

THE ARGUS.

DAILY AND WEEKLY.

LOCAL BRIEFS.

DR. W. H. H. Cobb, who has been attending a meeting of the National Medical association in Washington, D. C., has returned to the city.

THE Democratic party has been slightly disfigured, but it will come up smiling next year. It will take more than an "off year" election to knock out the party of the people.

Mr. Ben Southerland has just received a car load of serviceable horses, adapted to the needs of his trade in this section, which are now being shown at his sale stables on Walnut street.

FOR some time Mr. Wiley Horn has been losing his chickens. He knew it was some animal that was working the depredation, and Monday night he captured the varmint. It was a large mink that weighed four pounds.

THE "Baby Show" is abating not in interest, and applications for "space" are being received daily by the secretary Mr. S. K. Royall. The prizes, too, are being added to and the outlook is that the show will be an immense success.

THE Populists essentially belong to a hard times party, hard times is their cry, and the present improvement and prospective return of business activity, trade and better times leaves them with a platform from which the main plank has been taken.

SHERIFF B. W. Edwards, of Snow Hill, accompanied by his wife and niece, Miss Lula Thomas, arrived in the city Monday, returning from the Atlanta Exposition and drove through the country to their home after the arrival of the train. They enjoyed the Exposition exceedingly.

ONE of the most pressing needs of our community is a charity hospital. Every day or so the physical affliction of some poor and destitute person is reported, and there is no place where such can be cared for. Let our good people take this matter under consideration and act on it before the rigors of winter set in.

MESSES. Robert Kiersted and R. Bercaugh, of Newark, N. J., are registered at the Hotel Kennon. These gentlemen have been coming to Goldsboro for several seasons to avail themselves of the fine shooting afforded in this vicinity. They enjoy the sport and have found no place like this section for indulging in the pastime.

It is said that the time is coming when we shall no longer sit down to three meals a day, but shall take our daily nutriment in the form of food tablets. These will be swallowed whenever a man feels that "goneness" that is suggestive of dinner time, and the new invention has been pushed along in order to meet the demands of the 1,000,000 women in America who have no time to cook.

THERE was quite a fine break of tobacco on the floor of our warehouse Monday and the prices paid, were in every way satisfactory. In fact a number of farmers who have been patronizing other markets say readily that the Goldsboro warehouse realizes better prices than prevail at any other market they have visited. There is no doubt about it, Goldsboro leads them all, and this fact is going to be generally recognized and always maintained.

Mr. and Mrs. N. N. Aaron, and little son, formerly of Savannah, have moved to Goldsboro and taken rooms at the Hotel Kennon. Mr. Aaron is of the traveling fraternity and finds Goldsboro more centrally located and better adapted, by reason of our unexcelled railroad facilities, for reaching his trade and spending Sunday with his family than any town in his territory. THE ARGUS is glad to welcome them to the city, where they have already a wide circle of friends and acquaintances.

THE sudden death of Rev. Dr. C. Durham, at one time pastor of the Baptist church in this city, and quite a noted divine throughout the State, occurred at his home in Raleigh Thursday night. His critical sickness, of heart trouble, dated only from last Saturday. He was 51 years of age, a native of Cleveland county, served in the Confederacy during the war and in 1869 graduated at Wake Forest College, being then a Baptist preacher. He has preached all over the State and for ten years was engaged in mission work. He was the most aggressive Baptist in the State and led the fight against State aid to the University. He was one of the most influential men in his church, perhaps the most influential. He leaves a wife, the daughter of the late Professor Walters of Wake Forest, and two sons.

SOME time ago both the Methodist and Baptist churches at Indian Springs, about six miles from Seven Springs, were destroyed by an incendiary fire. The people of the neighborhood were righteously indignant, of course, and made every effort to

apprehend the guilty, but without avail. The burning of these two churches had one happy effect—it drew the good people of both congregations closer together, and being of limited funds they pooled their funds and joined together to build one church to be used by both congregations in common. Many of our citizens here in Goldsboro and throughout this section contributed to the building fund, and eventually a neat little church was erected on the site of the burned ones. This was to have been dedicated next Sunday; but last Saturday night, the same fire, doubtless, which burned the other two, set fire to this one and it was completely destroyed. It is devoutly to be hoped that the nameless culprit can be caught this time.

A SPECIAL train came up over the N. & C. R. R. Saturday night, bringing Mr. W. A. Wimsatt, and his cousin Dr. Johnson, of Washington, D. C. Mr. Wimsatt is the president of the Goldsboro Lumber Company, whose extensive plant and railroad are now operated at Dover, N. C., and of which company our townsman Mr. J. J. Street is vice-president and general manager, and of which the late lamented Mr. T. B. Hyman was secretary. The object of Mr. Wimsatt's visit at this time was for the purpose of attending a meeting of the company to elect a successor to Mr. Hyman, and for this important position Mr. Zach T. Brown was selected. Mr. Brown has been with the company for a number of years, and is thoroughly conversant with its affairs and competent for the position, as well as deserving. He has many friends here, where he was for so long an esteemed citizen. We are glad to know that the business of the company was found to be in excellent condition by Mr. Wimsatt and in every way encouraging.

SCHOOL REPORT.

The following is the monthly report of Superintendent Foust, of the Goldsboro Public Schools.

It makes a fine showing both for enrollment and per cent. of attendance.

The schools were never in better condition and discipline, and under the efficient administration of Superintendent Foust they are fully meeting public expectation.

WHITE SCHOOL.

TEACHERS	ENROLLMENT	ATTENDANCE
Mr. Arnold	45	94.26
Miss Lewis	59	93.33
Miss Blair	47	93.17
Miss Roy	37	92.75
Miss Slocum	48	91.60
Miss Spier	35	92.22
Mrs. Griswold	41	90.55
Miss Humphrey	45	93.16
Miss Farris	41	91.71
Mrs. Humphrey	52	94.83
Miss Stevens	48	89.61
Miss Hart	45	89.50
Miss Allen	42	88.03
Miss Fulghum	39	91.00
Total	635	92.27

COLORED SCHOOL.

TEACHERS	ENROLLMENT	ATTENDANCE
Total Enrollment	287	
Per cent. of attendance		74.00
Total enrollment white school	635	
Total enrollment colored school	287	
Total enrollment both schools	922	
J. I. Foust, Superintendent.		

DEAR ARGUS:—Our good old friend Mr. Jno. T. Dees is erecting a new dwelling house on his farm near here.

Rev. F. W. Farris will preach here Sunday at 3 o'clock p. m., it being his regular appointment. Everybody is cordially invited to attend.

Our community was deeply saddened Thursday on hearing of the death of Herman, the 4-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Ham, which occurred at Lake City, S. C., where they had recently made their home at 6 o'clock Thursday morning after a brief illness of fever. His remains were sent here Friday and were interred in the old family graveyard near this place. Mr. C. D. Ham, who left here some months ago and went to Lake City to attend school, came up with the corpse and it is a real pleasure to his numerous friends to know that he has come to stay.

We learn that Mr. W. L. Pike, has sold out his entire stock of merchandise here to Mr. Jno. T. Edgerton, of Kenly. Mr. Edgerton will take charge of the business in a few days.

Miss Rena Massey, who has been spending some days with Miss Ella Vail in the country, returned home Saturday.

The Rev. Mr. Brown, of Richmond, of the adventist denomination, preached here Sunday morning at 11 o'clock and Sunday night.

Mr. F. L. Castex, of your city, was in town to-day on a business visit.

Falling Creek Academy.

Granham's Store, Nov. 16.

MR. EDITOR: Prof Blackman has enrolled seventy pupils up to date.

The Cecropian Hall was full last Friday night, and the discussion was very good.

Miss Annie Orrell, of Selma has charge of the music department. We don't think that Prof. Blackman could have gotten one that would suit the people better than Miss Orrell.

There will be an entertainment given by the students Friday night before Christmas.

Rex.

PSYCHE.

BY G. C. PAINTER.

"Here comes, through an silvery Titanio, Of cypress, I dreamed with my soul— Of cypress, with Psyche my soul!" —Edgar A. Poe, Ulaume.

Sweet Psyche, I prithee, a while let us rest. For my body is weary, and much is oppressed. By the length of the journey and heat of the sand. As we travel together o'er earth's burning land; Let us rest by the wayside, and here in this dell. Will we drink from the spring while my spirit I tell. And thou shalt console me and solace my pain. E'er we take up our journey o'er life's sultry plain.

Dear sister, twinned with this temple of clay, Who hast led me, in pity, through many a day: Dost thou weary of helping thy brother to find a way through this world, while his senses are blind? Dost thou seek to be free from thy mooring below? Where pleasures are weighted with many a woe? Where each ardent wish is no more than a dream, And Hope dies in yearning for blessings supreme?

Full well do I know that the object of life Is to teach us to conquer what passions doest see To develop our nature, and teach us to glean Every flower in our paths where its beauty is seen: But this do I ask: Can a soul be content Where a life aim sorrow and sadness attend? Where sunshine never pierces the shadows of gloom That lie in the pathway that leads to the tomb?

Then Psyche to me did entreatingly And bade me to look at myself in the spring: "The form which thou seest is what I control, And is not thy true self, for I am thy soul: The world is thy mirror, wherein thou dostest see The reflection of what in thy conscience must be, And that is the beauty alone which is best: To the sight of the soul by the sunlight of morn."

I looked for my burden, life's road to pursue, But sought all in vain, it had vanished from view. And naught of my sorrow remained to depress. Where Psyche withdrew her most gentle caress. With courage I rose and made the resolve That the problem of life I in future would solve. I believe we will find, in approaching the goal. That happiness rests on the state of the soul.

Baltimore Every Saturday Review.

The Late Justice Jackson.

Washington, Nov. 18.—At the adjourned meeting of the bar of the Supreme court of the United States held this morning Secretary Olney presided, and Assistant Attorney General Dickinson, chairman of the committee on resolutions, appointed at the meeting on October 14th, reported a resolution expressing the high esteem of the bar of the Supreme court for the late Associate Justice Howell Edmunds Jackson, of Tennessee, and their sympathy with his bereaved family. The resolutions were advocated in elegant eulogies by Secretary Olney, Assistant Attorney General Dickinson, Hon. W. A. Maury and others.

In the course of his remarks Mr. Maury read a letter from President Harrison to Justice Jackson which, he said, he was sure would enhance the country's appreciation of the magnanimity and discernment that suggested his promotion to the Supreme bench.

The resolutions were then adopted and will be presented to the Supreme court by Attorney General Harmon next Monday.

Following is Mr. Harrison's letter:

(Private) "EX. MANSTON, WASHINGTON, Feb. 4, 1893. Hon. Howell E. Jackson, Nashville, Tennessee." "MY DEAR SIR—I have your telegram thanking me for sending your name to the Senate for the vacant position on the Supreme bench. My acquaintance with you in the Senate and the information I have had since from the bar of your circuit gave me, I thought, the needed assurance that you would exercise the duties of this high and responsible office with industry, fidelity and patriotism.

"I have never believed in a partisan judiciary. Only politics in the larger sense should have anything to do with such appointments. I would not, of course, appoint to the Supreme bench a man who held views of the Constitution and of the powers of the general government that I thought subverted or diminished the necessary powers."

"I have believed from my knowledge of you and representatives of others that you were a believer in the nation and did not sympathize with the opinion that a United States was an alien official or other infractions of the Federal statutes were deserving of aught but indignant condemnation and punishment."

"I know you to be a conscientious judge and God fearing man, and if the Senate shall ratify your nomination I do not fear that any passing criticisms which have fallen upon me for your selection will endure."

"I have been most sincerely desirous of obliterating all sectional divisions; have not been oblivious to the difficulties under which the South has labored; but have been always most insistent that everybody must obey the law and must yield to

every other man his rights under the law.

"With very great personal respect and with the best wishes for your happiness and usefulness, I am sincerely your friend."

BENJAMIN HARRISON.

Turn on the Light.

NOVEMBER 15.

DEAR "JOE ARGUS": Enclosed find a clipping which you will please insert in your weekly for the information of your many readers, who have allowed themselves to believe that free coinage of silver is the only thing now between us and prosperity and happiness.

Joe, we all need to be informed upon the issues of the day, but we need more than everything else "confidence." Our country is all right if confidence could be restored among the people, and while I blush to say it, nevertheless, I believe it's true—the Alliance has done more than anything else to destroy confidence. Better for the country if we had had another war than to have had a secret organization to influence the minds, as did the Alliance. Best wishes for you and THE ARGUS.

A FARMER.

The extract is taken from a recent correspondence in the Wilmington Messenger and is as follows:

"Now I beg space to notice briefly one other of Mr. Keith's wild statements. He says: 'As for other countries dumping their silver on us, don't let that worry you. They are not fools enough to give their wealth away. Probably they are using Mexico as their dumping ground, as she has free and unlimited coinage of silver, and while all the gold standard countries are having a panic and maintaining standard armies to keep down Communism, Anarchy, tramps, etc., yet Mexico, with a race far inferior to our Arian stock, is making strides that are surprising the thinkers of the world. Yet she is what you would call the dumping ground for the silver of the gold standard countries. They are probably flooding her as you say they would flood us, and this is why she is prosperous.'"

"My! My! What a dream. Now what are the facts about Mr. Keith's glorious silver standard Mexico? Simply this: You can take ten American silver dollars to Mexico any day in the week and they will give you nineteen Mexican silver dollars in exchange for them. Each one of their silver dollars contains five grains more pure silver than ours. Why should anyone be fool enough to ship silver bullion to Mexico to be coined when it is not worth 1 cent more after it is coined than it was before. Anything else about Mr. Keith's glorious Mexico? Yes; how much money has she got per capita? She has \$71 as follows: Forty-one cents in gold 17 cents in paper; in silver \$1.13, worth in our money \$2.19. Anything else? Yes; her laborers get from 15 to 30 cents for a day's work, while the laborer in the poor dole-trodden gold standard United States only gets from 50 cents to \$5 for a day's work, and then we only have about \$25 per capita, while Mexico has \$71.71 worth in our money \$2.77. Is it any wonder Mexico is prosperous and we hard up?"

Yours truly,
R. M. C.

"THE WORLD AGAINST HER."

The Boston Herald says: "The Grand Opera House was densely crowded last night, every seat in the vast theatre and most of the standing room being occupied. This was the opening of the third week's engagement of Agnes Wallace Villa and her excellent company. The bill was changed the attraction being Mr. Frank Harvey's thrilling English melodrama success, entitled "The World Against Her." This was the first presentation of the play in this city, and its reception augurs for it a week of great success. The curtain was raised at the conclusion of every act, and this was not sufficient, for those causing the demonstration were obliged to step before the footlights and the acknowledgments. Agnes Wallace Villa enacts the role of Madge Carlton, representing a loving wife and fond mother. Suspicion is attached to her on account of her holding a secret for a reckless young woman, and her husband is separated from her by divorce, her child stolen from her, and in the words of the title of the play—"The World Against Her," is strongly illustrated. Her wanderings through the slums of London and falling in with the worst people, is a pretty picture of human life in the midst of adversity. Throughout the whole piece the scenes and incidents are so greatly changed that it seems really surprising that so much can be embodied in one drama. As in all such plays everything turns out happily at the end, the persecuted are made contented and the villains are brought to justice.

"The play is full of action; all the incidents are stirring; the language is vigorous; the character sketches are vivid, and every climax is ingeniously contrived and thoroughly effective."

This play will be presented in the Messenger Opera House, of this city on Saturday night of this week.

GOLDSBORO MARKET.

Corrected Every Wednesday by the Actual Sales on the Market.

TOBACCO:

LUGS—Common to medium... 4c@5c
—Medium to good yellow... 7c@10c
—Good yellow... 12c@15c
LEAF—Common or green... 2c@3c
—Medium... 5c@9c
—Good cutters... 10c@15c
—Fine cutters... 15c@20c
—Medium wrappers... 10c@12c
—Good wrappers... 15c@20c
—Fine wrappers... 25c@35c

COTTON:

GENERAL:

Bulk mek... 4c
Mess mek... 12c@15c
Salt... 6c@8c
Kice mek... 1.00
N. C. Hams... .40
N. C. Sides... .40
Meal per peck... 1.10@1.19
Flour... 3.00@4.50
Sugar, granulated... 45 to 55
Corn... .45 to 55
Oats... .40 to 40
Hay... .100
Eggs... .45 to 60
Peas... .45 to 60
Beeswax... .21 to 23

Mount Olive Locals.

Mr. B. B. Witherington, of Pacons, spent Sunday here the guest of his sister Mrs. R. J. Southerland.

Mr. D. Aaron spent Sunday here with his wife.

Mr. B. W. Southerland, of Goldsboro, spent Sunday here with his father Mr. R. J. Southerland who has been quite sick.

Mr. H. M. Humphrey is assisting Mr. J. E. Kelly here in the railroad office.

Mr. K. O. Hollingsworth spent Sunday in the Dobbervorth section.

Mr. Geo. Southerland, of Wilmington, spent a few days here last week visiting Mr. R. J. Southerland.

We are sorry to state Mr. J. Koruegay, who has been quite ill is no better at this writing. We hope he will soon be convalescing.

Rev. Washington Winn, colored, an aged and respected citizen, died last Sunday, the 17th inst. at his home near here.

Rev. Mr. Swindler preached two interesting sermons here Sunday.

Messrs. E. J. Martin and Son, who recently lost their cotton gin by fire have a new one just completed with all the latest improvements with a capacity of ginning twenty bales a day.

If you want to keep posted on the happenings of N. C. and of Wayne county and Mt. Olive locals, subscribe to the Goldsboro WEEKLY ARGUS, one of the best weeklies in this section. Price only \$1 per annum. Subscriptions for the Mt. Olive sections will be received by J. O. Cobb.

Woodland Grubs.

November 18.

DEAR ARGUS—We have had a few drizzly days, and now comes the clear, sunshiny weather. Crops are nearly all in and are about an average.

The Young People's Christian Endeavor society, organized a few weeks ago at Woodland, is held on Sunday evenings at 7 o'clock and is well attended. M. F. Grantham is president.

John W. Parker, who is in the grocery business, is doing well and gets his part of the trade.

L. E. Edgerton, who recently purchased the Moore mill, is now ready for business and can give you meal that is fit to eat. Give him a trial.

Brother L. J. Moore is on a religious visit to the western part of the State. He is 75 years old, but is still strong and active in his work.

We don't claim this to be a cotton section, but some make more than a bale to the acre.

Our school is in good order, all hands seeming to enjoy it.

Dudley Flash.

Dudley, N. C., Nov. 19.

Henry Grady, of Goldsboro, was in our town Friday.

W. F. Peasall, of Mt. Olive, was here Saturday on business.

F. G. Middleton, of Warsaw, was here Friday.

Tax collector Roberts, will be at Dudley the 22d, and Mt. Olive the 23d of November.

L. P. Andrews went down to the Faisons Sunday.

The new church house at Indian Springs was burned Saturday night.

The Next U. S. Senate.

The question of the Republicans organizing the next United States Senate is widely discussed by the leading Republican journals, was a decided preponderance of sentiment against the Republicans exercising the power they will certainly possess to take possession of the officers and committees of the Senate. They want the officers, but they hesitate to declare to the country that the Republican party shall be responsible for the legislation of the Senate during the next session of Congress.

without saying that the Utah Senators will be free silverites, but it is none the less the truth that the Republicans can organize the Senate at the meeting of the present Congress if they will and the very soon after Congress shall assemble, with the addition of the Utah Senators, they will be in absolute control of the body.

There are now 44 States, making the full number of the Senate 88. Of these 43 are classed as Republicans, 39 as Democrats, 5 as Populists, with one vacancy in Delaware. This classification is not entirely correct. Those classed as Populists are Peffer, Butler, of North Carolina; Allen, of Nebraska, and Kyle, of South Dakota. Of these Allen and Butler are just as much Republicans as are a dozen other Senators who are classed as Republicans, and Peffer is a Republican on all national questions except free silver. In point of fact, one-half of the Democrats and one-half of the Republicans in the Senate are free silverites, and the distinction between free silver and honest money Democrats and free silver and honest money Republicans is a distinction without a difference. Senator Jones, of Nevada, is also classed as a Populist, but it is known that he is a Republican and will doubtless act with that party.

It is not credible to Republican statesmen that they fear to organize the Senate when they evidently have the power to do so. It must mean that they want to shirk responsibility for the legislation of the coming session. They fear to confess a Republican control in the Senate, because the leaders are unwilling to make the party responsible for the action of the body, with the wild woolly Western sentiment in favor of cheap currency that prevails among the Republican Senators of the West. It is not worse, however, than the demoralization of the Democrats in the South, and the manly way would be for the Republicans to assume their just power, organize the Senate and accept all the responsibility it imposes.

With a practical Republican majority in the Senate the Republican party will be held responsible for the legislation of the coming session, and the leaders of the party should look the issue in the face, embarrassing as it may be. When that party practically dominates the Senate it will not do for its leaders to skulk behind a refusal to organize the body, to escape responsibility for Senatorial legislation. The Republicans must meet the issue squarely and fairly in shaping their policy for the great battle of 1896, and the more courage they exhibit in meeting the emergency the more will the country respect them and their party. The plain truth is that the next Senate will be Republican, with no greater division on the money question than has existed during the last Congress, and still exists in the Democratic party. Of all things skulking will not pay. The Senate will be Republican, and let the Republicans accept the responsibility.

Notice.

NORTH CAROLINA, Superior Wayne County, Court.

D. A. GRANTHAM, Plaintiff, vs. DELIA A. BONITZ, Defendant. Attachment.

Four hundred and twenty-five dollars, due by account for one Granite Monument and stays thereon, ordered and executed by the plaintiff for the defendant. Warrant of attachment returnable to the next term of the Superior court for said county of Wayne, to be held at the court house in Goldsboro, on the sixth Monday before the first Monday in March, 1896, when and where the defendant is required to appear and answer or demur to the complaint. C. F. HERRING, C. S. C. Nov. 15th, 1895.

Notice.

Having this day qualified before the clerk of the Superior Court of Wayne county, North Carolina, as executor of the last will and testament of W. H. Andrews, deceased, notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to the estate of said W. H. Andrews, deceased, to make immediate payment, and to all persons holding claims against said estate, to present them to the undersigned for payment on or before Nov. 15th, 1896, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery.

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How's This.

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh, that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. F. J. CHENEY & CO., Props., Toledo, O.

We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by his firm.

WEST & TRAUX, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, Ohio. WALKING, KINMAN & MARVIN, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Price, 75c. per bottle. Sold by all Druggists. Testimonials free.



YOUR Thanksgiving TURKEY

Will BE MUCH THE BETTER IF FED PRATT'S POULTRY FOOD.

THIS IS NOT IDLE TALK, but a positive fact. It will make the meat