

THE GLEANER

Local, State and General

GRAHAM, N. C. July 29 1879

Durham wants more water. Reams' Warehouse boats the world on big average.

Work on the Court House is rapidly progressing.

Several families from Durham are visiting Stonehall Springs.

FRESH DRUGS—for the Cash, at the Southwest corner of Court House Square.

Mr. Merritt, wife, and three children from Wilmington, are visiting relations in Graham.

We return our thanks to Mr. John M. Foust for a very fine water melon. The very best, and largest we have seen.

Reams' Warehouse sold, on the 9th instant, for John Parker 1244 pounds of tobacco at an average of \$36.56, crop around.

A water melon treat was enjoyed by the ladies of the Good Templars lodge, last Friday night.

A cool delightful spell of weather, we have been enjoying for the last week, but no rain of any consequence up to the present writing.

Reams' Warehouse is still ahead on high averages. Farmers, look well to your interest and be sure to let Reams sell your tobacco.

Miss Lina Burnett who has been spending some time in Graham, we are sorry to hear has been called home by the illness of her mother.

Reams' Warehouse has heavy orders for large quantities of good wraps, fancy smokers and fillers.

Water melons in market last week, large and plentiful, which were enjoyed by old and young, rich and poor, white and black.

While the wheat crop in our immediate section is not an average crop, yet taking the State over, and it is reported to be a very fine crop, of excellent quality, and perhaps never exceeded in quantity.

ACCIDENT.—We regret to learn that Willie H. a son of Dr. W. B. Harrell of this place, broke his arm by falling from a tree, last Thursday morning. The wound was quite painful, but he is rapidly improving.

We are requested to announce, and take pleasure in so doing, that Mr. Davis of the Free Will Baptist church, from Eastern Carolina will preach in the Baptist church in this place, next Sunday at 10 o'clock.

ALARM OF FIRE.—Saturday morning, the quiet of our town was disturbed by the cry of fire, which was found to proceed from the roof of Mr. Longest's house, having caught from a burning chimney. Efficient aid was soon rendered and the flames extinguished without much damage.

"A school girl" of Graham whose absence has not been heretofore noted although she spent two whole weeks, not at any fashionable springs, or tiresome sea-side resort, but in the green woods of Alamance, among the hills, where black berries grow plentifully, the air cool and healthy, and the people just the best in these United States. But we were going to say, after her delightful holiday trip, which is one long to be remembered, she is again absent, visiting in Chatham. Foreign papers will please note.

NEW MAGISTRATES.—The newly appointed magistrates are requested to attend at the office of the Superior Court Clerk, on the first Monday in August and take the oath of office. They are as follows: Roderick Kinery, Frederick Graves, Joseph P. Aibright, A. A. Isaley, Fred U. Blanchard, Charles G. Maynard, John R. Stockard, Thomas Stafford, William Stafford, W. H. Lasley, and Thomas C. Foust.

Those who are now magistrates must attend as well as others, as they will enter upon a new term after first of August.

FARMERS WAREHOUSE AND ALAMANCE.

On the 10th of this month there was a Premium Sale at Farmers Warehouse, in Danville, by Messrs Redd, Jordan & Johnson, the enterprising proprietors, and notwithstanding the dry weather the capacious house was full and the sale a decided success. We give the list of premiums awarded by which it will be seen that Alamance walked off with the first and highest.

First premium, \$45.00, for best Bright Wrappers, 126 lbs, was awarded to James M. Hurdle, of Alamance county, N. C.

Second premium, \$30.00, for second best Bright Wrappers, 118 lbs., was awarded J. B. Ferrell, of Pointeide.

Third premium, \$35.00, for best Mahogany Wrappers, 138 lbs., was awarded to James Dunn, of Henry county, Virginia.

Fourth premium, \$20.00, for best Smokers, 200 lbs., was awarded to William Warren, of Caswell county, N. C.

Fifth premium, for best Filler, 205 lbs., was awarded to James Dunn, of Henry county, Va.

P. W. Ferrell, L. P. Bransford, C. H. Conrad, T. J. Corbin and W. D. Bethel, were the committee who awarded the premiums.

A private letter from the proprietors of Farmers Warehouse says "There is quite an improvement in all grades of tobacco in our market, especially on the better grades. Good Lugs are high with a very strong competition; and the tendency is upward on all grades, and fine is high."

Frank Leslie's SUNDAY MAGAZINE.

With the July number, this beautiful and very interesting work commences the sixth semi-annual volume; and both publisher and editor seem determined to spare no effort to render it superior to any similar publication. The 128 pages sparkle with literary and artistic gems of peculiar brilliancy; the illustrations number nearly 100. The opening article, by A. H. Greenway, is on "The Ten Primitive Persecutions," and should be read by all the Christian families in the land. A thoughtful article, "We Seek the Truth," an impressive one on "Little Words," a sprightly one, "Around Rio de Janeiro," and many others, will repay the reader. The department of fiction is unusually attractive. "David Fleming's Forgiveness" is nearly completed, and the short stories are by popular writers, and very interesting and instructive. Mrs. Preston, Paul H. Bayne and others contribute original poems. There is an excellent sermon, and the Popular Expositor, by the editor, who also, in his editorials, discusses timely topics; and in "At Home and Abroad" a trustworthy view is given of movements in the religious world. The miscellany is exceedingly comprehensive, entertaining, and replete with instruction. The price of this valuable magazine is \$3 a year; six months, \$1.50; four months, \$1. Address, FRANK LESLIE, 53, 55, and 57 Park Place New York.

GRAND LODGE OF N. C. I. O. G. T.

SECRETARY'S OFFICE, RALEIGH, N. C., July 7th, 1879. The GRAND LODGE OF N. C., I. O. G. T., will meet at Winston, Forsythe County, Tuesday, August 12th, 1879. North Carolina Railroad—Return tickets at six cents per mile—on sale Aug. 10th, 11th and 12th. Seaboard and Roanoke—Tickets three cents per mile each way. Albemarle Steamboat Company—Return tickets at one fare. Raleigh & Gaston and Raleigh & Augusta Airline—Return tickets at six cents per mile. Western N. C. Railroad—Full fare going—return on certificate of Secretary. Atlantic & N. C. Railroad—Return tickets at six cents per mile. Wilmington & Weldon Railroad—Return tickets at six cents per mile. Carolina Central Railroad—Three cents per mile each way.

V. BALLARD, G. W. Secretary. Homes will be provided for all.

BINGHAM SCHOOL.

We learn that Major Bingham has secured a graduate of a German University as a teacher in his school, a thing which, as far as we know, no other school or college has done. The faculty will consist of: Maj. R. Bingham, A. M., Sup't. Prof. R. B. Willis, [Bingham's, and University of Virginia.] Prof. M. C. S. Noble, (Bingham's, Davidson College and University of North Carolina.) Prof. R. Sharp, A. M., (Randolph Macon College and University of Leipzig.) With such a faculty the Superintendent feels assured that the future of his school will excel its past.

The latest news received from Memphis gives the city over to the yellow plague, and the various towns along the roads are in a terrible state of alarm. Five new cases were reported July 17th creating great excitement which cannot be described. Business was suspended, trunks packed, and people leaving without any ceremony, their greatest anxiety to get away from the doomed city. A telegram received from Dr. Mitchell of Memphis, declares the city to be dangerously infected, and three new cases reported July 19th. From a private letter we received from a friend in Danville, Tenn. we publish the following extract in regard to the terrible fear upon the people.

"Doubtless you know as much as we in regard to the terrible panic in our own beautiful metropolis Memphis. Men, women and children are fleeing for their lives, some having already arrived in this section. Alas! what is to become of us. I learn that the scenes in Memphis beggar description. On the wings of lightning comes the wild rumor that this terrible disease has broken out in Brownsville, also Somerville, our own county town, from the two latter I have nothing to write. Alarm and consternation prevails all over this great valley. We do not feel secure anywhere."

Your Friend,

G. N. A.

YELLOW FEVER.—Our exchanges of today bring nothing encouraging. The number of cases still increasing, deaths multiplying, and people still fleeing for their lives. July 21st fifteen cases reported to the board of health. A dispatch from Dr. Mitchell, a member of the board of health now in Memphis says: Since 9 o'clock yesterday morning nineteen new cases of yellow fever, and seven deaths have occurred. The fever is spreading. Four cases at New York. Secretary of War will forward to Memphis 1,500 tents and rations for 10,000, for 20 days.

TOOTHACHE.

No certain treatment can be laid down for Toothache; it must be regulated entirely by a knowledge of the cause, whether arising from decay, irritation of Tartar, the application of cold, or merely as a sympathetic affection. The disease which occasions this malady is insidious in its progress, dangerous and sometimes fatal in its consequences; but the danger more frequently arises from an improper application of remedies, than from the disease itself. Powerful remedies for the Toothache, as well as for other diseases, are hazardous in the hands of the ignorant.

W. F. BASON, Dentist, Haw River, P. O. N. C.

A man dropped a lighted match in an empty whiskey barrel in a bar-room in Raleigh and the explosion was shocking.

MEDANVILLE, N. C. July 18th, 1879.

MR. EDITOR: The very sudden, unexpected and mysterious disappearance of one Wm. Hartnett an Irishman and a licensed county peddler who became well known over the county, has led me to write this. Whispers are heard that he may have been murdered, since it is thought he had some money. If he has left the county and State no harm can be done by inquiring after him and if he has been foully dealt with it may lead to the discovery of the guilty parties. He left Mr. Constantine Whitsett's the 29th of December last to go to Mr. George Maynard's near Union church. Mr. Maynard says he was there about that time, went to Dr. J. W. McCauley's and spent the night, left there early next morning and no further traces of him can be found. He left a portion of his goods and wearing apparel at Mr. Whitsett's. Hope you will publish this and if any one has seen or heard of him since he left Dr. McCauley's he will please communicate with the undersigned at Medanville N. C. Yours truly, JAS. I. WHITE.

THE TOBACCO GROWING COUNTRY OF THE WORLD.

The United States may be regarded as the great tobacco growing country of the world. It can be grown in every one of the States. From the beginning in Virginia, this country has now reached a production of four hundred million pounds worth about \$38,000,000 in its manufactured state. Fully fifty thousand persons are employed in its manufacture, earning \$14,000,000 in wages and turning out a product worth \$72,000,000. Tobacco ranks sixth on the list of our exports, and last year we sent abroad about \$50,000,000 worth. Germany is our best customer, but Great Britain follows closely.—Plant.

WINSTON VOTES FOR THE I. R. APPROPRIATION.

Last Friday an election was held in Winston to determine whether or not the town should appropriate the sum of \$20,000 to the construction of the Cape Fear & Yadkin Valley Railroad, which resulted in favour of the appropriation. Of the 366 votes polled only 14 votes were adverse to the appropriation; and as the voting strength of the town is stated at about 588, a majority of 67 of the registered voters favored the appropriation.

DEATH OF JOHN TAPSCOTT.

On the night of the 13th of this month, at his home in the northern part of this county, John Tapscott died, after a long illness. He was quite an old man, and leaves a large family of children, all grown, and an aged widow. He was long a prominent man in this county, being the first Sheriff elected by the people, which office he held until 1858. He was held in high esteem and respect by his many friends.

Burglars broke into the house of Mr. A. V. Sikes in Wilmington.

and while one watched the cook room, through which they had made their entrance, the other ransacked the bed room in which Mr and Mrs Sikes were sleeping. He had bundled up the clothing, and in attempting to take some rings from Mrs Sikes fingers she awoke and gave the alarm. Her husband tried to shoot the fleeing burglar, but unfortunately his pistol failed to fire, and both escaped.

General Robert Tooms, of Georgia,

though in politics an eccentric fire-eater, succeeds as a money-maker. He bought 100,000 acres of Texas lands in the infancy of that State at twelve or fifteen cents an acre. His income from his practice as a lawyer has reached \$40,000 a year, and he is said to be worth at least \$500,000.—The Observer.

Abel Wiggins murdered Polk Gibson,

in Swain county. They met in the road when Gibson proposed to speak with the woman who was with Wiggins. Wiggins upon Wiggins objected and Gibson said the woman should decide. Wiggins then pushed Gibson back and shot him with an old army musket. He fled.

Destitute storm in the Clayton

portion of Johnston county, and also along the Wilmington & Weldon Railroad between Magnolia and Goldsboro. Considerable damage was done to fences and buildings, but no lives were lost we believe.

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of habitual poor attention to the physical system. Keep the head cool, the feet warm, and the bowels regular by the proper use of Dr. Bull's Baltimore Pills and sickness can not approach you. Price 25 cents.

THREE YEARS IN BATTLE AND THREE

IN PRISON.—Is the title of a series of articles now appearing in the Farmer and Mechanic, from the pen of Capt. E. A. Shotwell. They are personal in their character, but very readable nevertheless.

David Lanier, white, was killed by

David Faison, colored, at Dudley in Wayne county. The negro was a tenant of Lanier's and in a quarrel about the crop he knocked him the head with an axe, and then ran.

Judge Kerr is at the Greenbrier White

Sulphur Springs, and we are glad to say his health is improving.

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Simon Frankfort, an old merchant

of Charlotte, and a highly valued citizen died last week, in the 69th year of his age.

The storm on the coast was so great

Thursday night that the Wilmington Star could get no dispatches over the telegraphic line.

Judge John C. Sneed died at his

residence in Augusta, Ga. the 11th inst. He was one of the first lawyers in Ga. and was honored and respected by all who knew him.

Judge Settle and family have come to

Greensboro from Florida to spend the summer.

IN THE WHOLE HISTORY OF MEDICINE

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Bad pit for rain as we are, some of our neighbors are much worse off. The whole State of South Carolina is parched with thirst. But in Oconee, the extreme north western county of South Carolina, the youth of the people is fearful. No rain has fallen since the first of May. Wells and springs are drying up. The corn is dead. Blackberries are withered. Gardens are dusty, and typhoid fever is prevalent. No such time has been known since 1845.—Chapel Hill Ledger.

The Harden cotton factory is now in

successful operation in Windsor, turning out as pretty yarn as can be found anywhere. (I send you a sample by mail.) The cotton is spun directly from the seed, and being taken off slowly makes the fiber long and strong. There ought to be a like factory in every county.—Economist.

Chastine Cox, the negro who some

weeks ago murdered Mrs. Hull in New York city, has been tried, convicted of murder in the first degree and sentenced to be hanged on the 26th of August. It will be remembered that Mrs. Hull, an old fat woman, was found dead in her bed, tied by strips of bedclothing. Cox was captured and confessed the burglary and murder.

On good recommendation the degree

of Bachelor of Arts was conferred on Mr. William V. Marshburn, of Sylvan Academy, by the Trustees and Faculty of Yadkin College, at the late Commencement.

The Wilmington Star says that Rhody

Lowrey, the widow of the once notorious Henry Berry Lowrey, leader of the band of the outlaws which were for a long time such a source of terror to many of the good people of Robeson county, has been turned over to the United States courts on the charge of selling liquor without a license.

The blackberry crop for the first time

in years, is said to be almost a failure. In the counties of Guilford, Alamance, Randolph and other counties, there are people who have made it a special business, and have reaped considerable profits, who will feel the failure very sensibly.

A boat load of 7,000 water melons

were shipped to New York from Beaufort on Wednesday of last week.

Thermometer stood last week in

Raleigh at N. C. depot, 140 degrees on the platform, and 97 degrees in Asheville, the highest ever known in that place.

Philadelphia turns out 20,000,000

garments a year, and employs 50,000 men and women in work.

The water in James river at

Richmond, Va., is lower than for many years, and persons can cross without wetting their feet.

A little girl named Davis sank in

the streets of Winston from sunstroke. She soon recovered.

Dr. Pritchard resigned his pastorate

last Sunday.

MARRIED.—By G. D. Cobb Esq., on the

22nd of June Mr. Robert Marshall and Nannie Barke, all of Alamance.

DIED.—At her home in the northern

section of this county, on the 16th day of this month, Arminta, wife of Thomas Reid.

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