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Head our Directory.

Our lawyers are busy.

Read our marine report.

Support your county paper.

Petroleum banishes mosquitoes.

Next Thursday is the 4th of July.

The nights are cool and delightful.

County Commissioners meet Monday.

Plymouth was a "wet" town this week.

Notice the new advertisements in this issue.

For pure and reliable drugs go to Murray's Drug Store.

Mr. James Walters, of Jamesville, was in town yesterday.

Hon. L. C. Latham, of Greenville was in the city this week.

The town has been filled with lawyers for the past few days.

J. E. Moore, Esq., of Williamston, was visiting in town this week.

It is said that one of our society gents will have a new "hat" ere long.

Mr. Chas. Bell, U. S. Pension Agent, was in town on legal business this week.

For a delightful drink of Soda-Water and Milk Shake go to Murray's Drug Store.

Engine says Mr. Duke has a fine goat. No use telling it, he speaks for himself.

Seersucker, straw hats and low-cut shoes were out of season the first of the week.

Don't forget the 4th of July, ye citizens of Plymouth, but let us have a grand time.

Mr. John Day left per Schooner Janet for a pleasure trip to Baltimore on Tuesday last.

Miss Jennie Ayers, of Washington, is the guest of Mrs. W. C. Ayers, on Union Avenue.

THE ROANOKE BEACON is delivered at the doors of city subscribers for only 12c a month.

Mr. Jas. C. H. Benjamin, with J. B. Collier & Co., of Baltimore, gave us a call this week.

There was no services at the M. E. Church on Wednesday night owing to the illness of the pastor.

It is well said that no town of its size can boast of more pretty girls than "Fair Plymouth on the Roanoke."

The sweet girl graduate is now at home and in all probability is swinging on the front gate flirting with a dude.

Police Trucker has had a gang of hands at work this week cutting down the weeds on the streets and vacant lots.

Mr. J. P. Cooper, who has been spending some time in Baltimore and Washington, returned home on Tuesday.

Mr. Louis Owens while driving a young horse on Monday created right much excitement as they could not agree.

When in the city call to see us; we will give you a hearty welcome, an easy chair and all the papers you want to read.

We hear that the cotton and corn crops in this county are looking fine and there is the promise of a good yield this year.

The beautiful little steamer, Wm. H. Armitage, Capt. John Woodard, made an excursion to Windsor on Sunday last.

If you are in need of a good job of work call on Murray & Jackson, Chief Architects of North Carolina. Plymouth, N. C.

Mr. E. Ludford has made quite an improvement on his new house, on Washington St., by applying the paint brushes.

Our subscription list is daily increasing. We hope soon to have every man in the Eastern section and elsewhere on our list.

Sweetest pines of all.

Just opposite the BEACON office.

Hous, Wm. M. Bond and W. D. Pruden, of Edenton, and Solicitor Blount, of Hertford were in the city this week on legal business.

Mrs. Edmund Alexander returned to her home at Washington on Friday last, after a short stay of ten days with her parents in the city.

C. D. Loane has moved his family to the residence of N. B. Yeager onington street to the residence of Mrs. Goulet on Main street.

N. D. Norman, of the firm of Norman & Everett, commission merchants of ore, is the guest of his brother, Mr. Norman, on Main street.

Friends throughout the country will favor by furnishing us with any of local or general interest that may be in their respective neighborhoods.

If you want a good team for a long drive or one for a short drive you should the "Kentucky Stables." Sammie the horse to beat the most fastidious.

A. M. Walker of the firm of Walker, Myers, commission merchants, of Edenton, is in the city attending to the affairs of the mill owned by them at this place.

Sam'l. Baynor has added to the rear "Kentucky Stables" several new stalls not having room enough in the building for the immense stock kept there.

Henry Walker, of Columbia, and Miss Rodgers, of this city, came to Plymouth on Monday with the bride and Mr. H. S. Owens and wife, on Tuesday.

E. E. Meryan left Monday morning for the N. C. State Dental Association meeting at Greensboro this week. He returned to-day, better prepared to pull teeth.

Inviting our friends to see us we do not forget to extend the invitation to the as well as our customers. We offer all the courtesies we command as a business.

able to buy your goods cheap and get one dollar's worth for a hundred cents, you must look over our advertisement and see who the live merchant is. They always tell.

paper is published "for revenue." Gold, not glory, is what we are after. We say this for the benefit of those who think a newspaper is published for the fun of the thing.

J. D. Swindell, of Pantego, passed through Plymouth on Tuesday accompanied by his wife. Mr. Swindell was married to the fair daughter of Portsmouth, on Monday night. May they live happily the wishes of the people.

Business and professional men in the city are invited to the ROANOKE BEACON advertising medium. One indication that money is spent in the fact that those men and others who once got in the habit of advertising usually keep it up. If you do not know it would they would not.

Thanks to one of the prettiest young ladies in the county for a box of fruit left at the BEACON office for us on Wednesday. We appreciate any present given us, but none so much as those presented by the fair damsels.

What is Plymouth going to do for the coming summer? They need money. It is said by Engineers that it will take some \$3,000,000 to clear away the debris and put the valley in a condition for the people to rebuild.

The town needs cleaning up and the lots well lined. Our people should begin work at once in order that we may enjoy good health this summer. Don't stop at cleaning up your front yard but go around and tackle the back yard too.

Sam'l. Baynor, proprietor of the "Old Reliable Kentucky Stables," sold and delivered three fine buggies on Friday last. Mr. E. keeps on hand a stock of hand-made buggies which he offers at unheard-of prices. Call and examine them.

During the past week our town has been invaded by Preachers, Lawyers, Doctors, Sheriffs, Drummers, Railroad men, Luncheon men, Printers, Pension agents, Book agents, Insurance agents, Horse men, Jews, Peddlers, Tramps and Mosquitoes.

Miss Lena M. Hudgins, with a class of children from the Oxford Orphan Asylum, will give a concert at the Court House to-night. A full house is earnestly desired. The entertainment will consist of recitations, instrumental and vocal music.

The failure of the New York Cheap Cash Store, Moses Jeffrey, proprietor, last week has created much comment. His creditors, R. Schultz & Co., gave bond, are now in possession of the goods and will open stores at the old stand in a few days.

Mr. E. F. Duke has greatly improved the looks of his store by placing a "orning in front and swinging one of the most attractive signs we have seen in the town, out at his door. The sign is from the brush of J. A. Keenan, a quite proficient in the art of painting.

R. S. Cohn, Esq., formerly general manager of the R. B. Co., but at present the secretary and treasurer of that company gave us a call on Tuesday last. Call again if you do not stand down for all such. He left his address and money for a year's subscription to the BEACON.

Mr. Wiley Wiggins, one of Gates county's most prosperous farmers and business men, accompanied by Miss Daisy Parker, his grand daughter, and Miss Lella Mathias, two of Gates county's most charming young ladies, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Vincent. Mr. Wiggins is the father of Mrs. Vincent.

Quite a severe rain and wind storm passed through the middle section of this county on Friday night last, doing much damage to the crops. One of our reporters got the full benefit of the storm, being on the road at the time. He claims to be a "dry" man but from his looks that night he went "wet."

A mule became frightened on Saturday morning down town and ran away. In his fright he tried to take a trip on the telegraph wire, but after knocking down two of the poles, gave up the attempt and ran in a lot where he was captured. No damage was done as the telegraph poles were as once replaced.

We will present to our readers, in the first issue of every month, a supplement of beautiful piano music, which is, itself, worth double the subscription price of the paper. We shall begin in our next issue, with a National Ode, "Strew Flowers Above the Noble Dead," words by John Keynton, music by Geo. W. Morgan.

Mr. W. Fletcher Aysbom, who was spoken of in last issue as making a tour of the Eastern counties, has returned and accepted a position as local editor of the BEACON, for the present. He will resume his tour at some future date. Mr. A., reports crops in Beaufort, Tyrrell, Martin, Bertie and Washington counties as in a flourishing condition.

The Referee's Court is very busy this week. Four of the largest and most important cases on the Superior Court Docket are being disposed of to wit: Frick & Co. vs Hines, before O. L. Pettigrow, K. Biggs & Co., vs J. B. Walters, before A. C. Lehman, Marriner and others vs A. B. Melson, before W. M. Bond, A. M. Walker vs Owens and others, before J. H. Blount. The court is now engaged in taking testimony and as soon as judgment is rendered we will announce the result.

Mr. J. H. Truitt has been appointed Deputy Sheriff of Plymouth township, vice C. C. Jackson, resigned. Mr. Jackson has accepted a position with a Notion House of Baltimore, as traveling salesman. While we regret to lose one of our officers who has been so faithful to the duties of his office as Mr. Jackson yet, we congratulate the people upon the selection made by the Sheriff. No doubt Mr. Truitt will make a good officer, being a man of sound judgment and integrity, commanding the esteem of all who know him.

There is a rumor that Mr. A. C. Lehman a widely and favorably known Plymouth citizen, contemplates leaving us ere long for a home in South Dakota. We trust it is incorrect, for Plymouth cannot well afford to lose such a man. His high character, intelligence and usefulness would be missed in our community, where for years he has made himself honored and respected by our entire people. Coming among us as a mere youth in the hard and trying times, succeeding the war, he soon established himself as a man of force, courage and energy. He married in 1878, the eldest daughter of Col. Robt. S. Goulet, a lady of culture and accomplishment, who will be sadly missed in our social circle.

The following named persons were among the arrivals at the Latham House during the past week: B. F. Stearns, B. F. Duncan, C. N. Bell, J. C. Cabb, U. R. Bell, S. B. Moore, Max. Pines, W. A. Fleetwood, R. S. Cohn, W. L. Pablo, Samuel Camp, Albert Frank, J. T. Copeland, W. H. Hardison, W. J. Hardison, J. W. Anderson, J. M. Citizen, J. E. Moore, L. Schultz, J. B. Chesson, R. Schultz, J. H. Blount, W. M. Bond, A. M. Walker, W. D. Pruden and A. S. Brown.

The Creswell Academy. Perhaps one of the finest school buildings in the State is the Creswell Academy, at Creswell, this county. It has just been completed and is not only an ornament to the town but a credit to its citizens. We trust that the county will support the town in its effort to build up a school, by giving it a liberal patronage. Why not send your children to school at home instead of paying higher tuition for the honor, if such it is, of having it said your child is "off at school?"

Give this now enterprise your support that the best teachers may be employed for the training of the young minds.

The Ste. Lucy made her first trip to Nag's Head on Sunday last. Steam Tug Chywan, K. Toler, master, left the harbor on Monday. Steam Tug Wm. H. Armitage, Capt. John Woodard, is in the harbor. The Ste. Meteor, Capt. T. K. Poyner, master, was in our harbor this week. Steam Tug Nell, Capt. Chas. Schooster, master, sailed from this port on Monday. Ste. Hamilton, Capt. Quint Williams, master, left this port Wednesday for Baltimore. Ste. Somsie Hitch, Capt. Morton, sailed on Tuesday with a cargo of lumber for Baltimore.

Schooner Janet, Capt. Fred Chelton, Master, arrived in this port on the 22d inst., with a cargo of hay consigned to Messrs. Davenport & Piercy and Chas. D. Loane. She cleared the docks at 10 a. m., Tuesday, with a cargo of lumber and shingles from Walker & Meyers' mill, for Baltimore.

Schooner Annie Wallace, Capt. Jeff Overton, Master, arrived on the 21st with a cargo of coal consigned to W. H. Hampton. She sailed Monday with a cargo of shingles for Washington, D. C. Mr. Overton is perhaps one of the youngest captains that sails and the Annie Wallace is by far the finest craft that plies these waters. While in port the Captain purchased one half interest in the vessel, which formerly belonged to Mr. W. H. Hampton, of this city.

They have Returned. Mr. H. S. Owens one of the most popular young men of our town, and the successful salesman of Wm. T. Dixon & Bro., of Baltimore, returned home on Tuesday last accompanied by his bride, nee Maude Latham one of our most charming belles. This happy couple have been spending their honeymoon at Columbia, to which place they skipped a few weeks ago to be joined in the holy bonds of matrimony.

They were received with open arms by the groom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Owens, at whose residence they are now receiving the congratulations of their many friends. The BEACON extends best wishes to the happy couple.

The Dramatic Club. The entertainment given at the opera house on Thursday evening of last week by the Plymouth Dramatic Club was largely attended and a grand success in every way. The following persons composed the company who acquitted themselves with much style and credit: Messrs. H. H. Brown, A. C. Lehman, John Day, Clarence Latham, J. W. Piercy, and Misses Mittie Yeager, Myrtle Bennett, Bertie Jackson, Eva Lehman, Carrie Hilliard.

The following pieces were presented: Drama, "Out in the Streets." Farce, "Thirty Minutes for Refreshments." Farce, "Wild Injun." Recitation, "The Polished Boy," by Miss Mittie Yeager.

This company was organized sometime ago and has given several entertainments, but none was so highly enjoyed as the last one. The proceeds were donated to charitable purposes.

Consider Ordinance, No. 24. The newly elected Councilmen made a serious mistake when they repealed town Ordinance No. 24, which forbids cattle running at large on our streets after sunset. Not only are they a nuisance to the town both day and night but they are dangerous to our people. While on his way to church Sunday night last one of our citizens was attacked by a ferocious bull and but for the timely assistance of a friend it would have been a sad death. While it is a trouble for the people to keep the cattle up in the pen, yet it should be kept. We often see open, yet it should be kept. We often see ladies have to leave the sidewalk and take the street on account of the cattle.

Other towns do not have such nuisances and why should Plymouth? We would ask the Councilmen to consider this Ordinance and have it enforced before some serious damage is done.

The Oxford Orphan. Do not fail to go to the Grand Concert to-night. A class from the Oxford Orphan Asylum, whose singing and recitations cannot be excelled, under the management of Miss Lena M. Hudgins, one of the prettiest girls and the finest vocalists in the South, will furnish an evening of rare enjoyment at the Court House.

Be sure to go, remember, when you contribute to this entertainment you are helping to support 250 of the homeless Orphans of our state. Admission 25 cents, Children 15 cents.

FARM NOTES. A good year to grow plenty of roots. Kill insect pests now, not next week. A good garden is a paying investment. Feed the plant and the plant will feed you.

Bars argue shiftlessness; strong gates argue thrift. If you are careful to keep the furrows straight you will do faster and better plowing.

Too much corn to horses in warm weather will cause profuse perspiration. Oats should be used in preference.

When cultivating the ground to destroy grass only a few inches deep will suffice. One inch of soil, kept fine, on the top, will serve as a mulch, and in pulverizing it the grass and weeds will be killed. Never let the ground become hard and crusty if there is probability of a dry season.—EX.

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