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TAR DROPS.

Use me profusely. Rocky Mount has a new paper, the Plaindealer.

Send us the news from every section of the county. Rev. Mr. Hawkins, of Wake Forest occupied the pulpit at the Baptist church last Sunday night.

Pic nics were had last Monday at Crutcher's and at Dement's mill, and some of our young people attended.

The recent celebration of the completion of the Durham and Northern Railroad to Henderson, was a very large affair.

At the rapid rate at which the leaves are growing now, it is very certain that they will be grown by the 10th of May.

Rev. Dr. Black, Presiding Elder of this district preached, a very fine sermon in the Methodist church last Sunday night.

Dr. Ross is at his office at the Eagle Hotel, but will leave tomorrow (Saturday). He will be back again in two or three weeks.

W. B. Green & Bro., advertise in this paper that they are prepared to sell to merchants at factory prices, flour, meat, lard &c., &c. Read their adv. Be sure to call if you want a barrel of flour cheap.

Again, are the authorities paying sufficient attention to the sanitary condition of the town? And are they having the lots looked after. We fear not. It shall not be said that you forgot it.

Dr. J. E. Malone's example should be followed by every family in town. He has had his entire lot whitewashed. He also thinks the suggestion of the Times in regard to "whitewash day" a good one.

We were incorrectly informed last week in regard to the death of Mr. H. C. Hinton's son. He was very badly hurt by a falling tree, but was not killed, as reported, and we are glad to state that he is improving.

Have you joined the Baseball Association? If not, do so at your earliest convenience. The boys will appreciate it, and the amusement afforded the community will repay you for the small amount charged as an initiation fee.

How about that hotel for Louisburg? Shall it be built, or will our citizens settle down to the belief that large, convenient hotels are a disadvantage to the town of Louisburg? People abroad are looking at you and making some very uncomplimentary remarks.

The Rocky Mount Phoenix came out last week on a large scale. Its trade issue was a success and reflected much credit upon the publisher. Rocky Mount is pushing right ahead, and her sister towns will get left if they too do not push.

We notice in the Raleigh papers that Rev. Mr. Cade, the excellent pastor of the Baptist church, of Louisburg, is preparing to make a practical test of his telegraph invention. The Times hopes to be able to very soon announce it a grand success.

The attention of the merchants of Franklin county is called to the advertisement of the reliable wholesale grocery house Christian & Cary, of Richmond, Va. They are personally known to the writer, and he can truly recommend them as thoroughly reliable.

That sprightly Raleigh daily the "Evening Visitor" has closed its tenth year of existence, and during all that time has never changed hands; but has been successfully run by Messrs. Brown & Utley, two very clever gentlemen. May the Visitor live to celebrate many more anniversaries is the wish of this writer.

Our town authorities, or rather the street committee, are receiving some pretty severe criticism for not doing what a good many think ought to have been done several weeks ago, viz: cleaning out the ditches on Main street. The files of the Times will show that attention was called to this matter at least two months ago.

The Times congratulates its excellent contemporary, the Henderson Gold Leaf upon being able to secure a first-class power press. His labors deserved it all and more at the hands of his people for whom he has worked in season and out, and Bro. Manning will now show them what power means when connected with the press.

The Georgia Enterprise has this ominous paragraph: "You may have the stars in a nail keg, hang the ocean on a rail fence to dry, put the sky to soak in a gourd and unbutton the belly band of eternity and let the sun and moon out, but don't think you can escape the place that lies the other side of purgatory if you don't pay for your paper."

The question of the Louisburg Female College having been settled, and a thoroughly competent man having been secured to take charge of it, the attention of the citizens should be turned to the Male Academy. What arrangements, if any, have been made regarding its future? Will Prof. Rice continue it on? We hear not. It is a very important matter, and the trustees cannot act too hastily. The Times hopes that it is incorrectly informed as to Prof. Rice, as its editor would regret to see him leave us.

The Times desires to be the faithful representative of every section of the county. It can only do this by the people furnishing the news items of their neighborhood. Even a postal card of items will help.

Remember that if your name is not on the Registration books you cannot vote in the town election which takes on the 6th of May. According to law the books will close on the 26th of April—10 days before the election.

It is said by those skilled in the business, that a newspaper—about the size of the FRANKLIN TIMES—folded and placed under the seat in the small of the back is a sure preventive of pneumonia. Now is the time to subscribe. Single copies, 5 cents; by the year \$1.50.

The Rocky Mount Plaindealer says: The first case before the Mayor of the newly incorporated town of Springhope resulted in the commitment of the defendant to the town prison, and his release therefrom by his friends. Law and order will grow in that new and progressive town.

We unintentionally neglected last week to note the reception of the first copy of "Call" a new evening paper at Raleigh. It is a neat little daily and is splendidly gotten up. Mr. D. H. Bowder, the publisher, is a very clever young gentleman, and deserves success. (This is about as much as we can say for the present, brother, as you have failed to call since the first time.) But we will say that the subscription price is only 25 cents a month, or \$3 a year.

Since the above was put in type another copy of the "Call" has come to hand, check full of news.

The Railroad Case. In the railroad injunction case between the Richmond & Danville and the Raleigh & Gaston Railroads, which was argued here on Friday and Saturday last, the Judge decided to let the matter stand as it is until it can be settled before a jury. Very able counsel appeared on each side, Messrs. D. Schenck, C. M. Baybee and R. W. Winston for the R. & G. and Messrs. J. W. Hindsale and Batchelor & Devereux for the R. & D.

Personal. Miss Minnie Kearney of Franklinton, daughter of our excellent Sheriff, was among the visitors to Louisburg this week.

Maj. A. M. Lewis and wife of Raleigh, are visiting their sisters Misses Maria and Pattie Lewis.

Mrs. W. E. Spruill, of Littleton, and Mr. W. E. Spruill, Jr., of Scotland Neck, are among the visitors to Louisburg this week, guests of Mr. F. S. Spruill.

The Louisburg Female College. The people of Louisburg are moving onward. They do not propose to neglect the most important duty they owe this and coming generations.

We note with pleasure and congratulations that they have induced the classical and energetic president of the Littleton Female College to take charge of the beautiful College building and campus that has long since been an ornament to that pleasant town.

The learned Mr. Bagley has few, if any, equals in the State as an instructor, and we bespeak an educational impetus for Louisburg. He is now President of the Littleton Female College, and will be succeeded there by Rev. J. M. Rhodes of Henderson.—Rocky Mount Plain Dealer.

It Rests With Young Men. To build up our city rests with its younger men, and to them must be given all the encouragement at the command of the elder members of the community consistent with their means and knowledge.—Raleigh Visitor.

Just so. The same can be said of other places—Louisburg for instance.

Trouble With an Editor. The following from an exchange so well fits some folks known to us that we publish it for their benefit:

Stranger—"So you have no paper in this town?"

Native—"No, sir. We did have one once, but it wasn't run right, and we was glad to get rid of it."

"What was the matter?"

"Well, in the first place, the editor didn't allow folks rights. He'd call one gal young and handsome, and 'sturdily refer to another gal just as pretty, 'leavin' it ter be understood she wasn't pretty enough to be called handsome, and she might be as old as Methusalem."

"Wall, that made trouble, an' after that when Farmer Haysseed and Fallow both left the same sort of stuff on his table, he gave Fallow two lines more than the other."

"Yes."

"Wall, things kept gettin' wuss and wuss, until General Oldham up on the hill died, and got half a column obituary notice, all about the Mexican war, and things, while my Uncle Jake, just as good a man, who never left the farm, but tended to his duties like a Christian, an' was a pillar in the church, got only a quarter of a column. You 'beter believe me an' my friends felt hurt."

"Wall, we begun inquireing around about this editor, and we disktivered that while he was chargin' us for every two line advertisement we put in, he was prinin' a hull column about his job of bein' nothin'." This raised a breeze, I tell you."

"After that things came ter a head. The feller commenced stoppin' the paper on them wadn't pay their subscriptions. Then we rose in our might an' sent him out o' town."

A telegram was received by his relatives here a few days ago, announcing the death of Mr. Burt Carille, formerly of this place. He had been living in Texas for a number of years.

Reports of Grand Jury. The following are the reports of the Grand Jury of the present term of court:

We, the Grand Jury, under oath beg leave to submit the following reports:

1. We find on examination the C. S. C. office in good condition. Court reports well kept and labeled. Books and records well kept and convenient.

2. We find accounts of sales made by Commissioners, and returns of Guardians, Administrators and papers on file in special proceedings in bad shape, and would recommend that the County Commissioners have the Clerk or some other good party, to rearrange and label said papers; also furnish Clerk with new Index Book for the judgments, which have been docketed for the last ten (10) years.

3. We further find upon examination, the offices of Sheriff, Register and Treasurer in good condition. Books and papers neatly kept and well arranged.

4. We find reports from only five Justices of Peace, and upon examination of Treasurer's books, fines and penalties duly reported and paid in by said Justices.

5. We find the jail in bad condition as to two of the rooms, caused partly from decay and the ravages of the prisoners. We find the heating arrangements bad; otherwise we find jail in moderately good condition and prisoners well cared for. We further learn that the County Commissioners have taken steps to have all necessary arrangements made, both for safety and comfort.

The committee to examine poor house, have reported things there in good condition. The Solicitor reported the Clerk's office in good condition.

Remember the Editor. The Rutherford Banner says: Don't forget the poor editor, when you have a news item. If your wife whips you let us know it and we will set it right before the public. If you have company, tell us—if you are not ashamed of the visitors. If a youngster arrives at your home begging for raiment, buy a quarter worth of cigars and come around, and if you are a cash subscriber we will furnish a game for him or her, as the circumstances will permit; and if you have a social gathering of a few of your friends, bring around a big cake, seven or eight pies and a ham, not necessarily to eat, but as a guarantee of good faith. We mention these little things for we want news and we will have it.

Married. On the 22 inst., at the residence of Mrs. Kindred Gupton, Mr. E. B. Smith and Miss Cleora Hale. Squire W. T. Wilder officiated. The Times offers congratulations and wishes them much happiness.

Revenue Collector. A Dispatch was received in Raleigh from Washington on Tuesday, announcing that E. A. White, of Perquimans would be appointed Collector for this district.

TO THE LADIES—Our Dress maker is here and ready to cut, fit and finish up dresses in first-class style. Prices to suit all.

J. S. BARROW & SON April 16, 1889.

Send your furniture to J. W. Pittman's shop and have it repaired. Remember you can get base-ball shoes, base balls, Royster's candy, both plain and fine, cigars and smoking tobacco at King Bros.

King Bros. have just received one of the prettiest lines of straw hats ever seen in Louisburg.

Sugar cured shoulders as nice as country hams at King Bros.

Now is the time to have your furniture repaired at J. W. Pittman's shop.

Ladies will remember that they can have their teeth removed and new ones inserted in twenty minutes by calling on Dr. R. E. King, dentist.

Gents and ladies fine shoes a specialty at Green & Yarbrough's. These goods were manufactured expressly for our trade.

Do you want first-class New Orleans molasses? If so you can find it at Green & Yarbrough's.

Table damask—a nice article at Green & Yarbrough's.

New lot of North Carolina cut herrings, one cent each, at Greenhaw, Hicks & Allen's.

Breakfast strips, Franklin county hams, beef tallow and beef hams at Greenhaw, Hicks & Allen.

If you want good bread go to Greenhaw, Hicks & Allen to get the flour.

Bananas, Oranges Lemons, Apples &c. at Greenhaw, Hicks & Allen's.

Nice stock gents gausz shirts, ladies vests, gents best quality, bleached double soamed, popper jeans draws at Greenhaw, Hicks & Allen's.

Large lot of ladies and gents silk umbrellas. Beautiful stock of gents scarfs and ties at Greenhaw, Hicks & Allen's.

45 dozen gents, boys & children's straw hats and caps.—Greenhaw, Hicks & Allen.

Notice. By virtue of a decree of the Superior Court of Franklin county made in the case of E. W. Lancaster vs. A. J. Pearce, we will sell at public auction for cash, at the court house door in Louisburg, on Monday, the 3rd day of June next, that valuable tract of land in Cedar Rock township, adjoining the lands of W. B. Coppedge, R. R. Bova and others, containing 99 acres, on which A. W. Pearce formerly resided.

C. M. COOKE, April 26, 1889. E. W. TIMBERLAKE, Commissioner.

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Furnishing Goods, Dress Goods, and Trimmings that can't be surpassed in the State. It is a blessing to be within reach of such an opportunity. We have

the largest stock of CLOTHING that we have ever had, and of course this means the largest in the county. We only ask you to come and examine. We are confident that we can suit you. This stock of Clothing together with an elegant stock of Dress and Negligee SHIRTS in the latest styles and a full line of

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forms a complete stock of Gents' Furnishing Goods. Our whole stock is all Bright, Clean and Fresh, consisting of the most popular styles, coupled with

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We outstrip all competition. We have no room to enumerate but come and we will prove what we say. Write and stationery clerks always ready to wait on you.

Respectfully, F. N. EGERTON.

Barrow's Store

LOUISBURG, N. C.

Is a perfect Palace of Beauty. Our buyers have just returned from the Northern Cities, after having purchased the

CHEAPEST

Line of Goods it has ever been our pleasure to show.

DRESS GOODS, DRESS GOODS, DRESS GOODS.

The skill of an artist is shown in the purchase of our Dress Goods. Our Lady buyer has excelled herself this time. We have all sorts, all the new and latest Fabrics, at the very Lowest Prices.

We have a beautiful line of these Silks at 49 cts. per yard, formerly sold for 75 cents.

WHITE GOODS AND EMBROIDERIES.

We are in a position to give Great Bargains in White Goods, Embroideries and Laces, having purchased at the Great Closing Out Sale of one of New York's Largest Importers. See our 5 cent Handkerchiefs as good as you buy elsewhere at 10 cts. and 15 cts. Lace Stripes, Figured White Goods at 10 cts. per yard which sold last season at 15c. and 20cts. per yard. Come and see for yourself that these are facts.

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