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Mountaineers are returning home. The nights and early mornings are cool and refreshing. Delightful sleeping weather.

The trees of the town should be cleared of caterpillars and their nests. They are capable of doing an immense amount of harm to shade trees.

The Mt. Vernon Hotel was completely filled on last Monday night, including the parlor. The Clerk had to sit up all night. It seems to be a popular place.

The painters are putting the finishing touches on the new freight depot and it will soon be ready for occupancy.

Tramps, burglars, &c., are reported at Wilmington, Durham and other places. Charlotte is providing herself with arms preparatory to receiving them.

The weather on last Friday and Saturday was remarkably cool. The leaves are becoming "saw and yellow" on some varieties of the forest trees.

The Court erker has a lusty pair of lungs to supply his vocal organs. He was distinctly heard on the corner of Fisher and Fulton, five squares from the court-house.

Mr. C. R. Barker's party who left here a week or more ago for Nag's Head, have returned after a splendid trip.

Mr. J. Allen Brown, Insurance Agent, has fully settled the losses sustained by Mr. A. L. Johnson, by the recent burning of his two elaborate barns.

Personal Mention.

Miss Daisy Meroney has returned from a visit to Winston. Mr. O. D. Davis' family will return from the mountains the last of this week.

Rev. Jas. Wheeler and wife of Concord, passed through this place, their former home, for the "up country" last Friday.

W. S. Hemby, Editor of the Charlotte Evening Chronicle, called on us yesterday. The Chronicle is growing in usefulness.

Miss Augusta Worth, of Fayetteville, who has been a guest of Mrs. Thos. Murphy for some time, has returned to her home.

Rev. C. Plyler has removed his family from Concord to this place, and will live in his house, corner Fisher and Ellis streets.

Mr. J. M. Henderson, of Washington city, who has been visiting Salisbury for several winters past, died of consumption a few days since.

Miss Rosa McCorkle goes to day to visit relatives in Anson county, where she will remain a short time before the opening of the schools in Wadesboro, where she will teach music.

Maj. Jones, Auditor Williams and Mr. E. R. Overman, all connected with the offices of the Western N. C. R., at this place, leave on Saturday for Washington city, where they will be installed in the main offices of the Richmond and Danville road.

Mr. Burlingame, the water engineer, is here now in consultation with the Mayor and town commissioners. There is a perfect confidence on the part of our citizens that we are to have a reliable water supply.

The Railroad offices may be removed and the termini of certain roads may be changed, but our beef market remains the same, and we will continue to live sumptuously, as the old town did in the days when George Washington passed through and took a steak on Main street.

Inquisitive old gentleman meeting little Freddy: "Ah, my little man, how are all at your house?" "Weese sol well and weese got a new baby."

Drive the Cows. Mrs. A. J. Lowrance, near Enochville, this county, was driving her cows to pasture, a few days ago, and saw in a little gulley a bright looking speck, and picked it up.

Under the Lash. The dramatic event of the season on Wednesday evening, September the 1st of the great London success, "Under the Lash" will be given in Meroney's Hall.

Homicide in Montgomery. In Hill township, in Montgomery county, Lewis Freeman and Frank Freeman met, no one being present but themselves, when an altercation took place.

Shorts from Heilig's Mill's. Corn and cotton has very much improved. Corn on upland will be very good, while the bottoms will not be worth much.

charged on bail, as was confidently expected. This action probably indicates that the statement of the alteration, as given above by the attorney for the defendant, is not full enough for the general public to gain a correct impression of the defendant's guilt.

Salisbury Building and Loan. Stockholders in the Building and Loan Association, should not fail to attend the meeting announced for Tuesday night, the 31st inst. at the Mayor's office, at 8 p. m.

A Temporary Hospital. "How comes on the Boyden House," the reporter asked Mr. Sullivan on yesterday. "Ah, first-rate, in general, but this week we might be considered as running a hospital."

Court Notes. No especial interest attaches to this term of court. The charge of his Honor, Judge Boykin, was a sensible innovation upon the old methods. He was forcible and specific upon statutory crimes and misdemeanors, while he pretermitted the common law offenses with bare mention.

At both ends and showed no place of attachment to the walls of the "pocket" in which they were found.

The Reynolds mine, near Troy, in Montgomery county, is being systematically worked. Messrs Wade & Co., proprietors, who live at Troy, have built a mill, which was started last week.

The St. Catherine Gold mine in Mecklenburg has been sold and a new company organized to work it.

NORTH CAROLINA. IN THE SUPERIOR COURT. AUGUST 21st 1886. J. N. Baker, J. F. Baker, W. H. Alley and wife Margaret Alley, W. J. Overcash and wife Mary D. Overcash, Frances E. Sherrill, Mary M. Sherrill and Bruner A. Sherrill infants under the age of twenty-one years by their next friend J. W. Sherrill, O. V. Baker and N. I. Baker infants under the age of twenty-one years by their guardian E. T. Gaudman, D. C. Baker, N. Baker and D. Baker infants under the age of twenty-one years by their guardian Jacob M. Eady Pitts.

Florence Collins, Defts. It appearing to the satisfaction of the Court by affidavit that Florence Collins, the defendant above named is a non-resident of this State and cannot after due diligence be found in this State and that she is a necessary party to the above named action.

It is now on motion ordered by the Court that publication be made in the Carolina Watchman for six successive weeks notifying the said Florence Collins, the defendant above named, to appear at the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court for the County of Rowan on the 9th day of October 1886 and answer the complaint filed in this action in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court, and let her take notice that if she fail to answer the said complaint within that time, the plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the complaint.

Given under my hand this 21st day of August 1886. J. M. HORAH, Clerk Superior Court Rowan Co.

MILKING DEPARTMENT. T. K. BRUKER, EDITOR.

Emerald and Hiddenite Mine. Prof. W. E. Hidden, superintendent and general manager of the Emerald and Hiddenite mine, in Alexander county, called on last Thursday evening and displayed to the mining editor of this paper, the most wonderful lot of gem stones ever seen in this country.

Under the Lash. MERONEY HALL. ONE NIGHT ONLY. WEDNESDAY, SEPT. 1ST.

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SELECT * SCHOOL FOR YOUNG LADIES AND CHILDREN. Miss Jennie Caldwell, Principal. The fall Session will begin Sept. 22nd, 1886. Terms same as heretofore. No deduction for absence except in cases of protracted sickness.

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SALISBURY MARKET table with columns for TO-DAY and prices for Corn, Cotton, Chickens, Butter, Eggs, Flour, Hay, Lard, Oats, Pork, and Potatoes.

NOTICE! By virtue of a decree of the Superior Court of Alexander county, I will sell to the highest bidder on a credit of six months, on the premises on the 1st Monday in August, 1886, the 23 1/2 acre small tract of Land in Rowan county, on the waters of Third Creek, adjoining the lands of James Cowan, Henry Burke and others, and contains by estimation twenty acres. Bond with approved security for the purchase money and no title is to be made to the purchaser until the sale is confirmed by the Superior Court of Alexander county. Henry J. Bruce, Administrator of Edmund Burke, dec'd. June 29th, 1886.

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