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For a splendid fit, gentlemen should go to Kelly's, the tailor.

We miss none of the accustomed court cases faces this week.

They say that fish are not biting nowadays. The same historic luck.

Our popular young citizen Mr. Will Taylor is foreman of the Grand Jury this Court.

Fish still on the market, and they sell more and more like fish as the days get longer.

Schnitz & Van Wyck have the best \$2, \$2.50 and \$3 men's shoe in the State.

The Episcopal Convention will meet in annual session at St. Luke's church in this city on 23rd inst. being two weeks from yesterday.

According to established usage Davie County will be entitled to the Senator this year. Rowan gave the office two years ago to Col. Shober.

Carpenters are at work in the Bean brick store below the post office, preparatory to the Southern Telegraph Company occupying it as an office.

It is reported that the Gas Company here has concluded to overhaul the works and extend the pipes to that part of town recently built up.

A few Salisburyans attended the celebration at Guilford battle field last Saturday. They report a perfect jam in the way of a crowd, probably as many as were present and participated in that little affair of 1781.

We call attention of our readers to the advertisement of Mr. P. M. Brown. Why buy flour made away from here when you can get the home made article, made from wheat grown by our own farmers, a better grade, and for less money.

The bill introduced in Congress by Hon. John S. Henderson, authorizing an appropriation of twenty thousand dollars for improvements on the Federal Cemetery at this place, has been favorably reported and will no doubt pass very soon.

We miss the curbstone engraver with a barrel for a table this court but the lung tester man, with a patent machine and "Try your lungs gentlemen, good exercise, four for five cents" takes his place and the world moves along without any hitch.

The eighth annual commencement of Livingstone College is to be held on May 16-18. Rev. J. W. Brown, of Poughkeepsie, N. Y., will deliver the baccalaureate sermon and the annual address will be delivered by Rev. Chas. F. Deems, D. D., of New York.

Intelligent physicians are the proper persons to attend to the duties of inspecting and judging the sanitary condition of a town or community. It would be a wise act on the part of our town authorities to entrust a matter of such importance to the hands of one or more doctors.

Our people have an abiding faith in the future and speedy growth of Salisbury, and are backing it up with works. Old fields lying within a radius of a half to a mile from the centre of town, are being purchased and lots of the usual size laid off and buildings erected thereon.

Brown Walker and wife, desire to return their sincere thanks to those citizens of Salisbury and vicinity for \$9.75, contributions made for the building of an A. E. M. Zion church on the old Mocksville road 2 1/2 miles from Salisbury. The work was completed Easter last, except the ceiling and seating.

The annual Sunday school Convention of the Salisbury District. Composed of the Methodist schools in the counties of Davie, Rowan, Cabarrus, and a part of Mecklenburg, will be held at Concord on 11th to 13th inst. inclusive. The school here appointed delegates last Sunday who will attend the meeting.

At the regular meeting of the town Commissioners last Friday night the report of the Treasurer was handed in which shows a balance of \$3,283.40 in the treasury. This is a good showing. All of the old officers were elected with the exception that John Gill was elected city weigher in place of Wakefield Price.

If magistrates would do their duty and dispose of the hundreds of petty cases over which they have jurisdiction, the county would be saved big money every year, in the way of Court costs, and there would be no need of a term of two weeks four times a year; but a Spring and Fall term of one week each would be amply sufficient.

Mr. J. Allen Brown, through whom Messrs Johnson & Ramsay were insured, has paid them drafts in full of all claims, and less sustained by the burning of their factory. The loss was satisfactorily adjusted March 19th, and the time for payment was May 19, (60 days from adjustment) but the Companies have waived the remaining days and settled in full without any discount.

LOCAL.

"It is a sin to steal a pin, Or any other greater thing." Richmond Martin, a colored gentleman, an exhorter at big meetings and a lay member of the colored Baptist church said he didn't steal it, and Mr. Jas. Reeves said he did. The Jury would not say, and Richmond was held on a \$50 bond for a re-trial next court.

The North Carolina Farmer says: The North Carolina Grange Encampment and Farmers Institute held last August at Mount Holly, Gaston county, was admitted by all, to be a grand success. It is proposed to hold another Encampment this year, and Hon. W. R. Williams Master of the State Grange has written Capt. J. T. Patrick, (whose labors last year made it so successful) to receive proposals from any town in North Carolina that desires the Encampment to be held near them. How would Salisbury do.

It is a great pity that such little petty cases as the two we heard Monday evening can not be kept out of Court and thus save valuable time. One of them was a case where a constable and three summoned officers were indicted for trespassing when they went to serve a process of claim and delivery. The other case was where an old man was indicted for whipping his grand-daughter when her father had told him to do so. It is needless to say his Honor instructed the Jury to render a verdict of not guilty without leaving their seats.

Quick Work. The timbers of Eugene Johnson's tobacco factory were standing on the stump three weeks ago. On the 17th of April the frame was up and covering commenced, on the 21st the roof was on and floor laid, on the 23rd hands were at work picking, and to-day everything is in place and the factory is in full working order with a capacity of 150,000 pounds. If that is not enterprising we would like to know what it is.

Court. Judge Montgomery moved things in a hurry this week and finished up the entire business of Court yesterday afternoon.

Three prisoners go to the penitentiary. One of them, Green Horton, Will Keen and W. H. Hargrave, having been convicted at former terms. The seven from this term are William Thrasher, for attempted arson, 7 years; James Hearne, false pretense, 1 year; Aaron Patterson, Larceny, 6 years; Scofield Summers, larceny, 5 years; Adam Green, larceny 3 years; Dock Glover, barn burning, 10 years; Alfonso Burke, larceny, 1 year.

We are sure Judge Montgomery has the thanks of our citizens for the dispatch with which the business of court was conducted.

LIST OF LETTERS. List of letters remaining in post office at Salisbury, N. C., for the week ending May 6, 1888.

Louisa Barber, C J Burton, W T Brown, Clara Chambers, Charlotte Chambers, S Corn, J M Cooke, Nannie Earnhart, J A Femster, A Gargam, Edie Holt, Geo W Horah, Nonnetta Hoze, W L Johnson, T J Johnson, L E Jones, Pheny James, Andrew Lifkin, Lula Lock, Zetty Lingie, R A Moore, Mr Matho, P A Martin, Eliza McElam, L L Northerm, S B Nye, W D Pethel, S Parker, James Reed, N N Shepherd, Elias Stevenson, J G Walker, W L Wiseman, Charles E Watson.

Please say advertised when the above letters are called for.

A. H. BOYDEN, P. M.

County Commissioners Meeting. At the County Commissioners' meeting last Monday it was ordered that the Clerk notify the Justices of the Peace of Rowan county to meet with the Board of Commissioners the first Monday in June to levy the county and school taxes for the year 1888, to elect a Board of Commissioners, and to transact any other business that may come before them.

Mr. W. C. Blackmer was appointed as attorney for the county.

J. F. Robinson, Bridge Inspector was ordered to have a new bridge built across Fourth Creek, on the Wilkesboro road, as soon as practicable.

The Board ordered that Mrs. Mary C. Hall and B. A. Knox be notified to cut a ditch through a swamp on their lands, (a tributary of Beaver Dam) in accordance with a report submitted by a jury who were appointed to inspect said land.

The report of the Finance Committee shows a balance in the Treasurer's hands of \$5,379.78.

A Nuisance. We dislike to complain of any thing that by precedence has become almost an established law and custom but sometimes even under those circumstances it is best to do so and try and have the evil remedied. The habit of letting horses and wagons stand on the public square is a bad one and should be abandoned. At times they stand on the cross walks (unintentionally) and people having to cross have to go around in the mud or dust, but this is not all Saturday evening the neighborhood looks more like a barn yard from the droppings of the horses than a public street, then too the wagons standing for hours in front of the Stores in the neighborhood (always on the shady side) have at times from four to six negroes lounging on them who with their loud "ha ha's" and not always decent language make it very unpleasant for the ladies.

We should think Main St., our principal business street, ought to be especially guarded against every thing obnoxious. Why can't these wagons be made to stand along the side of Innis street which is not so much used as a public thoroughfare or be made to go into vacant lots.

COUNTY LOCALS.

Rockwell. Mr. John Trexler had a hewing to-day to new logs for his new house.

Miss Nannie Burke of Salisbury has been spending several days with Mrs. Mary Miller.

Rev. H. A. Trexler and Mr. O. M. Holschouer as delegates left yesterday for the Synod at St. James church in Concord.

Mr. Crawford Holschouer had his hands working the public road that passes this place yesterday. They gave the road an overhauling that will benefit it for a time to come.

So we are to have a calf agent in our midst, as our Herald correspondent says. Will he be of wet, dry, republican, or what party? Although we have no objections to Mr. Miller, still we think our correspondent himself is much more suitable.

Some of our honest citizens came near being imposed on some time ago. It seems that at Culp's sale last winter a buggy was sold privately as his property, and after changing hands several times, made its stopping place at Rockwell. Since it has turned out that the buggy belonged to a Mr. Oglesby and has been seized by a deputy leaving our friend without money or buggy, but fortunately the money was in Dr. Shimpock's hands who promptly returned it.

Farmers are very busy ditching and fixing up their farms, houses, &c., in general. Some are not through planting and could not have finished without rain, while others have commenced plowing their corn. Our neighborhood now has on its prettiest coat. Flowers are in full bloom, strawberries, lettuce, radishes, onions, &c., are plentiful. Although the frost topped a few potatoes, cut down corn and a little fruit, its damage was very small. Wheat and oats have been damaged some by the cold and dry combined but will still make good crops unless further hindered. Clover is now in full bloom and very fine. Several years ago hardly a patch could be seen, now almost every farmer has plenty. All they need is some of Miller's Stanly calves to root it up for manure. Peaches are very large for the time of year and some of the early varieties are beginning to turn red. Although trees are not so heavily loaded and many that are now on will probably fall on account of being affected by the past cold, still fruit of all kinds will be plentiful.

Hellig's Mills. The health of our neighborhood is good. Spring oats are not looking very good in our neighborhood.

About the usual corn and cotton crop has been planted in our vicinity.

Wheat is looking very well although the chintz bug is doing some damage.

We are almost through planting, and then the farmers will have a little rest.

Rev. W. R. Brown, the pastor of Organ church will move into the new parsonage on Thursday.

What has become of your correspondent, "Clod Knockor"? We would like to hear from him again.

Mrs. Jacob Holschouer, aged 61 years, living in the neighborhood of Rock, died of heart disease. She was a consistent member of the new Methodist church, and was beloved by all who knew her.

Best's Mill. There are plenty of apples and peaches yet.

The farmers are through planting corn and cotton.

The measles are still prevailing in some parts of this neighborhood.

Mr. S. B. Colly set out a part of his tobacco crop the last rainy season.

Wheat is looking fine. Mr. C. M. Cress has the finest wheat in our vicinity.

Mr. J. E. Briggs, of Manning, has the finest crop of corn in the neighborhood.

The Sunday School at Salem church was re-organized Sunday last, with Rev. J. D. Shirey Superintendent, S. B. Colly, Assistant; M. S. Colly, Secretary; E. M. Sifford, Treasurer; W. T. Linebarrier, Librarian.

Township Meeting. The Democrats of China Grove township will hold a meeting to appoint delegates to the County Convention at China Grove, on Tuesday, the 15th inst. A full attendance is earnestly solicited.

Drainage of Second Creek. All parties whose lands border on the waters of Second Creek are hereby notified to meet the County Surveyor and the commission at the mouth of Second Creek on Monday, the 14th of May.

Rev. R. W. Boyd. This beloved minister of the Presbyterian church, having resigned his charge of Franklin and Unity in Rowan has connected himself with Mecklenburg Presbytery, and accepted the charge of Castanea and Unity in Mecklenburg. These were formerly under the ministerial care of Rev. R. H. Morrison, D. D., one of the most highly esteemed ministers in the Southern Presbyterian church, a man of blessed memory, now is his 90th year, vigorous, with mental faculties clear. The numerous friends of Mr. Boyd regret his departure from their midst but will rejoice to hear that he has taken up work laid down by the venerable patriarch of the church, and wish him the success in his new field which his pious heart can crave.

MINING DEPARTMENT.

Sam Christian Mine. Mr. E. B. C. Hensby, manager of the above mine was in town yesterday and reports work going on nicely with forty men working on foundations for pumps &c., that one of the immense boilers, whose shell alone weighs 15,000 pounds, arrived at the mine Tuesday, and that a car load of pipes arrived here yesterday. He says the bridges will have to be repaired before the other boilers can be hauled.

Mr. Hambly also reports that a private English Company has just been organized to work the Reynolds Mine near Troy, Montgomery county, with Mr. Davey of the Stanly Freehold as one of the directors and himself as resident director and engineer. Shaft down 33 feet; vein in bottom 2 feet wide and worth \$125 per ton in free gold; will shortly be equipped with a full plant for mining and milling operations.

Continuation of the list of North Carolina minerals and their localities:

II. TERNARY OXYGEN COMPOUNDS.

2. TANTALATES, COLUMBATES. 126. PYROCHLORE OR MICROLITE. Microscopic brownish yellow or honey yellow grains and crystals which appear to be octahedra, with dodecahedral planes, are associated with orthoclase, tourmaline, etc. in Yancey county, and are probably pyrochlore or perhaps microlite. Larger octahedra are reported to have been found in Mitchell county, and were called microlite. I have never seen any; those sent to me as such, were garnet.

127. HATCHETTOLITE. In octahedral crystals with cubical planes, a yellowish brown color, with greyish opalescence, resinous lustre and subconchoidal fracture. Hardness, 5. Spec. Grav., 4.851. Found with samarskite at Wiseman's mine Mitchell county.

128. TANTALITE. A massive variety of tantalite, weighing a few ounces, has been collected in Yancey county. It had a black color and a specific gravity of 6.88. It is also found in Sharpe township, Alexander county, in a well terminated crystal of four ounces in weight. This mineral has but one other American locality, i. e., Coosa county, Alabama. It is a mineral remarkable for its high specific gravity, being heavier than pure iron.

129. COLUMBITE. It occurs in crystals and crystalline masses of a black color imbedded in samarskite in Mitchell county. It has also been found in Yancey, Buncombe and Macon.

130. YTTROTANTALITE. According to General Clingman, grains of this mineral have been found in several localities in the Western counties.

131. SAMARSKITE. It has been found in small black grains and pebbles, sometimes weighing of an ounce, in the gold sands of Rutherford county, which, when broken, had a vitreous resinous lustre and a brownish black color, and a spec. grav. of 5.69. It is found also in the gold sands of Burke and McDowell counties. Usually in irregularly shaped, and sometimes sometimes coarsely crystallized, rarely in distinct modified rhombic prisms. The color is deep velvet black, in their edges brown, the lustre resinous and the fracture conchoidal. Spec. Grav., 5.72. This mineral contains Columbic acid, Tantalic acid, Tungstic acid, stannic acid, Uranic oxide, Ferrous oxide, Manganous oxide, Cerous oxide, &c., Yttria, Magnesia and lime. This mineral has lately been the subject of investigation by numerous chemists and several new elements, mosandrum, philippium and decipium have been discovered in it.

132. EUXENITE. Associated with the Samarskite. In reddish brown and hairbrown masses, which are translucent in their fragments, fracture irregular to subconchoidal, lustre resinous, not crystallized. Spec. grav., 6.399-6.642.

133. ESCHYNITE. The most perfect crystals of the black minerals from Mitchell and Yancey, which has been considered columbite, agree in form and physical properties with eschynite, similar in appearance to that from Minsk, Siberia.

134. RUTHERFORDITE. In monoclinic crystals and grains of a blackish brown color and vitreous lustre and conchoidal fracture. Sp. gr. 5.37-5.69. In the gravel deposit of Rutherford and Burke counties.

135. PERSONITE. Found in gold sands of Burke county; also in Rutherford and Mitchell.

136. ROGERSITE. In white mammillary crusts and little pearly beads upon samarskite and euxenite in Mitchell county. - Specific gravity, 3.313.

A Cow Worth Having. Mr. W. S. Shulberrier, of Atwell township has a Devon Short Horn cow that is remarkable for two things, the first is she gives as high as six gallons of milk a day, and the second is that, on last Thursday morning she dropped three calves that weigh together 112 pounds. They are all apparently well developed, strong and healthy.

Tribute of Respect. WHEREAS, The Supreme Ruler of the Universe has in His wise providence removed by death on April 30th, 1888, from our number Mr. R. H. Fourn, a worthy member of the Salisbury Tobacco Association and an esteemed citizen of our town, therefore be it

Resolved, That we as members of the tobacco trade and friends of the deceased hereby express our deepest sorrow for the loss of one of our members and tender our most profound sympathy for the bereaved and wife and fatherless children.

Resolved, That these resolutions be spread upon the minutes of our association, that copies be sent to the local papers with a request for publication and a copy be sent to the widow of the deceased.

J. J. HASKINS, C. A. RICE, J. H. RAMSAY, Committee.

Salisbury, N. C., May 3d, 1888.

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