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NOTICES.

Sleet and snow Sunday for the first this winter.

The poles are being planted for the electric lights.

Royster & Martin have the Bee Hive shirt for 75 cents.

The dance at the Hickory Inn last Thursday night was a pleasant affair.

Hickory now has five lawyers and we challenge any town to pick a finer five.

Rev. H. D. Le Quesne will preach in the Baptist church, Sunday morning and night.

The largest crowd of farmers we have seen in town lately was here Saturday.

The foundation is being laid for Links new brick store and the new Opera Hall.

Claremont college announcements are in press and will soon be ready for the public.

Every voter in this town should read over and over again the poetry, "The Voter's Dream."

The Michigan Legislature elected James McMillan, Republican of Detroit, as United States Senator.

Hickory now has two bar-rooms. A new one, a "White Man's Bar" has been opened in the basement of the Inn.

The Tarboro Southern is 66 years old, but vigorous and strong as in youth. May it continue to grow and prosper.

Fodder, shucks, straw and wood chickens and eggs taken on subscription. Some needed now. Bring them in soon.

The H. M. O. Band serenaded the occupants of Claremont last Friday night, for which courtesy thanks are tendered.

North Carolina is fast coming into prominence and popularity as a winter and health resort State.—New York Hotel Mail.

Senator Reagan, of Texas, has made his wife his private secretary. She gets a salary of six dollars a day. That's business.

The East Carolina fish, Oyster, Game and Industrial Association will hold their second annual exhibit in Newbern, beginning on February 19th and ending on the 22nd.

The Senior editor is still sick. He feels grateful to many inquiring friends and is also thankful for many kindnesses rendered and friendly calls made and words of encouragement spoken.

Who said anything about a bonded tax for Hickory? It is strange that men who would not have any of it to pay if it was levied should kick against it. Let's have a bonded tax to pay in twenty years.

The article in the two Neys which appeared in our issue of two weeks ago should have been credited to the Wilmington Star. Owing to the illness of one editor and the absence of the other, the boys neglected to give the paper credit.

"The Southern Planter" is the name of a new, eight page, 40, col. paper just started in Monroe, devoted to the interest of the farmers and farming. It is a neatly printed paper, filled with good reading and devoted to a good cause, in which we wish it abundant success.

SHUFORD & SHUFORD

One Price Cash Store.

We learn that Messrs. Jno. M. & Ed. L. Shuford will open a one price cash store in the A. L. Shuford building under the Hall. Mr. E. L. Shuford leaves this week to spend a month in the Northern markets where he proposes to buy bargains for all and at the same time familiarize himself with the one price cash system. This firm claims that cash rules the country and the ledger ruins it. Look out for their advertisements in future issues.

Hickory, N. C.

We don't want to be accused of being egotistical in regard to our town but there are few things Hickory can claim over any other town in the State and here they are.

Hickory has the finest female college in the State; the finest bank; the finest post-office; the finest hotel; and many other things just as good as any body else can claim.

We have new stores going up and many improvements are being made in every quarter. Hickory with a bonded tax of \$50,000 will be a city in two years.

Maj. C. M. Stedman.

Mr. Joseph P. Caldwell, editor of the Statesville Landmark, says this of Major Stedman in a letter to his paper: "Lieut.-Gov. Stedman is the best presiding officer I ever saw. He surpasses either Carlisle or Ingalls."

Maj. Stedman has been more complimented for his able and impartial ruling over the Senate than any other man ever was. He has made more friends in this state since the nominating convention than any other man ever made in the same length of time and is to day the Democratic choice for Governor after Fowles term is out. The more the people know of Maj. Stedman the better they like him and they have for him high home in future.

State vs Dink Shuford.

This was an indictment for rape upon a child four years and three months old. The defendant swore upon preliminary examination before Justice Bruns that he was sixteen years old and was bound by said Justice to the term of Catawba Superior court just past. The Grand Jury promptly found a bill against him for rape, under the statute making it rape to have connection with a child under ten years of age.

The prisoner had no means of defense and the Judge requested Col. G. N. Folk to defend him, who consented provided Mr. McIntosh and Mr. Ed. B. Cline were also assigned. A doctor was introduced as an expert and swore to actual penetration.

Mr. McIntosh opened the case in a clear statement of facts and law. He was followed by Mr. E. B. Cline in an able and eloquent argument which won him great applause. We have heard old and experienced lawyers say his effort was the best first speech of a young lawyer they ever heard, and it has really won him great laurels. Solicitor Osborne followed and Col. Folk replied. The verdict was not guilty.

The defendant came near being lynched before the trial and yet a jury of great intelligence acquitted. This should be a lesson.

Claremont College.

Having always held that Hickory, on account of its natural advantages in climate, water, etc., was especially well suited for the location of a fine female or male boarding school, and having always held ourselves in readiness to back up the proper faculty, it is with great pleasure that we announce that as fine a female college as can be found has been thoroughly established here. We feel safe in saying Claremont College has a fine prospect for a brilliant future.

The Claremont College building has stood for several years and a school by that name has existed—not lived—with but little prospect of better days until now. The building has been thoroughly fitted and fixed up and now the trustees of Claremont may hope to see it what they first anticipated. With a fine, large, and commodious building; with as fine a faculty as can be selected. Why should it not prosper? The college has at its head a thorough gentleman, a scholar and a fine disciplinarian, and every branch of study that should be taught at college has at its head one experienced and thoroughly competent to fill such a position. Prof. Will. H. Sanborn, who has been Principal of Davenport college, is now Principal of Claremont. He has raised the grade of his school and also increased his faculty. Prof. Sanborn, while being at the head of the college also has charge of the instrumental music. He was educated at Liepsic, Berlin and Vienna and is thoroughly acquainted with his department. Mrs. W. H. Sanborn is instructor in vocal music. She was educated in music at the Royal Observatory at Liepsic. Col. C. A. Cilly, is instructor in Latin and higher Mathematics and all that so weak a pen as the one we wield could say of this gentleman and thorough scholar would but fall short of what was due. A more finely educated gentleman would be hard to find. Mrs. J. G. VonBuhlow, at the head of the departments in Literature and Natural science; Miss M. C. McSwain of the preparatory department and Miss Annie P. McSwain of the mathematical department—both native N. Carolinians—were educated abroad and are thorough in their departments. Miss Janie Tillmabast has charge of the Primary department. Miss Laura Norwood, of the Art department, was instructed in the Galleries of Berlin, Dresden, Paris, Florence and Rome and is capable of filling all requirements for instruction in higher art.

With this faculty we predict success for Claremont.

A friend calls our attention to the 13 line item on page 5 of last week's paper in reference to Minister Jarvis's candidacy. In the fourth line it reads: "It is true etc" when it should have read "Is it true?" as the (?) at the end of the sentence shows a sentence shows a question is asked and not a declaration made. We notice also the word "be" is left out of the second last line. The article was taken from another paper except the last few lines. We knew Methodists who would not support Jarvis and we could have not repeated a positive declaration that those christians were running him. We would not have done them this injustice.

Buy a \$2.50 overcoat from Royster & Martin, Hickory, N. C.

Conover Items.

Again, after a considerable interval a few items from Conover will appear.

Christmas with all its charms and loveliness has gone, and the severity of winter seemed to dawn upon us yesterday for the first, but one of nature's most beautiful scenes adorns the realm this morn.

Mr. Hose Yount bid a last adieu to this world Sunday Jan. 13, 1889. His mortal remains were interred in the cemetery at St. John's Church on Monday.

The man who was about to trade a stolen horse to a darkey here for an ox now has his furlow to Raleigh, good for five years, such length of furlow would have been a treat to a poor soldier in the struggle between the States.

The Judge has given George Huffman a room in one of the County's most substantial buildings for which he will be charged no rent. Geo. was convicted of handing "devil's broth" illegally.

Rev. J. P. Stewart has declined the call extended him to become pastor of St. John's and Concordia congregations. He thinks his present field of labor of too much importance to leave it now.

Mr. Jerome Bolick now has his third patent on his wheel. He believes he now has the wheel the public needs.

There has been a re-arrangement of the shops formerly belonging to Mr. P. C. Hahn, and a new firm, having been organized has now located there, where they expect to build new buggies, wagons, carts, gigs, etc. We have not yet learned the style of the firm.

Clinton Smyer, who has been on the Spartanburg R. R. for sometime was at home a couple days last week.

Prof. J. F. Moser, who had been suffering intensely for about eight months with his crippled hand, gave up all hopes of ever getting it to heal over the nerve again, so he went to Salisbury and had it amputated last Tuesday. He writes he is getting along very well now, suffers no pain, his rest is not disturbed at night. He expects to come home to-day with his arm almost healed.

School has opened with an unusual amount of new students a considerable number of the old students are teaching in this and other counties. The western part of this State and South Carolina is more fully represented this term than in the past.

The business of the old firm of D. Roseman & Co. is being settled up now.

Jan. 21. E.

The Asheville Citizen announces the arrival in that city on the 17th, inst. of Mr. Walter Buel, late city editor of the Detroit Free Press, and his friend Mr. Preston on horseback in ten days from Detroit, Mich. They are in search of health and recreation and will travel extensively through the South. They were to visit Salisbury where Mr. Preston spent some time during the "unpleasantness" twenty-five years ago. We hope he found things more congenial and both will have a happy winter in the Sunny South.

Tariff Bill Passes.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 22.—The Senate to-day, by a strict party vote, 32 to 30, passed the Senate tariff bill. Various amendments were offered during the day and discussed the five-minute rule.

PERSONALS.

Dr. Baker is out again after a short spell of sickness.

A party of young ladies consisting Miss Pearson, and the Misses Collett, attended the ball last Thursday night from Morganton.

Col. C. A. Cilly, who is one of the faculty of Claremont college has moved to town and will practice law after one o'clock on Mondays, Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays. See his ad.

Col. G. N. Folk is in town this week. He has rented an office and will practice law here. Col Folk is by far the finest Criminal lawyer in the State and his family, and law class will be quite an acquisition to Hickory.

Mr. J. L. Ludwig, formerly of Hickory, but now of Birmingham, Ala. is in Hickory on a visit. His many friends are glad to see him and would like to have him constantly among them—provided he has no intention of robbing Hickory in any way.

Brethren, Forgive Us.

The Hickory Carolinian publishes an article from the North State on "The Direct Tax-bill," and credits it to the Statesville Landmark. We are sure that our contemporary did this inadvertently. We are truly glad to see our article copied, word for word, in a good democratic paper like the Carolinian, and we were still happier to feel that the Carolinian endorsed our just criticisms on the failures of the democratic party.—Greensboro North State.

Yes brother, we did it inadvertently, and if the Landmark don't kick we don't think you ought. You are happy at the idea of our endorsement and we are happy that you admit one good act of the Democrats the truth is that we had clipped an editorial from the Landmark containing about the same information minus the criticism, which we intended to copy, but being at home in bed the wrong piece got in, excuse us brother, we are sick.

Claremont College.

Pupils will be received on and after Monday Jan. 21st and charged from Jan. 31st the beginning of the Term. Music and art pupils may begin Thursday Jan. 31st. One half of all bills for Tuition is due on entering, the balance, the middle of the Term. The charge for Tuition have been made as low as the character of the instruction will admit and will be adhered to invariably. No special rates will be given; but when a worthy pupil of good character and mind desires admission and has not the means to pay for it, the Tuition will be remitted, provided the facts are attested by one of the Trustees of Claremont or some other responsible person. It is believed that the advantages now offered are unsurpassed by any school in the South. The faculty and equipment, the location and climate, the grade and scholarship, the building and surroundings and the ease of access and some of the factors that combine to make this result. It is hoped that the people of Hickory will aid us in maintaining a high grade school. Circulars of the college will be ready in eight days, and may be obtained on application.

WILL H SANBORN, Pres.