

Mob Law.

It is truly alarming to witness the rapid growth of mob law, and unless something is done to arrest it, the criminal laws of the State are likely to fall into utter contempt.

Murder, Arson and Lynching.

Two horrible scenes were enacted in Davidson county, Friday night and Sunday morning last. Alfred Long, colored, visited the house of Mr. A. J. McBride, Friday night, for the purpose of robbery.

Prohibition Election.

Elections under the local option law of the Code were held in quite a large number of towns and townships last Monday, and we subjoin a report of the result.

The election on Monday in Charlotte was warmly contested, both parties working zealously to bring their friends to the polls.

ville by 114. Also, in Statesville, by 323.

Elections were also held in Oxford, Kinston, Henderson, Warren, Louisburg, Apex, Beaufort township and Seaboard, in all of which places Prohibition was carried.

RECAPITULATION.

Table with 2 columns: Dry Column and Wet Column. Lists various locations and their respective election results.

Jno. W. Mauney, Esq., for Solicitor.

R. F. Long, Esq., of Statesville, we notice is becoming quite a prominent candidate for the solicitorship of this judicial district.

It is generally conceded that Rowan will present the name of Mr. MAUNEY to the next Judicial Convention for the office of Solicitor.

Those Gifts.

The numerous presents made to Mr. Cleveland and his bride are likely to embarrass him to some extent.

New Inventions.

A banjo, a powder puff, a log turner, a cloth beam for looms, a head protector for horses, a buckle, a dough kneading machine, a steam life boat, a plumb level and rule; another fire escape, a photograph camera, another churn, another gate, &c., &c.

Oleomargarine.

The bill reported by the Committee on Agriculture to tax this modern substitute for butter, passed the House, June 3d, by a vote of 177 to 101—our representative, Henderson, voting in the negative.

The Shelby Aurora comes this week in double sheet form, printed on elegant paper, and illustrated, to show up the business interests and local attractions of the town and county.

After all it is not every day that a young lady can drive up to the White House, and lead out the President of United States to the marriage altar.

Miss Folsom enjoys the distinction of having been the first lady, who, in the history of our country has thus signalled the power of love.

The Fayetteville Observer relates the particulars of an attempt at highway robbery, on the Cape Fear bridge, Saturday night last.

Tobacco bugs have things pretty much their own way in Madison Co. One gentleman, says the Asheville Citizen, has planted a four acre field four times, and there is not now a hundred plants remaining in the field.

Mr. Perry Gaston has laid out a town on the opposite side of the French Broad, says the same paper, which is hereafter to be known as New Brooklyn. It is handy to Asheville, and its lots will sell to those who want residences out of Asheville, which is too crowded, perhaps.

There was an "affair of honor" between Mr. Richmond Pearson, of Asheville, and R. Y. McAden, of Charlotte, a few days ago.

Feminine curiosity is without height, depth, width or length. Two thousand women visited the White House premises the day after the President's marriage to see the room and its decorations, in which the ceremony was performed.

It is a remarkable fact that a few years ago the Constitution of the State of Michigan had a prohibition clause in it against saloons.

The New Orleans Times-Democrat reports a novel case of love and law at Fort Worth, Texas.

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Ah! yes, Where? asks an old time man, are the music of the spinning wheel and the thud of the loom weaving the cloth for the family, once so common in all our country homes?

The depot Hotel, by Capt. Grace Hallyburton, says the Asheville Citizen, is proving itself a most popular, as well as convenient accommodation.

There is a poisonous scorpion in some of the cities of Mexico, whose sting is fatal to children, sometimes in two or three hours.

Oleomargarine and Butterine have engaged much of the attention of Congress of late. The dairy men of the Northern States would proscribe the manufacture of these cheap substitutes for butter, and to oblige them the House has had under discussion a bill to tax it out of existence.

There is an ice factory in Fayetteville just now put in operation. The Observer and Gazette describes the process as beautiful, noiseless and efficient.

Rev. P. C. Jerome, pastor of the Congregational church of Woolfborough, N. H., went out in the lake fishing with his two sons, two daughters and a young friend named Davis.

Judicial Convention. EIGHTH DISTRICT.

The Executive Committee of this District held a meeting at the office of Mr. Theo. F. Klutz, in this place yesterday, and resolved that the nominating Convention shall be held in Lexington on the 4th of August, at 2 o'clock, p. m.

Fire and Death.

An incendiary fire was kindled in the cellar of a house on Canal Street, Chicago, June 7th, which resulted in the death of every member of two families in the house, eight persons in all.

Gladstone Defeated.

Gladstone's Home Rule Bill for the relief of Ireland, of which there has been so much talk both in this country and abroad, was defeated in the British House of Commons June 7th, on its 2d reading by a vote of 341 to 311.

Hopes of the Taylorsville R. R. are reviving. The Chief Engineer of the Richmond & Danville R. R. Co., which has about scooped up all the railroads about here, has recently reconcoited the route from Statesville via Taylorsville to Wilkesboro, with the view of ascertaining what there is in the country traversed for a railroad to expect.

"Pay all your Just Debts." Such is the caption of a newspaper article. Well, yes, "pay your debts," is a general practice in these parts, with some conditions annexed.

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Hurried eating of meals followed by immediate employment that taxes all the energies of mind or body, says Hall's Journal of Health, hurries up dyspepsia and other painful diseases.

"After dinner rest awhile, After supper walk a mile."

Eggs by weight and not by the dozen, is now contended for by those who breed fine poultry, whose eggs are larger and better than those of poor stock.

Arizona has a little mountain of Alum, with some impregnation of copper. It is in Graham county.

There is a tunnel through a mountain near Naples 1,900 years old. It is today the great highway to the heart of Naples.

That somewhat famous man of New York, John Kelly, is dead. He was a leading man among the Tammany men, and for a time wielded a large influence in the political affairs of the city and State.

Sam Small, Rev. Sam Jones' companion in evangelistic work, stopped in Charlotte, last week on his way to his home in Atlanta.

The Courts of New York city are still working on the bribe-takers, and the Judge informs the Grand Jury that they are not near done yet; and that they are not to forget the bribe-givers, who are most guilty of all.

The Danbury Reporter says that the bugs have destroyed a number of fields of tobacco in that vicinity and that farmers have since planted the land in corn.

A Nebraska corn raiser shipped 550 bushels of corn to the Chicago market and after paying freight and other charges thereon, received a balance of \$25.50 for the lot.

Prohibition newspapers are becoming quite numerous. Some half dozen or more have sprung up in different parts of the State within the last few months.

Two-thirds gutta percha and one-third paraffine dissolved together and taken up into the pores of wood from which the air has been exhausted, will preserve the wood from decay.

Rev. Mr. Woods, pastor of the 2d Presbyterian Church, Charlotte, has received and accepted a call from the First Presbyterian Church of Columbia, S. C.

Prof. Brooks of Phelps, N. Y., has discovered another comet, making the third one this year. It is large but dim, making its way southeast.

Tubs of ice in a sick room, with the room closed, will lower the temperature of the air and the fever heat of the patient.

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A map of the city of London printed on silk is used for hat linings.

A \$75,000 freight house burned down in St. Louis on the 3d instant.

Her hair is soft and brown, of a shade between light and dark. She wears it combed back from her forehead and loose, wavy tendrils escape here and there.

This is a pen picture of President Cleveland's bride by one of our exchanges, which of course "knows all about it." Aside.—We have prettier girls scattered all over Rowan county, and with prettier names than "Frankie Folsom."

The homestead law is one of the most injudicious measures for the promotion of realty that has ever been instituted by any body of legislators. It should be abolished: Honest people are rarely benefited by it, and those who take advantage of the law to defraud their creditors should not be protected in their dishonesty.

Correct again; it has destroyed credit and built up a mortgage system under which the debtor is fairly skinned and his family starved.

UNDIGESTED FOOD

In the stomach develops an acid which stings the upper part of the throat and palate, causing "heartburn." It also evolves a gas which produces "wind on the stomach," and a feeling and appearance of distention in that organ after eating.

LOOK HERE!

TO THOSE WHO SMOKE! The FLAT IRON BRAND CIGAR is the BEST 5 CT. CIGAR made. Try it. For sale by GALLIMORE & CO.

Notice to Creditors.

Having taken out letters of Administration upon the estate of Wilson A. Lingle, deceased, all persons indebted to said estate are hereby requested to make prompt settlement thereof, and all persons having claims against the estate are notified to present them to me on or before the 10th day of June, 1887, or this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery.

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By authority of a decree of Rowan Superior Court made at the February term, 1886, in the case of Margaret A. Ketchy against Chas. Coleman, I will offer at public sale for cash, at the Court House door in Salisbury on MONDAY, JULY 5TH, 1886,

(it being the first Monday in July), all the right, title and interest of Margaret A. Ketchy in and to a certain tract of land situated in Atwell township, Rowan county, formerly owned by Peter Ketchy, adjoining the lands of W. A. Honck and others. The undivided interest of said Margaret being supposed to amount to about 12 acres. Terms Cash. THEO. F. KLUTTZ, Commissioner. Salisbury, N. C., June 1, '86. 33:tdofs

Commissioner's Sale of a Valuable Tract of Land.

By virtue of a decree of Rowan Superior Court made at the February term, 1886, in the case of Chas. Price, administrator of J. N. B. Johnson and Lou Johnson vs. Tobias Kesler, I will offer at public sale at the Court House door in Salisbury on MONDAY, JULY 5TH, 1886,

(it being the first Monday in July), that valuable tract of land known as the "Fove Place," situated in Rowan County, on the Miller's Ferry Road about five miles from Salisbury, adjoining the lands of Dr. I. W. Jones, Thos. Kerns, Mrs. Hackett and others, containing 285 acres more or less. This is a splendid tract of land, good soil and well watered and timbered. TERMS:—One-third cash on confirmation of sale, balance in six months with interest at eight per cent. from date of confirmation. Title reserved till all the purchase money is paid. THEO. F. KLUTTZ, Commissioner. Salisbury, N. C., June 1, '86. 33:tdof

Dissolution Notice.

The firm heretofore existing under the firm name of McNeely & Johnston, was dissolved by mutual consent on the 1st day of May, inst. All unsettled business since May 1885 will be settled by Mr. Johnston. J. D. McNEELY, Agt. T. P. JOHNSTON.

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