

THE GLEANER

ISSUED EVERY THURSDAY. J. D. KERNODLE, Editor. \$1.00 A YEAR, IN ADVANCE.

On last Saturday when J. W. Bailey, Esq., took charge of the office of Collector of Internal Revenue at Raleigh he removed James H. Young, a noted colored politician who had held a position in the office for 30 years and appointed a white Democrat to the place.

The proposition made by the railroads on freight reduction was unanimously rejected by the Freight Rate Commission. This is a vexed question about which there are numerous opinions.

The tariff discussion is likely to be protracted till late in the Fall, and as soon as that is over the currency measure will be on deck.

It looks like there will be a contest of no little magnitude before Gov. Sulzer is finally impeached. Tammany may ultimately fail in his removal. Sentiment is growing in the Governor's favor.

Health And Hygiene.

No Fifth; No Flies.

Investigators tell us that houseflies are usually born within 300 to 500 feet of where you see them. They do not fly far, so the breeding place is not hard to find.

Perhaps typhoid germs are the most deadly germs the fly carries. You may strain dirt out of milk, but when a fly gets one foot on the edge of the milk can it may be starting the growth of thousands of typhoid germs.

If there are flies in your house and you do not want to kill them, there are several ways to get rid of them. Every manure pile at least once a week, and screen every out house within 500 feet, or better still, build it fly tight and place water-tight cans under it.

A well baby should have at least one tub every day. The water for an ordinary bath should be about body temperature. Use a thermometer; don't depend on the hand to determine the temperature. On very warm days a baby may be sponged two or three times with lukewarm water in which salt is dissolved in the proportion of a teaspoon to the pint.

Ignorance and carelessness are the chief causes of preventable sickness. It is your duty to dispel this ignorance which is wrecking and destroying human life, as it is your duty to educate your children that they may live intelligent and useful lives.

Don't let your baby crawl on a dirty floor. Wash its hands after creeping.

To prevent typhoid costs a few cents; to cure it costs many dollars.

The Charlotte Observer says two hacks loaded with visitors en route from Blowing Rock to Linville were overturned on the Yonahlossee turnpike, one mile out of Linville Thursday afternoon and almost every member of the party was more or less painfully bruised but none seriously hurt.

W. F. Coulter and his son, Harry Coulter, both lawyers, were shot and killed at the depot at Trenton, Tenn., Monday night a week by J. A. Alford, a citizen of a neighboring county, who used two automatic revolvers almost as soon as he alighted from a train, the reason assigned for the shooting.

The Thomasville Motor Company has conducted an automobile race and recently Charity and Children (or the Davidsonian) stated that about a half a dozen men in Thomasville were able to own automobiles, but 50 or 60 men in memory had them. It is possible that this had something to do with the failure of the automobile industry.

HARRY THAW HAS ESCAPED.

Noted Criminal Gets Away From Criminal Insane Hospital.

Harry K. Thaw, the slayer of Stanford White, escaped from the Hospital for the Criminal Insane, at Mattewan, N. Y., at 7:45 o'clock Sunday morning.

Five confederates manined the car in which Thaw escaped, and a big black limousine which trailed it past the asylum gate. The police have the descriptions of Thaw's confederates and the names under which they registered at a local hotel Friday night, and are seeking them.

A reward of \$500 for Thaw's apprehension has been offered by Dr. R. P. C. Keib, superintendent of the asylum, Howard H. Barnum, the attendant at the gate past whom Thaw flashed in his break for freedom is under arrest, and other arrests are expected to follow in the rigid investigation.

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Harry Thaw, the son of a wealthy family, a moral degenerate, married Evelyn Nesbit, a young woman with a past. Actuated by jealousy he killed Stanford White a prominent architect and a favorite of his wife before she married him.

Thaw was captured Tuesday morning immediately after crossing the line into Quebec. He is being held by the authorities and will have a hearing at Sherbrooke, Quebec, to-day. This means another big legal battle.

Can't Loan Government Money to Speculators.

The Treasury Department has made it clear that the banks which borrow or loan money for speculative purposes will be denied any portion of the \$50,000,000 of government money about to be deposited in the national banks to assist in moving the crops and the entire amount will go to institutions that earnestly strive to meet the currency demands of the agricultural sections.

Charlotte Chaffeur Burned to Death.

Jo Bean, a chaffeur, of Charlotte, was roasted to death and P. L. Borden of Jackson, Miss., was seriously injured Tuesday when Borden's automobile was struck by an excursion train near Martinsville, Va.

At Dallas, Texas, Mrs. Robert L. Adams shot and killed her husband and her cousin, Miss Bertha Neese, 24 years old, when she found the together in her home. Although Mrs. Adams was charged with murder she was released in \$1,000 bail.

Congressional expenditure of \$50,000,000 in the immediate future to complete the inland waterway to Boston, Mass., and Beaufort, N. C., is recommended to the House of Congress by the War Department.

Representatives of 1,000,000 women voters comprising the National Council of Women Voters, Wednesday began a three days' convention in Washington to formulate plans for the regular session of Congress in December, providing for an amendment to the Federal constitution, granting universal woman's suffrage.

While pursuing boys who had been throwing stones at the hot-houses in the National Botanical Gardens at Washington, C. Leslie Reynolds, superintendent of the Gardens dropped dead from heart failure. Mr. Reynolds had been connected with the Gardens for about 40 years and won national reputation through his development of the American Beauty rose.

Active at Seventy.

Many people of advanced age attribute their good health to SCOTT'S EMULSION because its concentrated nourishment creates permanent energy, and because it is devoid of drug stimulants.

ANNUAL PICNIC.

The Girls' Tomato Club and the Boys' Corn Club in Joint County Picnic.

A DAY OF PLEASURE—A DAY OF PROFIT.

Melville Farm, the home of Mr. R. W. Scott, 5 miles southeast of Graham, was the scene of a most pleasant and profitable picnic on last Friday, August 15th.

On entering the grounds from the highway, the visitors went through a large gate spanned with a tall arch draped in red and white. In the top of the arch hung the word WELCOME in large letters.

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Raleigh Dispatch.

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Shipping in the Canal About December First.

Washington, Aug. 15.—The latest reports from the Canal Zone announce that as the result of prospective substitution of dredgers for steam shovels in the excavation of the famous Culebra Cut, the canal may be ready for shipping by next December.

The 34 steam shovels now in the cut handle only 600,000 cubic yards of earth and rock a month, which output will be greatly reduced as the depth of the cut increases and the available room for shoveling is reduced.

While not content with digging away at the base of the cliffs, the engineers in their haste to open up the waterway have begun to tear away the hills with water under high pressure, sluicing the earth into the bed of the canal.

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Alamance County Sunday School Convention.

The following is the programme of the Alamance County Sunday School Convention, which convenes at New Providence Christian church, Graham, August 31st, 1913.

PROGRAMME. Saturday morning session, 10:30 o'clock. Devotional Song and Prayer Service—Rev. G. L. Curry. Welcome and Response—J. Dolph.

Business: 1. Enroll Delegates. 2. Appoint Committees. 3. On Nominations. 4. On Time and Place of Next meeting.

Christ in Every Lesson—Dr. W. C. Wicker. Personal Appeals to Every Student—Rev. T. S. Brown. The Whole School Brought to Christ—Rev. T. A. Sikes.

Recess for Dinner. Saturday Afternoon Session, 2:00 o'clock. Song Service. Report of County Officers—President, Secretary and Treasurer. Report of Department Secretaries—Cradle Roll and Home Department.

Teacher Training—Rev. A. B. Kendall. Organized Classes—Rev. T. E. Davis. Saturday Night Session, 8:00 o'clock. Entertainment by the young people of New Providence Sunday School, led by Miss Annie Williams.

Sunday Morning Session, 10:30 o'clock. Wanted—More Boys—Dr. W. T. Whitsett. Sunday Afternoon Session—2:00 o'clock. (Subject to be Selected), Dr. P. H. Fleming. Essentials to Successful Teaching (Paper)—Rev. M. W. Buck. Found Table—Dr. W. C. Wicker. President's Report—Mr. L. W. Holt.

Farewell Words—Prof. J. B. Robertson. L. W. HOLT, President. JOHN H. VERNON, Sec'y.

Mt. Zion Baptist Association. A Union Meeting of the Mt. Zion Baptist Association will be held with the Baptist church at Graham, on Friday, Saturday and Sunday, August 29-31, beginning Friday night at 7:30 o'clock.

PROGRAMME. FRIDAY, 7:30 p. m. Introductory Sermon, J. T. Riddick. Enrollment of Messengers. Appointing Committees. SATURDAY. 9:30 a. m.—Devotional Exercises, J. A. Hackney. 10:00.—The Spirit of Missions, W. E. Warren. 11:00.—Our Homeless Churches, Jno. Jeter Hurt. 12:00.—Dinner. 2:00 p. m.—Miscellaneous Business. 2:30.—The Baptist Position on the Lord's Supper, led by E. S. Pierce, followed by general discussion. 3:30.—Enlisting, Holding and Training Our Young People, J. T. Riddick. 7:30.—Sermon, O. L. Riggs.

SUNDAY. 10:00 a. m.—Regular Session of Graham Sunday School. 11:30.—Sermon, M. P. Davis. 7:30 p. m.—Sermon, J. P. McDUFFIE, Moderator. CHAS. C. SMITH, Sec'y.

The oil steamer "Standard" this week towed to port at Tampa, Fla. the sponging steamer "Mobile" and reported that she was found 100 miles west of Tampa, with nothing alive on board but a chicken. Seven weeks ago, John Cottrill, owner of the boat, left Tampa for a trip to the sponging grounds, carrying a crew of five to seven men.

A Democratic primary to name candidates for State offices was held in Virginia last week. Henry C. Stuart was nominated for Governor without opposition. The most interesting contest was that for Attorney General. There were three candidates and John Garland Pollard of Richmond, supported by the progressive and anti-machine faction won by a small plurality.

At Altoona, Pa. Henry Boldt, 55 and married put two large sticks of dynamite in his vest pocket with lighted fuses attached and lay down to await results. In a few minutes there was a terrific explosion and Boldt was blown to pieces. In the section of the city where he lived many windows of residences were shattered and surrounding the body was an immense hole in the ground. Boldt had been in bad health.

A bill has been introduced in Congress to increase the salary of the vice-president from \$12,000 to \$25,000 a year. Rains fell last week in the drought stricken regions of Kansas and suffering for lack of water is temporarily relieved.

In court at Montgomery, Ala. a negro was acquitted of the charge of shooting at one Sears, a constable. As soon as the verdict was rendered Sears opened fire on the negro and put two bullets in his body before he could be overcome. The negro is expected to recover. Sears is in jail.

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TUESDAY, SEPT. 16, 1913, at 12 o'clock M., at the court house door of Alamance county, in Graham, North Carolina, offer for sale to the highest bidder for cash, a certain tract or parcel of land lying and being in Alamance county, State of North Carolina, in Burlington township, adjoining the lands of T. G. Simmonson, Lewis Miller and others and more particularly described as follows: Beginning at a stone on Barber's Battle's line, running thence N. 23 1/2 chs. to a stake or stone; thence East 3.28 chs. to a stake or stone; thence South 1.33 chs. to a stake or stone; thence West 3.30 chs. to the beginning, containing eight tenths of an acre, more or less, the same being the lot or parcel of land conveyed by the Triple City Realty Company to B. Donaldson Webb on the 15th day of August, 1903, to which deed reference is made in the foregoing recital. This the 13th day of Aug. 1913. MATTIE BARBER, Mortgagee. E. S. W. Dameron, Atty.

North Carolina News.

The State Supreme Court will meet on the 25th and examine applicants for law license.

About 15 prisoners convicted in Wilkes court last week were sent to the Catawba county chain gang.

Robbers blew open the safe in the store of H. J. Olive in west Asheville last week and secured about \$100 in cash.

Wiley N. Anderson has been appointed postmaster at Calaham, Davie county, W. W. Miller at Laurel Springs, Allegheny county.

Mr. W. A. Fair of Lincolnton, formerly editor of the News of that town, is to edit a semi-weekly paper to be established at Jonesville.

The Chatham Record says there will be no State reunion of Confederate veterans this year because no place has offered to entertain them.

Fish Brown, a negro who recently killed another citizen of the same color at a ball game at Poplar Tent, Cabarrus county, got 20 years in the penitentiary.

Two colored citizens of New Berne fell out as the result of a card game and Ike Benders was buried next day, while Till Kenyon disappeared in the swamps.

Sam Dodley, a negro, was working on a suspended scaffold on a building at Greenville, the rope broke and the man fell to the ground and was crushed to death.

Rowan county commissioners have agreed to allow Scotch Irish township \$5,000 to be used in laying off roads if that township votes \$20,000 bonds for road work.

All hands having agreed on Mr. W. C. Dowd to fill the vacancy in the legislative delegation from Mecklenburg, the primary to select a candidate has been called off.

The annual Masonic picnic at Mocksville last week—the 35th—was attended by a great crowd. Mr. Archibald Johnson, editor of Charity and Children, was the speaker.

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Service by Publication. North Carolina—Alamance County. In the Superior Court, September Term, 1913. Frank Hay vs. Queen Belle et al.

In this case it appearing that Mrs. Martha Lewis Bonitto, Mado Lewis, Lola Lewis, Lena Lewis, Laura Lewis and Wm. McKinley Lewis, of Rockingham, are necessary parties to this action, the same being for the recovery of a store-house placed upon the lands of their ancestor upon an alleged agreement that plaintiff was entitled to remove the same.

Now, therefore, the defendants above named will take notice that they are required under an order of this court made in this cause to appear and answer or demur to the complaint filed in said action, or that judgment will be granted against them as prayed for in the complaint, and that judgment will be granted against them as prayed for in this August 28, 1913. J. D. KERNODLE, C. S. C.

To the Farmers of this Section. The North Carolina Department of Agriculture will have a limited number of samples of material for the inoculation of Crimson Clover, Bur Clover, Red Clover, Vetch and Alfalfa for distribution this fall.

Any one in this section of the State who expects to sow any one of these crops this fall for the first time should send in his application at once for enough of this material to inoculate seed for an acre. There is no charge for the material, but each man is required to report results. Applications must reach us at least a month before seed are to be sowed.

J. L. BURGESS, Agronomist. Died After 200 Operations Had Been Performed. After undergoing more than 200 operations during three years for the removal of a growth in his throat, that interfered with his breathing George McDowell, 33 years old formerly of Spartanburg, S. C., died at a hospital in Baltimore Friday while the surgeons were making a last attempt to save his life.

For the past 18 months McDowell breathed through a tube inserted in his throat. He had been under so many operations that he became immune to the effects of cocaine and the doctors were forced to use other means. Freezing was resorted to and chloroform to deaden the pain when they worked on the growth.

The doctors said that it was a muscular growth but could not tell what kind it was, such that it contracted the man's windpipe at times and all but closed it.

At Millen, Ga., last week W. S. Godbee and his wife, Mrs. Florence Godbee, were shot and killed by Ella Perkins Godbee, the divorced wife of Godbee.

Three persons were burned to death, and a fourth, a child of six, was fatally injured Tuesday night a week when a large automobile crashed through the railing of a bridge and fell 30 feet into the bank of a creek on the outskirts of Columbus, Ohio.

Richard Pickett, a young negro, charged with attempted criminal assault was lynched at Laurens, S. C., Tuesday night a week, a mob breaking into the jail. The young man who was attacked failed to identify the prisoner and it is said he denied his guilt.

The Louisville and Nashville Railroad Company has issued an order putting into effect the two and a half cent passenger rate on the various divisions of the road in Alabama. The company has fought this rate through all the state and Federal courts since 1906, a decision being rendered by Judges Grubb and Pardee some days ago against the company. The order of the road indicates that no appeal will be taken to the United States Supreme Court.

At Newport, E. I., Saturday Secretary of the Navy Daniels presented to the battleship Idaho the pennant won in target practice, the record of that vessel showing that it received the highest combined merit in gunnery and engineering for the year ending June 30th. A letter of congratulation from President Wilson to the officers and men of the Idaho was read.

An automobile carrying six passengers was struck by a train at a railroad crossing near Carrollton, Mo. Five were killed instantly and the sixth died in a short time.

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REPORT OF CONDITION OF THE Citizens Bank OF GRAHAM. At Graham in the State of North Carolina, at the close of business August 9, 1913.

Table with columns for Assets and Liabilities. Assets: Loans and discounts \$37,838.97, Overdrafts \$50.75, Real Estate \$146,000, Furniture and Fixtures \$125,000, Demand Loans \$209,710, Due from Banks and Bankers \$209,710, Gold coin \$900.00, Silver coin \$490.00, National Bank notes \$405.00. Total \$836,814.44. Liabilities: Capital stock \$100,000, Surplus fund \$100,000, Undivided profits, less current expenses \$14,145, Bills payable \$300,000, Time Certificates of Deposit \$496,834, Deposits subject to check \$496,834, Savings Deposits \$496,834, Cashier's Checks outstanding \$174.24. Total \$836,814.44.

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Chas. C. Thompson, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of his knowledge and belief.

Commissioner's Sale of Valuable Town Property. By virtue of an order of the Superior Court of Alamance county, made in a special proceeding, the following real property, to-wit: The whole of the lot known as the late Jarrett L. Cook, bounded on the East by 1st Street, on the South by Jackson Street, on the West by 2