

Capt. J. A. Fisher was in town Saturday.

Mr. J. F. Harbin, of Statesville, is here today.

Mr. T. M. Kerns spent Saturday in the city.

Mr. R. L. Crawford, of Winston, is in the city.

Wheat crop is thought to be in a fine condition.

Miss Sallie McNeely, of China Grove, is in town.

Mr. J. M. Harrison, of Mill Bridge, was here Saturday.

Miss Fannie Alexander, of Statesville, is in town this week.

Mr. W. C. Blackner is attending court at Shelby this week.

Mr. Whit Graham, of West Rowan, was in the city Friday.

Don't buy your molasses until you see the kinds E. C. Miller keeps.

More business houses must be built in Salisbury. We need them.

You can always get some fresh butter kept on ice, at E. C. Miller's.

Mr. W. C. Eddleman, one of Cabarrus county's best citizens was in the city Saturday.

Prof. M. E. Hymans, of Statesville, has sold his collection of minerals to Trinity College.

A number of ministers from outside points have been attending the Fife meeting this week.

We are pleased to learn that Mr. W. L. Kestler, of Bear Poplar, is much better and in a fair way to recover.

Mr. J. H. Smith, of Wake county, who has been here for several weeks, will begin a school in vocal music in a few days.

Go to E. C. Miller's when you want fresh parched peanuts. He don't sell any but hand picked, the best in the market.

Mr. E. C. Miller, who runs a first-class grocery store on North Main street, has a new refrigerator in which he keeps butter. This keeps it nice and clean and as firm as in winter.

Mr. S. Drechter, representing Lippman Bros., Savannah, Ga., is here today. He has two colored boys along dressed in uniform, who assist him in distributing advertising matter.

During the Fife meeting the popular place for finest fruits, candies, ice cream, &c., will be at Tichenor's, next to express office. Also the finest lot of apples ever brought to the city.

Mr. C. L. Welch lost \$80 in cash Tuesday. The money was in ten and twenty dollar bills. If an honest man finds it will return to the owner, who, no doubt will reward them liberally.

Messrs. H. & L. Wright have opened their stock of clothing and gents furnishing goods on North Main Street. They have a nice store room and when they get in full blast they will make things hum.

Dr. R. J. Abernathy, president of Rutherford College, has been here this week. He informed us that he has secured quite a sum for rebuilding the College. He is now on his way north where he hopes to succeed a great deal. We hope he will be successful.

A correspondent writing from west Rowan states that the Miranda blacksmith is doing good work in his line. He has invented a saw for sawing out fellows for wagon wheels, &c. Also that a loafers club has been organized in the neighborhood and meets regularly at the blacksmith shop.

The Wrong Man. A man calling himself H. L. Fisher has been held by the police because of his resemblance to Oliver Summers, who is wanted in Asheville for shooting people and horses. Fisher is the exact counterpart of Summers. Having become satisfied that he was not the right man he was discharged yesterday.

Not the Same Man. Sometime ago the WATCHMAN had an account of the killing of a man here by the electric street car. Mayor Linn has received a letter from a man in the eastern part of the State saying that he had a brother of the same name and wished to know if it was the same man. We are glad to state that it was not. The party killed was a worthless character that had been lying around this city for some time and the ears did a good day's work in removing him.

Get the Poor People, Too. Yesterday Mr. Fife said: "We Presbyterians are reaching out after the rich. It appears by our actions that we are too proud to try to convert the poor of our State. The Methodists are getting so, too, but the Baptists of North Carolina are doing more to convert the people of North Carolina, especially the poorer classes, than any other denomination. They have the best missionary plan and are pushing it for all it is worth." The above shows that Mr. Fife is not a hide-bound sectarian and is a confidant to a most earnest denomination and one that deserves praise.

A Painful Accident. Mr. John I. Shaver, of this city, met with a very bad accident near the depot last Saturday. A team stalled and he was assisting the driver. A piece of timber that had been used to prize up the wheels was whirled around with great force and striking him on the right leg knocked him down and the piece of timber was run over by the wagon. His leg was broken in three places. He has suffered much since.

WONDERFUL PROGRESS. Great Increase in Manufactured Cotton—Figures do not Lie. We are indebted to Mr. J. W. Webb, agent of the R. & D. Road here, for the figures given below showing the great increase in manufactured cotton goods in the past few years.

Table with 2 columns: YEAR and POUNDS. Shows cotton goods production from 1886 to 1890.

MEETING AT BAPTIST CHURCH. Large Crowds Attended and Much Good was Done.

Rev. N. S. Jones, pastor of the Baptist church, began a series of meetings two weeks ago which closed last Friday night. Large crowds attended every service and Mr. Jones preached with great power and earnestness.

A GREAT MEETING. Mr. Fife is Doing Good—Great Crowds Visit the Faberian.

Evangelist Fife began his meeting here last Saturday. The building was packed full in the morning, and at night hundreds left because there was not room. Every day service has been well attended.

MEMORIAL SERVICE. Rev. Dr. J. Rumpke Conducts the Services Here in Memory of Gen. Jos. E. Johnston.

A large number of veterans and others gathered at the Fife Tabernacle Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock, for the purpose of holding a memorial service in memory of Gen. Joseph E. Johnston.

the Mexican war and fought in the Seminole and other wars with the American Indians. Gen. Johnston was a fine civil engineer and spent much of his life engaged in that work.

PROFESSIONAL MEN of Salisbury—The Men Who Have Read Blackstone and the Code.

KERR CRAIGIE. Mr. Craige is the senior member of the Salisbury bar. He and Mr. L. H. Clement are associated together in the practice of law.

HON. JOHN S. HENDERSON. Mr. Henderson is the next oldest member of the bar. He is now a member of Congress, but still a member of the bar.

T. C. LIXN. Mr. Lixn was born in Rowan county in 1860. He graduated at Gettysburg, Pa. Mr. Lixn was elected Superintendent of Public Instruction in this county in 1873.

L. H. CLEMENT. Mr. Clement is a son of Hon. J. Marshall Clement, of Mocksville. He is 36 years old, is associated with Mr. Craige.

HON. L. S. OVERMAN. Mr. Overman was born in Salisbury 36 years ago. He has served his county in the legislature three times.

HON. CHAS. PRICE. Mr. Price was born in Warren county about 40 years ago. He has lived in Davie and represented that county in the legislature.

T. F. KLUTTZ. Mr. Kluttz was born in Salisbury in 1848. He is the best looking member of the bar when age is considered.

J. W. MAUNEY. Mr. Mauney was born in Cabarrus county in 1846. He has been in Salisbury since 1873.

W. C. BLACKMER. Mr. Blackmer has been a member of the bar since 1881. He was born in Salisbury about thirty-two years ago.

R. L. WRIGHT. Mr. Wright was born in Wilkes county in 1866. He did not get a collegiate education.

A. S. HELLIG. Mr. Heilig is the youngest member of the Salisbury bar. He has only been practicing since last January.

Died. At her home in Steele township this county, Mrs. Leah Barger, widow of John Barger, Sr., aged 85 years, 3 months and 2 days.

MINING DEPARTMENT. Mining News Gathered in This and Other States. [Items and articles for this department are earnestly solicited.]

For Sale. Fifteen hundred acres valuable land situated 18 miles north of Statesville, Iredell county, N. C.

Some time ago a correspondent made a valuable suggestion as to what this State should send to the World's Fair.

Capt. Charles Bolton tells us that they have just discovered the richest vein of gold at Lower mine, eight miles from here.

Mr. Geo. W. Brown of Yadkin county has some fine mineral land for sale.

New Advertisements. Read H. & L. Wright's advertisement. Mr. Henry Barringer, of Cleveland, has a fine cow for sale.

The Charlotte Racket Store tells how to buy goods cheap. See avertisement of the enterprising 4 C's Company, at Charlotte.

A party of hunters went out from Concord, last week, to the Harris place, which was recently purchased by Heglar and Motley, to hunt squirrels.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

WAR! Salisbury has long been in need of another first-class CLOTHING AND GENTS' FURNISHING STORE.

Salisbury has long been in need of another first-class CLOTHING AND GENTS' FURNISHING STORE, and we are glad to see H. & L. Wright coming forward to fill the long-felt want.

They have opened their well-selected stock in the storeroom formerly occupied by G. W. Wright as a furniture store, on North Main street.

Many people are anxious to learn how they are selling so low. For their benefit we will say that they bought their entire stock directly from headquarters of manufacturers.

Just think for one moment what money will do, and then hear some of their prices: You can buy of them \$30 to \$40 suits at \$25; \$25 to \$30 suits at \$18 to \$20; \$20 suits at from \$15 to \$16, and so on all the way down.

Their stock of Boys' Clothing is complete, and way under the regular prices. They also carry a well-assorted line of ladies', misses', men's and boys' Shoes from 75 cents up.

The battle has begun against high prices, so go and examine their stock whether you want to buy or not, and be convinced that the above prices and qualities are correct.

At her home in Steele township this county, Mrs. Leah Barger, widow of John Barger, Sr., aged 85 years, 3 months and 2 days.

Brown's Clothing Emporium. GO TO BROWN'S Clothing Emporium. To Get Whatever You Want to Wear from Head to Foot.

You'll find a magnificent line of Clothing, Hats, Shoes, Furnishing Goods, Trunks, Traveling Bags, Umbrellas, &c.

We have just received 100 SUITS FOR BOYS,

Ranging from 5 to 14 years, at \$1.25. These goods are great bargains!

Elegant line of Youths' Outfits from \$5.00 to \$20.00. They please the most fastidious. We don't sell any "baggy" outfits.

Our Men's Clothing is the noblest ever seen in this country. Very latest styles and handsome designs.

Our business has gained a well-deserved reputation. We are just in receipt of a letter from a prominent citizen of South Carolina who says he was "impressed with the superior quality of our line."

See our splendid line of extra PANTS. Fits everybody. Fat men happy! Lean men delighted!

You want a nice New Straw Hat

They prevent sun strokes; you must have one. We have them from 25 cents to \$3.00 each; all sizes, all shapes, all colors; best styles, latest designs and noblest goods.

The ladies want hats for the boys. We have some that will suit them.

Our friends say our lines of FINE CLOTHING

is "finer than ever." It is more complete than ever.

BETTER GOODS at LOWER PRICES.

People are coming every day from all directions, and from all the adjoining country to see our stock. They always buy and go home happy.

GENTS' FINE HAND-SEWED SHOES!

Very best. Fine Cordorans, Calf and Kangaroo. We have orders for them from every direction.

Best zinc-covered, roller tray Trunks. They are always preferred. All sizes and prices.

Lots of pretty Neck-wear adorn our show-cases. The boys say our line is not surpassed anywhere.

Respectfully, M. S. BROWN.

GO TO THE ONE PRICE STORE OF KLUTTZ & RENDLEMAN. For the Largest and Hand-somest Assortment of... SPRING AND SUMMER GOODS IN SALISBURY.

We have an elegant stock of fine DRESS GOODS in white, black and colors. We have a big assortment of Shalies, Lawns and Serges.

Big lots of all kinds of Shirts, Collars and Ties. A big stock of CLOTHING at right prices. Carpets, Rugs and Mattings, the best and prettiest ever offered.

The best FLOUR in America. All kinds of Molasses; 10 different kinds of Coffee; 6 different kinds of the best Teas. Potatoes, Cabbage, Beans, Peas, Fruits, Grits, Meal, Bran and Cotton-seed Meal at Rock Bottom Prices.

OUR MOTTO: "Best goods for least money." Yours to Serve, KLUTTZ & RENDLEMAN.

Salesmen—W. W. Taylor, J. A. Neely, H. A. Bernhardt, W. R. Woodson, A. M. Sullivan, C. F. Meroney, T. B. Beall, W. Clarence Kluttz and Warren L. Kluttz.

B. E. & C. Opening of Spring. First New Goods!

A MEETING OF THE CITIZENS OF SALISBURY WAS HELD A FEW DAYS AGO. EVERY MAN, WOMAN AND CHILD OF THE TOWN WAS PRESENT.

After a good deal of speech-making the name of BURTNER, EAMES & CO. WAS PROPOSED, AND WAS UNANIMOUSLY RECOMMENDED AS THE BEST PLACE TO BUY ALL KINDS OF FURNITURE AT LOWEST PRICES AND ON REASONABLE TERMS.

WE WILL SELL YOU GOOD GOODS AS LOW OR LOWER THAN ANY OTHER HOUSE IN THE STATE. WE ARE STRANGERS AMONG YOU, 'TIS TRUE, BUT A FAIR TRIAL WILL CONVINCEN YOU THAT WE MEAN BUSINESS. COME AND SEE US.

BURTNER, EAMES & CO., McIntyre's Old Stand.

JOHN A. BOYDEN & CO., SALISBURY, N. C.

Dealers in all kinds of Country Produce, Flour, Meat, Grain and Hay.

Fresh New River seed corn for sale. With this corn two crops can be raised on the same piece of land in one season.

McCORMICK HARVESTER.

We will sell the McCormick Harvesting Machines this year. The McCormick Company are obliged to make at the rate of one complete machine every minute of the day in order to supply their world-wide demand.

We are agents for leading brands of Fertilizers, Agricultural Machinery, Wagons, Buggies, Mowers, Reapers, and everything in that line.

WE MEAN BUSINESS! When needing anything in our line give us a CALL AND BE CONVINCED.

We are grateful for past favors and respectfully ask a continuance of the same.

Respectfully, JOHN A. BOYDEN & CO.