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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.—W. F. Lackey, Adm r, sale of land.
C. A. Kraus, house, sign and ornamental painting.
J. L. Sifford, Guard'n, land sale.
J. M. Horah, Clerk of Court, summons in divorce suit.
J. W. Mauney, Com'r, sale of land.
J. Rowan Davis, Boots and shoes.
W. W. Cole, New colossal shows.

Building is in progress in many parts of the town.

The Masonic Hall is to be renovated and refurnished.

Services at the Methodist church next Sunday—Rev. W. H. Bobbit, D. D.

The show bills are up, and the average boy is happy.

The Mayor has had a new lamp post placed in front of the Post Office, building.

50 black walnut logs at the depot this week for shipment to Liverpool England.

The Old Hickory Club are repainting and putting in coal and coal stoves for winter use.

For Sale—about 150 lbs. Small Pica, and 200 lbs. Bourgeois, now used in this paper. Price, 10 and 12 cents per lb.

Messrs. J D Gaskill and M S Brown have gone North to lay in their Fall and Winter goods. They expect good trade.

Rev. J. W. Davis, D. D., delivered an address on China, the misssionary work, &c., before the Presbyterian congregation at Charlotte, last Sunday.

The Railroad Company have put up a new cattle pen for the use of shippers. It will accommodate 200 or 300 head.

Mrs. O. D. Davis has returned home from the mountains, where she with the little ones have been spending the summer.

A train hand was knocked from freight No. 20 on the R. & D. Road the early part of the week. No serious injury sustained.

Thanks for a ticket to the Piedmont Fair, to be held at Hickory next month. See more extended notice of the Fair elsewhere in this paper.

Milton A. Foster comes to the front with a sweet potato weighing 4¾ lbs. His farm is in that rich section of country near Jerusalem, in Davie county.

Hinton A. Helper being taken with the idea that Mocksville will soon have railroad communication with Salisbury, has purchased a 300 acre farm near that place.

See the advertisement of Mr. C. A. Kraus, house, sign and frescoe painter. He makes a specialty of indoor decoration. Remember that he is here and a good reliable painter.

The Black Mountain "Pioneer" published at Burnsville, Yancey county, N. C. is a clean and wide awake little sheet, and comes as a new breeze from the mountains.

New cotton buyer on the market.—J. W. Miller of the firm of R. M. Miller & Son of Charlotte was in the city this week and has selected a party to purchase cotton on this market for his firm.

Mr. Monroe Boyd was pawed by a vicious mule one day this week, at Dunn's mountain. This same long-eared emblem of stubborness has done mean things before, having bit a man severely.

Communion services will be held in the 1st Presbyterian Church on next Sunday morning, Rev. Dr. Rumple will be assisted by Rev. John W. Davis D. D., who will lecture on China some time during the preparatory services.

The graded school opened on Monday with 230 scholars. Prof. R. G. Kizer, and H. J. Overman, with the assistance of those excellent lady teachers Misses Bessie Neely, Capitola Moose and Florence Woodson have the flock in charge.

The "Calico front" business house has disappeared, and in its stead Innis street boasts one nicely stuccoed—finished in imitation granite. The improvement is marked and goes to show what changes can be made to the advantage of a community, by a few days labor. A little outlay of money on the block on Main street would add greatly to its appearance. Fix up is the motto here now.

Capt. Chas. Price of this city has gone to Danville in connection with legal business for the R. & D. Railroad. It is reported that he will open negotiations for the purchase of the narrow gauge road running out of that place, for the R. & D. Company.

Capt. Parker, an old "West Pointer" informs us that the new military company will have new uniforms and use regulation state guard rifles. Capt. P. likes to do things correctly and if it is left to him the Company will be a credit to Salisbury.

Col. P. N. Heilig is beautifying his building occupied by J. A. Clodfelter, by having it repainted and a granite front added, thus making it one of the most attractive buildings on Inniss Street, J. A. Pierce of Statesville is doing the work.

Miss Rosa McCorkle, lately returned from the New England Conservatory of music, Boston, where she completed her musical education, has gone to Concord where she will teach music. Miss Rosa has many friends here and we shall miss her.

A North Carolina invention in the way of a wheat and other grain cleaning machine is being exhibited this week on the street by that enterprising Smithdeal. It is manufactured by the Winston Agricultural Works and deserves notice on account of the beautiful work it does and from the fact that it is a home invention.

Mr. J. G. Fleming, one of the oldest and best men in this county, died at his home on last Tuesday. Mr. Fleming was several times honored by his fellow citizens to positions of public trust. He was always true to the responsibilities entrusted to his care. The county has lost a valuable and worthy citizen.

An engineer of some importance, residing in Ohio, writes to a gentleman in this city and says: "I am in receipt of letters from Indiana towns wanting me to erect water works etc. Even if my offer be accepted, I don't want to lose any chance which may develop in North Carolina where is a *greater future.*"

NORTH CAROLINA HERALD.—Messrs Buerbaum and Eames, two young men of the town will begin the publication of a weekly paper of the above name, early in October. These young men have extensive knowledge of business in a general way, and have been successful in business undertakings in the past, and the WATCHMAN wishes them all success in this new field, and an abundant harvest as the result of their labors.

A CONGREGATION STUCK.—At Union Church, in Providence township, the congregation carry news papers to church with them. This practice was only begun a few Sundays ago. The benches had been varnished with raw oil and the other Sunday whem the preacher said amen to the benediction the people had some difficulty in rising—the most of them were fast to the seats. They now take news papers along to sit on.

TOBACCO.—The Warehousemen report that sales in leaf continue brisk, and that good prices rule.

The farmer should be very careful in curing this season. Very little bright golden tobacco has been produced this season, owing largely to faulty artificial curing. The crop is such a large one that there is danger of slighting in the curing. No greater mistake could be made. The prices will run very low on the ordinary grades, while for bright golden wrappers and smokers, prices must stay at highest figures.

A. H. Boyden, postmaster, has handed the reporter the following telegrams. The man Eagle was a fugitive from justice, having robbed the Salisbury and Albemarle mail several times. The detectives with the help of the postmaster have succeeded in bagging their game.

Prescott, Ark. Sept., 2d.

To A. H. Boyden, P. M.

Geo. gave his sister, Mrs. B. twenty dollars to buy a horse. Confesses it all—will leave at ten this morning with him.

J. T. THOMAS, Inspector.

A SECOND TELEGRAM.

Washington, D. C., Sept. 3d.

To A. Boyden.

Geo. H. Eagle was captured at Prescott, Ark. today and confessed all. They left with him at ten today for Salisbury.

WM. T. HENDERSON, Inspector.

### The Bridge—Prospects look Good—Our Citizens Gone to Work.

In conversation with Wm. Smithdeal, who is ever alive to the interests of the city and county, regarding the building of a bridge near the R. R. crossing, he says: "Baldy Boyden and I with others at the back of us, have gone into this thing and are going to the bottom of it. We have telegraphed Col. Andrews to know at what price we can purchase the timber in the R. R. bridge they are now tearing away to be replaced by an iron one. We believe with these timbers we can build a bridge for something like $2,000 as the old stone piers are still in good condition. If we can do this it will bring hundreds of wagon loads of Tobacco and cotton this way which at present are debarred on account of crossing the river. Our next plan will be to have a direct road or extension of Main Street right to the bridge, as farmers and others object to driving along side of the track."

Can any one possibly object to this bridge or the plan proposed? Can any merchant or citizen of Salisbury refuse to help? And can enough be said in praise of Mr. Smithdeal, Boyden and others interested, if they work this business to completion? Lets have that bridge by any hook or crook.

The amount of building and repairing going on at present in the city gives it a very busy appearance. Scarcely a week ago the vacant lot near the W. N. C. R. R. Offices was opened and teams came rolling in with lumber, bricks and etc. Today we see the frame and heavy work completed of the house to be occupied by Capt. V. E. McBee. The architecture is something beautiful and modern and is a credit to the designer, Maj. T. H. Bomar. It proves conclusively that $10 or $25 paid to the architect is the means of securing a modern and uncommon home at as cheap rates as the primitive every-day house. Our contractors and carpenters are all over-run with work and the sound of the saw and hammer is heard from morn until eve.

MARRIAGE BELLS.—Last evening St. Luke's Episcopal church was a blaze of light, and every available space, inside and out was crowded by the throng of friends and acquaintances who had come to witness the marriage of Rev. Gaston Fercken, Church of the Emanuel, Islip, Long Island, to Miss Selena Roberdeau Shober, the accomplished daughter of Hon. F. E. Shober.

The ceremony was performed by Rev. F. J. Murdoch, pastor of St. Luke's, assisted by Rev. Frank Shober, brother of the bride, and pastor of St. John's church, Barrytown, N. Y.

The ushers were Dr. John Whitehead, Messrs. C. A. Rice, F. F. Smith, and Harry J. Overman. Little Miss Laura Bingham, Fannie Caldwell and the little Misses Beard acted as flower girls.

The wedding march was composed by Prof. Leo. Wheat, of Virginia, brother to the bride's mother, and rendered by Miss Lillian Warner.

There were many beautiful and valuable presents sent the happy pair, and many cards of congratulation, among them one from ex-President Arthur.

Mr. and Mrs. Fercken took the evening train for New York.

PERSONAL.—Miss Maud Amyette of Newbern is the guest of Miss Sallie Scales this week.

Mr. Thos. Montgomery, formerly with the agricultural department, was in town last week.

Rev. Mr. Flynn, of the first Presbyterian church of New Orleans preached at Dr. Rumple's church last Sunday night.

Capt. Chas. Price and Luke Blackmer, Esq., have been attending court at Lexington this week.

Miss Addie and Lelia Young, daughters of Gen. Young of Charlotte, have been the guests of Mrs. Arch'ld Young this week.

Mr. Archie Young has been at home for some days. Hereturned to his duties in Charlotte last Tuesday,

Miss Carrie Rendleman has gone to Staunton Female Seminary, Va.

Mr. Will M. Neal, of Mt. Ulla township, has been engaged at Merony & Brother's.

Mr. Claud Ramsay, son of Dr. J. G. Ramsay, will become a clerk at Gaskill's store.

Rev. J. M. Wilson, of the M. E. Conference, was in the city this week—guest at Mr. J. D. Gaskill's. He is brother to Rev. Mr. Wilson, of Davie.

Mr. Davault Kluttz has brought in the first new bale of cotton. Other new cotton has come into market.

Miss Jennie Bingham has returned to St. Mary's Institute, Raleigh, where she will graduate in the spring.

Miss Hally Wetmore of this county has entered Thomasvill Female College.

Miss Mammie Ellis daughter of the late Gov. Ellis, and Mrs Manley, both of Newbern, are gueste at Mrs Pearson's.

Mr. W. S. Blackmer, is representing a Northern business firm in Texas.

FORTY-SIX YEARS AGO.—It is not entirely without interest to take a glance backward at the town of Salisbury, Sept. 20, 1839. There were then two newspapers published here: "The Western Carolinian," by the late Benj. Austin and C. F. Fisher; and "The Carolina Watchman," by Pendleton and Bruner. The following is gleaned from one of them:

Van Buren was then the coming Democratic candidate, and Henry Clay the leader of the Whig party.

Deaths: McCoy Gillespie, aged 61; Margaret M. Hayes, in Ala., aged 23; Nancy M. Ray, in Lincoln county, aged 27.—Robt. Johnson offers for sale 1,000 acres of land. J. & W. Murphy have just received for wholesale and retail, a large lot of cotton bagging, bale rope, nails, coffee, sugar, steel, iron, etc. Dr. Leander Killian offers his professional services, &c. Charlotte Female Academy, under the superintendence of Mrs. S. D. Nye Hutchinson. R. W. Long, Colonel Commandant, calling out the 64th regiment N. C. militia for general review, J. M. Brown, Adjutant.—Morus Multicaulis buds for sale by E. L. Winslow, Fayetteville; La Fayette Hotel, by Edward Yarbrough, Fayetteville; F. R. Rouche, confectioner; Dr. Geo. B. Douglas offers his professional services. Jno. I. Shaver, ranger, advertises a horse taken up. Ca sa bonds for sale at Watchman Office. B. F. Fraley, tailor. H. C. Jones offers for sale "Martin's Sheriff, Coroner and Constable," a form book. Emporium of Arts and Sciences, by Turner & Hughes, Raleigh. Salisbury Male Academy, by Rev. J. D. Scheck and J. S. Johnson. Turner & Hughes advertise James Iredell's Law Digest. Mrs. Susan B. Pendleton, milliner and mantua maker. Benj. Rusk, S. C., and Rich'd Overstreet, Va., advertise runaway negroes. Chas. Mock, Davidson, and James A. Horn, Pittsboro, advertise Morus Multicaulis. C. B. & C. K. Wheeler, druggists. David Watson, cabinet maker, &c. The names of most of these persons have passed out of memory.

Services for the Lutheran congregation, will be held in the Courthouse on Sunday morning, at 10½ o'clock, by Rev. Stoudenmire, pastor.

## MINING DEPARTMENT.

New York parties write us to know of a rich find near Huntersville, in Yadkin county, N. C. They say that some people in New York have very rich specimens and are claiming a very rich discovery. Will some one at Huntersville state us the facts.

NEW GOLD VEIN.—In Henderson county, near Boylston Postoffice there is a vein of mineral from four to six feet in width, and traceable for a half mile by easily identified outcrops. The vein has free gold on the surface, but at a depth of fifteen feet both auriferous sulphide and argentiferous galena appear in the lode. The vein seems to have a gneiss for a hanging wall. while a greenish, probably chloritic, talco-slate forms the foot wall.

These facts are from Dr. C. D. Smith who as expert went out to examine the locality.

### The Coming Event.

A festival of wonders to be presented by W. W. Cole's Colossal Shows.—The greatest of all the great shows is soon to be seen here; it is on its way, and is already heralded by a brilliant array of pictorial illustrations on the walls, and the newspaper announcements fix the date on which the canvas city will be erected here a Monday September 28th. This announcement will be hailed with unalloyed pleasure by our citizens, with whom Mr. Cole bears an enviable reputation as an amusement caterer. To the lovers of the circus, Mr. Cole always presents an unexceptionable entertainment, while to the student of natural history the thoroughly complete menagerie of noble and well-kept specimens of almost every known species in the animal kingdom presents a field as interesting as it is varied. His exhibitions are given under a mammoth canvas pavilion, which is but one of a vast city of tents required to accommodate the entire outfit, and are replete with novel features, and requiring several rings and an elevated stage to introduce the programme of upward of sixty acts of which the performance consists. These embrace leaping, tumbling, trapeze performances, aerial bicycling, roller skating, bareback riding, performing animals, a troupe of Bedouin Arab athletes, with performing Turks, Moors, Mexicans, a snake charmer, trick elephants, a tight-rope walking horse, a two headed cow, and numerous other features. Prominent in the menagerie department is Samson, the largest elephant ever brought to this country, and the white hippopotamus. Every feature about the show is a pleasant surprise, while the management is simply perfect. It will be a grand festival for this and surrounding towns—an event that may not occur again in years, and none should miss it.

LIST OF LETTERS remaining in the Post Office at Salisbury, N. C., for the week ending Sept. 5, 1885:

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| Abraham Arery, | Lewis Horah, |
| Jane Brown, | William Haley, |
| T A Brown, | G W Morgan, |
| M C Bell, | Laura McKee, |
| Sallie Boyd, | Mertysheba Miller, |
| Ada C Butner, | S B McAboy, |
| G F Calef, | Alice McNeil, |
| Edmonde Clement, | Maggie McCorkle, |
| Annie Lawson, | A L McCandless, |
| G H Eeu, | Sarah Owens, |
| John H Grubb, | D C Ried, |
| John Hammond, | Moses Rean, |
| H V Heath, | Alex M Sinclair, |
| Rev Grant Johnston, | Ann Wandard, |
| J L Lancaster, | W M Saunders, |
| Samuel C Stynes, | Jully Wilboru, |
| Henry Ware, | Rachel Wear. |

Please say advertised when the above letters are called fo.

A. H. BOYDEN, P. M.

### Will Salisbury Come Forward?

For some time the DAVIE TIMES has endevoured to show, not only the practibility but the paying investment of capital in the construction of a railroad from this place to some convenient point as an ingress and egress to one of the best agricultural sections in the State. The TIMES has backed its assertions by indisputable figures which cannot fail to attract the attention of capitalists looking for safe investments.

As Salisbury was for many years, and is now to some extent, the point of entry to Davie County, it was the market also, and makes it more desirable for railroad connection; and if the people of that place are not anxious to see the scheme already maped out consummated, they are, in our opinion, blind to their own interest.

Winston and Statesville have, for the past decade, enjoyed the greater benefits of Davie's trade, which would be turned toward Salisbury and her agricultural products emptied in our lap if proper transportation was afforded. Without a railroad this produce is bound to find market at the above named places as they are nearer and more convenient by the crude mode of transportation-wagons; but a railroad centering here would give easy access from all parts of Davie and turn the commercial tide toward Salisbury.

The questions to be answered by our Salisbury friends are: Do you want a railroad from that place here and reap the benefits arising thereby? If so, are you willing to meet us half way with fifty cents in the dollar of the actual cost of constructing and equiping said road?

If Salisbury answers these questions in the affirmative let her citizens meet and select representative men and name the day, and Davie's representatives will meet to perfect arrangements by which the ball can be put in motion. What say you, Salisbury?

The people of Davie are determined to have a railroad outlet and if Salisbury will not move in the matter then our attention will be directed toward another point of connection.

Many of our citizens will be interested in the above from the Davie *Times*, and by it can be seen that her people are in earnest regarding the iron road between Salisbury and Mocksville. Davie has shown that she has the freight to make such an enterprise profitable and is "popping the question" to Salisbury. What will the answer be. Davie means business, and the business that's in her can be directed this way if we accept her offer. Improve this golden moment and it will be a grand builder-up of our county and city. If the citizens will take the map of our State and seriously take in the position it will be vividly apparent that we must in order for new prosperity link our sister county and town to us by that mighty progressor of all things, the iron horse.

A little grammar is a dangerous thing. "Johnny be a good boy and I will take you to the circus next year." "Take me now pa, the circus in the present tents."

A stranger was asked if he was afraid to sleep in the ghost chamber. He was not. In the morning he was asked if he had seen any ghosts. "I did. And I laid a subscription list before him, asking him to help our base ball club along. He was evidently embarrassed, and I did not see him again."

Romantic young ladies who open their casements at night and gaze pensively upon the moon are very foolish. The moon is 240,000 miles distant, and if there was a man in it they couldn't get him. What's the use of being unreasonble?—*Ex.*



Mrs. Emma Markley, the largest human being in the world, died in Philadelphia this week. She was only about four feet high, but weighed seven hundred pounds.

## MARRIED.

In Morgan Township, this county, on the 6th inst., by W. A. Campbell, Esq., Mr. John G. Hill to Miss Lunda Morgan.



Aug 25, 1885.—

Our Philadelphia markets are corrected every week.

PHILADELPHIA MARKET.—Evans Bros., large Produce Commission Merchants, 56 North Water street, Philadelphia, report the following city markets: Eggs, Virginia and Southern, 12@13.—Live poultry 12@13 cts. per pound; dressed 00@00; turkeys 00@00, according to quality; ducks 00@10; geese 00@00.—Live cattle 5@6; hogs, live 5½@6.—Potatoes: Early Rose, choice, per bush., 00@00; Burbanks, choice 00@00; Peerless, 00@00; Pearl Mammoth, 00@00.—Cheese: N. Y. Factory, choice 7¾@8¼; fair to good, 6¾ to 7¼ Pennsylvania full cream, 6¾@7¼; part skims, fancy 4@65; full skims, 1½@2½.—Dried Fruits: Apples, evaporated, in cases, 0@0; sliced N. Carolina, fancy 0@00; good sliced 0; blackberries 0@00; cherries, pitted, prime dry 00@00 peaches, pared, evaporated 00@00; N. C. sliced 0@0; unpared halves, new, 0@00; quarters 00@00; evaporated 0@00; pears, 00@00; plums, 00; raspberries, 0@00 per pound.—Feathers, choice geese 48@50.—Hides, dry, 10@11.—Honey in comb, 10@11; beeswax 24@25.

## Salisbury Tobacco Market.

CORRECTED WEEKLY BY J. J. HANKINS, PROPRIETOR KLUTTZ'S WAREHOUSE.

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| Lugs, common dark | 4 to 6 |
| " medium red | 5 to 8 |
| Leaf, common short green. | 5 to 7 |
| " good " red | 7 to 9 |
| " med. fillers | 8 to 12 |
| " fine " | 10 to 16 |
| Smokers, common to medium | 6 to 10 |
| " good " | 12 to 16 |
| " fine | 15 to 25 |
| Wrappers, common | 15 to 20 |
| " medium | 20 to 30 |
| " fine | 30 to 50 |
| " fancy | 50 to 70 |

Market active.

Breaks have been quite full for the past week, with a slight decline in common grades, while all desirable goods are taken at full quotations.



### SALISBURY MARKET

Sept 10, 1885.

Corn, freely, at 75@00; Meal, 80@00; Wheat, 90@100; Flour per sack, $2.25@$2.35; Western bulk meats, 8@10; Lard, 10@12½; Beef, retail, 6@10; on the hoof, 2½@3½; Butter 15@20; Eggs, 08; Hay, 30@40; Fodder, 00@00; Shucks, 00; Bran, 30; Potatoes, Irish, for table 30@00; for planting $1@1.25; Sweet potatoes 80@00; Peas, 125@00; Oats, 35@40; Tallow, 6; Dry Hides, 10; Rabbit furs, 00@00 cts per dozen; Mink skins, 00@00.

Cotton, ready sales at 10 cts for good middling—highest, 10¼.

Tobacco, sales every day and prices satfsfactory.

Poultry, in steady demand, but prices moderate.