

Mr. Theo. Gowan, of Concord, spent Sunday at home.

Rev. Peter Trexler, D. D., of Concord, was in town last Tuesday.

Black, of Raleigh, will bring up his running stock to the Fair.

Miss Fannie Rothrock, of Gold Hill, is visiting in this city this week.

Col. Polk will be at our Fair if not prevented by sickness, we learn.

Van-story, of Greensboro, will be here at the Fair with his trotting stock.

Mrs. Kate Quantz, of Richmond, Va., is visiting in this city and county.

W. H. & R. S. Tucker have a new advertisement this week. Look it up.

The Fair committee on arrangements and entertainment met last Tuesday.

Salisbury's Choral Union has gone to Raleigh to attend the musical festival.

Miss Jennie Smith, of Concord, is visiting at Mr. Reuben Holmes' this week.

Mr. Barger has a notice of administration on the estate of Dr. Lefler, in this issue.

S. A. L. Johnson tells you something about jewelry this week that is worth knowing.

From private individuals we learn that the cotton crop is better than was expected.

Mr. Charlie Armstrong, manager of the Sam Christian Mine, was in the city Tuesday.

When will we get shut of this dust? When will work on improving the streets commence?

Mr. D. M. Harry, of Charlotte, who has been visiting in the city, returned home Monday.

There will be running, trotting and mule races at the Fair grounds to-morrow at four o'clock.

Miss Ella Wilson, of Charlotte, returned home last Monday after visiting in this city some time.

Mr. Reuben Holmes, Jr., went to Mt. Pleasant Monday to attend school at North Carolina College.

Work will commence next Wednesday to dress up the race track, which will make it perfectly smooth.

John Robinson's big circus, comprising four trains or fifty cars, is booked for Salisbury on Monday, October 19th.

Mr. W. S. Blackmer, of this city, who has been travelling for a New York house, is spending a few days in town.

Excitement await Salisbury the third week in October. John Robinson's big shows and the Piedmont Alliance Fair.

Mr. H. A. Banks, formerly of this place, has been appointed a Fellow at the University. He receives his tuition and \$200.

Mr. Toke File, of this county, left yesterday morning for Lexington, Ky., to take a course in the business college at that place.

Concord will send a large delegation to the Fair. Jim Cook writes for premium lists and says that their "people are mad for 'em."

Hon. Marion Butler, president of the State Alliance, passed through here Monday night for Newton where he spoke yesterday.

S. H. Wiley, administrator of C. C. Krider, offers 200 acres of valuable land for sale on the 24th of October. See the advertisement.

Dr. Thomas Wright has gone to Baltimore and will take another course of lectures in the City Hospital and College of Physicians and Surgeons.

The Alliance guano warehouse has been completed and they now have a place to store their own guano, and can come and get it when it suits them best.

Mr. H. C. Cranford sold the first bale of new cotton in our market this year. He sold it last Saturday to M. C. Quinn, and received nine cents per pound for it.

The Concord Standard says: John Gorman, who has been with W. H. Reiser, of Salisbury, came in to-day. He will go with D. C. Correll to Spartanburg, S. C.

Only three teachers were granted State certificates to teach. Three young ladies, Misses Ella Graham, Maggie Houck and Sallie Jamison are the happy possessors.

Mr. F. F. Smith, once a popular clerk in the clothing store of M. S. Brown, but now a traveling salesman for a northern firm, is spending a few days vacation in Salisbury.

Mr. S. H. Wiley and son John arrived home last Sunday after spending three months in England. They report a pleasant trip, and having visited many interesting places.

Mr. J. Z. Schultz, of the firm of Schultz & Marsh, who is now residing in Buchanan, Va., is spending a few days in the city. He is one of the prominent business men of Buchanan.

Dr. J. E. Buchanan, who completed his course in medicine last spring, returned to Baltimore Hospital yesterday morning to take a year's course in that institution.

A negro, Osborne Overton, while trying to steal a ride on a freight train, was put off at High Point, and in trying to get on fell and had both of his legs cut off from the effects of which he died Monday.

Dr. Le Roy Meroney, one of our town boys who has been practicing dentistry in Philadelphia for some time, has been in town for a few days past and will remain with us a week before returning to his home.

Mr. J. W. Boston has just returned from the North with a large stock of goods, and he has not time to tell you what he has this week, but he takes a space in this paper and will tell you what he has next week.

Mr. Lyerly, from the Salem neighborhood, had two new bales of cotton in town yesterday. The cotton was all picked and gined this week. It was exceedingly fine cotton and brought him \$8.15 per hundred pounds.

Three large boilers from the Sam Christian Mine came up the Yadkin road Tuesday morning. They will be used in our two new cotton factories. There are five boilers in all. The Sam Christian has suspended work.

Several Sunday schools are speaking of taking their scholars to the Fair. Special inducements will be made to all such. Many poor children will get to see the many pleasant sights who otherwise would not on account of their poverty.

Mr. Robert Hall, of this county, and Mr. J. A. Spence, of Stanly, left here yesterday at noon for the Nashville University, at Nashville, Tennessee. They both have a two years appointment at that institution from State Superintendent Finger.

From a private letter we learn that Bro. J. L. Ramsey and Mr. Wilder, of Raleigh, while out riding last Sunday evening were both thrown from the buggy by the horse becoming frightened and running away. Neither were seriously hurt we are glad to say. The buggy was torn into toothpicks.

We are pleased to learn that while Mrs. J. C. McCaless, of Dunn's Mt., was walking in the direction of the R. & D. depot in Charlotte last Monday, some one threw a stick and struck her little babe, which she had in her arms, on the head, afflicting a serious bruise. It was not known from whence the stick came or by whom thrown.

We saw quite a curiosity at the post-office last Monday. A troupe of Turks have been around town for a few days. Monday they went to the post-office and mailed two letters addressed in their language. The inscription resembled the bird net of marks which children sometimes make on their slate. They spoke English fairly well, and told the assistant postmaster that they were writing to Turkey. He then placed the English superscription on the envelope and started it on its long journey. It required a five cent postage stamp to carry the letter to its destination.

The Daily Herald.

The Daily Herald came out Monday. It is neat, newsy and no doubt will merit a liberal support. We trust that our people will appreciate the importance of giving it support. Nothing can be a success if patronage is withheld.

Announcement.

We are glad to inform the readers of the WATCHMAN that Mr. I. N. Rich, of Farmington, N. C., has consented to become a regular correspondent of the WATCHMAN. He will keep us fully posted concerning affairs in Davie county. The WATCHMAN will not only be more interesting to its general readers, but will also gain a stronger foothold in Davie, which is one of the best counties in the State. We trust that the good people of that county will aid Mr. Rich in his work for the paper and patronize it more liberally than ever before.

A New Cotton Mill.

We learn from enterprising citizens of Gold Hill, who were in town Tuesday, that that place is taking initiatory steps towards erecting a cotton factory at that place. A meeting was held Monday night, and more than half enough stock was subscribed to build the mill. Others will subscribe who were not present and some aid is expected from outside. They were in Salisbury Tuesday consulting the enterprising mill man of this place, Mr. Murdoch, and secured assurance that he would do for them all that was possible. Mr. J. W. Noah gives fifteen acres of land on the railroad as a free site. They are enthusiastic in their business and we think they will succeed. The factory will run as extensively as the capital will admit. Anyway we wish them success in that gold bearing region.

Death of Dr. Lefler.

Dr. Lefler's death occurred last Saturday evening. He lived near Organ Church. For five weeks he had been a sufferer with pneumonia. The doctors of Gold Hill, Salisbury, Mt. Pleasant and Concord did all they could for him, but their efforts were vain. He was 31 years old at his death, and rumor has it that he would have been married on the 20th of October to Miss Eugenia Fife, of Thomasville. She is a sister of Evangelist Fife.

Dr. Lefler had just received his license last May to practice medicine. He started on the up hill of life when but a boy. By his own aid only, he secured a good English education. He took a position with Gibson & Montgomery, of Concord. After his day's work was done he would wrangle over medical studies. He was aided by Dr. Lilly in his studies. He saved enough money to attend a medical institution in Baltimore three years. Last spring he located midway between Gold Hill and China Grove, and would undoubtedly have won laurels in his profession.

His death is sad, so soon after his hard struggles with the preparation for life.

Rates to Burlington Fair.

For the above occasion the Richmond & Danville railroad will sell tickets to Burlington, N. C., and return at the following rates from points named below. Tickets on sale October 5th, 6th, 7th and 8th, limited to October 10th, 1891.

Asheville, \$4.40; Charlotte, \$2.40; Winston-Salem, \$1.00; Durham, .85; Henderson, \$1.00; Goldsboro, \$2.25; Salisbury, \$1.50; Greensboro, .65; Reidsville, \$1.00; Oxford, \$1.40; Raleigh, \$1.20.

Rates from intermediate points in same proportion.

The Southern Exposition.

One of the grandest displays and pleasure-gratifying occasions ever occurring in this State will take place at Raleigh through the months of October and November.

If you should go to Raleigh at this time you would see little else than preparation for the entertainment of the thousands of people who will attend the Exposition. The streets will be beautifully decorated and a beautiful triumphal arch will be erected across Fayetteville street, under which the procession will pass.

The fire and military departments, together with other civic organizations, will take part in the procession. At night Fayetteville and the other principal streets will be brilliantly illuminated. All the business houses, banks, schools, factories and similar institutions will close that day to do honor to the occasion.

Reduced rates have been secured on all railroads to one cent a mile.

Those who go will never regret it.

South Iredell Notes.

The farmers have been quite busy for the last week cutting hay and pulling fodder. Cotton has begun to open pretty freely at last. A few bales have already been sold.

Mr. Joe Brawley commenced making molasses this week. It is reported that he is doing good work.

Jay Atwell, son of Mr. James Atwell, is quite sick with typhoid fever. It is thought that he will not recover.

D. W. Mann and family moved this week from this community to their new home in Stanly county, in the vicinity of Albemarle. Success to him.

Mr. J. H. Shuford returned last week from Missouri.

The protracted meeting will commence at the M. E. church to-morrow.

C. R. AUSTIN, Mooresville, N. C., Sept. 26, 1891.

Missionary Meeting.

The W. H. & F. M. S. at Christians held a special meeting in aid of Missions on Thursday 24th of September. It was a great success augmenting their funds to nearly \$15. Stirring papers were read by Mrs. J. Q. Wertz and Mrs. Alice Bishop, who are both evidently earnest Mission workers.

Great regret was felt at the absence of Mr. Theo. F. Kluttz and Mrs. Reiser, who were indisposed.

An excellent dinner was served in the grove by the members of the society, aided by the ladies of the congregation who for that day at least, were good mission workers. There was a good attendance, many coming from a distance. All seemed well pleased with the exercises.

North Iredell Notes.

It seems that your readers have had no news from north Iredell for some time, and since your correspondent has turned out to be one of the "steady" laborers, and has been home for some time (probably on the hunt of a companion) this possibly accounts for the absence.

We reached home from South Iredell last week, where we had been teaching for a few months past. We were glad to find every thing in our old vicinity moving happily along. At every tobacco barn we find a watcher for tobacco curing has been the order of the day for a few weeks. Some are getting a good cure while others are not doing so well.

The birdhunters who come from the North here every year to hunt birds, and stop with Dr. S. Angle, have begun coming. One came last week and others will be on soon. They have dogs that are remarkable for their training.

Mr. Leander Gaidler, who lives near Harmony, had the misfortune last Saturday night to lose "Marg," his fine stallion. A little over a year ago he lost a fine colt, and a short time ago he lost a mare. He is now left with but one colt. It is a sad misfortune to him for his horse was valuable. Mr. Gaidler is getting old and his only way of making any surplus was by his horse.

The second Sunday in next month is the camping out at old Harmony Hill (where Harmony P. O. got its name) and every thing for miles around is all a glow for the meeting. This is a union campground, all have equal rights, and is one of the oldest known. Hundreds of people come here every year, and have in view all the various motives that usually attach themselves to a camping out.

One of Harmony's best citizens, a bachelor, and one about whom all hopes were lost of him ever marrying, faded about a year ago and made himself happy by capturing one of Davie county's best young ladies for a companion. We congratulate them and since they are recently made happy again, we congratulate them again in behalf of the community.

Just now our mind runs to your city and we think what a good time you are having with Prof. and Mrs. Melver conducting the Teachers Institute there this week. We spent last week with them in Statesville and must say that we were highly entertained and received much valuable instruction. They are enthusiastic in the cause of education and they will be long remembered by the people of Statesville and all who saw and heard them. Prof. Melver is certainly the right man in the right place. May he and his better half live long and see the fruits of their labors.

J. HENRY, Harmony, N. C. Sept. 26, 1891.

DAVIE NEWS.

Fine Weather—Farmers all Busy—Personal Notes.

Correspondence of the Watchman.

Some of our boys are attending the State Institute at Winston this week.

Several of our farmers have had the misfortune to lose their barns and tobacco to fire.

Dr. R. L. Anderson, of Calahan, spent some time in Farmington recently looking after the interest of those having teeth to fill.

Miss Mattie Bahson returned Thursday from a visit among friends and relatives in Asheville and Western North Carolina.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Kearns came over on a visit Saturday, stopping at Mrs. Clark's.

Mrs. M. A. Brock and Mrs. T. L. Cline will leave this week for Lloyd, Texas, where they will spend several months with relatives.

Rev. P. L. Groome has just closed a very interesting series of meetings at Smith's Grove, with good results.

Also Rev. J. N. Nelson has had quite a successful meeting at Advance. A large number were added to the church.

With much sorrow we record the death of Mrs. N. S. Cuthrell, which occurred at her home near Farmington, Thursday, September 17th. Her remains were interred in the cemetery at Farmington on Friday.

Prof. Leon Cash enters upon his duties as Superintendent of Public instruction with zeal and energy. In our mind a man more fitted to fill the position could not have been found.

The hog cholera is making its appearance in some sections of the county. E. C. Smith has lost more than twenty from that disease recently.

J. T. Moore will leave in a few days for Florida where he will spend the winter.

The new roller mill at Cana is running and doing excellent work.

The machinery for the Farmington Mills arrived last week. It took thirteen two-horse wagons to haul it from the depot. When done it will be the best mill in the county and capable of doing as good work as any in the State.

The telegraph lines have reached Mocksville, connecting it with the outside world. An office will be arranged at once.

HUSTLER, Farmington, Sept. 29, 1891.

Winston Still Ahead.

WINSTON, N. C., Sept. 30.—The baseball pennant still floats on Winston's banner. The Blue Fluggers won the deciding game this afternoon from Richmond for the southern championship, by a score of nineteen to seven.

The Virginians put in three pitchers during the game, Enright, Napier and Kane. Winston's battery was McGinn brothers and Keefe.

Boulanger Suicides.

BRUSSELS, Sept. 30.—General Boulanger committed suicide to-day on the tomb of Madame de Bonnemain, who died recently in this city. Madame de Bonnemain has been known as the mistress of the dead general.

Boulanger was for a long time a leader in political and military affairs in France but he has lowered in the minds of the people since he left his true wife and became attached to the woman over whose grave he died. His grief over her death and the fact that he was losing public favor is assigned as the cause of the deed.

Is He the Wrecker?

STATESVILLE, N. C., September 30.—Elinore Clouinger, a negro supposed to have been one of the parties who caused the fearful wreck near this place was lodged in jail here three nights ago.

His capture was the work of Detective C. A. Worsler, of Atlanta, Ga., and D. B. Young, marshal of Newton, N. C. They say they are sure of capturing others who were implicated in the crime with Clouinger.

Clouinger and some others were unaccounted for during the time when the work must have been done. Before the wreck, when seen, he was in perfect health. After it he feigned sickness and avoided everyone. He never asked any questions about the wreck, and seemed to studiously avoid any discussion of it.

The two detectives have recovered a very large portion of the jewelry and effects taken from the bodies of the victims in the wreck.

The work has been signally successful. They believe they will fix the guilt upon everyone of the eight parties and win the \$10,000 reward.



A cream of tartar baking powder. Highest of all in leavening strength.—Largest U. S. Government Food Report.

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They always pay highest cash price for Cotton and Seed.

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Administrator's Notice.

Having qualified as Administrator upon the estate of Dr. R. F. L. Lefler, deceased, all persons having claims against said estate are notified to present them to me for payment on or before the 1st day of October, 1892, or this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate settlement.

October 1st, 1891. M. J. BARGER, Adm'r. LEE'S CUREMAN, ADV'Y.

Piedmont Alliance & Industrial Union

FAIR!

GLAD TIDINGS!

WHAT IS IT?

SECOND ANNUAL EXHIBITION,

Tuesday, Wednesday,

Thursday and Friday,

October 20, 21, 22 & 23, 1891.

The Soldiers' Reunion will be on Wednesday. All pensioned soldiers will be admitted free on that day; all other veterans at 15 cents.

Best Agricultural Speakers.

There will be the best display of Agricultural Products ever made in the Piedmont Section.

RACES.

There will be Running, Trotting, and Pacing Races. Also Bicycle Races.

Balloon Ascension & Parachute Leap

in midair from an immense height, a novel and extremely hazardous exhibition of courage.

Please observe that our premiums are fair and unusually large. Send for a copy of our premium list. The \$30 bicycle race is open to the State.

Fine Music by a Good Band.

Excellent police regulations. No intemperance, profanity or immorality will be tolerated on the grounds.

Popular prices of admission—under 12 years, 10 cents; over 12, 25 cents.

Ample opportunities for refreshments on the grounds.

Let everybody take a rest and come to the Fair.

JOHN BEARD, Pres. J. C. BERNHARDT, Sec.

Look at This!

We are now receiving the largest and best assorted stock we have ever carried.

Read a few of our prices:

Pant goods, 10c. per yard.

Brogan Shoes, \$1.00.

Dress Goods from 8c. to \$1.00 per yard.

Men's Shoes from \$3.00 to \$12.50.

A full line of men's and boys Hats.

The cheapest line of Groceries in Salisbury.

If you wish to save money, do not buy until you get our prices.

We mean business.

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READ :: THIS!

Fresh Garden Seeds at reduced prices.

Clover and Grass, Seeds at the lowest prices at Enniss' Drug Store.

READ THIS!

Be sure and call for a bottle of 3 Cures. It has never failed to cure Dyspepsia, Indigestion, and Sick Headache. I can give you first-class references in Salisbury to prove its merits. For sale by

BE IN TIME.

Don't wait till you get sick to get a bottle of Enniss' Diarrhoea Specific, but come and have it ready. It will save you a doctor bill and probably your life. It is a speedy cure for Diarrhoea, Flux, Summer and Bowel complaints. It never fails to cure it taken in time.

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GLAD TIDINGS!

WHAT IS IT?

Kluttz & Rendleman want all the dried fruit, berries, etc., brought to Salisbury. We want you to know that we will give you as much for them as the market affords. Eighteen years ago we began business in this town and by always paying cash for what we bought and sticking to our motto, "The best goods for the least money," we have been compelled to enlarge our store-rooms until now we have six floors filled and packed with the most desirable goods

SALISBURY

has ever seen. We have the latest styles of Dress Goods and are anxious for the ladies to see them. We are prepared to sell goods and will sell them cheaper than any other house in the place. Look at some of our prices: At our store you

WILL GET

twenty pounds of the whitest sugar for \$1.00; coffee, 20 cents; seven grades of flour; fresh hams, crackers cheese every week at lowest prices. Alamance at 5 cents. We have a stock of shoes equal to any anywhere along the proposed route of

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All kinds of Gents' Furnishing Goods.—Always make our stores your headquarters, even if you don't want to buy, it will give us pleasure to show you our goods and tell you how cheap we will sell them. In our back lot you will find feed boxes for your horses.

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The following is a list of our brands: North Carolina Farmers' Alliance Official Guano, Durham Bull with Peruvian Guano, Durham Bull Ammoniated Guano, Peruvian Substitute Guano, Great Cotton and Corn Grower Guano, Progressive Farmer, and N. C. F. A. Official Acid Phosphate.

FARMERS' ALLIANCE GUANO HEARD FROM.

COLEBRIDGE, N. C., August 10, 1891.

W. H. Worth, S. B. A.

DEAR SIR:—As much has been said in regard to N. C. Farmers' Alliance Official Guano, I wish to state to you and the Durham Fertilizer Company, and others, that it is giving good satisfaction here on all crops. I used it on wheat last fall, and from a lot where I sowed 12 1/2 bushels of seed I threshed 31 1/2 bushels of good wheat, or 25 bushels from one. I used one bag to the acre.

The Alliance is solid here. L. B. MACON.

GOING AT COST!

We are closing out the remainder of our Summer Clothing and Straw Hats AT COST. We do this in order to make room