The Reporter.

THURSDAY, JUNE 9, 1881.

LOCAL ITEMS.

Commissioners court last Monday.

Rain in the southern part of the county, and Forsyth last week.

Seventeen convicts were sent to the Western railroad a few days since.

The small pox scare seems to be abating in the different parts of the State.

The days are warm, but the nights are cool,

Send us $1.50 and get the REPORTER to June 16th 1882, a whole year.

Services are ripe and very fine on the cliffs of the mountain.

Light rain last week, a great deal of tobacco was planted but the season was so light that a large number of the plants died.

Mr. S E. Allen and family, of Winston, N. C., are sojourning at Piedmont Springs. We learn that they intend spending the summer at the springs.

We received this week the first number of the *State Journal* published by Mr. John Spelman, Raleigh, N. C. The name of John Spelman in connection with a newspaper signifies true Democracy.

Thanks to Hon. Kemp P. Battle, president of the University of North Carolina for catalogue of his school for the year 1880 81, and the report of Rev. C. H. Wiley on the condition of the University.

LIST YOUR TAXABLES.—The law requires all persons liable to taxation to list their taxables during the first twenty days of June. Mr. Joel F. Hill was in town Monday and Tuesday taking the list for Meadows township.

The very best thing for North Carolina is that she should manufacture her two great staples, Cotton and Tobacco. There is nothing that will build a town so quick as tobacco factories, look at Danville, Va., Reidsville, Durham and Winston in N. C, and if not satisfied with that just watch Greensboro, Kernersville and High Point since they have taken hold of tobacco, they will go forward.

List of jurors for August term Superior Court.

H L Reddick, R J Petree, J N Blackwell, Joel T Simmons, Levy Rierson, J M Linville, J D Flynt, W R Shelton, W E Willis, N D Hill, F W Owen, Wm M Watts, W L Taylor, G w Smith, Mat Martin, W F Campbell, A P Young, G L Burton, J J Shaffer, W C Wilson, M L Merrett, John E Slate, Wm H Smith, Wm. W Withers, Jas Hawkins, J W Hennis, J B Tucker, Phillip Kiser, A J Helsabec, J W Pitzer

PROHIBITION.—We are glad to see a disposition manifest on the part of friend and foe to keep prohibition out of politics, but fear it will engender a feeling of strife, and it will between neighbors. This should not be, it being a question in which the people are individually interested, and should be fairly and honestly discussed, so as to throw the greatest amount of light on the subject that the people may vote intelligibly on it next August. We believe that any disposition to use fraud by the anti men will add strength to the prohibition cause, or, if used by the prohibitionists, will add to the strength of the opposition.

It is said that "seeing is believing," and that "acts speak louder than words." Be that as it may, the anti-prohibitionists are doing more for the cause in this county than all the prohibition speakers and papers combined. By manufacturing and selling poison liquors, and lawless men collecting at blockade still houses for the purpose of protecting persons who have violated the criminal laws of the State. They are fast turning public opinion against the legitimate, as well as the unlawful traffic in whiskey. If public opinion once set squarely against it, the traffic will be killed quicker, and more effectually than a score of prohibitory laws could do it with public opinion divided.

[Troy, (N. Y.) Press.]

Editorial Approval.

Mr. W. J. Melvin, Editor Warren, Mass. *Herald*, was cured of severe Neuralgia by the use of St. Jacobs Oil.

Danbury presented quite a war-like appearance last Saturday evening, squads of armed men galloping around town reminded one of the days of 1861–65. They belonged to the posse summoned by the sheriff, and had met here for the purpose of attempting the arrest of a number of lawless men, (about thirty in number) who *madam rumor* said had collected at a certain blockade still house in the northern part of the county. The still house was found the next day in full blast, but not a man was to be seen, it was doing its own stilling, a revenue officer with the sheriffs posse put an end to its Sunday work, by demolishing the still, and letting out several stands of beer.

HIS LAST DOSE.—Said a sufferer from kidney troubles when asked to try Kidney-Wort. "I'll try it but it will be my last dose" The man got well, and is now recommending the remedy to all. When derangement of the stomach acts upon the kidneys and liver bringing disease and pain, Kidney-Wort is the true remedy. It removes the cause and cures the disease. Liquid (very concentrated) or dry act equally efficiently.—*Am. Cultivator*

SYMPTOMS.—Slight pain in the side, the skin and eyes assume a thick yellow coat, degestion is impaired, an unpleasant sinking sensation at the pit of the stomach is experienced, the bowels are irregular, the mind fretful, the memory weakened, sometimes a slight cough, coldness of the hands and feet, sometimes loss of appetite and at others unnatural craving for food, dizziness of the head, depressed spirits, feeling of uncertainty, of having left something undone, but can't tell what it is. Take Simmons' Liver Regulator, it will remove all unpleasant feelings and make you well.

"MOTHER HAS RECOVERED,"—wrote an Illinois girl to her Eastern relatives. "She took bitters for a long time but without any good. So when she heard of the virtues of Kidney-Wort she got a box and it has completely cured her, so that she can do as much work now as she could before we moved West. Since she has got well everyone about here is taken it." See adv.

GREAT EXCITEMENT.—Commissioners court met Monday, though the crowd was small, madam rumor was very busy on the streets. Five hundred reports, more or less, were circulated regarding the desperadoes in the northern part of the county Another man reported shot near Russells creek church Sunday, from thirty to two hundred armed men reported banded together for the purpose of resisting the State authorities. Talk of calling on the Governor for troops, sending for artillery &c., and almost anything else you wish to hear. Be quiet gentlemen, no danger whatever, only half a dozen men trying to bully the county authorities. Stokes has five hundred as good, true and tried men as can be found in the bounds of this great country.

FROM THE HUB.—There is perhaps no tonic offered to the people that possesses as much real intrinsic value as the Hop Bitters. Just at this season of the year, when the stomach needs an appetizer, or the blood needs purifying, the cheapest and best remedy is Hop Bitters. An ounce of prevention is worth a pound of cure; don't wait until you are prostrated by a disease that may take months for you to recover in.—*Boston Globe.*

The Eastern end of the locust belt is said to be about Danbury, Stokes County. The belt extends westward as far as Franklin, Macon County, and how much farther, we have not heard.—*Lenoir Topic.*

Mistake brother *Topic*, no lucust in these diggings.

The San Francisco *Post* insists that our navy should be provided with artesian wells, so that each craft can have fresh water all the time.

Would it not be better to carry along a nice little cow lot with a clump of shade trees surrounding one of those cool mountain springs, and a nice little spring house just below it; fresh cream, butter and cool spring water would be so nice when one was away out in mid ocean. Plenty of those beautiful springs around the base of the mountain here, cheap too, much cheaper than artesian wells.

HACK FOR SALE.—

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Be it remembered that a joint meeting of the Board of Commissioners and Justices of the peace was held at the Court House in Danbury on the 6th day of June 1881.

Present.—F. Pringle, L. W. Anderson and B Bailey, commissioners. Joel F. Hill, L. F. Smith, J M. Fulton, T H. Bain, S Adams, W. N Blackburn, M T. Mitchell, Z S Ally, W. F Campbell, P H. Mabe, W V. Shelton, E W. Culler, Justices.

F. Pringle was chosen chairman, J G H. Mitchell, secretary.

The Board then proceeded to the election of a County Superintendent of Public Schools as required by law.

1st Ballot.—R. B Glenn received eight votes, Rev P. L Groom five, Rufus Smith one, J. W. Neal one

R B Glenn was declared duly elected

Registrars and Judges of an election to be held on the 1st Thursday in August next, on the question of prohibition, were appointed for the several precincts as follows, to wit:

Centreville—For registrar, Richard S. Watts, W. W. Johnson, Sam'l Slate judges.

Dalton—For registrar, H C Coe, for judges Wm. Newsom, Matthew Phillips

Covington's S. House—For registrar M T. Smith, for judges Z. T Smith, T J Boze.

Francisco—For registrar James A. Leak, for judges John H. Lowe, R. W. George.

Sands—For registrar P. H. Mabe, for judges J. B. Tucker, S M. Shelton.

Ally's—For registrar A. J. Brown, for judges Sam'l Martin, Henry Brown.

Mitchell's—For registrar M. T. Mitchell, for judges James W. Davis, G. T. Dunlap.

Walnut Cove—For registrar S. Adams for judges W. N. Blackburn, F J. Smith.

Germanton—For registrar T. H Bain for judges Wm E Willis, R F. Petree.

Wilson's Store—For registrar Joel F Hill, for judges J. B. Vaughn, A. J Smith.

Danbury—For registrar S. B. Taylor, for judges W. V. McCanless, S M. Rierson.

It was ordered that S. Adams and W. N. Blackburn, Justices of Sauratown, be authorized to have such necessary repairs made on Town Fork bridge as the present exigency may require, and report an etemized account of the same to the Board

It was further ordered that B. Bailey together with said Justices to view the premises and ascertain whether or not it is best for the county to select a new location for a bridge over Town Fork, and report to the joint board the 1st Monday in August.

The Board then proceeded to make the following levy of taxes for Stokes county for the year 1881, viz:

State tax on $100.00 valuation of property, 28 cts. poll 84 cts. School levy on $100 00 val. of property, 12½, poll 37½. County levy on $100.00 val. of property, 26½, poll 78½.

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EGGS, per dozen,	10		
BUTTER, per lb,	10	a	15
BEEF, per lb,	4	a	6
HIDES, green, per lb.,	5	a	8
HIDES, dry, per lb,	10	a	12½
TALLOW, per lb,	6	a	8
CHESTNUTS, per bu.,	1 00	a	1 25
RAGS, per lb.,	1½		
PORK, per lb.,	8	a	10
FRUIT.			
APPLES, per lb.,	2	a	6
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PEACHES, peeled, per lb.,	5	a	12½
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M. L. PATTERSON, Commissioner.

May 13, 1881.

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