

FRANKLIN COURIER.

GEO. S. BAKER, PROPRIETOR.

LOUISBURG, MARCH 3, 1876.

LOCAL MATTERS.

We call attention to the card of C. D. Malone, "To the voters of Franklin."

Raleigh is to have another Radical paper soon to be called the Raleigh Mail. Hearne to be the Editor.

We call attention to the adv. of Mr. R. P. Clifton, he has taken the agency for Whitmans Fountain Pump. By calling at his store you can see the pump work.

The spring term of Franklin Superior Court opens on Monday the 13th inst. His Hon. Judge S. W. Watts, will preside, and J. C. L. Harris, solicitor.

Judge settled. Mr. Geo. W. Swenson on the 26th inst., in the sum of \$10,000 for the killing of Adolphus Moore, Messrs. Askew and B. F. Cleatham being his sureties.

Mr. J. H. Judge of Duplin County was attacked and robbed of \$74 by a negro. Mr. Judge was held to the ground by a large stick, and left by the negro lying in the road. The negro has not yet been caught.

The New York Ledger is one of the oldest and best literary weeklies published. The corps of writers are the very best this country affords. Subscription price \$3.00 per annum. Address Ledger New York City.

RELIGIOUS.—We are requested to state that Rev. J. B. Richardson of the Baptist state convention, will preach at Corinth (Old Haywoods) on Saturday next the 4th inst., and in Louisburg Sunday the 5th at 11 o'clock A. M. and perhaps at night.

Mr. T. N. CARLILE, is offering great inducements to CASH buyers, in dry goods, groceries, confectioneries, notions, &c. &c. Give him a call and he will prove to you that the above is correct.

BEFORE THE MAYOR.—Judge Crenshaw, Gilbert Green, and Sam Malone, three gentlemen of the colored persuasion, were before his Hon. Mayor Williamson on Monday last, for engaging in a general riotous. These three swells, swelled the town treasury five dollars, besides the cost to the Constable.

Mr. N. S. Harpe of Raleigh, is in our place. He has two hand-some buggies which he wishes to sell. They can be seen at the coach shop of Mr. W. B. Conway, in charge of Mr. R. J. Place, who will take pleasure in showing them. Mr. Harpe can furnish at his shop in Raleigh, buggies from \$100 to \$125 trimmed with leather, and ironed in the best style. Mr. W. H. Ferguson is still with him and will always be glad to see his old friends and customers.

General Robert E. Lee wrote in 1867: "I believe every one who has investigated the afflictions of the Federal prisoners is of the opinion that they were incident to their condition as prisoners of war; and to the distressed state of the whole Southern country, and I fear they were fully shared by the Confederate prisoners in Federal prisons."

OUR LIVING AND OUR DEAD.—The March number of this most valuable and interesting Magazine has made its appearance. This work commends itself to every North Carolinian and we hope it will be handsomely sustained. The March number is quite interesting. There will soon begin in it a serial story by a Southern Author, whose name will soon be made known.

For Beautiful Letter Heads, Bill Heads, Envelopes, Party Tickets, Business Cards, Circulars &c. &c., always come to the COURIER Office, for you can certainly get what you want done in the very best style and on terms in which you will not complain. Printing in colors on enamelled card board, cards of all colors, Blue, Red, Salmon, Buff, Canary, Purple, Pink and Yellow; Cut to any size or shape you may want, call and give your order to the COURIER.

RESIDENCE BURNED.—On Saturday-night the 19th inst., Mr. Solon Southerland had the misfortune to have his handsome residence in Warren county, near the Franklin line, entirely consumed by fire. The fire originated from some defect in the chimney of the cooking stove. Most of the furniture on the first floor was saved, all on the second floor was consumed. We have not learned the estimate of the loss. No insurance we understand.

We will send the COURIER and Godey's Lady's Book, with beautiful Oil chromo "Rescue," 12 months for \$4.50.

Rev. Daniel Perry, a preacher of the colored persuasion, got into trouble in Raleigh, on the 28th of last month, for whipping one of the sisters belonging to his flock. He was bailed in the sum of \$100 for his appearance at the Wake Superior Court. Daniel is well known in this community, having been raised here by Mr. T. K. Thomas. "Blessed are the peace makers," Daniel.

MESSRS. A. D. ROYSTER & BRO.—It gives us pleasure to note the growing popularity of this house. The Confectioneries Manufactured by them cannot be excelled. Their prices are as low as the manufacturers North, and their goods all warranted to be of superior quality. Orders will receive prompt attention. So get good Candy at low prices and save freight by ordering from A. D. Royster & Bro., Raleigh, N. C.

THE LECTURE ON MONDAY NIGHT.—The Lecture on the Physiological Anatomy of the Human Brain, on Monday-night, by Dr. J. E. Malone, showed that the speaker had given the subject great thought and study; he spoke for about one hour, and during the whole time he held the audience in perfect quiet, and all seemed much interested, and right here we will say that the audience was composed of the best, and most refined ladies and gentlemen of the place. We hope the Dr. will favor us often with these intellectual treats.

THE FARMVILLE INSURANCE AND BANKING COMPANY.—The annual meeting of the stockholders of the above company, shows that it is in a prosperous condition, and that the officers have managed it successfully and judiciously. The following figures show the rapid growth of the company in the past four years:

Table with 3 columns: Year, Cash, and Assets. Rows for 1st Jan 1873, 1st Jan 1874, 1st Jan 1875, 1st Jan 1876.

Mag. Chas. Pickett, of Norfolk, Va., is the Gen'l. Agent for this State and Virginia, and Geo. S. Baker, agent for Louisburg and vicinity.

A CARD TO THE PUBLIC.—From and after date my business will be conducted on a strictly CASH basis, and by cash I mean that the money must be paid down when the goods are delivered. Of course in those times of scarce money I must offset my CASH system by a great reduction in price. This I have done. My goods will be sold so low that it will be to a man's interest to sell his produce even at present price in order to get the money to trade at my store. Come and examine my goods and prices. I am anxious to buy cotton and will give the highest price in cash or goods. Respectfully E. W. FULLER.

NEW BOOKS.—We have received from the publishing house of Messrs Peterson & Bro. of Philadelphia, two novels from the pen of Mrs. C. A. Warfield, formerly of Mississippi, but now of St. Louis. One entitled, "The Household of Bouverie," which as George Ripley in his review of the book in Harpers Magazine, says, it betrays a daring boldness of conception, singular fertility of illustration, and a combined beauty and vigor of expression which it would be difficult to match in any recent work of fiction. "The Household of Bouverie," is in fact the most original in plan that we ever read. Mrs. Warfield is the author of Monford Hall, Miriams Memorials Sea and Shore, A Double Wedding and Hester Howards Temptation, all for sale by the Publishers Messrs. T. B. Peterson & Bro. of Philadelphia. Price 1.75 each or \$10.50 for the whole set.

DIED.—In this county on the 3rd of February last Mrs. Patsy Baker, wife of James Baker, in the 75 year of her age. This aged couple traveled together hand in hand, over lifes rugged pathway for 57 years. The husband is an old and honored man, he has always shown forth in his life as the honest upright true gentleman, he is now in his 85th year, and according to the course of nature, must soon follow the one who has just gone before to that reward which is reserved for all the pure and the

good. To this aged and good old man, we tender our sincerest sympathy in his sad bereavement, and hope that when the call is made for him, he may be ready to go to meet that good and true woman, who while living contributed so much to his happiness, and who is now in the land of the Deaf.

A SUGGESTION.—Several times lately we have felt the need of some organization, for the better protection of our property against fire. At present we are depended entirely on an unorganized, unfurnished, excited crowd, who in their wild frenzy, when the alarm bell rings, have nothing with which to contend with the devouring elements.

An engine, with our poor facilities for managing it, would be impracticable, and to sink reservoirs would involve an expense too heavy besides be a heavy tax to keep in repair. What then is best? We suggest that several public wells be dug, which are much needed for the citizens anyway, and that a number of Gutta Percha buckets say thirty or forty, and several sliding ladders and long handle hooks be purchased either by the citizens or the town authorities, and also a number of small force pumps, with this defence, we think that our property will be much more secure, than if we go to the expense of purchasing an engine and hose. We throw out these suggestions, hoping that the citizens will meet and consider them, or others if in their judgment they may think best. But we do think that some step ought to be taken, and that without delay for a better protection against fire, and we hope the matter will not be postponed, but action will be taken at once. Let us have buckets, ladders, hooks and hand pumps, and organize a hook and ladder company.

Fashion Notes.

Among the new costumes of the week are some very pretty polonaises. One is a long plain front with the usual dart and cross seams, the front buttoned the entire length. The back is an exceedingly pretty basque back, with centre pleats, and two rows of buttons. The back of skirts is in triple box-pleats. The neck is finished with a flaring collar; box-pleated, and forming a deep point at the back — The fronts are broken points. — This design is exceedingly graceful for a stout person, and is plain though elegant. Another style is similar to the one described last week — long in front and quite short in the back, with the addition of a stylish trimming down the front, concealing the closing of garment underneath. And still another was a perfect armor, so skillfully was it fitted, and it fell in a long point almost to bottom of dress in front. The back was formed in two very long square distinct points, with very broad sash bows and ends, about half way between the end of points and bottom of basque-form. The fronts were then caught under these points, looping it gracefully. Another pretty style, a combination of basque and polonaise, was the long fronts arranged to form deep sashes in the back, the basque back formed with row upon row of side plaiting. Over-skirts still incline to the tablier style. A new one, which we thought particularly graceful, was made tablier front, front slightly pleated into the sides; the back was full and shirred in at the sides, the seams concealed by a band which was ornamented with bows and short ends of ribbon. — The back was shirred to form three puffs on each side, and two ruffles formed the centre. At the bottom were broad loops and fringed ends of taffeta ribbon. Another stylish over-skirt was made long and round, pointed in front, the centre ornamented with ribbon bows and ends. It was slightly looped back of the hips, and the back, instead of rounding, was long and square, opened part way, and the crimped tape fringe that trimmed the bottom was carried up both edges at the back so far as open, and one row carried up the seam to the belt. This was ever so pretty, and requires but a small quantity of either material or trimming. Another was so cut and trimmed as to simulate points crossed in front; It was shirred in the back, and ornamented with bows and ends of medium width ribbon.

FASHION.

SPECIAL ITEMS

MALLORY'S CASH STORE.

Best heavy Bagging 16 cts. Ties 5 cts. Marshalls Liverpool Salt 225. Nails per keg 425. Iron 41. Everything CHEAP. Guano for wheat. W. S. MALLORY, Franklinton, N.C.

To the Voters of Franklin County.

I take this method of declaring myself a candidate for the office of Register of Deeds, subject of course to the action of the Democratic nominating Convention. C. D. MALONE.

To The Voters of Franklin County.

In view of the circumstances under which I was defrauded of my election two years ago, I do not hesitate to appeal to my Party for a re-nomination. I accordingly announce myself a Candidate for Register Deeds; subject, always to the action of Convention. W. H. ALLEN. Feb. 25th 1876 3-m.

TO THE PUBLIC.

We take this method of informing our friends, and the public generally, that we are now fitting up the Store house in front of our old stand, and in a few days, will open an entire new Stock of Dry Goods and Groceries, which we intend to sell at the very LOWEST POSSIBLE PRICES. To our friends and customers, who have stood by us in the past, we return many thanks, and hope by strict attention to business, to merit a continuance of the same. We intend to do everything in our power to please all of our friend, and to do as well for them in the future as we have in the past. We earnestly request our friends to call and see us at our new quarters, and we will guarantee to do them good. We are still in the market for Cotton. We want 100 bales immediately, for which we will pay the very highest cash prices. We also have on hand the largest Stock of Standard GUANOS in the place and will sell them at Factory prices. Give us a call. Barrow & Pleasant, Louisburg, N. C.

ON THE WAY.

A lot of SIDES and SHOULDERS, which I will sell at BOTTOM PRICES. I have in store a large lot of elegant FLOUR, which I am selling CHEAP. A full line of other GROCERIES all at low prices for CASH. Don't forget the very low prices, and don't forget the CASH. E. W. FULLER. ESTABLISHED 1847.

W. H. MORRIS & SONS, COTTON FACTORS AND Commission Merchants. 23, 25 and 27 Commerce St. Norfolk, Va. Will make liberal Currency advances on produce or bill lading in hand. Mr. A. M. Noble, of N. C., is connected with our house, and will be pleased to receive the patronage of his friends.

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DID YOU SEE THE GOOD WORK DONE BY IT IN THE LATE TERRIBLE FIRE IN LOUISBURG?

DID YOU KNOW THAT THE FRAME ROW OF HOUSES SOUTH OF TERRELL & HARRIS'S BRICK STORE WAS SAVED BY THE USE OF WHITMAN'S Fountain Pump?

DO YOU WANT SOMETHING WITH WHICH YOU CAN WATER YOUR FLOWERS AND VEGETABLES, MAKING THIS TASK NOT ONLY EASY BUT PLEASANT?

WHITMAN'S Fountain Pump is the thing.

DO YOU WANT SOMETHING THAT CAN WASH YOUR WINDOWS, CARRIAGES AND BUGGIES WITH?

WHITMAN'S Fountain Pump will do all this.

EVERY MERCHANT AND FAMILY SHOULD HAVE ONE OR MORE OF THESE PUMPS.

I TELL YOU THAT THIS PUMP IS THE VERY BEST THING I HAVE EVER SEEN TO EXTINGUISH A FIRE IN ITS INCIPIENT STATE. THIS HAS BEEN FULLY DEMONSTRATED TO ALL OUR CITIZENS.

THESE PUMPS CAN BE BOUGHT WITH HOSE AND SPRINKLER ATTACHED, FOR THE LOW PRICE OF \$10 EACH, WITH EXPRESS FREIGHT ADDED.

I have taken the agency for these PUMPS. Call at my store and see the one I have, and give me your order.

B. P. CLIFTON, Agent. MEADE, ORR & CO. Importers and Dealers in HADWARE, CUTLERY AND CARRIAGE MATERIALS, 15 Sycamore St. Petersburg, Va.

Valuable Town Property for Sale at AUCTION.

The lot of the new Post Office, will be sold at public auction on Monday the 13th March. The brick wall now standing will be sold with the lot. Terms, one half cash, the balance on a credit of six months, with interest from date at 8 per cent. W. W. JONES.

We have taken the agency for the

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Anchor Brand,

COTTON FERTILIZER,



Southern Fertilizing Company,

Commonly known as GILHAM'S. MANUFACTURED BY THE

RICHMOND, VA.

We request our friends to give us a call before supplying themselves with what fertilizers they may need, as the "Anchor" is second to none in the market.

WILDER & CRENSHAW,

Corner of Main and Nash Streets. LOUISBURG, N. C.

Bradley's Fertilizer.



TO THE PLANTERS OF FRANKLIN COUNTY.

Your attention is asked to Bradley's Fertilizers now offered for sale by us, and a calm and dispassionate consideration of the evidence of their worth and value, and their claims to your favor and patronage is solicited: The B. D. SEA FOWL GUANO in its adaptation to all soils, its marked efficiency as a

Cotton Grower,

is not only starting the plant, but is pushing it forward to maturity, attest its value as a manurial agent; and has given it among Planters a popularity as universal as its use. And it is with gratification we refer to the appended certificates—Gentlemen who have used it and who will verify our statement.

Mr. W. H. MITCHELL.—Dear Sir:—We used your B. D. SEA FOWL GUANO on our Cotton crops this last season with great success. We consider it a first class Fertilizer, and can recommend it to the Planters as an excellent article; it is dry and drills elegantly. Very Respectfully,

Gen'l Mast Basso, David Lewis, G B Alford, Wm Valentine, H B Dewar, Thom Green, A F Thompson, M A Bledsoe, W C Moore, Henry Pearce, Andrew J Green, W B Perry, R D Westiers, R J Ivey, A Barber & Son, R H Atwater, C G Harrington, Lizzie & Co, H M Barber, W J Massey, J B Ball, T S Askew, G T Ooker, C J Green, Daniel Stewart, J I. Johnson, G W Pagan, Hanson Patrick, Jno M Wilson, Dudley Peed, S D Strickland, G D Kearney.

BRADLEY'S FERTILIZER, is offered to the Planters of this section at the lowest prices, and upon such terms as to allow of their use by all persons. W. H. MITCHELL, Franklinton, N. C.