

LOCAL.

THURSDAY, APRIL 26, 1883.

Subscription Rates:

The subscription rates of the Carolina Watchman are as follows: 1 year, paid in advance, \$1.50...

The Mt. Vernon and Boyden Hotels are feeding about one hundred guests per day.

Prof. James Wren is giving a series of pleasant soirees in connection with his dancing school.

It's a hard "pull" when the colored preacher teaches anti-bond doctrine from the pulpit.

H. M. Jones and S. F. Clodfelter have returned from New York city, and brought a fine line of summer goods with them.

Mr. John Taylor, a popular salesman of Salisbury, has accepted a situation to travel for Messrs. P. H. Hayes & Co., tobacconist of Winston, N. C.

"Fun in a Boarding School" took splendorous here, and was greeted with a full, appreciative house.

Wonder why certain people who first thought that bonds were just the thing for the town, have changed, and now condemn the proposed measure?

Consistency, why hast thou and thy sister trust, deserted thy offspring—bonds—and gone picnicking with Ananias and Saphira.

M. S. Brown has some little pride in the fact that he has fitted out in full suit, from head to foot, the largest and handsomest man in Salisbury.

Mr. A. F. Græber, who, some weeks ago, while afflicted with partial insanity, attempted suicide, having fully recovered from his injuries has sold out his possessions in Rowan and moved to Alamance county.

We have a letter from one of the best Warehousemen and auctioneers in this State. He is desirous to locate here if he can get any encouragement.

It is believed this is the most tardy Spring known in this section for many years. It is at least two weeks later than the average.

The rainstorm of last Sunday night, although not very noticeable here, was one of the severest known for years in the country west of this place.

MERONEY'S MACHINE SHOP is an interesting establishment, affording good insight into the methods of accomplishing the various mechanical operations by machinery.

That public meeting—which did not meet. The bell rang at the appointed time on last Friday for the meeting of citizens to discuss the propriety of issuing bonds.

We have a sample of the fruit—peaches, apples, &c.—dried in this machine which we shall keep at our office for the inspection of those who call to see it.

"Southern World, a Journal of Industry for the Farm, Home and Work Shop," published twice a month, at Atlanta, Ga.

BANK OF SALISBURY. At the meeting of the subscribers to the capital stock of the Bank of Salisbury, on Tuesday, April 24th, the following gentlemen were elected Directors.

The Directors then held their meeting. Maj. S. W. Cole was elected President, and a committee was appointed to purchase a safe, &c.

As yet there has been no call for a meeting of Citizens to organize a municipal board for the next two years.

The present indications are an open race and fair fight, free to all who enter the field.

"EVAPORATED" vs "DRIED FRUIT." These terms convey two distinct ideas, notwithstanding it may be said "dried" and "evaporated" seems to be very nearly alike.

V. WALLACE has a general stock of merchandise, and deals largely in country produce, groceries, medicinal plants, &c.

Various apparatuses of machines have been invented for the purpose, and we present below a small illustration of one now acquiring a very wide and favorable reputation.



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Mining. GOLD VALLEY.—A party of gentlemen from New York, Pennsylvania and Ohio are here examining this valuable property, with the view of purchasing.

Hoisting Machinery is being placed at the New Discovery mine. They are also receiving the new machinery for the Designolle Plant, which is to be erected there.

HOOPER HILL.—In driving in to the east, from the southeast drift, galimere shaft, at 130 feet, they cut some good ore.

From the New York Mining Record, of the 14th of April, '83, we take the following statistical report.

As shown by the records of the mines and assay offices, there have been deposited, from their organization to the 30th of June, 1882, the following amounts of gold, the product of the country on this side of the Mississippi river to wit:

Table showing gold production statistics for various states including North Carolina, Georgia, Virginia, etc.

Adding about 5 per cent. for gold that was not turned into mints or assay offices, or say \$75,000.

That is to say about: Gold \$14,000,000, Silver \$2,500,000, Money metal product \$19,500,000.

Among the Business Men of Salisbury. In last paper, it was the pleasure of the reporter to make brief mention of the business of those of our merchants who were represented in the advertising columns of the WATCHMAN.

BAKER & NEAVE carry on an extensive business in stoves, tinware and copper. Both these gentlemen are practical coppermiths and manufacture most of the goods on their shelves.

J. M. KNOX & CO. keep in stock a line of plain and domestic goods for every day use, together with sugar, coffee, bacon, salt, &c.

MERONEY & BRO., dealers in general merchandise, carry a full stock of ladies' dress goods and trimmings, zephyrs, Germantown wool, shoes, hats, trunks and valises, heavy groceries, &c.

THE MILLINERY STORE, by Mrs. Halyburton, is supplied with a handsome stock of laces, feathers, ribbons, hats, hair ornaments and ladies' underwear.

R. J. HOLMES, dealer in merchandise and country produce, whose stock comprises dress goods, ready made clothing, hats, shoes, crockery and glassware, buckets and family groceries; buyers of all kinds of farm products.

BERNHARDT BRO'S have in their new spring goods, which are tastefully displayed on their counters.

SMITHDEAL & BERNHARDT, dealers in grain, flour, meal and groceries. During the months of February and March

this firm bought 30,000 bushels of oats, 2,000 bags of flour and several car loads of corn and shipped them from this market.

THEO. BUEBAUM, Book Store, carries a line of books, stationery, novels, periodicals, gold pens, ink and stands, albums, vases and china ware, pictures and picture frames, musical instruments, toys, wall papers, confections, toilet articles and fancy groceries.

J. A. CLODFELTER & CO. do a large business in furnishing. Their stock embraces chairs, lounges, bedsteads, parlor and sitting room furniture, chamber sets, tables and coffins.

CAL. MILLER, dealer in groceries. WRIGHT & HILLIS, heavy and fancy groceries.

J. D. MCKEELY, Commission merchant, deals in heavy groceries, grain, forage, country and mountain produce; also agent for Elkin Woolen Factory, cloths and yarns, tobacco and snuff, kerosene oil, &c.

MCKEELY & JOHNSTON, general storage, and dealers in lumber, shingles, guanos and coal.

T. F. KLUTZ & CO., Drugs and druggists sundries, school books and stationery, garden, field, and flower seeds, lamps and lamp goods, oils and varnishes, surgical instruments and appliances, perfumes, soaps, toilet articles, teas, cigars and tobacco.

JOHN MURPHY, Deals in family groceries and provisions.

J. & H. HORAH, Jewelers: clocks, spectacles, rings, bracelets, ear-rings, pins, studs, chains, lockets, trinkets, gold and silver watches, silver ware, card cases, toilet sets, hankin rings, spoons, knives and forks, butter dishes and pitchers.

A. C. HARRIS, has heavy and fancy groceries, confectioneries, canned goods, fancy articles, cigars, snuff and tobacco.

B. M. GRAHAM, dealer in groceries, clocks, harness, &c.

M. L. MCINTYRE, FURNITURE, coffins, caskets, &c.

F. A. MCCracken, groceries and provisions.

J. M. BROWN, dealer in provisions, bread and cakes, candies, tobacco, snuff, cigars, toys and china ware.

S. J. SWICEGOOD, buyer of country produce and dealer in provisions and general family groceries.

BROWN & GOWAN, dealers in stoves, tinware, copper-work and tin toilet sets.

P. N. SMITH, dealer in provisions, family groceries, &c.

MRS. BARKER has a nice line of millinery goods, laces, trimmings, hats, feathers and flowers.

H. & L. WRIGHT, family groceries and confectioneries.

There are three hotels, all kept up in modern style and doing a good business—the National, Mt. Vernon, and Boyden House.

Interesting to Farmers. At a meeting of the executive committee of the Board of Agriculture, held last week, the Commissioner, Mr. McGhee, was authorized to confer with a committee from the North Carolina State Agricultural Society, and agree upon the apportionment of the \$500, appropriated by said board for premiums, to be offered on field crops at the State fair this fall.

The committee, Messrs. W. G. Upchurch, E. R. Stamps and T. C. Williams, held a conference with the Commissioner yesterday morning, and the premiums were fixed as follows: \$50 for the largest field of cotton from fifteen acres of land; \$30 for the second, and \$20 for the third.

Fifty dollars for the largest yield of corn from fifteen acres; \$30 for the second and \$20 for the third.

Twenty-five dollars for the largest yield of wheat from ten acres.

Twenty-five dollars for the largest yield of hay from one acre of either clover, orchard grass, herd's grass or Timothy.

Fifty dollars for the largest yield in value of bright leaf tobacco, and \$50 for the largest yield in value of heavy shipping tobacco, from one acre each. Accurate measurement of land and crops, and a detailed statement of the mode and cost of cultivation and manuring will be required of each exhibitor.

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The skeletons of 27 Indians were found. Two distinct methods of sepulture have been met with. Of the 27 skeletons, 8 were buried in stone; that is the remains were entirely surrounded by stone, and no relics of any sort were found with them.

At a distance somewhat removed from these stone sepulchres were found 9 bodies buried separately and 10 at least if not more buried in a bunch.

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MECKLENBURG IRON WORKS. JOHN WILKES, PROPRIETOR. CHARLOTTE, N. C. Mining Machinery a Specialty

We invite the investigation of Mine owners and Mill-Men seeking MACHINERY. We can furnish on board at our Works, or set up at the mines anywhere in the southern gold region, on short notice.

NEW GOODS, CHEAPER than EVER! DRY GOODS, GROCERIES, HATS AND STRAW GOODS, Boots & Shoes, Drugs and Medicines, NOTIONS, QUEENSWARE, CLOTHING.

SALISBURY MARKET. Corrected weekly by J. M. Knox & Co. SALISBURY, April 26, 1883. Table listing prices for various commodities like Bacon, HAMS, BUTTER, EGGS, etc.

Salisbury Tobacco Market. CORRECTED WEEKLY BY JNO. SHEPPARD. Table listing prices for various tobacco products like Lugs, common to med., Lugs, med. to good, etc.

Concord Market. CORRECTED WEEKLY BY CANNON & PETZER. Table listing prices for various goods like Bacon, Hog round, Butter, Chickens, etc.

BUSINESS LOCALS. MOTT'S OIDER OR ICE AT A. PARKER'S. For Rent! Three Good Rooms, cheap, suitable for a small family.

TO FARMERS: FERTILIZERS. I am now receiving fresh lots of Pacific and Star Brand Guano, and Dissolved Bone Phosphate, at bottom prices.

Executors' Notice! All persons having claims against the estate of Daniel Corbier, dec'd, are hereby notified that they must present them to the undersigned on or before the 22d day of March, 1884.