintances still living here. He says that he notices a marked improvement in this county since he left it.

FOR THE RECORD. A Card of Thanks.

Harper's X Roads, N. C., Jan. 4, 1901.

I desire to return my heart felt thanks to my neighbors and friends who have so liberally contributed to me in the misfortune I had in losing one of my dwelling houses by fire on the 28th of Nov. 1900.

B. B. PHILLIPS.

Davidson Dispatch: Two little sons of Mr. G. W. Scott, of Arcadia township, died Thursday from eating what is supposed to have been poisoned candy on Christmas day. The children were 3 and 5 years old. They were sick two days and died in 14 hours time of each other.

DURHAM NOTES FOR BOND.

Durham, January 7.—The city today voted by a small majority to issue \$200,000 in bonds for a sewerage system and street improvements. There was very little interest taken in the election.

Sampson Democrat: A man named Watkins from Wayne county was recently a patron of Mr. Joe Nally's restaurant. He inquired of the proprietor what he would charge him for as much coffee as he could drink. Joe politely replied "50 cents, Sir." "At right," said Watkins and a pot was soon emptied. Another pot full was set up and Watkins finished it off drinking in all forty-five cups of coffee at one sitting.

Franklin Times: One day last week while out hunting a son of Mr. Lodge Row, was accidentally killed, the lead from his own gun being the deadly work. It is thought that he had sprang his gun to shoot some birds, but did not shoot. He then walked on with his gun in his hand, muzzle up, having failed to let down the hammer, and before he had gone far the gun fired, the shot entering under his chin and blowing almost one side of his face off.

Salisbury Truth-Index: Wednesday was our South River correspondent's birthday, and he tells us that there is a chain of strange events in his family. He has a sister born on New Year's day, he on Tuesday, his mother on the third, father and brother upon the fourth, another brother upon the tenth, and still another upon the twelfth. His parents were married on January 12th, 1865. Both father and mother were born in January. The mother also died on the date of his father's birth.

St. John Resigns. Norfolk, Jan. 7.—E. St. John, vice president and general manager of the Seaboard Air Line, has tendered his resignation to take effect on later than Jan. 15. During his administration, Mr. St. John has greatly improved the property comprising the value of the stock owned. Mr. St. John declines to indicate his future movements, but his friends say that several important positions, one of them in connection with a leading railway, are offered him.

THE DOWNFALL OF CAPTAIN KING. Norfolk, Va., Jan. 7.—Today's Norfolk News has a full account of the death of Captain King, a well-known and popular man, who died at the age of 34 years. He was a member of the Norfolk Regiment and was killed in action during the war.

CHANGING A WISCONSIN POSTOFFICE. Wausau, Wis., Jan. 7.—Owing to the death of Postmaster Lybrook, Mr. George W. Coan, private secretary to the president of the R. J. Reynolds Tobacco Company, to-night took charge of the office. He will represent the bondsmen and act as postmaster until Mr. Reynolds or some other person is appointed.

SNOW IN PARIS. Paris, Jan. 7.—Snow is falling in Paris this evening, for the first time this winter. Elsewhere in France extremely severe weather is reported, accompanied by heavy snow falls. Babies of tramps frozen to death have been found at a number of places on the countryside.

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SEVERE WEATHER IN SPAIN. Madrid, Jan. 7.—Heavy weather has set in throughout Spain. Snow is falling and the mail trains are delayed.

COMING HOME. Mamla, January 7.—Gen. MacArthur, accompanied by his staff, reviewed the Thirty-seventh Regiment Volunteer Infantry, on the Mamla field, this evening. All the companies were together for the first time since the regiment was organized. After the review the regiment was drawn up in close order and Gen. MacArthur, in a farewell address, congratulated the officers and men on their bravery, discipline and judgment, concluding his remarks with a hearty, "God bless you, comrades."

The Thirty-seventh will sail for home on the transport Sheridan, Thursday. More than half the men and many of the officers came from Tennessee.

Commissioners' Meeting.

The county commissioners held their regular monthly meeting on last Monday and Tuesday, and audited the following accounts: O. H. Dorsch, as registrar, \$ 4.18; J. R. Sears, for repairs on bridge at Kelly's mill, 6.75; O. A. Taylor, as guard, 9.00; Noble Ferrar, for washing at workhouse, 1.10; Louie Pennington, as guard, 9.00; N. J. Williams, for cooking, 8.00; O. T. Williams, as superintendent of workhouse, 29.58; W. F. Johnson, for supplies, 6.50; W. J. Stuchman, for tobacco, 1.20; J. W. Goldston, for supplies, 38.21; J. A. Knight, for blacksmithing, 2.55; L. E. Tyser, for supplies, 2.21; Jack Mann, for culverts on Raleigh road, 4.00; S. H. Boston and L. F. Williams, insolvent fees, 1.00; W. H. White, for pork, 9.52; W. L. London & Son for supplies, 4.32; F. A. Hawks, for supplies, 11.59; E. A. London, for advertising clerk's annual statement etc., 10.00; W. E. Daniels, for services as clerk of board etc., 29.85; Robert William Curtis Co., on contract for White's bridges, 400.00; C. M. Yearbrough, as ferryman, 7.50; Chatham Citizen, for publishing annual statement, 29.65; Edwards & Houghton, for stationery, 3.25; M. F. Williams, for wood, 1.50; Wm. Riddle, for blacksmithing, .80; Wm. Riddle, for jail fees and work for County House, 31.12; Dr. H. T. Chapin, as Supt. of Health, 10.00; Cole Printing Co., for dock-boards, 6.79; Ryan & Healen, for supplies, 19.75; H. A. Field, for pork, 9.80; E. M. Farrell, for building bridge across Tyrold's creek at Baldwin's mill, 215.00; W. O. Farrell, for one day's service on Baldwin's bridge, 2.00; Cole Printing Co., for stationery, 4.10; J. M. Foshler, for supplies, 22.19; J. W. Buchanan, for repair of hat at Ayer's store, 3.00; W. M. Moore, for work and material on Haywood bridge, 1.25; T. A. Hanks, for supplies, 11.25; O. H. Dorsch, for W. A. Thomas, for work on paying poll tax on account of poverty and inability.

AN EDITOR APPOINTED. Cape Town, Jan. 7.—Mr. P. M. Malin, editor of 'The Outlook' and the principal newspaper here, has been appointed to the charge of the Standard newspaper, consisting of editions upon the coast of General French and his troops. He is a member of the Cape Parliament and his arrest has long been demanded by the extreme loyalists. The authorities accepted bail in the sum of £200.

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Fired Upon By Negroes.

Visitors from Simer township reported a shooting affair in that township last Friday evening. Messrs. Crowell and Hendry, of Union county, who were returning home from the city, were accosted on the Providence road just this side of Mr. W. W. Alexander's by several drunken negroes who were riding in a wagon. The negroes refused to give half the road and when the white men protested the negroes swore at them. Mr. Crowell jumped out of his conveyance holding a iron bar in his hand, and one of the negroes fired on him with a pistol. He continued to fire, breaking several window glasses in Mr. Crowell's wagon.

The horse pulling the colored party then ran away. Messrs. Crowell and Hendry proceeded on their journey and in a short time overtook the negroes, who were waiting in the road. Immediately the negroes began firing their revolvers again and the white men were forced to run. They proceeded to the house of Mr. William Bigman, where they took refuge. A search was made for the negroes but they could not be found. It is thought they will be apprehended.

A Wedding Postponed. A man out in Arizona, who sent money to a North Carolina girl, expecting her to make the long journey to become his wife, is waiting for the bride that never came. Some time ago a courtship by letter sprang up between one Colonel McVey, of El Paso, Arizona, and Miss Sadie Wray, of Greensboro, this State. Photos were exchanged and an engagement followed, the conditions being that Colonel McVey was to send the money to defray Miss Wray's expenses to Arizona. The money came and Miss Wray came to Greensboro January 1st, commencing her long journey. She was met at the depot by Mrs. McVey, and from that time until her departure she had been in the city. A letter received by Colonel McVey this morning from Greensboro, signed Sadie Wray, asks him to hold on for a few days until she can get to El Paso, which she has January 24, between the McVey house and the depot. Thus is a wedding postponed.

Blown Up By Dynamite. Paulsboro, N. J., Jan. 4.—The tower of a fifteen-story bridge house was blown up today. An explosion of about two pounds of dynamite burst through the masonry of the tower of the Pennsylvania Canal Company's power works blowing the building into two fragments, scattered atoms of two young workmen over an area of 10 acres, hurled another's body a hundred yards away and shook up all the towns for many miles around, even so far away as Philadelphia.

Several of the workmen were slightly injured by the shock, or by flying bits of the wrecked building. Elwood Melville, a brother of one of the killed, was blown through a window of an adjoining building, but he was not able to go home. While the bodies of Wray and Kirby were torn to shreds and strewn to the four winds, that of Melville was found 120 yards away, divided of all apparel except a shoe on one foot and part of a stocking on the other.

22 Years in a Cradle. Correspondence of Charlotte Observer. There lives in High Point a woman who is known as "Little" Daisy Boone. She is 22 years of age and never walked in her life, being confined to a cradle all these years. She is the only child of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Boone, of this place. When three days old the unfortunate child sustained a severe stroke of paralysis of the left arm and side. She is one of a pair of twins, the other, a boy, dying soon after birth. When three weeks old her head began to enlarge, resulting in the opening of the fissures of the skull and assumed the enormous size of 32 inches in circumference. Soon after she was thrown into spasms from which she has since suffered daily. Physicians of reputation have seen her, some of them coming from a long distance to study the case, which is said to be unparalleled in the history of medical science.

\$10,000 Kissing Case. New York, Jan. 7.—The kissing case of John Kahl and Johanna Schickardi came up today for trial before Judge McAdam and a jury. Miss Schickardi sues Mrs. Susan P. Kahl to recover \$10,000 damages for alleged slander for asserting that she saw plaintiff kiss her husband John Kahl good night and put her arms around John Kahl's neck. Mrs. Kahl had further asserted that her husband had declared that Miss Schickardi had followed him in the streets and had kissed him. Mrs. Kahl further said that when she accused plaintiff of kissing her husband she denied it but admitted that she had permitted Kahl to kiss her.

The Spanish government is projecting the establishment of wireless telegraphy in Spain, Morocco and Tenerrie and the other Canary Islands.

One Doctor Kills Another.

Alexandra, La., Jan. 7.—Dr. S. D. Beville was shot and killed by Dr. C. J. Greenhill to-day. Both physicians were armed at the time, but Dr. Beville, it is said, did not have an opportunity to use his pistol.

The trouble arose over a case which Dr. Beville was attending and which Dr. Greenhill was called in as consulting physician. It was charged by Dr. Beville that Dr. Greenhill influenced the family employing him (Dr. Beville), to discharge him from further attending the case.

A Prominent Chicago Woman Speaks. Prof. Roxa Tyler, of Chicago, Vice-President Illinois Woman's Alliance, speaking of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, says: "I suffered with a severe cold this winter which threatened to run into pneumonia. I tried different remedies but it seemed to grow worse and the medicine upset my stomach. A friend advised me to try Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and I found it was pleasant to take and it relieved me at once. I am very much recovered, saved a doctor's bill, time and suffering, and will never be without this wonderful medicine again." For sale by G. R. Pilkington.

Opposed to Compulsory Education. A good many newspapers in the State are discussing compulsory education. We wish to be placed in the column of those who oppose forcing people to send their children to school. We believe in giving every white child in North Carolina every opportunity to get an education. We will go no farther than that.

Sore and swollen joints, sharp shooting pains, torturing muscles, rest, no sleep. That is rheumatism. It is a stubborn disease to fight but Chamberlain's Pain Balm has conquered it thousands of times. It will do so when ever the opportunity is offered. Try it. This application relieves the pain. For sale by G. R. Pilkington.

A Negro Kills His Father. Richmond, Va., Jan. 5.—At Calverton, in Goodland county, yesterday evening William Tyler, colored, attempted to shoot his son, aged 18, when the latter seized a double-barreled shot gun and emptied the contents into his father's body, killing him almost instantly. The man was escaped.

Sings the Cough and Works off the Cold. Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets cure a cold in one day. No cure, no pay. Price 25 cents.

In the past year Mr. Lone Sechrist, a blacksmith of High Point, mailed on 6,712 horse shoes at his shop. Allowing six nails to the shoe he has driven 40,272 nails into the hoofs of work animals.

To Cure a Cold in One Day. Take Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box, 25 cents.

A few years ago there were 52 bar-rooms in Wake county. Now there are only 21, all of which are in Raleigh.

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20TH CENTURY JANUARY SALES 1901.

W. L. LONDON & SON At this season are offering special inducements to house-keepers. They have something extra good and cheap in white table cloths, 30c. to \$1 per yard, worth a great deal more.

Nice large napkins from \$1 per dozen up. Their 1.50 per doz. napkins are something extra. All price towels. Hem stitched shirts. Pillow cases, sheeting, by the yard or bolt. They would call your especial attention to the low prices they are selling White Spreads and Quilts. An extra heavy cotton comfort only 85c. Very low prices on all wool white blankets. Now is the time to buy. The best and cheapest goods for window curtains either in white or colored, that are in Pittsboro. We will offer for the next two weeks if not sold sooner 1,000 yards of good calicos at 4c. per yard, 500 yards of outing at 5c., and many other Dry goods we are anxious to sell and that means extra cheap for you.

SOLER CURE INSTITUTE, Largest and Best Equipped School in the County. Spring Term begins January 1st, 1901. Boys and girls prepared for college or for life. Instruction by competent teachers given in all branches, Music, Art and Business. Special Advantages. Commodious Building, nicely furnished. Well organized Literary Societies. Board in clubs \$4 per month. In private families everything furnished \$7 to \$8 per month. Tuition English Branches \$1.00 to \$3.50 per mo. For further particulars call on...

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