

Carolina Watchman.

THURSDAY, MAY 12, 1881.

Seventeen year locusts at Newton. Divorces at Chicago rate at 10 out of 79 weddings.

Maj. J. W. Wilson says 330 tons of new railroad iron is now being laid between Salisbury and Statesville.

A water moccasin killed near Newbern on being cut open was found to contain a cat fish supposed to weigh two pounds.

There is something like a strike among the pea-pickers at Newbern, and it is not unlikely it will damage the truckers in that vicinity.

Commencement exercises at Yulkin College will take place on the 25th and 26th of May. Annual sermon by Rev. W. Hammond, M. D., and the Literary Address by F. H. Busbee.

"BURIED ALIVE."—At least once a year some one attempts to horrify the public with the story of a person buried alive. The N. Y. Observer has for years traced out the facts in such cases and has invariably found the stories with foundation.

An eminent Doctor of Divinity says: "For a man to persevere in making, selling or using ardent spirits, as a common article of luxury, or living, while fully knowing its effects, is utterly inconsistent with any satisfactory evidence of piety."

Judge Merrimon says according to the letter of the law prohibition in this State is already a fixed fact, and that the only question to be decided in August is not whether or not the law shall stand, but whether punishment shall be inflicted for its violation after next October.

We invite attention to the circular, on first page of this paper, on the subject of building a monument to RICHARD CASWELL, the first Governor of North Carolina, and one of the most influential men in the early affairs of the State.

"Go home, you cursed fool," exclaimed an indignant parrot to a setter dog which had fastened his eyes upon her as she sat in a secure place; and the dog instantly dropped his tail and ears and struck a bee line across the fields for home.

The Raleigh News relates the horrible particulars of the death of Frank Dorsey, a negro boy in the employ of the Bibb Manufacturing Company. He was instantly scalded to death by the explosion of a steam pipe at 90 lbs. pressure.

THE THIRD ANNUAL SUNDAY SCHOOL CONVENTION will be held at Toronto, Canada, on the 23d, 24th and 25th of June, next. Each State and Territory in the United States is entitled to send delegates equal to twice the number of their Senators and Representatives in the Congress of the United States.

THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE report hotel fare in Toronto at from \$1.50 to \$2.00 per day. The hotels are all quoted as excellent, and will supply every comfort and luxury.

MAHONE AND THE REPUBLICANS. The Raleigh News & Observer concisely sketches the Republican situation at Washington at this time.

"SENDS FOR HIS WIFE." "Policeman Carter had been urged by Priester to go for his wife, and did so. Mrs. Priester received the intelligence of capture quietly, and said she was not surprised by her husband having come here, as she had heard from him and knew where he was, although she had not written him. She also said that it would

which have in the last two months reached such immense proportions in the ranks of the Republican leaders. In the midst of it all, exit Mahone, who seems to have faded from view, and whose importance has been dwarfed by the growth of a greater struggle between the President and the strong Senator from New York.

N. C. PRODUCTS.—Mr. R. A. Leigh has been inspecting the census reports in respect to the crop reports of our State and sends the following items to the Raleigh News:

1879 North Carolina produced, in round numbers, 35,000,000 bushels corn, 3,500,000 bushels wheat, 4,000,000 bushels oats, 255,000 bushels rice, and 27,000,000 pounds of tobacco.

Rowan is second best in corn, 502,630 being reported. She stands first in oats, leading off with 140,446 bushels.

Davidson produced 174,271 bushels of wheat, being the largest yield of any other county.

Ashe leads in rye, and reports 33,809 bushels, and if I rightly judge the people of the State, there will not quite be so much of that cereal converted into a liquid state during the next decade as there was in the last.

Granville sweeps the stakes on tobacco by rolling up 4,606,353 pounds. Granville, Person, Caswell and Rockingham produce over one-third the whole tobacco crop in the State.

If our people would build cotton factories and manufacture the goods where the material is raised and where labor is so cheap, then capital would go to that section. Let them make the experiment and they will find the statement verified.

North Carolina stands third highest in raising corn of any Southern State—Tennessee first. Illinois has about two thirds as much acreage in corn as the whole cotton crop. The acreage in cotton is 14,000,000, and 9,900,000 in corn in Illinois.

Mr. McCORKLE.—It will be remembered that we noticed briefly, several weeks ago, an article in the Raleigh News of April 6, which represented Mr. J. M. McCorkle, of this place, as making some monstrous declarations in regard to election usages in this State.

THE MONSTER EVIL. We copy the subjoined strongly expressed article from the Charlotte Observer, on a subject which is just now engaging the hearts and hands of a great army of good and true men, not only in North Carolina, but in South Carolina, Georgia, Virginia, and other States north and south.

"LAW AND LIQUOR." Nearly every one who reads anything at all reads Dickens' novels. The fearful evils resulting from the corruption of laws which were once just and equitable, is shown in his description of the "circumlocution office," in "Black House."

WM. H. PRIESTER, the young man who shot and killed his father in Barnwell county, S. C., as reported on first page of this paper, was arrested at Greenville, S. C., on the 9th inst.

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have depended how he came to the house whether she would have been afraid of him. If he had come in one of his raving moods, she would have feared for her life, but if he had come quietly, she would not have been alarmed.

INSANE FOR THREE MONTHS, but that family pride had kept them from revealing it. She also said that after he had killed his father he said that there were two more he wanted to kill, meaning himself and his twin brother, and then he'd kill himself.

Public opinion as to his sanity is divided. Some think that his coming to a place where he was so well known is evidence of insanity, while others regard it as a well-matured plan to escape, which he would have effected had he not been recognized on the street car.

The reporter of the Daily News, who investigated this case, has, in the course of his professional life, seen many men and women under the most trying circumstances—standing under the gallows, dying from other means, suddenly hurt, and bereaved of friends and relatives—but he has never seen a human being as

utterly broken down as Priester was yesterday. Functions of mind and body seemed to be entirely paralyzed from excitement, and his moral and physical courage were entirely gone.

A telegram was received last night from the intendent of Allendale requesting the officers to "hold on" to Priester until officers and papers can be sent up for him.

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Bumble the bee, when informed that the law required him to govern his wife, replied, "I need the law as a fork and a back-sword!"

A gentleman conversant with the drift of opinion and sentiments in Virginia said to your correspondent to-night that the Democrats of Virginia, the debt payers, feel perfectly confident of beating Mahone and his Readjusters next fall.

The Baltimore Sun says that under the local option law the sale of ardent spirits has been made unlawful in about one-half of the State of Maryland.

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THE LATEST NEWS! We have now in Store the Largest and most Complete Stock we have ever offered. OUR PRINTS, LAWNS AND DRESS GOODS are handsome and at prices to suit all.

Prohibition. At a meeting of the Executive Committee of the Rowan Prohibition Association, held on the 6th inst., the persons named below were appointed canvassers for their respective wards of the town of Salisbury.

DWELLING HOUSE IN STATESVILLE FOR SALE. The Dwelling House formerly occupied by the undersigned in Statesville, adjoining the lot of W. F. Hall and Newton Andrews, is for sale.

TAX LISTING. The Commissioners of the Town of Salisbury having applied to me to list the taxable property and debts for the year 1881, I have the honor to call on Mr. W. H. Hall, who will show the property.

TIME TABLE WESTERN N. C. Railroad. Takes effect Monday, 5:35 o'clock, A. M., April 13, 1881.

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OPENED FRESH! In addition to our SPRING STOCK of GENEROUS MERCHANDISE, we have just received a NEW and BEAUTIFUL STOCK OF LAWNS & DRESS GOODS.

TO COTTON GROWERS. ESTABLISHED 1865. IT WILL PAY YOU IF YOU WANT TO RAISE A LARGE CROP OF COTTON. ALLISON & ADDISON'S STAR BRAND COMPLETE MANURE FOR COTTON.

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