

# Goldsboro Weekly Argus

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## NAN PATTERSON FREE.

RELEASED ON HER OWN RECOGNIZANCE.

Jerome Bitterly Attacks Criticism of Rand and the Course of the News-papers.

New York, May 12.—Greeted first by her weeping father and later by a roaring, cheering crowd, Nan Patterson was freed, on motion of District Attorney Jerome by Recorder Guff to-day and was allowed to walk out of the Tombs, where she has remained for eleven months, not under the heavy bail that her counsel were prepared to furnish, but on her own recognition. This was on suggestion of Mr. Jerome, who confessed he despaired of securing a conviction, and that he has presented to the juries in the two trials all the facts that he was able to gather.

It was Nan's day of triumph. She was waiting attired in a new light gown and black hat that she wore at the last trial. This time she found her preparation needed and ten minutes after the recorder had given the order, she advanced smiling, into the court room.

She walked firmly to the bar and nodded to her counsel, all of whom were present. In making his motion for the virtual discharge of the chorus girl, District Attorney Jerome said:

"The defendant has been on trial twice, and at each trial the jury has disagreed. All the evidence that I have been able to gather has been submitted. I do not think another trial would result in anything but another disagreement. I therefore ask that she be discharged on her own recognizance."

Miss Patterson, the center of attraction, made her way to the private entrance to the court room. At the door stood her father. He had peered through as his daughter, whom he has cherished through all the long, crueling delays and trials came toward him, for the first time in all the months able to accompany him to the street.

"Father," she cried. J. Randolph Patterson tottered as he stretched out his arm, Nan threw her arms about his neck. She kissed him several times; the old man was crying.

Miss Patterson, her father and Abe Levy were greeted with cheers as they came to the door.

"Hurrah for Nan!" was the cry on all sides. She waived her hand simply saying, "Thank you all." Then she, with her father and attorney Levy drove at once, followed by a cheering, running mob, to Mr. Levy's office on Park Row.

Seven Miners Killed. Helena, Mont., May 12.—Seven men are known to have been killed in an explosion in the Corra mine at Butte this evening. One man is missing and another was injured.

According to the information obtainable a man was handling powder in the magazine in the 100 foot level when it ignited from grease from the candle in his cap into a box of the explosive at his feet. The box contained fifty pounds. When it exploded three other boxes, a total of 200 pounds, went off.

The Corra mine is owned by the Montana Ore Purchasing Company, the company of which F. August Heinz is proprietor.

## FIVE HUNDRED KILLED.

Terrible Destruction of Life at Snyder, Oklahoma, by Tornado.

Oklahoma City, Okla., May 11.—Reports have reached here from Hobart and Anadarko, confirming the news of a tornado at Snyder, but no details are known. The Frisco is sending a relief train from Chickasha to Snyder. It is rumored that 400 people are killed and injured.

The telephone operator at Chickasha, I. T., states that he talked over the telephone with Hobart, Oklahoma, near Snyder and that all the wires in the vicinity of Snyder are down, but relief trains are being sent from several directions to Snyder. Snyder is a town of 1,000 people in Kiowa county, Oklahoma, located on the Frisco railroad.

Sapulpa, I. T., May 11.—At 11:40 o'clock last night the dispatcher for the Frisco in Sapulpa, I. T., received a dispatch from Eudith, O. T., advising that a tornado had struck Snyder Okla., wrecking the town and killing 500 people, among whom was the station agent of the Frisco at that town. The request came also for assistance.

On the strength of the report the dispatcher ordered a relief train with physicians to be sent from Chickasha, I. T., and Quannah, Texas. The wire between Snyder and Sapulpa went down about 10 p. m.

## For The Day's Outing.

The glad picnic days are at hand. Now doth the busy housewife exert herself to prepare dainties for the day's outing.

The small boy and the small girl venture forth on a bright morning to lake and stream, risking their lives while wading foolish under the direction of Chancellor Cupid and the beaming Sunday school superintendent mope the perspiration from his face as he staggers along under a twenty-pound basket. Young and old have the picnic habit. It boots not how miserably hot, how distressingly thirsty, how uncomfortably dirty and how generally disappointing the trip may be all around, the people have picnics on the brain, and they are going forth regardless of all discouraging conditions, including the villainy of the weather man. The average picnic is a snare and a delusion, but if you can just imagine you are having the time of your life you won't stop to think how much better it would have been to have remained at home.

## Want an Eight Hour Day.

Washington, May 12.—The question of the eight hour day in the canal came up incidentally at the cabinet meeting to-day. Attorney General Morton has reached a decision in the matter but it has not been made public. It is understood that he has found that the eight hour law does not apply to employees of the canal commission. The decision is pleasing to members of the commission as an enforcement of the eight hour law would make much difference in the time of building the canal.

## Another Jefferson Story.

Joseph Jefferson stocked the lake on his Louisiana farm with bass and other game fish. Not long ago he came upon a stranger fishing in his lake.

"See here!" said the great comedian. "What do you mean by catching my fish?"

"Begorra," replied the fisherman, slowly removing his pipe from his mouth. "O'm not fishin'! O'm fishin' these little wurrunns how to swim!"

## GOSSIP OF THE WORLD.

ITEMS OF INTEREST FROM DIVERS SOURCES.

The Latest Telegraphic News of the Day Boiled Down to a Focus For Busy Readers.

President Castro of Venezuela is most audacious adventurer of his day and he is a scant hope of a revolution that can put him out of business.

Governor Lafollete is trying to equip Wisconsin with good laws before he goes to Washington to fit out the nation with some of the same sort.

Eighty-one new plays were presented in New York last season and only six scored success and three of them were presented outside of the trust.

It is rather amusing to note that the seat of the University of Chicago, which is soon to be selected, will not bear the conventional lamp of knowledge. It is feared that this symbol would be too strongly reminiscent of Stanford Oil.

The railroad election in Davidson county went off very quietly on Tuesday. Lexington township voted to subscribe \$125,000 to the capital stock of the Winston-Salem Southbound Railway, by a majority of 57 to 12. Total registered vote 867. When the result was known there was much rejoicing by the friends of the road.

The steam whistles at the Erk, the Dixie, the Bex, the American, and other factories here sent forth the glad tidings. Cotton Grove township also voted \$15,000 by subscription by a good majority. The election in Midway township failed by 15 votes.

Newborn Journal—Miss Vera Hardy the young lady who was brought here Friday by her physician, Dr. C. T. Windley, of Adams Creek for further medical examination was found to be suffering with appendicitis, peritonitis as a result, and Bright's disease of the kidneys. An operation was found necessary, which was made by Dr. R. S. Primrose assisted by Drs. Charles and Francis Duffy, and Dr. J. F. Rhem. Blood poisoning had already set in and no hopes could be entertained for her recovery. Death came in 48 hours, which was late Saturday afternoon.

## A Frenzied Attack.

Dr. Dowie has made a frenzied attack on the Woman's Christian Temperance union to this effect: "There is not a more flat failure in the religious world to-day than the Woman's Christian Temperance Union. It is a curse to the country, for it accomplishes nothing and breaks up homes. I am for the temperance cause, but I do not think it should be managed by a lot of meddling old maids." From the few remarks it is easy to see that Dr. Dowie does not think well of female temperance agitators. If the prophet is wise he will quit prodding a hornet's nest.

## Alfonso's Visit.

Madrid, May 11.—Commencing upon King Alfonso's approaching visit to France and England, the Epoch says it is of considerable international importance, because it will be the first he has undertaken outside of Spain, and because his majesty will visit two nations that have been united to Spain by close relations and a feeling of constant sympathy since the middle ages.

## Train Will Be Held.

In order to give the visitors who will attend the services in connection with the unveiling of the New Jersey monument at Newbern, N. C., on Thursday, May 18, 1905, as much time as possible in Newbern, the Atlantic & North Carolina Railroad will hold their train No. 6 at Newbern until 7:10 p. m.

## To Cure a Cold in One Day.

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c.

## COTTON MANUFACTURERS.

The cotton manufacturers of this country met this week in Knoxville, and the addresses covered nearly every important feature of the giant industry.

The American Cotton Manufacturers' association represents the spindles of this country, about one-fifth of the whole number in the world. The association had a modest southern beginning in 1897, but its membership now covers mills in all parts of the country.

The chief object of the association consists in promoting exports of cotton goods, and this is why the association remains largely southern, for the south is the chief exporter of coarse cottons, and our exports are almost wholly confined to coarse goods.

Our exports of cotton goods in 1903 aggregated \$32,000,000, and as soon as the war in the Far East ended it is hoped that our exports of cotton goods can be doubled, and perhaps even more than that aggregate can be sold abroad.

The association boldly advocates the spinning of all American cotton in American mills. We have at present twenty-four million spindles. An addition of eighty million spindles would enable us to spin the entire American crop, instead of permitting Great Britain to spin fifty-five per cent of the world's cotton goods. In round numbers we need four mills where we have one.

## Letter to A. A. Joseph.

Dear Sir: Suppose you sold a suit of clothes; and the man came back in six months and showed the suit all worn out, but rusty, and benched away. You would be a man he ought to buy such clothes; but lots of good men won't buy any other; don't know any better; but these are decent for him; you show him a long-up'suit and allow him a trifle for that mistake—it was a mistake, for you and him too. Next year he knows where to go, and his friends know too.

Devoe is that last suit in paint. There are shams by the score; Devoe is the true. The shams are expensive; Devoe is the cheap. The shams are abused. Devoe is sound.

Yours truly, F. W. DEVOE & CO. P. S.—Smith & Yelverton sell our paint.

## Gen. Lomax Succeeds North Carolina Man

Washington, May, 13.—Senator Daniel of Virginia, recommended to the president today the appointment of Major General Lunsford Lewis Lomax, as one of the members of the Gettysburg Battlefield Commission, in succession to the late Major Robins, of North Carolina, who was one of the Confederate commissioners. General Lomax is the senior Confederate officer of Virginia, and with the exception of Major General Hoke, of North Carolina, is the senior officer living of the Army of Northern Virginia.

## LADIES LIST.

A—Sarah J Adams. B—Estella Boyette, Frances Bridgely, Sarah Blackman. C—Caroline Colie. E—Gertrude Edwards. H—J P Harper. J—Mary Johnson. L—Cary Lamb. M—Luella McKew, E E J McIver. N—Annie Newkirk. P—L J Phelps. R—Miss Rumor, Gandel Rose. S—Pearl Smith, Julia Stevens. W—Dessie H Wooten.

## NOVEL HILL ITEMS.

The Doings of a Week in and Around This Thriving Neighborhood. Chopping cotton is the order of the day. We had a dreadful wind and rain storm last Friday, which did considerable damage to crops.

Rev. Mr. Davis, our presiding elder, preached an able sermon at Mrs. Mary Sasser's last Friday, to a goodly number of people. Next Sunday will be Children's Day and our little folks are looking forward to a pleasant reunion. There will be exercises at Salem in the morning and at Novel Hill at 3 o'clock in the afternoon.

Novel Hill, May 17. Robinson's Liver Regulator keeps the bowels active and stimulates the liver.—10c a bottle.

## BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

Met in Special Session at the City Hall Last Night.

The Board of Aldermen of the City of Goldsboro, met in special session at the City Hall last night, with a view of considering the disposition of the \$18,000 in city bonds advertised for sale in the columns of the ARGUS.

After the bids were all opened and read, the Board decided to reject all the bids, and recommended that the bonds be purchased by the Sinking Fund Commissioner of the city at par. The matter of having said bonds lithographed, etc., was left with the Finance Committee.

The following is the resolution as introduced and adopted by an aye and nay vote: "Resolved, that the Board of Aldermen of the City of Goldsboro recommend that the Commissioner of Sinking Fund of the City of Goldsboro, purchase the entire issue of eighteen thousand (\$18,000) dollars bonds heretofore advertised, and we hereby direct said Commissioner to purchase said bonds at par as an investment for the city."

The chairman of the Fire and Water Committee recommended the purchase of two fire horses and a number of other changes in reference to the fire department, which, on motion, was left with the Fire and Water Committee with power to act.

Mr. Geo. W. Thompson was elected assistant engineer of the Eclipse Fire engine.

The Chairman of the Building Committee recommended that an a light be placed in front of the City Hall, also that the grounds around the City Hall be sown in grass seed, that the grounds might present a better appearance. The matter was referred to the Building Committee with power to act.

City Clerk Broadhurst asked for a leave of absence for 10 days, which was granted. No other business appearing the Board then adjourned.

## LIST OF LETTERS

Remaining in Postoffice, Goldsboro, Wayne County, N. C., May 15, 1905.

## MEN'S LIST.

A—William Aris, Jason Armstrong, Herbert Andrews. B—Leslie Blue, Henry Brown, W T Bowen, Percy Brady. C—O H Coffee. D—Baley Donnell. E—T J Foola. G—Henry Grimes, Nathan Gaskel, W M Green. H—L G Horton, Jas Hall, Jpencer Hines. K—James King, W H Kinnin. M—Richard Moncure. P—M W Peterson, F S Perkins. R—W J Robertson. S—Thos Sampson, J L Slatter. V—Thos Vaughn. W—George B Wooten.

## PIKEVILLE LETTER.

Chronicing of a Week's Events in That Thriving Neighborhood.

ARGUS BUREAU, PIKEVILLE, N. C., May 16, 1905. Mr J E Parks, of Smithfield, is in town. Mrs R H Hosea is visiting her parents in Magnolia this week.

Dr G W Lewis, of Wilson, was in town Friday, on professional business. Mrs John Perkins, of Goldsboro, was in town Sunday, visiting relatives.

Misses Lillie Blaylock and Lula Vail were in your city shopping, Friday. Mr J O Ham, relief telegraph operator, of Wilmington, was here Sunday.

The friends of Mrs J W Rouse regret that she is confined at home by sickness. The friends of Mrs Mary Yelverton regret that she continues seriously ill.

Mr W S Smith who has been on the sick list for the past two weeks, is improving. Mr and Mrs John Overman, of Eureka, spent Saturday and Sunday in town with relatives.

Mr J M Stone and Miss Nina Blaylock, of Fremont, were calling in town Sunday afternoon. Miss Inez Blaylock returned home Friday after several days visit to the family of Mr B F Scott.

## WALTER LETTER.

Chronicing of a Week's Events in That Thriving Neighborhood.

The community sympathize with Mr. and Mrs. Ellie Hines in the death of their infant baby boy, which occurred at their home last Wednesday, after a short illness.

The choir of the different Sunday Schools met at Mr. Phil Johnson's Sunday afternoon to practice for the Convention which meets at Spring Hill next Saturday, when an enjoyable time is anticipated.

Mr. George Yelverton and daughter Miss Alice Casey, visited Mrs. Mary Yelverton last Sunday, who we regret to know, is critically ill at the home of her brother, Mr. John Dees, near Fremont.

Our esteemed friend, Mr. E. T. Atkinson spent Tuesday night at Oak Glen. He has the intellectual welfare of the children very much at heart, and is interesting in his efforts for the establishment of better schools.

The storm which struck us last Friday played havoc with orchards and trees. One of the longest oaks in our yard was uprooted, and thirty odd fruit trees, among them, and cherry trees, which were full of fruit and soon would have been furnishing all the cherry pie we could have managed. The damage to property, fences, trees etc was considerable, aside from the crops, which looked ruined, but have partially recovered.

A jolly fishing party from your city spent last Wednesday on the river near here. It was composed of Misses Ida and Ruth Staring, Battle Adyette, Ada and Eda Howell, Messrs Matthew W. Woodard, V. W. Woodard, Ed. Howell and Oscar Pipkin. Mr. and Mrs. John Raper chaperoning the crowd and all enjoyed it immensely. Neighbor Toby Howell was a guest to dinner and for several days after partaking of the excellent dinner, and lemonade, the slack in his pants was so taken up that he looked like a city alderman.

Prof's. E. C. Brooks and E. T. Atkinson of your city were at Ebenezer Monday night, when Prof. Brooks addressed a large crowd on the subject of Local Tax. He is an interesting and entertaining speaker, using the castaway of logic in argument, and the acme of oratorical in fiction. The seed sown, being thoroughly inculcated by the daily culture with the children for whose future welfare he has consecrated his life's work, will no doubt bring forth an abundant harvest. He held the attention of the crowd for one hour, and those who do not let prejudice override their judgment will be benefited by having heard him. After the address, Mr. Atkinson spoke for a few minutes on the financial part of the subject, explaining it very closely and explicitly. When the welfare of the community at large is at stake, we should not let little personal prejudices injure ourselves to prevent us from doing our duty, as we feel it.

After all the world does not advance so rapidly. At least it would appear that people are just as they were ten or even twenty years ago. After a time they learn the tromps of the old swindles, but all one has to do in order to rope in new victims is to change the appearance of his rascality and the rest is easy.

It is related that a Missouri stockman was drawing \$20,000 out of a bank to purchase two "gold" disks worth \$37,000 when the cashier became suspicious, began to ask questions and finally learned enough to keep the stockman from paying over his money until the deal could be investigated.

It was the same old gold brick ruse. The only change was in the shape of the merchandise, the gold was in the form of disks to be sure, but still it was the gold brick swindle, and if the intended victim had not been a lucky person he would have been \$20,000 short with nothing to show for his expenditure but a lot of copper alloy. Verily and once again, "A snacker is born every minute."

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PROGRAMME Of the 15th Annual S. S. Convention of Fork Township, Wayne County, to be held at Spring Hill, Saturday, May 20th.

10 a. m. Opening with Music. 10:15 Devotional Exercises, by Rev. H. E. Tripp. 10:25 Exercises by Spring Hill School. 10:40 Music. 10:45 Address by H. B. Parker, Jr., on Methods. 11:00 Music. 11:05 Exercises by Oakland Sunday School. 11:20 Music. 11:25 Address by Hon. J. Y. Joyner, on Christian Education. 12:20 Appointment of Committees and Collection. 12:25 Closing with music for dinner.

AFTERNOON SESSION. 3:00 Music. 2:10 Exercises by Pine Forest School. 2:20 Music. 2:25 Exercises by the Ebenezer School. 2:40 Report of Committees and Comments. 3:00 Adjournment.

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When there is an epidemic of germ disease, and most diseases are caused by germs, it is the person with a weak stomach who succumbs first. If you suffer with pains or distress after eating, headache, belching of gases, sour food, a bad taste in the mouth, dizziness, pains in the heart, specks before the eyes, and a general feeling of despondency and weakness, you should get well at once by strengthening the stomach with Milkona. Just one small tablet out of a fifty cent box before eating, and your digestive system will become so strong that you will be the embodiment of good health and spirits, and need fear no germ diseases.

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