

LOCAL.

THURSDAY, APRIL 20, 1882.

NEW TERMS.

From and after the 1st day of January, 1882, 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

The attention of sport loving gent's is called to the Shooting Gallery premium which is offered in an adv. in this paper.

"SOUTHERN WORLD."—A very handsome quarto Semi-Monthly journal, devoted to agriculture, horticulture, Stock raising, natural history, the arts, &c., just started at Atlanta, at \$1. a year.

Talnage of Brooklyn is to deliver the address at Trinity College in June.

His lecture at Raleigh last week paid him \$150, and all expenses, and \$200 to one of the city churches.

There will be a Musical Festival at Cincinatti on the 12th of May, next. The Richmond, Va. Railroad authorities inform us that round trip tickets from Salisbury will be put at \$19.50. Those wishing to know more about it can obtain the information at the Railroad office in this city.

Persons are frequently met by the most unpleasant odors and near our principle business street—wafted from cellars, &c. Let these places be cleaned up, and deodorized. Guano should not be stored near the street, nor in cellars.

We have noticed of late that a good deal of stock—cows mostly—have been allowed to run at large on the streets. Has the ordinance been repealed? A good many people would like to avail themselves of it, if repealed; if not, treat all alike. Have none on the street.

Dr. W. A. Wilborne, Principal of our Graded School, has been tendered and accepted a position as instructor of Geography and History in the Newton Normal School, for the Summer session. This conflict, as to the time of holding, with our Rowan Teacher's Institute, and explains why the Dr. cannot take part in it, which has been urged upon him.

Y. M. C. A.—Rev. J. Ruple will address the Young Men's Christian Association in their Hall, Sunday morning at 9 o'clock. The young men are cordially invited to meet with us and a pleasant hour shall be guaranteed them.
A. M. YOUNG,
Ch'm Dev. Com.

The man who has been perfectly cool during these awful times when strange municipal suggestions are crowding fast on each other, and in such a way as to lead one to suppose that the great majority of our citizens are to be honored before the matter is settled, has come forward, opened his mouth and uttered: "Let's hold the Salisbury municipal election in Charlotte. The Railroad will give us cheap excursion rates."

TOWN CONVENTION.

The Democratic voters of the town of Salisbury are requested to meet in Meroney's Hall on Wednesday night, April 26th, for the purpose of nominating candidates for Mayor and Commissioners to be voted for at the approaching municipal election.

THEO. F. KLUTZ, }
W. SMITHHEAD, } Ex-Com.
C. T. BERNHARDT }

SALISBURY COLORED NORMAL SCHOOL.
—The closing exercises of this school took place in the Dixonville Baptist Church last evening. It is a State Institution, conducted by Prof. Richardson and Rev. Mr. Crosby. The closing exercises consisted of reading, compositions, music, and awarding prizes for the best penmanship. The pupils acquitted themselves with credit, and the affair went off quite pleasantly. This Normal School gives promise of great usefulness to the colored people of this section, and ought to be cherished. The Rev. Mr. Ruple delivered a brief address to the school at the close. The exercises will be resumed in September.

COCONA NUTS.—We are indebted to our young friend Willie Wiley, (eldest son of Mr. S. H. Wiley), for two cocoa nuts just as they came from the tree in the island of Porto Rico. Enveloped in the outside shell they are very large, measuring 2 3/4 inches, thus projected in a very secure manner by a three-sided tough shield.

It is worth while to say, for the benefit of some of our younger readers who have not yet hit upon the history of this nut, that it grows upon a tropical tree which runs up a straight stem from sixty to eighty feet high. It has no limbs, like most other trees, but from the top sends out a great cluster of leaves from 15 to 20 feet long, the points bending downwards on all sides, forming a top shaped somewhat like an umbrella. It is a species of the palm. The nuts also grow out from the top, but hang suspended beneath the leaves near the trunk by two small stems, one from the center of the base of the fruit, and the other a little to one side. Perhaps the latter is not a stem in the true sense. It is dissimilar to the first, but what office it performs besides helping to support the fruit while hanging on the tree we are not prepared to say. Altogether it is a strange looking fruit. Monkeys are said to feed on them, but how they manage to tear off the stubborn covering which encases them is a marvel.

Easter Sunday this year fell on the 17th anniversary of the surrender at Appomattox of the Confederate army.

The grain prospect for Georgia and South Carolina are better than ever known before. But they do not equal the prospect in North Carolina.

"BLACK-DRAUGHT" makes chills and fever impossible.
For sale by Thos. F. Klutz.

A little boy with a good hatchet to help him would earn his dinner by the time he worked through the shells down to the meat and milk of the nut.

SALISBURY AMATEURS—SECOND ENTERTAINMENT.—The Amateurs gave their second entertainment last night to a good house. It was a success. The programme was a full one. "La Fille du Regiment" was the attraction of the evening. The cast was a happy one. Mr. W. G. Ramsay as *Sulpice* (an old Sergeant,) did himself nobly. Mr. Hulbert, as *Andreas*, a young Tyrolean lover, played well, barring a little hoarseness, which prevented his doing full justice to the music. Mr. B. P. Beard, as *Ganard*, (Secretary to the Marchioness de Bergendorf) preserved his usual coolness and was perhaps the most easy person on the stage. Miss Jennie Eames, as *(The Marchioness de Bergendorf)*, seemed completely lost to herself, so true was she to the character. Mrs. Rankin, as *Madeline*, (Daughter of the Regiment,) was as near perfect as could be, considering that the part was not of such character as to enable her to throw into it anything of the impulsiveness of her dramatic force. Her powers are truly artistic, and even in her role of "La Fille du Regiment," showed a versatility rarely attained on the Amateur Stage. Capt. Theo. Parker, as *Captain*, and his file of Soldiers formed one of the chief attractions of the evening. The drilling of his men, in perfect time and the quick turns, on so small a stage, was a subject of complimentary remark. The peasants and servants completed the cast.

The audience paid very close attention to the play, evincing great interest in the plot—which is nearly the same as the opera, of the same name. The after piece, "My Turn Next" was highly enjoyed. W. F. Gray, as *Tararicem Twitters*, (Druggist), 1st Comedian, was the happiest hit in the cast. He looked every inch, the bewildered, suspicious newly married man. Mr. B. P. Beard as *Tim Bolus*, (a jug clerk), sustained his reputation as a comedian finely and to the great amusement of the house. Mr. James Horah made his successful *Debutant* as *Tom Trap*, (a Drummer). Theo. Ebenbann, brought down the house as *Farmer Wheatcar*. Miss Warner, as *Lydia*, (Twitter's wife), and Miss Hattie Bringle, as *Cocely*, (her niece), did their parts well. Miss Jennie Eames, as *Peggy*, (the Maid Servant), appeared in great contrast with her cast in the first play. Her acting is exceptionally good—second to none on the clubs roll.

The whole performance was pleasing, and especially so to a Salisbury audience. The assistance rendered by the Band, led by Messrs. W. H. and E. B. Neave, was also greatly enjoyed by the audience. But to cut these remarks short, the whole performance is to be repeated to-night, and our readers can best judge for themselves by going to the performance this evening.

WORKING ON THE STREETS.—This town has been wasting money on the streets for many years, and it still goes on. The temporary repairs practiced is almost universally condemned by citizens, and yet they are annually resorted to until it would not be out of place to say that the evil has become chronic, or constitutional. Take the work now being done: Here is a mud hole; what will you do with it? Fill it up, of course. With what? With stone—to a depth of from 4 to 6 inches. Wheels striking this pile, if pile it is, will mount it, go over, and dropping off, dig new holes, one on each side of the pile, and thus we have two mud holes where before there was but one. But unless the water was carefully drained the stone will soon disappear beneath the mud; and so the labor and stone, representing the people's money, are lost.

We are all aware that there are difficulties in the way of accomplishing thorough work on the streets. Our streets are wide and numerous, and it will require a large sum of money to Macadamise them or to pave them with granite. Those of them in most need will aggregate something less than ten miles of road—perhaps not exceeding seven or eight miles. Taking the sum of eight miles and estimating each mile to cost \$3,000—a large estimate—and we have as the total cost of thorough work for the entire town, the sum of \$24,000.

This sum exceeds the amount it is possible to raise under the present Charter of the town, and it is not probable that any Board of Commissioners would be willing to create such a debt without authority and also without first submitting the question to a vote of the citizens. We learn that the present Board have discussed the subject of commencing a new system, and that application will be made at the next General Assembly for Charter amendments authorizing the creation of a debt for this purpose. We regret the necessary delay; but it is certainly gratifying that so respectable a body of citizens have at last reached the conclusion that the time has come to inaugurate a change in our method on this subject. We may now hope that the child is born who shall live to see good streets in our dear old town.

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MINING INTELLIGENCE.

T. K. BRUNER, MANAGER.

Conrad Hill mines are receiving a large lot of coal—their mills start up soon.

Silver Valley Stockholders are to meet in Thomsville, on the 2nd of May, for the purpose of electing officers. It is reported that there is to be an entire change in the management.

The main shaft at the Ward mine is down 62 feet. They are working day and night, and expect to cut the large vein in a few feet. One or two small streaks of ore have been cut already.

Mr. Jno. Jacobs has the general supervision of the work at the Reimer mine—the change was occasioned by the death of Capt. Jno. Bagley, the Superintendent.

Mr. Jno. Chambers, of Schenectady, New York, is making a tour of this State for the purpose of seeing and collecting specimens of our minerals and crystals.

A good many persons interested in mining have been here this week. Parties having property to sell could bring it prominently before the public by descriptive advertising.

Mr. B. Greenwood of Nevada is here. He says he has just left the Pacific Slope and come here to prospect. He will first turn his attention to Montgomery County.

North State.

The adjourned annual meeting of the stockholders of the North State Mining Company, was held in the Company's office here yesterday. 374,855 shares of stock were represented. Wm. Brandreth, Marcus P. Bestow and Geo. B. Flint, were elected Directors for the ensuing three years. The Executive Committee made a report, explaining the present order of the Company's working, which was adopted. The meeting then adjourned.

Welborn Mine.

This property comprising some 600 acres, lying in Davidson County, 7 miles from Lexington, is again about to be started to work. On the property are some 14 shafts—the deepest being 90 feet. Mr. W. A. H. Schreiber, of Richmond, Va., has been prospecting the place and discovered a new vein of Galena, which is said to be carrying a paying per cent of silver. It lies within a few miles of the large silver mines of that County, and it is supposed that the ore will finally develop into the same character.

They are working a five stamp mill, and produced 3 1/2 oz. of silver in 27 hours run.

Sam Christian Mine.

Mr. W. B. Smith, Assistant Supt., called last Monday and showed us a lot of some 40 nuggets, averaging about 10 pennyweights each. The nuggets and coarse gold collectively weighed something over 700 pennyweights, and was the result of about a week's washing about the first of this month. This mine is producing steadily now, and is paying all the expense of running with a margin. The great trouble is the lack of sufficient water force. If the Yarkin or Uwharrie could be turned on this property, the result could not fail to be startling. At present they use pumps which supply two 2 inch nozzles, and only work a force of some 30 hands. They own some 1300 acres of land, and are prospecting all the while. Last week they struck two feet of very rich grit worth from 25 to 50 cents per bushel.

MARRIED.

April 8th, 1882, by Rev. Sam'l. Rothrock, at his residence, Mr. Isaac A. W. Brady and Miss Peninnah C., daughter of the late Abram Earnhardt.

April 16th, 1882, by A. W. Klutz, Esq., Mr. Milo E. K. Weaver, of Cabarrus, to Miss Sarah Jane Honeycut, of Rowan.

Mr. Alex. Waller to Miss Mary J. Smith at the Court House, by A. Murphy, Esq., Sunday, afternoon, April 16th, at 3 o'clock.

DIED.

In this County, April 13th, 1882, Mr. Andrew A. Leyerly, in the 27th year of his age.

In this County, April 16th, 1882, Mr. Charles Basinger, in the 67th year of his age.

In Scotland, At Millport, on the 28th ult., Mary Ann Miller, wife of Alexander Hill, Aikenlea, Battlefield, Langside.—American papers please copy.

Eliza J. Montgomery was born in Iredell County, November 12th, 1818, and died at Gold Hill, April 12th, 1882, after an illness of about 14 hours.

The deceased had long been a faithful member of the M. E. Church South.

COMMENDABLE KINDNESS.—Col. W. E. Anderson informs us that Mr. B. F. Rogers of New York, a warm friend of the Oxford orphan asylum, tells him that he has collected in that city and sent to the asylum the following sums: From E. S. Jaffray, \$100.00; from Bates, Reed & Co., \$25.00, making in all \$125.00. This is a very grateful act and Mr. Rogers could find no more appropriate way in which to express his interest in the welfare of that noble charity, the orphan asylum. His kind deed will be treasured in many memories. The need of funds by the asylum is always pressing, and such aid is always received with grateful appreciation.—*News & Observer.*

Political Prescription.

While there seems to be a disposition on the part of the Republican party managers to bring the South to the front again as the section of political prescription, and the negroes are being persuaded that they are very badly used, we quote the following, which is in point, from the Philadelphia Times:

"If Rhode Island had been a Southern State during the last ten years, her constitution would have been declared anti-Republican and representatives in Congress and in the Electoral College would have been denied her. Her constitution is full of state despotism and her discrimination against particular classes of citizens is in direct conflict with the spirit of the letter of the constitution. The proposition to call a convention for the revision of the State constitution was submitted to the people on Wednesday, but it is probably defeated, as it has been often defeated before; but Rhode Island is a Republican State and her disregard of the national constitution is pardoned."

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SPECIAL NOTICE.—Mr. Hopkins, the organist, tuner of pianos and organs, is now in the city for a few days, and will be pleased to do any work in his line which citizens of Salisbury and vicinity may desire. Address him through the Post Office or in person. It

NOTICE TO TAX PAYERS.—Those who are yet behind in the payment of their taxes, are notified that I am required to settle with the County Commissioners on the 1st Monday in May. It is not possible therefore to give longer indulgence than to the 20th of April, 1882. After that date the books will be placed in the hands of deputies, and there will be added the usual cost and fees.
C. C. KRIDER, Sheriff.
April 10, 1882. It

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green, per bush	\$7.50	\$8.00
red, per bush	6.00	6.50
BAKED—Country,		
hog round,	15 1/2 @ 15 1/2	14 @ 15
Butter,	20 @ 20	20 @ 20
Beeswax,	20 @ 21	
Blackberries,	10 @ 10	
Beef,	4 @ 4	
Corn—		
Good Middling,	11 @ 11 1/2	
Middling,	10 @ 10 1/2	
Low Middling,	9 @ 9	
Stained,	8 @ 8	
Corn—new,	100 @ 100	1.00 @ 1.10
Meal,	100 @ 100	1.15 @ 1.20
Coffee,	14 @ 16	14 @ 16
Flour,	12 @ 12 1/2	12 @ 12 1/2
EGGS—	3.25 @ 3.50	2.50 @ 2.75
Figs,	10 @ 10	
Lard,	15 @ 14	15 @ 14
Pork,	8 @ 10	11 @ 12
Potatoes—Irish,	10 @ 10	1.00 @ 1.20
do sweet,	80 @ 80	1.00 @ 1.10
heat,	1.00 @ 1.25	

MINING PROPERTY.—Persons having mining property to sell would do well to advertise it. We propose to give room to such notices, to be kept standing under the general caption of "MINING PROPERTIES FOR SALE."
The cost of such notices will be moderate.

Those having properties the value of which is not generally known, should give references to reputable persons known to be acquainted with such matters. This paper has a good circulation among mining men North, and in the State, and can be of service in the way proposed.

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