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The Hillsborough Recorder.

WEDNESDAY.....FEB. 20 1878.

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WITH THIS ISSUE, THE RECORDER ENTERS UPON ITS 59TH YEAR.

We are much indebted to Mr. Alonzo Phillips of Chicago for many and valuable favors in the shape of welcome copies of the leading dailies of that great city.

Tobacco Reports.

We begin in this issue, with the opening of the tobacco trade, a report of the markets of Hillsboro, Durham and Danville, compiled from the most authentic and recent sources, and corrected weekly. Our country subscribers will get these reports in their combined form *sooner than in any other weekly paper*, and this fact will give additional value to the RECORDER.

Let the planters of Person, Alamance and Caswell make a note of this, as well as our own people of Orange.

Pogue sold bright yellow tobacco on Wednesday at $42. All sales during the past week have been highly satisfactory to the sellers.

Come on with your tobacco. A MILLION POUNDS WANTED; and will be paid for at as good prices as can be got anywhere.

Did Cameron, of the *Recorder* come to town without calling to see us?—*Danville Times.*

Naturally, brother Boulbin. Have not been to Danville yet. Will be there next week. To go to Danville and not see Boulbin would be to go to Rome and not see the Coliseum.

Dr. D. A. Robertson gives us information that he will be in Hillsboro on Monday the 25th inst, and will be pleased to meet with those with whom he has formed engagements as well as all desiring his professional services.

Mad Dog.

A mad dog was shot by a negro on Thursday last near the blacksmith shop on the Greensboro road, near Mr. James Riley's, four miles West of town. We do not learn that he had bitten any animal. We would be glad to hear that many more canines were caught in the act of cutting strange capers. It would cause a wholesome thinning out of a very abundant surplus.

Work on the Streets &c.

The town Commissioners are doing some little patch work here and there; and are engaged in the very useful work of putting out trees where they are most needed, which, we are glad to see, are put in with some regard to vitality.

We beg leave to call their attention to the foot-way or rather total absence of footway—along the street leading from the Court House square East. It is a most important thoroughfare leading to one of the principal Churches, and hourly used by ladies. Yet by the projection of a bank never cut down, and the encroachment by fences on the top of that bank over which it was orighially designed a sidewalk should run, pedestrians are actually forced into the street in its narrowest point, where it is cut into a perfect grief by the constant passage of vehicles.

It is a marvel of human endurance that such a nuisance should have been so long tolerated. A good side walk can be made, ought to be made. Let the Commissioners see to it at once.

This is a dangerous season, and often the fondest mother's care is no protection against Coughs, Colds and Hoarseness. Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup should be kept in readiness. Price 25 cents.

Death of a Former Member.

Jacob T. Brown, Republican member of the House in the Legislature of the session of 1870-1 was found dead on the morning of Monday the 11th inst about one mile from Lexington. He had been drinking freely, and leaving a still house on Saturday night to endeavor to reach home, he became bogged in a marsh he had to cross and miserably perished.

This is the second tragic death of late members counting recently, C. F. Young of Yancey having been found frozen to death in a snow storm about three weeks since.

The Richmond Dispatch has the following of the February number of *The Planter*, published in Richmond, Va. at $2 a year:

"*The Southern Planter and Farmer* for February contains the well-executed representation of that periodical. It is almost entirely made up of original articles from the pens of practical farmers and scientific agriculturists. Dr. Ruffin, Dr. Bolland, the editor, and others, combine to produce a periodical that is a credit to the State. Our views do not coincide with theirs on some of the topics which they treat; but we appreciate none the less the value of the *Planter and Farmer*."

See the ad. of Vass & Co. of the genuine Plow for $3,50.

COUNTY POLITICS.

It is not very long before active agitation will begin upon the subject of county nominations. It is time therefore that the people should be thinking of whom they want to serve them, and put their wishes in definite form for action.

We have said before, and we repeat it again, that if the people have been dissatisfied by the actions of nominating conventions, it is their own fault. They have permitted those Conventions to meet without trammeling themselves by preliminary action to secure their proper constitution. Those bodies meet at the time appointed, make their nominations, and then there always goes up a loud cry of dissatisfaction from some quarter, sometimes from all quarters. But, who is to blame but the people themselves? The Convention meets, as fairly constituted as the people choose to make it. It acts, and those acts *must* be binding on the whole party, if anything like party organization or party harmony is to be maintained.

The real and only remedy lies in full and hearty primary action. Let due previous notice be given in each township of meetings to be held in the respective townships to select delegates to meet in general County Convention at the Court House in Hillsboro, at such time as the Chairman of the Executive Committee shall appoint. Let these delegates go up instructed or untrammelled as the case may be; but let them go up with the full understanding that they fully, fairly and unqualifiedly represent their townships, and that their action in Convention finally and unequivocally binds the township to their selections.

The Convention system in itself is the best and fairest mode, if properly carried out, by which expression of the public choice can be given. It is only by neglect to observe preliminary caution and secure a general participation that abuses have crept in. Packed Conventions, of which we hear a good deal of at this time, are impossible if the people choose to guard them properly. The new project of primary elections we presume has few advocates. We have pointed out before some of their objectionable features, and will only add in conclusion, that such a mode of selecting candidates makes it very possible that Democratic choice shall be determined by radical votes; just as in the last election, radical votes were liberally used in the endeavor to give us a "Democratic" U. S. Senator.

Beware of the trap.

Orphan Asylum.

We had a visit on Friday last from Mr. Jas. A. Leach, member of the Legislature last winter from the county of Davidson, who is now travelling on behalf of the Orphan Asylum at Oxford. We learn from him that he is meeting with a fair degree of success; but scarcely proportionate to the needs of the Institution.

He tells us that there are at present about 130 inmates of the Asylum, and the yearly expenses are between $14,000 and $15,000—a little over a hundred dollars a-piece. To meet this there is the generous fund of $2,000 per year provided in quarterly payments by the Grand Lodge of the State and—*the backward charities of the public*, kept alive by most persistent, but necessary appeals.

The Asylum is doing too much of substantial good to be left to such precarious support. The act of saving a single human being from degradation, from physical and from moral ruin, is triumph enough over penury and vice to rouse every christian to liberal effort. What then ought to be the stimulus, when hundreds are thus rescued? About four hundred children in all have received the benevolent care of the Asylum. All of these are plainly but thoroughly educated in the common branches of English. Many boys have left well able to earn their own living and are doing it creditably and successfully. A large number of girls have been provided with comfortable homes, and a few have shown such progress and talent as to be taken in charge by the higher female schools to be educated as teachers. The Greensboro Female Academy has charge of one, the Institute at Murfreesboro has another, and there is one more of whom Mr. Leach could give no account.

Brethren of the press, is not the Orphan Asylum worthy of your labors in its behalf?

THE NEW ORLEANS CARNIVAL HANDSOMELY ILLUSTRATED.

The N. O. Weekly Budget will issue three extra illustrated editions during the Carnival; the first edition will contain street procession of the Knights of Momus, together with the Grand Tableaux at the opera House, which takes place February 28th; price per copy, 10 cents, post paid. The second extra edition will contain the street procession of Rex, the King of the Carnival and his Royal Court, as it appears on the street on March 5th; price per copy, 10 cents, post paid. The third extra edition will contain the grand night procession of the Mystic Krewe of Comus and the magnificent Tableau given at the Varieties Theatre, with a full and detailed account of the subjects represented; price per copy, 10 cents, post paid. The three editions will be sent to any address on receipt of 30 cents in currency or postage stamps, address WEEKLY BUDGET, New Orleans.

'It is better to laugh than be crying"—decidedly; and to enjoy your baby's laughing society use Dr. Bull's Baby Syrup which relieves the chief discomforts of babyhood without stupefying the children. Price 25 cents a bottle.

BRIDGES ROADS &C.

We wish the attention of our County Commissioners would be aroused more energetically in the direction of improvement to the various modes of intercommunication between the different sections of the county. We have no words of censure for anything that seems to savor of past neglect. They are intelligent, conscientious men, fully impressed with a sense of the responsibility weighing upon them, aware of the distress of the people and reluctant to add what may seem to be new burdens upon them. It is this fear of oppression that causes them to halt where they should move, and to withhold when they should dispense liberally. By their honesty, their frugality, and their sagacity, they have freed the County from debt, and they can point with a just pride to a treasury full and free from the claim of the public creditor. But that treasury goes on in the accumulation of its store, and the Commissioners may sit on and apply its resources in a way to add to their own character as wise public servants to purposes of public and permanent welfare.

In no way can so much be done as by the erection of much needed bridges. Orange County is traversed by three principal streams; the Eno, Flat and Little rivers, rising in the Northwestern part of the county, and, widely separating in the upper part of their courses, uniting in the Southeastern border to form the Neuse. These streams, soon after reaching the dignity of rivers, assume a bold, impetuous character, strong and swift, easily affected the rains which fall on the steep hill sides, and swelling into impassable torrents, defying transit, and for the while, separating the people into isolated communities. If this were all, vexatious as it is, it might be borne with philosophic patience. But other communities besides those of Orange suffer. The traffic of other counties finds its way to market through our territory. That traffic builds up our own towns and adds largely to our taxable capacity. It is the part of wisdom to invite increase of that traffic by every facility that can be offered to tempt to our direction. To leave existing obstacles in the way, is to repel it and turn it into other channels. If we would retain and increase the business of the county, steps must be taken to make all parts of it accessible to all others, at all times, by the erection of bridges wherever experience shows they are most needed.

No stranger inducement can be held out to immigration which we so much need, as that of good roads, and good and frequent bridges. When good roads are made, we shall believe the millennium is at hand. But even the wicked may presume to make bridges, because the completion and maintenance is within the scope of possibility. And by their erection, the whole county becomes compact and united, instead of remaining at the mercy of every summer storm or winter rain, when neighbor looks despairingly across at his opposite, between him and whom there is a "great gulf fixed;" and when the wayfarer, abruptly checked in his journey, berates the barbarism of a country that still contents itself with the rude thoroughfares of the savage.

No better investment can be made of the public monies than in permanent improvements to means of communication. Private property assumes new value, creates new demands from abroad, induces strangers to our midst, stimulates business of all kinds, enhances the subjects of taxation, largely adds to the public revenue, and as an investment, pays back to the county, not indirectly, but absolutely and directly, a large profit on the outlay; besides, and not the least consideration, making our people better satisfied that they are paying taxes for some more solid consideration than compensating jurymen and supporting criminals.

Let our Commissioners, who are custodians of the public money, see to it, that they lay it out profitably, and be not content with the commendation of the unprofitable servant, that they handed over their talent to their successors, nicely done up in a napkin, neither bigger nor smaller than when they took charge of it.

THE PARENT OF INSOMNIA.

The parent of insomnia or wakefulness is in nine cases out of ten a dyspeptic stomach. Good digestion gives sound sleep, indigestion interferes with it. The brain and stomach sympathize. One of the prominent symptoms of a weak state of the gastric organs is a disturbance of the great nerve entrepot, the brain. Invigorate the stomach, and you restore equilibrium to the great centre. A most reliable medicine for the purpose is Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, which is far preferable to mineral sedatives and powerful narcotics which, though they may for a time exert a soporific influence upon the brain, soon cease to act, and invariably injure the tone of the stomach. The Bitters, on the contrary, restore activity to the operations of that all important organ, and their beneficent influence is reflected in sound sleep and a tranquil state of the nervous system. A wholesome impetus is likewise given to the action of the liver and bowels by its use.

Our friend S. R. Carrington of Durham, has a very pleasant way of providing for the inner man, *dry*, as well as wet. No better meal than his restaurant provides can be had anywhere. Our foreman, Mr. Freeland, speaks advisedly and feelingly on the subject. Call on him.

MARRIED.

At University Station on the 13th inst by Alvis Durham Esq; Mr. Robert Riley, and Miss. Artelia Hicks. All of this co.

RESOLUTIONS OF RESPECT TO THE MEMORY OF DR. J. LONG BROWER.

WHEREAS it has pleased the Great Disposer of all events in his wisdom and mercy to remove from earth our valued friend, our fellow trustee and worthy counselor;

WHEREAS for years he has been among us laboring for our common interest in the ennobling cause of education, and has presided with ability, honor, and success over our School, and has done so much in awakening the people to the vital importance of their interests and in educating public sentiment;

Therefore be it

Resolved 1st, That while we do humbly and sadly submit to that stroke of Providence which has taken from us our fellow trustee and beloved friend, we deeply mourn his untimely fall;

Resolved 2nd, That in his sudden fall, we have suffered a loss irreparable, a friend tried and valued, and a preceptor noble and trustworthy.

Resolved 3rd. That while we now so freshly remember his labors and so sensibly feel an aching void, we will hold in fond and grateful reverence his memory and the recollections of his brilliant though brief career.

Resolved 4th That we tender to the sorrowing members of his devoted family our testimony to the lovely traits that adorn his noble, christian character; and also our sincere condolence and heart felt sympathy in this sad and unexpected bereavement which has so much distressed them.

Resolved 5th That a copy of these resolutions be sent to the family of the deceased; and that a copy be spread on the Secretary's book, and also be sent to the Hillsboro RECORDER, Durham Tobacco PLANT Raleigh Christian ADVOCATE and the Randolph REGULATOR for publication.

G. S. BRADSHAW, J. S. H. JORDAN, W. MCKEE, } Com.
L. W. HALL Chairman.
H. T. HARRIS Sec'y.
Caldwell Institute Orange County N. C.

A CARD.

To all who are suffering from the errors and indiscretions of youth, nervous weakness, early decay, loss of manhood, &c; I will send a recipe that will cure you FREE OF CHARGE. This great remedy was discovered by a missionary in South America. Send a self-addressed envelope to the REV. JOSEPH T. INMAN, *Station D, Bible House, New York City.* 1y.

RHEUMATISM QUICKLY CURED.

"Durang's Rheumatic Remedy," the great INTERNAL MEDICINE, will positively cure any case of rheumatism on the face of the earth. Price $1 a bottle, six bottles, $5. Sold by all Wholesale and Retail Druggist. Don't fail to send for circular to Helphenstine & Bently, Druggists, Washington, D. C. 6m.

DIED.

Near Williston, Fayette County, Tennessee, Saturday, January 26th 1878, John Holden, in the 70th year of his age.

At the residence of Dr. T. J. Wilson, in this town on Monday morning the 11th inst, Miss Jane, daughter of Tyre B. Ray Esq of this county in the 31st year of her age.

TOBACCO MARKETS.

HILLSBORO, Feb. 16th.
Reported weekly from actual sales by E. H. FOGUE, & CO

Lugs—dark common	$1.00 to 2.00
" good	2.50 to 3.50
Bright com.	3.00 to 5.00
" good	5.00 to 8.00
" fine	11.25 to 20.00
Leaf—Red	3.00 to 6.00
Bright Wrappers	10.00 to 42.00

BY REAMS' WAREHOUSE.
DURHAM, N. C. Feb. 16.

Lugs	—Dark	$2.00 to 3.00
	Red.	3.00 to 4.50
Bright Lugs	—Com.	4.00 to 5.00
	Medium.	6.00 to 8.00
	Good,	10.00 to 13.00
	Fancy,	14.00 to 20.00
Red Leaf	Com. dark,	2.50 to 3.50
	Good,	4.00 to 5.00
	Fine,	none
	Extra Fine,	"
Bright Wrap.	—Com.	10.00 to 12.00
	Medium,	12.00 to 18.00
	Fine,	25.00 to 40.00
	Extra,	50.00 to 65.00

Demand for fine wrappers, and fancy smokers. Good orders for these direct from manufacturers. Common grades low.

DANVILLE, VA. Feb. 16.
From the Danville Times:

Lugs.—New Com.	2.50 to 4.00
Medium	4.00 to 6.00
Fine smokers	8.00 to 12.00
Leaf—Common	3.00 to 5.00
Good	6.00 to 8.00
Wrap. com.	8.00 to 12.00
Fine,	12.00 to 30.00
Extra,	40.00 to 60.00

Flouring Mills.

THE well known Mills of RICHMOND and COOPER, at the well known Hurdle's Mill site in Person County 15 miles North of Hillsboro, have recently been put in complete repair, new burrs, new bolting cloth and every appliance to do first rate work and ask a liberal share of public favor.

Customers can be supplied with as good flour as can made in any Mill in the country.

RICHMOND & COOPER.
jan 30 4t. Hurdle's Mill.

MATTER of POPULAR INTEREST.

GAMMON—THE LEADER.
Main St. Durham, N. C.
OFFERS DRESS GOODS,
Offers Ready Made Clothing,
OFFERS BOOTS AND SHOES,
Offers Blankets and Linseys
OFFERS WOOLEN PANT GOODS,
Offers Bleached and Brown DOMESTIC,
Offers Ladies Knit Sacques and Shawls,
Offers FURS and MUFFS &c.,
Groceries and Everything Else,
At Bottom Prices—Is never UNDERSOLD,
REMEMBER I AM HEADQUARTERS.
Jan. 30. DURHAM, N. C.

Dr. D. A. Robertson.
Surgeon Dentist.
GREENSBORO, N. C.
WILL spend the fourth week of each month at his office in Hillsboro.
Orders left with Charles M. Parks' will be promptly attended to. May 30 1y.

George Gibson, Jr.,
Sucessor to
KELLOGG & GIBSON.
Importer and Dealer in
China, Glass, Queensware,
AND
HOUSE-FURNISHING GOODS.
No. 1207 Main Street.
sept. 19 1y. RICHMOND, VA.

THE
The North Carolina Home
INSURANCE CO.
OF
RALEIGH, N. C.
Insures Dwellings, Stores, Merchandise
AND
All Classes of Insurable Property,
AGAINST
Loss or Damage by Fire, on the most
(Favorable Terms,
ITS Stockholders are gentlemen interested in building up North Carolina Institutions, and among them are many of the prominent business and financial men of the State.
All Losses Promptly Adjusted and Paid.
This Company has, already, during the three years of its existence, paid a large amount of Losses, yet its assets are steadily increasing.
It appeals with confidence to the Insurers of property to North Carolina.
Encourage Home Institutions.
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JOHN DEVEREUX, Sec'y.
P. COWPER, Supervisor.
HAMILTON & GRAHAM, Local Agents.
dec. 26 1m. Hillsboro, N. C.

E. D. HEARTT,
WITH
SEDDON and BRUCE
IMPORTERS AND JOBBERS OF
Groceries and Liquors,
VIRGINIA STREET,
RICHMOND, VIRGINIA.
AGENTS for GILLETT'S Cream Dry-Hop Yeast.
COFFEE a Specialty. Sept. 26 6m

DR. GEORGE W. GRAHAM,
RALEIGH, N. C.
PRACTICE LIMITED TO THE
EYE AND EAR.
October 18 '75

I. R. STRAYHORN,
Attorney at Law.
HILLSBORO, N. C.
Office in the room lately occupied by G. M. Lollmer.
PRACTICES in Orange, Alamance, Person and Caswell.
Claims collected in any part of the State.
Jan. 9 '78. 1y

ALLISON & ADDISON'S,
COMPLETE MANURE FOR WHEAT,
"STAR" BRAND"
WE are making what we believe to be the best Commercial Fertilizer for Wheat on the market.
1st. It is made chiefly of PURE RAW BONE—the best material known—and in the most thorough and careful manner.
2d. It is rich in Ammonia, Soluble Phosphate, and REAL Raw-bone Phosphate derived from unburned bones of animals.
3d. It insures a stand of Grass or Clover.
4th. It acts PROMPTLY and CONTINUOUSLY, and the effects of a single application show for years.
5th. It is fine, dry, and in beautiful condition for drilling.
6th. It has been on trial for the past ten years, and our reports say: "It is all its name implies." "A Complete Wheat Manure." "The best I ever used."
Prices as low and terms as liberal as those of any other Standard Fertilizer.
It will be to your interest to test this Fertilizer, and we solicit a trial order.
ALLISON & ADDISON,
Manufacturers,
sept 19 1y. Richmond, Va.

Packing, Curing, and Smoking Establishment!
AND
STEAM SAUSAGE MANUFACTORY
Office of V. BECHLER, Jr. & BRO.
18 and 20 First Market, Packing House
East 25 Street, Richmond Va.
FOR many years the only establishment in the South, and, by its long experience, the very best for the preparation of Sausage; Smoked Meats of all kinds, Tongues, Ham, Beef &c; and makers of the
Celebrated Bechler Sausage,
Now so much known and so largely consumed in North Carolina.
Smoked Sausage 12 cents per pound.
Send in your orders to
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DR. RICHARD H. LEWIS.
(Late Professor of Diseases of the Eye and Ear in the Savannah Medical College.)
PRACTICE LIMITED TO THE
EYE AND EAR.
RALEIGH, N. C.
Refers to the State Medical Society and to the Georgia Medical Society.
Sept. 12 4y.

Turner's N. C. Almanac.
THE old North Carolina Almanac, the only genuine North Carolina Almanac, the old reliable Turner's North Carolina Almanac, the 41st number of Turner's Almanac, is for SALE in Hillsboro by DAVID A. SUGGS. It has the usual astronomical calculations, a full farm and garden calender, valuable receipts, a full Annual State Record of notable events; State necrology, Government of the State, arrangements of the Courts, postal laws, etc. etc. besides a full share of good old Almanac jokes.
Buy Turner's N. C. Almanac. PRICE TEN CENTS. Dec. 12 2m

SELECT
Boarding and Day School.
HILLSBORO, N. C.
THE Misses Nash and Miss Kollock will reopen their School on Friday, February 1st, 1878.
Circulars forwarded on application.
Dec. 12 4m.

Adrian and Vollers,
WHOLESALE EMPORIUM
FOR every variety of GROCERIES.
North East Corner of Front and Dock,
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Among their stock will be found
Flour Sugar, Meat, Molasses.
1000 Bbls Flour, of various grades,
250 Hhds Sugar, of sundry grades,
150 Boxes MEAT, Hams, Shoulders, Sides, Strips and Bellies,
200 Hhds and Bbls Molasses,
Apples, Lemons, Onions, Potatoes, Lemons, Candy, Prunes, Currants, Nuts, Cocoa Nuts and Fire Crackers.
Call or order direct from
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