STATE NEWS. The Week's Gleanings from Our Exchanges

Items of Interest the State Cver. The opening ball at the Sparkling Catawba springs will be given July

Newbern Journal: Master Seymour W. Hancock, son of our townsman, Robert Hancock, Jr. has successfully passed his examination for admission to the military academy at West

A drunken negro desperado was ar-rested and jailed at Reidsville Wednesday, for entering private residences and trying to force ladies to cook some beef he carried with him so that he could appease his hunger. He visited several houses, and frightened the ladies nearly to death, in the absence of their husbands.

From the Greensboro Workman we learn that Wake Forest College has an endowment of \$113,000. The interest dividends accruing from the same amounted last year to \$8,118.21. Tuition and room rent &c., amounted to \$6.417,25. Increase of resources last year, \$1,538,46. One hundred and eighty students were in attendance the last term.

Monroe Enquirer-Express: The crop reports are discouraging-to say the least of it. The continued rainfall has rendered it impossible to work them out and in many places the grass has literally overrun them. Some farmers have had to replant their bottom lands two and three times. Where corn is getting a start it is overrun with the chinch-bug.

Charlotte Chronicle: On last Saturday two negromen, Will Foster and Henry Wright, entered the stock lot of Mr. Samuel Craig, of Gaston county, and cut two of his fine mules terribly with razors. Whether they intended to kill them or not is unknown but judging from their style of cutting, they intended to kill them. They were sub-sequently arrested and carried to jail

Newbern Journal: Owen H. Guion, Esq., one of our promising young attorneys, left for Washington yesterday morning, accompanied by a number of ladies and gentlemen, where he will be united in marriage to-day to Miss Pattie Rodman, daughter of William B. Rodman, ex-Judge of the Supreme Court of North Carolina. The bridal party will leave for an extended tour North.

Asheville Citizen: The continued rains are calamitous. They have a depressing effect on farmers. It is harvest time, and wheat can either not be cut, or such as has been cut is in danger of heating or sprouting in the shock. Corn which has a bad stand, cannot be worked; oats is lodging, clover is falling down, tobacco is running up spindling, and altogether, the outlook is gloomy.

Fayetteville News: Mr. R. H. Pool, just from Shoe Heel to-day, reports a very earnest convention at that place yesterday between the whisky dealers of Laurinburg and Shoe Heel, (the towns being only eight miles apart) at which they decided that no whisky should be sold in those places hereafter for less than \$2.00 a gallon, and thereupon they agreed upon a forfeit by those who should violate the agreement, and then they went back to business.

The Wilmington Review says there is a heavy freshet in South river, while the Black river is unusually low. In some places where these rivers are not, more than ten miles apart, the water in the former stream has risen so high as to overflow its banks and has destroyed large quantities of lowland corn, while in the latter stream there is not water enough for good boating or rafting purposes. This is a singular condition of things and is inexplicable.

The echoes of commencement oratory have scarcely died away at Davidson college, yet active arrangements are now on foot to secure a proper celebration of the semi-centennial of the college next June. One of the features, the Charlotte Observer says, will be a reunion of the old graduates, there being still among the living a few survivors of the earliest graduating class of the college. The presence of some of the most prominent men in the country will be secured, and on the whole the occasion will be a notable one.

Greensboro North State: An interesting cause was heard before 'Squire Eckle last Tuesday. The State vs. Huffman, for assault upon Arthur Core with a deadly weapon. Huffman is the constable for the town of High Point, and on last Thursday in High Point, whilst Cora and a Mr. Carpenter were engaged in an affray Core having thrown Carpenter to the ground on his face, and being then on him, the defendant, Huffman, struck Core upon the head with a large sized hickory walking cane, inflicting six wounds, three of them cut to the bone, and the others of less severity. Messrs. Barringer and Boyd appeared for the prosecution, and Col. Morehead for the defendant. The Justice, after hearing the evidence and argument, held the defendant in a bond of \$200 for his appearance at the Superior

Wilmington Star: The singular circumstances reported in the columns last week of fish in great multitudes being found dead in the waters of the Shallotte creek, Brunswick county, is further confirmed both by letters from residents of that part of the county, and by the statements of persons who have witnessed the remarkable sight. A gentleman who came up from Shallotte yesterday says that there is no exaggeration about it. That the fish are dying by thousands, apparently, and float like chips on the surface of the water. People in the vicinity are perplexed and dismayed at the unusual occurrence. He says that there appears to be an oily scum on the water which extends far out into the ocean-making the surface perfectly smooth and calm. One man is reported as saying that he crossed this sea of oil five that he crossed that he crossed this sea of oil five that he crossed this sea of oil five that he crossed the crossed that he crossed that he crossed the crossed that he crossed the crossed that he crossed the crossed that he cro miles from land. The appearance of Oct. 31st, 1886. the oily scum on the water, which is supposed to have poisoned the fish, cannot be accounted for. It has been suggested that a vessel with a cargo of oil might have founded in the vi- H. WALTERS, General Manager. cinity; but this is generally regarded as improbable.

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FIRST DISTRICT-JUDGE SHIPP. Currituck-September 6, I week. Camden—September 13, 1 week. Pasquotank—September 20, 1 week. Perquimans—September 27, 1 week. Chowan—October 4, 1 week. Gates-October 11, 1 week. Hertford-October, 18, 1 week. Hertford-December 20. 1 week. Washington-October 25, 1 week. Washington-December 13, 1 week. Tyrrell-November 1, 1 week. Dare-November 8, 1 week. Hyde-November 15, 1 week. Pamlico—November 22, 1 week. Beaufort—November 29, 2 weeks. SECOND DISTRICT-JUDGE GUDGER. Warren-September 20, 2 weeks. Northampton-October 4, 2 weeks, Edgecombe-October 18, 2 weeks. Bertie-November 1, 2 weeks. Halifax-November 15, 2 weeks. Craven-November 29, 2 weeks.

THIRD DISTRICT-JUDGE SHEPHERD. Franklin-August 16, 1 week. Franklin-November 15, 1 week. Martin-September 6, 2 weeks. Martin! - December 9, 2 weeks. Pitt-September 20, 2 weeks. Greene-October 4, 2 weeks. Vance-October 18, 2 weeks. Wilson-November 1, 2 weeks. Nash-November 22, 2 weeks. FOURTH DISTRICT-JUDGE PHILLIPS.

Waket-July 12, 2 weeks. Wake*—August 30, 2 weeks.
Wake*—September 27, 2 weeks.
Wake*—October 25, 3 weeks. Wayne-July 26, 2 weeks. Wayne-September 13, 2 weeks. Wayne*-October 18, 1 week. Harnett-August 9, 1 week. Johnston-August 16, 2 weeks. FIFTH DISTRICT-JUDGE CONNOR.

Orange-August 9, 1 week. Orange-November 8, 1 week. Caswell-August 16, 1 week. Caswell-November 15, 1 week. Person-August 23, 1 week. Person-November 22, 1 week. Guilford-August 30, 2 weeks. Guilford, December, 13, 2 weeks. Granville-September 13, 2 weeks. Granville-November 26, 2 weeks. Alamance-September 27, 1 week. Chatham-October 4.2 weeks. Durham-October 18, 2 weeks.

SIXTH DISTRICT-JUDGE CLARK. Jones-August 16, 1 week. Jones-November 1, 1 week. Lenoir-August 23, 2 weeks. Lenoir-November 15, 2 weeks. Duplin-September 6, 1 week. Duplin-November 29, 2 weeks. Pender-September 13, 1 week. New Hanover*-September 27, 2

Sampson-October 11, 2 weeks. Sampson-December 13, 1 week. Carteret-October 25, 1 week. Onslow-Novemder 8, 1 week. SEVENTH DISTRICT-JUDGE GILMER. Cumberland+-July 26, 1 week. Cumberland - November 8, 1 week. Cumberland*-November 15,

Columbus—August 2, 1 week. Moore-August 16, 2 weeks. Moore-December 6, 2 weeks. Robeson-August 30. 2 weeks. Robeson-October 11, 2 weeks. Ansont-September 13, 1 week. Anson*-November 29, 1 week. Brunswick-September 20, 1 week. Richmond-September 27, 2 weeks. Richmond-December 20, 1 week. Bladen-October 25, 2 weeks.

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Iredell-August 9, 2 weeks. Iredell November 8, 2 weeks. Rowan-August 24, 2 weeks. Rowan-November 22, 2 weeks. Davidson-September 6, 2 weeks. Davidson-December 6, 1 week. Randolph-September 20, 2 weeks. Montgomery-October 4, 2 weeks. Stanly-October 18, 2 weeks. Cabarrus - November 1, 1 week. NINTH DISTRICT-JUDGE MCRAE. Rockingham-July 29, 2 weeks. Rockingham-November 8, 1 week. Stokes-August 9, 2 weeks. Stokes-November 15, 1 week. Surry-August 23, 2 weeks. Surry-November 22, 1 week. Alleghany—September 6, 1 week. Wilkes—September 13, 2 weeks. Yadkin-September 27, 2 weeks. Davie-October 11, 2 weeks. Forsyth-October 25, 2 weeks.

ENTH DISTRICT-JUDGE MONTGOMER

Henderson- July 19, 3 weeks. Burke-August 9, 2 weeks. Ashe-August 23, 1 week. Watauga-July 30, 1 week. Caldwell-September 6, 1 week. Mitchell-September 13, 2 weeks. Yancey-September 27, 2 weeks. McDowell-October 11, 2 weeks. ELEVEN DISTRICT-JUDGE GRAVES Alexander-July 26, 1 week. Catawba-August 2, 1 week. Cleveland-August 9, 2 weeks. Cleveland—October 25, 1 week. Mecklenburg*-August 30, 3 weeks. Uniont-September 20, 2 weeks. Lincoln-October 4, 1 week. Gaston-October 11, 2 weeks. Rutherford-November 1, 2 weeks. Polk-November 15, 1 week. TWELFTH DISTRICT-JUDGE AVERY Madison-August 2, 2 weeks. Madison*—August 22, 2 weeks. Buncombe—August 16, 3 weeks. Buncombe-December 6, 2 weeks. Transylvania-September 6,1 week Haywood-September 13, 2 weeks. Jackson-September 27, 1 week. Macon-October 4, 1 week. Clay-October 11, 1 week. Cherokee-October 18, 2 weeks. Graham-November 1, 1 week. Swain-November 8, 2 weeks. *Civil actions only. *Criminal actions only. Civil actions only, except jail cases.

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