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LOCAL NEWS.

Mr. Rank Thomas has moved into his elegant new residence on East Market street.

The Southern Railway has inaugurated an up-to-date parlor car service on the day trains between this city and Goldsboro.

A horse belonging to the Justice Drug Company dropped dead while attached to a delivery wagon in front of the Benbow Arcade yesterday about noon.

Miss Bessie Roberson, of Chapel Hill, sister of Dr. Charles Roberson, of this city, entered St. Leo's hospital yesterday for treatment preparatory to an operation.

Miss Ossie Womble, who underwent an operation at St. Leo's hospital about three weeks ago for appendicitis, was able to leave the hospital yesterday and returned to her home at Siler City.

The time of year when shoddy shoes will not answer the purpose is fast approaching. Better buy good honest shoes. Buy them at Thacker & Brockmann's and you are pretty sure to get good ones.

On Friday night of this week a lawn party will be given on the lawn of Mr. W. A. Fields' residence on Arlington street for the benefit of Centenary Methodist church. All are cordially invited to attend.

Joe S. Phipps, who was recently appointed district manager of the North State Mutual Life Insurance Company, has opened an office in the place occupied by the Carolina Real Estate and Investment Company.

A number of valuable papers and accounts were stolen from Fleming Brothers' woodyard office Friday night. The thieves were evidently disappointed at not finding any money in the place and carried off the papers through pure cussedness.

The Scott-Mebane Manufacturing Company, of Graham, is offering liberal inducements to girls to work in their sewing rooms at Graham and Burlington. They want 200 more girls. Their proposition is set forth in a half-page ad. on seventh page.

W. R. McMasters, a well known resident of Siler City, will be tried in Squire Collins' court this morning on a charge of attempting to entice labor away from the cotton mills here. He was arrested at White Oak Monday, but later gave bond for his appearance today.

Thacker & Brockmann have just made a contract to carpet the new Walker Avenue Presbyterian church. They quite recently carpeted St. Andrew's church on Arlington street, and have sold carpets to several churches in the country during the last twelve months.

The city tax books have been made out and placed in the hands of Collector R. M. Rees, which is an unfailing indication that it is time to walk up to the captain's desk and settle. After November 1st the usual penalty of one per cent. a month will be assessed against delinquents.

The commodious basement room of the Meyers store building has been finished up in conformity with the other floors and is now stocked with house furnishings, china and crockery and 5, 10 and 25 cents goods. It is an attractive place for shoppers and they will be well repaid for a visit to this new floor.

The Guilford Furniture Company, of Greensboro, incorporates N. J. McDuffie and A. E. Fordham, of Greensboro, and C. H. and H. A. Foy, of Kinston, was chartered yesterday. The paid in capital of the company, which will do a general furniture and house furnishing business, is \$8,000; the authorized capital \$40,000.

The Dixie Fire Insurance Company, of Greensboro, recently chartered to do business in the state, was yesterday granted license to be in business by the state insurance department. J. B. Blades is president, C. D. Benbow treasurer, and J. F. Cobb secretary. The company begins business with \$500,000 capital and \$250,000 surplus.

Rev. Rufus W. Weaver, a young Greensboro man who has gained unusual distinction in the ministry, preached two fine sermons at the First Presbyterian church here Sunday. Many of his friends were delighted to honor him with their presence at both services, while at night Dr. Battle considerably suspended the services at the First Baptist church in order that his entire congregation might be privileged to hear the gifted young man who occupies such a high place in their esteem. Rev. Weaver now holds the pastorate of one of the most prominent Baptist churches in the North, but was here on a brief visit to his old home.

GRADED SCHOOLS OPEN.

Attendance Already Taxes Capacity of Buildings—Assignment of Teachers.

The graded schools of Greensboro opened Monday for the nine-months session of 1906-07, and from the first day's enrollment it was easy to perceive that the school houses of the city would be taxed to their uttermost this year if not actually proving inadequate to the demands upon them. Notwithstanding the fact that Monday was a holiday some of the grades were overcrowded, and already the shifting of certain grades has necessarily been considered. It will be perhaps a week before all the school children of the city are enrolled in the schools, and until then it is not certain how many scholars will have to be provided for.

An improvement is made this year by a new classification of scholars. All the boys of North Greensboro are attending the Lindsay street school, while the Davie street school is exclusively for girls. From the Asheboro street school some of the advanced grade of boys were transferred to Lindsay street and some of the advanced grade girls to Davie street. As usual all the children below the high school grade living west of the old C. F. & Y. V. Railroad go to the Curry school at the State Normal.

The following assignment of teachers was announced by Superintendent Swift last Thursday:

HIGH SCHOOL—LINDSAY STREET.
W. C. Jackson, principal, English.
Miss Frances Womble, Latin.
W. C. Richardson, Mathematics.
Miss Rachel Westcott, Science.
Miss Mary Jones, Domestic Science.
Miss Alma Smith, History.
Miss Lillian Kjabler, Eighth Grade.
LINDSAY STREET GRAMMAR SCHOOL.
Miss Lizzie Lindsay, advanced 6th and 7th grades—boys.
Miss Daisy Donnell, advanced 5th and 6th grades—boys.
Miss Lelia Hampton, 5th grade—boys.

Miss Blanche O'Neale, 4th grade and advanced 3rd—boys.
Miss Lynch Garrett, 3rd and advanced 3rd grades.

LINDSAY STREET PRIMARY SCHOOL.
Miss Anna Meade Michaux, 1st grade.

Miss Margaret Barnes, 1st grade.
Miss Mary Porter, advanced 1st grade.

Miss Daisy O'Neale, 2nd grade and advanced 2nd.

DAVIE STREET SCHOOL—ALL GIRLS.
Miss Hunter Irvin, principal, 7th grade—girls.

Miss Alice Cartland, 7th grade—girls.

Miss Will Warder Steele, advanced 6th—girls.

Miss Grace Andrews, advanced 5th—girls.

Miss Sarah Whitaker, 5th grade—girls.

Miss Rosa Abbott, 4th grade—girls.
Miss Minnie Clark, 2nd grade—girls.
Miss Cornelia Clegg, supply teacher.

ASHEBORO STREET SCHOOL.
Lee T. Blair, principal, 7th and 6th grades—boys.

Miss Cora Cox, 5th grade.
Miss Saza Peck, 4th grade.
Miss Antoinette Gregory, advanced 3rd grade.

Miss Mary McCulloch, 3rd grade.
Miss Annie Preyer, advanced 2nd.
Miss Ivah Bagby, 2nd grade.
Miss Hattie Eldridge, 1st grade.
Miss Janie Herndon, 1st grade.

Federal Court Resumes Hearing of the Revenue Fraud Cases.

In the Federal court yesterday, Judge Boyd presiding, hearing was resumed in the revenue fraud cases involving a number of officers who are charged with either forgery, bribery, falsification of records, false returns or the like. One of the five cases against R. H. Hardin was first taken up. A large number of witnesses are to be heard and the case will consume all the week and perhaps more time. District Attorney Holton is assisted by the new assistant district attorney, ex-Judge A. L. Coble, of Statesville, in the prosecution, while Hardin is represented by W. W. Barber, J. W. McNeill and R. N. Hackett, of Wilkesboro, and ex-Judge S. B. Adams and ex-Judge W. P. Bynum, Jr., of Greensboro.

For Thirty Days Only.

My dry goods, men's clothing and low quarter shoes must be closed out by the last of September, and I have made another reduction in prices, as I need the room for other lines. If you want goods for school dresses you should come here at once. Ten cent gingham at 5 and 6 cents, and other nice goods at corresponding prices. If your children need school shoes you can get them here at a cut price.

R. P. GORRELL,
507 South Elm Street.

LABOR DAY OBSERVANCE.

Interesting Parade and Good Speeches the Features of the Celebration.

There was a general and appropriate observance of Labor Day in Greensboro Monday, the postoffice, banks and many manufacturing and mercantile establishments closing up for the day or a portion of it and helping to make one to be remembered. Barring a shower soon after dinner which kept many people away from the opera house and the ball game at Cone park the weather was favorable.

The most interesting features of the day were the parade in the morning at 10 o'clock and the addresses of Mayor Murphy, Rev. G. H. Detwiler, D. D., and Judge Strudwick at the opera house in the afternoon. The parade was the largest and best of its kind ever seen here, while the addresses were all that could have been desired. In the evening an immense throng gathered at Lindley park to witness the Red Men's annual rite of burning a "pale face" at the stake. Later there was an old fashioned dance in the big pavilion.

ORDER OF PARADE.

The parade moved from the City Hall in the following order:

Mounted police; Proximity Band; carriage containing Mayor T. J. Murphy, Rev. Dr. G. H. Detwiler and Judge R. C. Strudwick, who were the speakers of the day, and Mr. A. J. Williams, the master of ceremonies; members of the Plumbers' Union and master plumbers in a tallyho and carriages; Iron Molders Union No. 320, dressed in black caps and shirts and white trousers and riding horseback; handsome float of the Greensboro Typographical Union No. 397 and members of the union following afoot, costumed in black suits and white straw hats; Carpenters and Joiners Union marching two abreast; members of union employed in furniture factories at High Point in large float; Painters and Decorators Union No. 1065; float of Benbow Hotel barber shop, showing a man being shaved by the proprietor, J. W. Vanstony; members of the Barbers' Union dressed in white suits and marching two abreast; the new brass band with the manager, J. Grasty Fowler, marching in front; float containing members of the Vanstony Clothing Company, all wearing overalls; Thacker & Brockmann's float advertising Douglas shoes; brick masons in floats and the colored members afoot; five wagons of the Columbia Steam Laundry; chemical engine of the fire department; Eagle hose wagon; Southside hose wagon filled with young ladies; steamer; Hook and Ladder truck; float belonging to Huffines Bottling Works; float of Shaw & McMath, lumber dealers; floats of Stone Building Supply Company and McClamrock Mantel Company; members of Minnesota Tribe No. 52, Improved Order of Red Men in gaudy Indian costumes and mounted on horseback.

County Commissioners Report.

The county commissioners were in session this week, and as usual the interest in their proceeding centered on road matters. Six road petitions were before the board and three were granted, one being refused and two continued. The contest over a proposed road in Center Grove township caused so much feeling between the parties favoring and opposing it that the board finally decided to visit the road in a body and take final action in the matter at their next meeting. The recommendation of the directors of the house of correction that a four-room cottage be built for the superintendent was approved. Directors Millis and Breen will have charge of the work.

Mr. E. J. Justice, as attorney for a syndicate which intended to build an inter-urban car line from Greensboro to High Point, surrendered to his clients some time ago. Mr. Justice gave as his reason for surrendering the franchise that as the board of aldermen of High Point had refused him a franchise to enter that town his clients did not deem it advisable to build the line, since they would be forced to make a terminal outside of the corporate limits of High Point.

Teachers' Institute Closes.

Prof. Thomas R. Foust, county superintendent of education, is enthusiastic over the success of the teachers' institute which closed Friday night. The attendance was gratifying and the instruction given was of a high order. The presence of Dr. Gregory, of Massachusetts, added largely to the innumerable benefits and pleasures of the week. The teachers were lavish in their expressions of appreciation of his work here.

During the week an aggressive teachers' association was organized with Thomas R. Foust president, L. Lea White vice president and Miss Alice Cartland secretary. Its purpose is to banish illiteracy from Guilford county, and it will do it. The organization of a Guilford branch of the Women's Association for the Betterment of School Houses in North Carolina was effected Friday. Mrs. E. R. Michaux was chosen president, Mrs. T. N. Sellars vice president and Miss Francis Womble secretary and treasurer. On Monday of this week an examination for teachers was held.

Another Youthful Forger.

For a week or more the police having been trying to locate a young sport named M. J. Smithers, who has graced Greensboro with his presence the past two or three years but is now distressingly "scarce." Smithers was employed for a few months in Gold & Gold's insurance office and made himself familiar with their signature. Last week he worked off a bogus \$35 check bearing his employers' name on Mr. J. T. West, and after inducing several business houses to accept his personal check for small amounts in cash after banking hours, folded his tent and silently stole away.

Tapered spoke Nissen wagons at Townsend & Co.'s 33-4t

A DELIGHTFUL AFFAIR.

Smoker and Reception Given Friday Night by Proximity Odd Fellows.

A most enjoyable smoker and reception was given Friday night by Golden Rod Lodge No. 219 I. O. O. F., in their hall over the Proximity Mercantile Company's store. The affair was given commemorative of the 57th anniversary of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows of the United States. About one hundred and fifty were present including a large number of members and invited guests. The exercises opened in the lodge room with an address by Rev. J. W. Moore, pastor of Proximity M. E. Church, South, after being introduced by the master of ceremonies, Mr. James Bangle.

Rev. Mr. Moore began by telling of the origin of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows. It had its origin in London, England, in the year 1745. On the 23rd of April, 1819, a small party of Englishmen organized the first lodge in the United States. It was organized in Baltimore and was known as Washington Lodge, No. 1. A charter for the lodge was secured from the Duke of York on the first of April, 1820, and this was the beginning of the spreading of the order in the United States. "Its growth," he said, "has been rapid and today it heads the list of all orders in the United States in point of membership, having more than a million members." He told of the purposes of the order, which are, briefly summed up, to visit the sick, relieve the suffering, bury the dead and educate the orphans.

He also spoke of the great work being done in caring for and educating the orphans at the home in Goldsboro, which was established thirteen years ago.

The address was thirty minutes long and all who heard it were much pleased. Following the address everybody was invited into the assembly hall, adjoining the lodge room, where they were served with refreshments and cigars. The entire evening was much enjoyed by everyone.

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The Central Carolina Fair at Greensboro has long been recognized as a successful and permanent institution. Organized and conducted by the most progressive men of the city and county, it has attained the pre-eminence that its merit deserves. Its real mission, that of fostering enterprise and generating competition, has never been lost sight of. It gives fresh motive and impetus to the farmer and stock raiser and encourages agriculture, while to the ladies it affords a friendly rivalry in the various departments of home work. No fair, anywhere, can have a better reputation for square dealing with and honest treatment of its patrons than ours. Our grounds, it is well known, are among the most beautiful and attractive in the state, being well supplied with water and every convenience demanded. The pleasure one experiences in meeting with old friends and becoming acquainted with new ones at these annual exhibitions is an enjoyable feature of the occasion. Let us make the fair of 1906 the greatest and best in the history of the Central Carolina Fair Association. By your co-operation it can be done. Remember, this is your fair as much as that of the association. The date is not far off.

Joe Hoffman will give as a premium at the fair this year one dollar in gold to the lady making the best loaf of bread from his "White Rose" flour.



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