LOCAL.

NEW TERMS.

From and after the 1st day of January, 1880, the subscription price of the *Watchman* will be as follows:

One year, paid in advance, $1.50
" payment delayed 3 months, 2.00
" payment delayed 12 months, 2.50

Don't fail to read the advertisements in this paper.

Mr. A. C. Harris has bought out T. L. Ayers' cigar Factory. He proposes to carry on the business of manufacturing.

We noticed on our streets last Monday and Tuesday, Dr. Campbell of Statesville.

Our merchants closed the front doors of their business houses on Thanksgiving day—from 10 a. m. to 1 p. m.

Mr. J. O. Ream, the sewing machine agent, lost his pocket book between Wadesboro and this place last week. It contained $73.00.

Miss Fisher, the novelist has gone to Baltimore—will spend several weeks there, and then sail for Paris. She will be absent six months or more.

Xmas Trees.—The children of the Presbyterian Sunday school are to have a christmas tree this year. We learn that the Methodist Sunday school will enjoy a like pleasure.

Why Dossy! what makes you talk so! Just think of it gentle reader, Dossy Battle in speaking of certain marriages calls them "Winter Warmings."

The merchants are busily preparing for the holidays. Stocks are already arriving. The candy and toy dealers and family grocery men are taking the lead, perhaps, but all are preparing for a lively season. The town was crowded and busy yesterday.

Dedication Services.—The dedication of the new Union (Lutheran) church, 5 miles east of this place, will take place on Sunday, Dec. 7th. Dr. L. A Bikle, of Concord, will preach the sermon of dedication.

We received two letters from Texas last week, from native North Carolinians who formerly lived in this part of the State. We have room for only one of them in this issue.

Personal:—Miss Bettie Harris of Concord is visiting Mrs. A. G. Halyburton.

Miss Fannie Argyle of Richmond Va., is at Maj. S. W. Coles'.

Miss Columbia Boyden of Richmond is visiting friends and relatives in this city.

An increased demand for lock boxes at the Post Office has induced the Postmaster to order 21 new boxes. Persons desiring to secure them should apply at once. They will be neatly and conveniently arranged.

Mr. John A. Boyden's family are in Salisbury and will spend the winter here. They prefer this climate at this season. Their beautiful home near blowing Rock, on the Blue Ridge, is two much exposed to the "wintry blast."

President Hays is out in a "President's Message" of nearly 14 columns in length. When it is abreviated, or boiled down to something like a proper length, we will give our readers an idea of its contents. It comes too late for this week's paper.

Trade has been better here this fall than for years past. Our business people will certainly take care to have this influx of trade continued. The surest plan is to advertise well. The current has turned toward us—make an opening and it will continue—Advertise.

Business.—Our streets are daily crowded with wagons from different parts. We have noticed trains with as many as ten, fifteen and as high as twenty wagons in them, bringing produce of different kinds to our market. This is a sure sign of good times.—The high prices paid for cotton by our merchants is probably the "load-stone" which draws such an immense trade to this point.

About one hundred dollars in money and goods was given to the orphan's by our citizens on thanksgiving day. This is a charity that demands the attention of the people of North Carolina in all earnestness—the orphans of our own people, they must be fed, clothed and educated. Both the State and Masonic appropriations have been exhausted and there are over a hundred children in the asylum wholly dependent on the charities of the people. Let us bear these facts in mind and give accordingly.

The Rowan log cabin, used in the grand Whig procession in Salisbury, July 4th, 1840, was torn to pieces on Saturday last, and will hereafter live only as the great body of the actors of that day live, in the memory of the survivors. The builders of it (George and Bias Thomason) were gathered to their fathers many a day ago, falling like grain fully ripe and ready for the sickle. The gay old man, Mr. Aaron Pinkston, who tenanted the cabin on that memorable day, doing the honors of the house by handing out gourdfuls of hard-cider, and whose chanticleer performance was the admiration and delight of thousands as the procession moved along the streets, is also gone—a game old Henry Clay Whig who never surrendered except to death.

Saturday last was one of the busiest days of the season. Our streets were crowded with men and women from every part of the surrounding country. Wagons, carts and teams came loaded with cotton, corn, fodder, hay, oats, pork, peas, wheat, flour and other country products. The day was very pleasant, and the work on the farms being all finished up for the winter, it was very generally accepted by the country people as a day for trading and pleasure.

Several families have already gone from this county to Texas this fall, and we hear of several others who expect to leave on the 10th instant. We suppose of course that they have sold out their possessions here to persons who will fill the places they make vacant. Both they who have gone and those who are going, are farmers, men of moderate means, with families, who most likely will never live to see their families as well fixed in Texas as they were here.

We announced last week that Mr. B. F. Rogers would go into business in New York city and that his family would move to Mt. Pleasant.

Mr. and Mrs. Rogers have made a host of friends here during the past few years, who will regret to lose them. They have been netive in business, in society and in the church, and none of these institutions can lose active members without feeling it. We wish abundant success and prosperity to follow them in their new places.

Killed on the Rail—Last Saturday night, William Dougherty was killed near the corporate limits of this city, on the Richmond and Danville Rail Road. The circumstances are as follows: he in company with a with a white man named Leffler, was leaving town, where it is reported they had been carousing, and meeting the in-bound (10,16) train the white man stepped off the track and the colored man was knocked into eternity. What a fearful thing it must be to appear before the tribunal of the Almighty Judge—drunk.

Death of An Old Printer—Mr. Mace Coleman Pendleton, died at the residence of his son, at Thomasville, N. C., Friday night, Nov. 28th, after a short illness, aged 78 years.

The deceased was a Virginian by birth, and learned the art of printing in the town of Lynchburg. He came from Danville to this place in 1832, on the invitation of the late Hamilton C. Jones, Esq., to take charge of the mechanical department of this paper, the *Carolina Watchman*, the first No. of which was issued on the 28th of July of that year. He held the position of "foreman" in the office as long as Mr. Jones continued in the business—seven years—and then associating with himself the present proprietor, bought the establishment, in which he retained a proprietary interest until January, 1844. He remained in the office for many years after his relinquishment of ownership, and did not leave it until since the late war. He was for many years one of the "fathers in Israel," and raised a large and respectable family in this place, all of whom he survived with two exceptions. His first wife, Susan Ballinger, was a Virginia lady and came here with him in '32, where she died in 1843. He subsequently married Mrs. Susan Wiseman, *nee* Owen, of Davidson County, by whom he had one son, Mr. John S. Pendleton, at whose house he closed his eyes in death.

The deceased was a most amiable and worthy man; affectionate as a husband and father, kind and generous as a neighbor and friend, few excelled him in those social qualities which win the hearts of men.

He has gone to rest at a good old age, respected and beloved by all who knew him.

Light lay the sod on his honest breast,
And sweet his sleep profound;
Few have earned a better rest,
And none a better found.

The Buggy Plow.—Messrs. Avery & Son, of Louisville, Ky., had on exhibition here, Saturday, two of their brag turning plows. A number of the farmers of the county accepted an invitation to see the plows tested on a lot in the West Ward. The ground selected was in cotton this year and the stalks grew rank and strong, offering considerable resistance. The Buggy Plow was tried first. This, as newspaper readers generally know, is a plow fitted up with a seat for the plowman, who by the use of levers conveniently arranged, handles the plow just as circumstances require. It cuts a furrow about 12 inches in width; the depth can be regulated to suit the ground and the team, from 3 to 12 inches. It turns the soil very prettily, and is altogether a very complete and desirable machine, especially for a man getting too old to walk all day after a plow.—The other was also a turner, cutting at least 10 inches in width, the depth being regulated by the pitch, and hand of the plowman. The team moved off with this implement with much more apparent ease than with the first, and the work, we thought, was altogether as good if not better than that done by the buggy plow.

Much interest was manifested by the farmers present, and the verdict, as far as we could gather it, was "very good plows." One old "hardshell" Dutchman who has been studying the subject for more than fifty years, 'lowed he could take his "'Grangers' Friend' and do as well or better; nevertheless these were good plows."

THE MOST RELIABLE AGENT FOR destroying and expelling worms from children and adults is Shriner's Indian Vermifuge, 28 cents a bottle. Try it. Every bottle guaranteed to give satisfaction.

Franklin Zephyrs.

Our young folks were up again, on the night of the 27th, watching for the meteoric shower, but failed, as usual, to see them. The courting, however, went on, all the same. They all concur in wishing that some Professor will appoint *another time.*

The South River mills, owned by Messrs Foard & Lindsay, if equalled, are not excelled by any flouring mills in the State. Mr. Lindsay, one of the proprietors, gives his personal attention to the grinding and packing of flour. He is an intelligent, whole-souled Scotchman—a natural born miller, and as polite to his customers as any dry goods clerk. Try him and you will be more than satisfied.

School District, No 20 has exchanged all its old school books with Mr. Thos. F. Kluttz for the University series of text books as adopted and recommended by J. C. Scarborough, Superintendent of Public Instruction. It was delightful to see the bright, happy, smiling faces of the children on Monday, as they sat, for the first time, with their new books in hand. By the way, Mr. Kluttz deserves the thanks and gratitude of the people of the entire county for the efforts he is making to introduce these new books. Gather up all your old school books and go and exchange them with him, for new ones.

As we predicted, a short time since, Franklin Township has filed her petition with the Board of County Commissioners; in accordance with Section 11, Chapter 48 of Battle's Revisal, praying that Second Creek, the boundary line between Franklin and Unity, be made a *lawful* fence. Also, that Grants Creek, the boundary line between Franklin and Salisbury, be made a *lawful* fence.

This petition is in strict accordance with a law on our Statute books. It is signed by a large number of prominent citizens of Unity, Locke, Salisbury and Franklin. It is bound to carry, and after 40 days, those streams will be declared *lawful* fences.

Franklin means *business*, and others having due notice thereof, can govern themselves accordingly. A word to the wise is sufficient. W. R. F.

Enochville Items.

A good many hogs are dying of cholera in this vicinity.

Mr. Henry Lipe has been teaching penmanship at this place. He is competent.

It is with regret we announce that Prof. R. G. Kizer will take leave of us tomorrow. He has resigned his position of Principal of Enochville Academy to accept a similar place at Trenton, Miss. He will take with him the love and respect of the entire community.

The vacancy caused by the resignation of Prof. Kizer, has been filled by the appointment of Mr. Emanuel Wright. The mantle could not have fallen on a more worthy young man. He is in every way qualified for the position, and has the confidence of the community. W.

Jackson Hill Letter.

Mr. Editor: We had a light snow here last Wednesday. It fell gracefully for a short time. The farmers have generally finished sowing wheat in this community, and it is coming up very well considering the drought. The wells and springs are failing. The fever has somewhat abated about here, although it continues to rage with unabated fury below us.

There was a strange accident which occurred at this place last Monday. A little child of Mr. M. G. Doby fell backward from a bench about one and a half feet high, and died in about two hours. Aged eighteen months. The suddenness of the event was most distressing to the parents.

The merchants of Jackson Hill are having as good a trade as usual.

The free schools of this vicinity are in session and doing well.

[Here follows something about a jug of molasses, but as the printer cannot make it out the whole passage is omitted.]

The people of Jackson Hill are well pleased with the *Watchman* as a newspaper. God give us more such.

Yours respectfully, Axon.

TEXAS.

Blackland P. O., Texas.

Mr. Editor: In the *Watchman* of Nov. 13th, I see a piece concerning Texas, and headed "Don't Go." This article came to you from very good source, I suppose, but the writer of it has, to my notion, seen very little of Texas. I admit that water has been scarce this season and turnips and other garden products are a total failure, but for other crops, they turn out just as well as could be expected under the circumstances. I know farmers here who raised 24 bushels of wheat to the acre. Three-fourths of a bale of cotton to the acre is the average in this country.

Now, Mr. Editor, can you report as well from Rowan? The man I alluded to about the wheat is Mr. G. V. Bost, an old North Carolinian from Rowan county, and very well known.

Of course, Texas is not a paradise, as some might represent it, but I know that it is, and will be, a better State than North Carolina for reasons which I will give you: A day laborer on the farm in North Carolina receives only 25 cents a day, and not that when negroes are about to work at 20 cents per day. In Texas, you are not asked to work for less than 75 cents a day. This leaves a margin for helping the family live, but 25 cents leaves nothing. In Texas a man can get work any day he wants it. He is not obliged to go begging for work for his board.

I advise every working man *to go.* Of course, men like that old gray bearded, bald-headed M. D., who knows nothing but telling his barefaced lies about emigrants, they better stay where they are, for this kind of people there is no room in Texas. Dutchman.

A Visit to "Indian Hill," or The Winter Residence of the One-eyed King of Sapona.

Since it has become the fashion for the leading journals to dispatch correspondents to places of general interest, a small party of the editorial and reportorial "staff" of the *Watchman* went out this week to explore the ancient "winter capital" of the King of Sapona. It was expected that our excellent friend, Maj. S. W. Cole, would be one of the party, but a press of business detained him at home, though he rendered material aid to the expedition in another way. His long and profound interest in antiquarian subjects, would have been helpful in our researches.

The party reached the Yadkin River—anciently known as the "Sapona River"—at the "Trading Ford" without accident, and, guided by the directions of an "intelligent" freedman, plunged boldly into the stream. The river is here about a quarter of a mile wide, but the adventurers were assured that the ford was good, and that the water would scarcely cover the hubs of the vehicle, and so felt sure that if anything should happen they could easily wade out. But when the green waters rose higher and higher, finally entering the body of the conveyance, the "head" of the expedition, who was acting as driver, declared that he was not going to return to Salisbury *by that route*, and the remainder of the party cordially concurred in his view of the subject. It must not be supposed that they were frightened, but the water *was* rather deep, and swift, and cold-looking, and the stream *did* appear unusually wide when they were in the middle of it. The Trading Ford is a famous old crossing place, used more than two hundred years ago by the "Indian traders" from Virginia, who travelled along the great "Trading Path," from Jamestown to the Catawbas, Waxsaws, Cherokees, and other south-western tribes.

Fairly across the Yadkin, we found ourselves in the famous "Jersey Settlement," in Davidson county, and in the neighborhood of the ancient "Sapona Town," where in the spring of 1701, Lawson, the surveyor of the Propietaries of North Carolina, paid the Sapona tribe a visit. The place is very accurately described in his history. The "mountainy ground," on one side of the river, and the "clear-field about a mile square," where the Indian settlement was, are still there as they were 178 years ago. And "the continual pleasant warbling noise" of the "silver stream" we heard to-day. And there too is the rich soil, and the beautiful islands sleeping on the bosom of the sparkling waters. The graceful swans and wild water-fowl were not there, and the chirruping of the innumerable songsters on the trees was hushed on this December day.

Wending our way, for a couple of miles along the edge of the rich alluvial lowlands, our party reached the hospitable mansion of Dr. W. B. Meares, who welcomed us to his home, and placed himself at our disposal as guide. His residence stands upon a high hill at the north-west side of the valley overlooking a thousand acres of rich level land, bounded by the winding river, and the forest-clad hills of the further side.

A walk of half a mile, through cornfields, pasture and meadow lands, brought us to "Indian Hill." This is an artificial "mound" between two and three hundred yards in circumference, at its base, and probably twelve or fifteen feet in height. It is perfectly circular, and so gentle in its ascent, that it has been cultivated with the rest of the land for generations. Thus the plow has gradually reduced its height, and it is probably not more than half of its original elevation. There can scarcely be a doubt that it is artificial. Near by are deep depressions, showing where the earth was obtained for its construction. On the southern slope the surface abounds with fragments of pottery, covered with various devices, shells, bones, blue flint arrow heads, bits of mica, etc. In this neighborhood Lawson found a fort, surrounded with puncheon "palisadoes." Whether this was on the mound we cannot tell. The main part of the village, if we may judge from the fragments of pottery, lay to the west of the mound, while the river ran near by on the south—say 100 yards distant—within steep banks fifteen feet high. As to the purpose of the mound, we cannot be certain, but an examination of the grounds will reveal at least one important end subserved by it, viz: a refuge from floods.—The surface of the valley is not absolutely level, but rises and falls in gentle undulations. The mound and the village stood on one of these earth-waves near the river. But between them and the hills there is a depression, now partly covered by a meadow, with a spring of pure water rising in it. As the main stream would rise after a freshet, or the melting of the snows on the Blue Ridge, the back-water would steal gently into the rear of their village, covering the meadow lands lying behind them. As the waters rose higher, the site of the village would be submerged. In this dilemma the men could easily wade or swim out, but the women, and children, and their little family stores could not so easily be removed. Hence an elevation above high-water mark would be eminently useful in such emergencies.

Such a mound would also furnish a strong hold in case of invasion. From its top, or sloping sides arrows, clubs, tomahocks, stones, and other missiles might be hurled against an advancing foe, with terrible effect.

Whether religious rights were ever celebrated on these "high places," or whether one great object was to furnish a sepulchre and monument for their dead, we are unable to tell. Human skeletons have been exhumed from some of these tumuli. In this case, however, the cemetery of Sapona Town was probably on the island just above Trading Ford. This beautiful island, containing one hundred acres contains Indian remains. Several years ago Dr. I. W. Jones discovered a large number of human bones on it, together with rude implements used by the Indians.—Among these was a monstrous stone battle axe, weighing six pounds. This axe lay in the *Watchman* office for a long time and was examined by numbers of our people. Perhaps, however, this island may have been the home of some other tribe of Indians, in days still more remote than those of Sapona Town. And yet its liability to overflow in floods would render it a little insecure, unless they had also their high place of refuge, now entirely borne away by the waters of the river.

After a pretty careful inspection of the site, as we supposed, of Sapona Town, we ascended the hill near Dr. Meares' residence, where one of the old settlers had erected his home, from which we had one of the most charming prospects in all this country. Towards the west, under the slanting rays of the declining sun, the waters of the river sparkled like sheets of silver encrusted with diamonds, shading off to the eastward in soberer colors of blue and gray. At our feet lay the broad and beautiful valley, now sere and yellow under the sun of a December evening.—Patches of reeds still wearing their summer-green robes, lay here and there along the river. Beyond the stream rose the highlands, covered at one place, with bare forest trees, interspersed with dark groves of pine. At another place a stately mansion, crowning a high eminence, stood outlined against the evening sky. Along these breezy hills, and in these fertile valleys lived once the Ellises, the Torrences, the McNamaras, and others who played their part in the great drama, and then disappeared from the busy stage of life.

To the eastward lay the famed Jersey Settlement, among the most fertile regions of the State, and far on the horizon rose two or three peaks of Abbot's Creek Mountains, on towards the hills of Uwharrie.

After a most excellent dinner, spread under the direction of the accomplished hostess and her fair daughters, to which ample justice was done, our party returned to Salisbury, *but not by the way of Trading Ford.*

It is possible that further explorations of Indian Hill might bring to light other interesting relics of the Sapona Indians, whose one-eyed chief so hospitably entertained Lawson, the traveller, surveyor, and first historian of North Carolina. If any curiosities shall be exhumed, may the reportorial "staff" of the *Watchman* be there to see. Vidette.

IRISH IRE.

Commencement of the Trial of the Alleged Irish Seditionists.

Sligo, Nov. 24.—The persons arrested last week and lodged in jail here were charged before magistrates to-day with sedition. Mr. Monroe, Queen's counsel, and the crown law adviser, conducted the prosecution. The enquiry will be very protracted. Charles G. Parnell and a number of priests were present in court. There was no demonstration. The prisoners were brought to court under a heavy escort. There is a great crowd in Sligo. Extra policemen have been drafted. Mr. Rea, solicitor of Belfast, himself at one time a political prisoner, defended Lillen. The prisoners all looked well and chatted unconcernedly. The court room was crowded, although tickets were necessary to secure admission. Mr. London, counsel for Dally, applied for a copy of the notes which the government shorthand writer had taken at the meeting. The application was granted. Mr. Monroe, in opening the case for the prosecution, pointed out that sedition meant not only open violence but anything calculated to incite disaffection or to set one class against another. He then proceeded to call the evidence.

London, Nov. 24.—The newspapers of opposite political views agree that the arrests of Davitt, Killen & Daly, in Ireland, have had the effect of reducing the anti-rent agitators to the abandonment of incendiary language in their speeches. The *Daily News* thinks that the agitation will henceforth become more disciplined and organized, while the *Times* anticipates that it will soon die out as the audiences at the meetings will soon tire of listening to dull speeches.

Diamond and Pearl Making.

There is in Paris a vast establishment—the most extensive of its kind in the world—where the imitation of pearls, diamonds, and precious stones generally, is carried on with all the skill which modern ingenuity renders possible and these productions are sent to the shops of all lands. Here the whole process of transforming a few grains of dirty, heavy looking sand into diamonds of sparkling hue is constantly going on. The sand thus employed, and upon which the whole art depends, is found in the Fontainbleau; it appears to possess some peculiar qualities of adaption to this purpose.

The coloring matter for imitating emeralds, rubies and saphires is entirely mineral has been brought to high perfection. Hundreds of operatives are employed in polishing the colored stones and in lining the false pearls with fish scales and wax. The scales of the roach and dace are chiefly employed for this purpose. They have to be stripped from the fish while living, or the glistening hue so much admired in the real pearl will not be imitated. These Paris pearls have been of late years so perfect that the Roman pearls has to a certain extent been superseded. The setting is always of real gold, and the fashion of the newest kind.

Randolph Enterprise.—A company is now being formed to erect a large Cotton Factory at Diffee's Ford five miles North of this place. The water power was examined last week by Mr. Solomon Dixon and pronounced good. This is a wide awake enterprising company, and we predict that in less than ten months there will be a large factory in operation at the place named. Work will soon be commenced and the company organized. This will make ten Cotton Factories in Randolph, a third as many as there are in the State.—*Ashboro Courier.*

The proprietor of the Warm Springs is adding seventy-five more rooms to his hotel, which runs up the number of sleeping rooms in the building to three hundred.

Statesville *Landmark:* Republicans papers are being distributed gratis in this district. It is understood that a strong effort will be made next year to elect a Congessman, of that persuasion.

The Wilkboro *Witness* has now abandoned hope of the Cape Fear and Yadkin Valley Railroad and urges the building of a railroad from Wilkesboro to Statesville or Mooresville, whichever shall be the objective point of the extension of the Virginia Midland.

MARRIED.

On November the 27th, 1879, at the residence of the bride's father, by A. L. Hall, Esq., Mr. Jno. H. Michael and Miss Martha E. Nash.

In Rowan Co., N. C., at the residence of the bride's father, Nov. 20, 1879, by Rev. Samuel Rothrock, Mr. Rufus T. Lippard and Miss Maggie C., daughter of George M. Kesler.

In this county, Mt. Ulla Township on the 26th, at the residence of the bride's father, Capt. S. H. Hurt, by J. K. Graham Esq., Mr. James Menius and Miss Sarah A. Hart.

Dec. 2d 1879 by Rev. W. H. Cone at the residence of the officiating minister in Rowan Co., Mr. Jacob L. Beaver and Miss Annie A. Haynes, all of Rowan County.

NOTICE!

A FINE JERSEY BULL

at my stable. A rare chance to cross your stock with the very best, which all ought to embrace. C. PLYLER.
6:3m.

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North Carolina, Rowan County. } In Superior Court. 28th October, 1879.

N. B. McCanless, adm'r of Jacob Earnheart, *Plaint'f,*
Against
Sallie Johnson, Mary Kirk, Emeline Kirk, Susan Kirk, John Earnheart, C. A. Earnheart, Nancy Cruis, Lawsen Earnheart, S. A. Earnheart, Ellen Lentz, R. G. Earnheart, Travis Troutman, Clotilda Miller, Emeline Troutman, Burwell Smith and wife Laura, and Eva Ann Earnheart, *Def'ts,*

Petition to sell land for assets.

Upon application of the Plaintiff, it is ordered by the Court, that publication be made in the "Carolina Watchman" for six successive weeks, notifying Travis Troutman, Susan Kirk, Emeline Kirk, and Mary Kirk, defendants, who are non-residents of the State, to appear at the Office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of said county, on Monday the 15th day of December, 1879, and answer the complaint which will be filed in the above entitled action, within ten days from the date hereof and if they fail to answer the complaint, the plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the complaint.

Witness, J. M Horah, Clerk
2:6t Superior Court Rowan County.

To J. Howard Jones and W. M. Earl, Non-residents: You will take notice that the following summons has been issued against you:

Davidson County—In Superior Court.

J. A. Shirly, *Pl'ff,*
Against
J. H. Jones and W. M Earl, *Def'ts.* } Summons for Relief.

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA,

To the Sheriff of Davidson County greeting: You are hereby Commanded to summon J. H. Jones and W. M. Earl, the defendants above named, if they be found within your county, to be and appear before the Judge of our Superior Court, at a Court to be held for the County of Davidson, at the Court House in Lexington, on the 1st Monday of March, 1880, and answer the complaint which will be deposited in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court for said county, within the 3 first days of said term, and let the said defendants take notice that if they fail to answer the said complaint within that time, the plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the complaint.

Herein fail not, and of this summons make due return. Given under my hand and the seal of said Court, this 12th day of September, 1879. C. F. Lowe, Clerk S. Court Davidson County.

You will also take notice that at the same time in said case, a warrant of attachment was issued against your property, for the sum of Thirteen Hundred and three Dollars and sixty-six cents ($1303.66), due by open account and returnable to said Court, in said county, on the 1st Monday of March, 1880, when and where you can appear if you think proper, this 8th of October, 1879.

C. F. Lowe, C. S. C.
Jno. H. Welborn, Plaintiff's Att'y.
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To J. H. Jones, Non-resident, defendent: You will take notice that the following Summons has been issued against you.—

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Against
James H. Jones, *Defe'dt.* } Summons for Relief.

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA,

To the Sheriff of Davidson County, greeting: You are hereby commanded to summon James H. Jones, the defendent above named, if he be found within your county, to be and appear before the Judge of our Superior Court, at a Court to be held for the County of Davidson, at the Court House in Lexington on the 1st Monday of March, 1880, and answer the complaint which will be deposited in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court for said county, within the 3 first days of said term, and let the said defendant take notice that if he fail to answer the said complaint within that time, the plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the complaint.

Herein fail not, and of this summons make due return. Given under my hand and the seal of said Court, this 12th day of September, 1879. C. F. Lowe,
Clerk Sup. Court of Davidson Co.

You will also take notice that at the same time, in said case, a warrant of attachment was issued against your property in favor of the plaintiff for the sum of Thirty-eight Hundred and Fifty Dollars, with interest on $2,158.24 from the 9th June, 1879, due by notes and open accounts, and money paid to order of defendant, and returnable to said Court, in said county, on the 1st Monday of March, A. D. 1880, when and where you can appear if you think proper, this October 8th, 1879.

C. F. Lowe, C. S. C.
Jno. H. Welborn, Pl'ff's Att'y.
51:6w

Cheap Chattel Mortgages,
various other blanks for sale here

PRICE CURRENT.

[Corrected by J. M. Knox & Co.]

December 4 1879

Cotton—firm Middlings,	11¾
Middling	11½
low do	9¾@10
stains	14
Bacon, county, hog round	8@8½
Butter—	20@25
Eggs	15
Chickens—per dozen	$1.50@2.00
Corn New	52½
Meal—moderate demand at	60
Wheat—good demand at	1.10@1.20
Flour—best fam.	3.15@3.25
extra	3.00
super.	2.75
Potatoes, Irish	50
Onions—no demand	50
Lard—	8@9
Hay—	25@30
Oats—	30@35
Beeswax—	20@22
Tallow—	6@7
Blackberries—	7
Apples, dried—	5@6
Sugar—	10@12½

BUSINESS LOCALS.

NOTICE, K. OF H.

☞ Monday night, 15th Dec., will be the regular night for election of Officers for the next term. It is important that we have a full meeting.

T. B. BEALL, Reporter.
7:2t

Rowan Artillery.

The surviving members of the Rowan Artillery are requested to meet at the Mayor's office at 12 o'clock, the 25th inst., it being Tuesday of the first week of Superior Court, to reorganize the Company. Every member is earnestly requested to attend.

FOR SALE VERY LOW—A good newly repaired Carriage and Double set Harness—can be seen at W. M. Barker's shop. For terms apply to
H. M. Jones or
2:2m. J. D. Gaskill.

CHRISTMAS GOODS

Are coming! Where? Can't you guess? Well, at BUERBAUM'S.

Just think of it; he has 1,000 pounds of the choicest French Candies coming. He is bound to beat the world. Fine Vases, Dolls, etc., etc., will be at his headquarters in a select variety.

☞ Periodicals, Newspapers, Seaside Library. ☞ Chipped Beef, Crackers, Pop Corn, Bananas, Oranges, etc., etc.

Canned Goods till you cannot rest—Just received 1,000 cans.

Letter and Note Heads, Bill Heads, Cards and Envelopes printed to order at very low rates. Call at this office.
35:39

Just received at A. C. Harris' a fine lot of No. 1 CIGARS and French Candies.

TIME TABLE

WESTERN N. C. RAILROAD

Leave GOING WEST	
Salisbury	6 05 A. M.
Third Creek	6 59
Elmwood	7 25
Statesville	8 11
Catawba Station	9 06
Newton	9 57
Conova	10 10
Hickory	10 39
Icard	11 22
Morganton	12 09 P. M
Glen Alpine	12 25
Bridgewater	12 57
Marion	1 44
Old Fort	2 23
Henry	3 01
Swanhanoa Gap	3 46
Black Mountain	4 01
Coopers	
Arrive GOING EAST	
Salisbury	4 10 P. M.
Third Creek	3 30
Elmwood	3 07
Statesville	2 46
Catawba	1 51
Newton	12 59
Conova	12 46
Hickory	12 23 P. M.
Icard	11 29
Morganton	10 23
Glen Alpine	9 56
Bridgewater	9 33
Marion	8 45
Old Fort	7 57
Henry	7 44
Swannanoa	6 32
Black Mountain	6 16
Cooper's	6 00 A. M.

Trains run daily, Sundays excepted.

Train going West will breakfast at Statesville and dinner at Henry. Train going East breakfast at Henry and dinner at Hickory.

J. W. WILSON, President.

To Eliza J. Hanner: You are hereby notified that the following summons has been issued against you, viz:

Davidson County—In Superior Court.

P. D. Leonard, Adm'r of John Leonard, dec'd, *Pl'ff.*
Against
Ellen Tysinger and husband Wm. Tysinger, Burgess Leonard, E. J. Hanner, P. D Leonard, L. A. Smith and her husband Alex'dr Smith, S.C.Smith, Carrie Leonard, Rob't Leonard, Julia Leonard and C. F. Leonard, the last five under age and with and guardian, *Defend'ts.* } Summons—Petition to sell land to raise assett to pay debts.

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Herein fail not and of this summons make due return. Given under my hand and seal of said Court, this 4th day of October, 1879.

C. F. Lowe, C. S. C,
M. H. Pinnix, Plat'ff's Att'y.
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Mortgage Deeds for sale here

Also various other blanks.