

LOCAL NEWS.

The weather cool the last few days. The fly continues to bite tobacco plants in this section. The farmers are still engaged burning off new grounds. Butter and spring chickens are in demand in Danbury. Mr. Cabell Hairston is very ill at his residence in Stokesburg. A slight frost last Saturday morning, no damage to fruit or vegetables. Fishermen say that there are more fish in Dan River than for several years past. The Dan River Temperance Society will celebrate on the 29th, instead of the 25th. Pepper & Sons are receiving new goods every week, most of the time two loads per week. W. C. Causey will be in Germantown with his 'ice-car' this evening ready for Friday's exercises. We learn that Mr. Lee Nelson took from his trap seventeen large Red Horse one morning last week. Mr. Geo. M. Rucker, of Winston, says that the Italian Insect Powder is death to the Tobacco Fly. Pepper & Sons have the largest stock of shoes and the best assortment of goods to be found in Stokes county. These of our farmers who have plants are getting ready to plant their tobacco crop, some have planted a few. Our young friend and former townsman, Samuel H. Taylor, takes into himself one of Winston's fairest maidens this week. From Danbury to Abbott's Creek, 45 miles, we have never seen such a prospect of wheat, should no disaster overtake it. Mr. John Warren, a well known millwright and an honest man, died at his home near Meadows P. O. in this county the 7th inst. Senator G. B. Everett returned from Washington on Sunday. Not known as yet whether he received the appointment after which he was seeking. Capt. Wm. Barrow informed us on Monday that work would be resumed on the Winston Salem & Mooresville Railroad in the course of four weeks. A really good Iron Fire Proof Safe, about 22 inches square, weighing 700 lbs., as good a new for sale by Pepper & Sons for less than half its original cost. What changes do come over us! But yesterday Robert was a youth—to day a male child is born unto him. Can we not say, "Whither are we drifting?" Rev. Mr. Page, pastor of the Methodist Protestant Church, in Winston, had a touch of sun stroke last Sunday morning. Rev. C. H. Wiley filled his pulpit at night. The audacious tobacco fly, not satisfied with devouring The Plants, is now grinding its teeth for a charge upon the fence that surrounds the once flourishing yard. The wheat in most places in Stokes continues to look promising, though some fields have been entirely destroyed by rust, and many farmers fear that the crop will be a failure. Married, at the bride's residence, in Yadkin township, on the 16th, by Rev. T. H. P. Graham, Mr. James A. Walker, of Patrick county, Va., to Miss Susan J. Morton, of Stokes. Several townships in Forsyth have adopted the stock law, erected good substantial fences, and have their taxes almost entirely settled. This new arrangement will prove a blessing and saving to every farmer annually. We are reliably informed that several parties near Danbury who happen to have promising tobacco beds, have been offered \$5000 for a bed, and one or two men have been offered \$1000 for a bed. If they had been in Danbury we don't know where it is, but Mr. J. Pepper's orchard 2 miles away on the south side of the mountain is full.

ANNIVERSARY

Celebrating the 7th Years' Existence of the Cold Spring Sunday School.

A FESTIVE SEASON IN THE COUNTRY.

On last Saturday morning, the 15th, it was our good fortune to receive an invitation to attend the celebration given in honor of the 7th years' existence of the Cold-Spring Sunday School, in the eastern portion of Forsyth county, which we cheerfully accepted. We left Winston early, in company with several merry hearts, and were soon on the grounds where several hundred expectant souls had already assembled. Our feelings were something akin to the Israelites of old, as, after an absence of 7 years, we were thrown with relatives and friends from whom we had been divided by the waters of separation. It was among these people we spent the days of our innocence, and amid the fields and forests of Cold-Spring we have often chased the possum and the coon. 'Twas by the aid of these people our "young idea"—which cannot "shoot" any too well, as yet—was taught to take aim. In a word, everybody appeared to be at home, as not the least. The stage was beautifully decorated with flowers, while from either post was suspended festoons of the most delicate finish, while in the centre were two crosses twined with lilies and ferns of the richest order. At 10 o'clock, R. D. McCuiston, Esq. opened the exercises with a brief and fervent prayer, after which Miss Josie McCuiston appeared on the rostrum and delivered the opening address. PROGRAMME: Song—"I think Heaven is better." Recitation—"What e're God wills," by Hebrew Masters. Dialogue—"Sabbath School Sheaves," Miss Lucy Masten and others. Song—Poem of Life. Dialogue—Teacher and her class, Miss Adelia Masten and others. Duett—To be there. Recitation—To-morrow—Miss Annie McCuiston. Dialogue—By and By—Miss Flora Weavel and Josie McCuiston. Song—Ten Thousand Times Ten Thousand. Recitation—Earth and It's Creator—J. F. McCuiston. Dialogue—Reconciliation—Miss Victoria Masten and others. Recitation—Idolatry—John Robertson. Song—Even Me. Recitation—Covenantness—Miss C. Masten. Dialogue—Invalid Mother and Daughter—Miss Alice and Lou Masten. Recitation—Life—Miss Victoria Masten. Song—Beautiful Valley of Eden—Milton Smith and others. Recitation—The Two Homes—Miss Laura Masten. Dialogue—The Better Judgment—Miss Susan F. Cox and others. Recitation—Childhood's Sabbath Solo—Not Half Has Ever Been Told—Chas. Clodfelter and entire School. Recitation—German Watchman's Song—Miss Josie McCuiston. Dialogue—The Mourner. Report of the 7 years' work of School. Song—Marching to Zion. The Orator of the day being absent M. T. Stewart was called upon to address the audience and responded, reciting, briefly, the progress of the school at that place, the labor remaining to be performed and the reward of the faithful. At 2 o'clock the feast was spread and all partook with a relish indicative of good health. Dinner over, games were introduced, and every care that had infested the day gave place to mirth. At a late hour we bid adieu to Cold-Spring and its lovely, blooming daughters, for the enchantment which the tops of the distant mountains lent to our view. While the Confederate soldiers were suffering at Bull Run, Front Royal and Blantyre, during the late war, a company of ladies from Salem voluntarily left their homes in order to minister to the wants of the unfortunate. We give the names of these sisters of charity in order to perpetuate their memory: Mrs. Cramer, Misses Laura Vogler, Annie Shaup, Maggie Clewell, Lesetta Stewart, and Annie Bart. The half these women alone did will never be told until the glass is removed and we know as we are known. STILL AHEAD—Brown's Warehouse, in Winston, is still headquarters for the sale of leaf tobacco. This house sold for Wm R. Allen, one lot for \$59; one lot, \$66; one lot, \$62; one lot, \$68. Averaging \$59 65. On the 7th they sold 13 165 pounds, for an average of \$15.10. They have sold more piles, more pounds, for more money than any other house in Winston, which their books will show. When you go to Winston with your tobacco sell at Brown's, where you will always obtain the top prices. The picnic at Smith's mill last Thursday passed off quietly with no accident, only, the crowd was not quite so large as expected, and those present thinking all the chicken, pickles, pies, &c., had to be made way with, caused several founders. A SMART DOLL—There is a doll in town that can ride or walk alone, smoke cigars, &c. He is a salesman connected with Messrs. A. Y. Stokes & Co., Richmond, Va.

Taxes for 1880.

I hereby give notice that I will be at Germantown, on Monday and Tuesday, 7th and 8th days of June, 1880. Joel F. Hill, Wednesday, 9th, 1880. Wm. C. Southern's, Thursday, 10th, -- Wm. Neal's, Friday, 11th, -- Danbury, Saturday, 12th, -- To receive from the citizens of Meadows township, their tax lists, and wish all to meet promptly, as the lists must be completed within the first 20 days of June, 1880. JOEL F. HILL, Assessor. May 20th - 2w. FORSYTH SUPERIOR COURT.—Justice Buxton opened court in Winston on the 10th, which is still in session. We noticed in the bar J. M. Clement of Mocksville; T. R. Parnell, of Raleigh; J. T. Morehead, of Greensboro; C. B. Watson, W. B. Glenn, J. O. Buxton, Justia Field, J. M. Clout, G. B. Everitt, R. A. Moares, James A. Harrison, Mr. Baldwin, D. H. Starbuck, B. Y. Rayle, D. P. Mast, Chas. Teague, E. E. Gray, Esq.; R. B. Glenn, A. H. Joyce, Joseph Dobson and John Dobson. State vs. Mathew C. Moore, burglary, no pros.; State vs. W. P. Goodman, affray, 10 days in jail; State vs. Edward Hawkin and Lucy Jenkins, F. & A., guilty, 6 months in jail; State vs. John Pack, A. & B., guilty, judgment suspended; State vs. T. M. Osborne, A. & B., submitted, fined \$5; State vs. Philo James, S. Wagner and Alex. Perrill James and Wagner suborns, judgment suspended on payment of costs; State vs. Riley South, A. & A., guilty, fined \$5; State vs. N. W. Liddington, A. & B., guilty judgment suspended on payment of costs; State vs. Robt. Eldridge, misdemeanor, suborns, judgment suspended on payment of costs; State vs. John Lewis, bareness, continued, bond in \$100 bond; State vs. Frank Wagner and J. H. Graves, affray, guilty as to Graves, fined \$15 and costs. A good many cases were disposed of on the civil docket, which space prevents us from giving T. M. Osborne, and wife S. L. Osborne, J. E. Foltz and wife, Pinkney Burton and wife, et al., vs. E. W. Marshall and Geo. Leak, continued, with an order to take deposition of witnesses in Texas. The most interesting case was Lila Leigh vs town of Salem. The plaintiff claimed \$5,000 in her complaint. The trial opened Friday morning and up to Monday evening was still in progress. While at Court we succeeded in adding several new names to our list. Winston is undoubtedly ahead of anything in western North Carolina in the way of a town. It is rapidly becoming not only a retail but a wholesale emporium. All the merchants appeared to be pressed, while the mechanics had bitten off more than they could well masticate. A GOOD PIANO—Frank Leslie's illustrated newspaper says: "A good piano at a fair price is one of the wants of the times. An instrument that is durable, that is substantially made, and has all the qualities of tone which make a first class piano, can be had from the MENDELSSOHN PIANO CO., New York, from \$150 to \$400. For over thirty eight years their factory has been producing pianos, and adopting every new invention which has proved itself to be valuable. They can be compared by an expert with the instruments of the highest name and fancy price, and the result is surprisingly satisfactory. The piano is warranted for five years, and no purchaser has ever made a complaint. From personal knowledge and critical examination we can recommend any one to send for a catalogue to the above mentioned manufacturers. July 26th, 1879." YOUNG—BUT POPULAR—Among the many new firms which have opened in our midst during the past year, none have grown more popular or built up a larger trade than Griffith, Moore & Co. They keep a well selected stock of dry goods, groceries, notions, &c., which they sell rapidly at remarkably low cash prices. We invite your attention to this firm when you wish to purchase.—Winston Leader. Any words that may be said in commendation of these gentlemen will meet the approbation of the public with whom they have been familiar from their youth up. Their stock will always be found complete and prices low. The Horse and his diseases is a book that every man owning a horse should have, the price is only 25cts. B. S. Kendall & Co., Eousburgh Falls, Va., publishers. Send and get one. The next Quarterly Conference for this district will be held at Bethlehem on the 3d Saturday and Sunday in July. Joel F. Hill, Esq., who resides six miles south-west of this place, has six quantity of peaches. Dr. John Pepper sheared his Marino sheep last week and found that the wool weighed 19 pounds. The picnic at Smith's mill, last Thursday was well attended and proved an enjoyable affair. J. B. Vaughn, Esq. has the finest field of wheat that we have seen in this section. Rev. C. C. Haynes will preach at Winston on the 5th Sunday, inst.

Pause, Ponder and Peruse!

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We acknowledge the receipt of an invitation from Mr. John W. Neal to attend the commencement exercises of the University of North Carolina, on the 24 and 3d of June, and regret being unable to attend. Montague & Gray, who recently opened a drug store in Winston have presented us with their compliments. Cherries are getting ripe. A Free Book of nearly 100 large octavo pages for the sick. Full of valuable notes,—by Dr. E. B. Foote,—on Scrophula; Diseases of the Breathing Organs; Diseases of Men; Diseases of Women; Aches and Pains; Heart Troubles; and a great variety of Chronic Diseases, with evidence that in most cases these diseases are curable. Sent for free cent stamp. Address MURRAY HILL PUB. CO., No. 129 E. 28th Street, N Y March 25, 1880. 6m. Price Within the reach of All. Most popular books since printing was invented. The Full and Complete Lectures of COL. R. G. INGERSOLL, No. 1. Mistakes of Moses No. 2 Skulls. No. 3. Ghosts No. 4. Hell No. 5. Liberty of Man, Woman and Child. 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