

Carolina Watchman. The Raleigh correspondent of the Watchman states that John C. ...

Item From Faith. The Baptist Sunday school of Salisbury had their picnic in the beautiful grounds at Faith academy, Wednesday of last week. We had a fine rain Sunday which was much needed. J. D. A. Fisher shipped a pair of his celebrated mill stones last Saturday. The Richmond & Danville Railroad Company are having some work done on the granite belt and business is looking up in every direction. The city of Charlotte is getting some fine curbing from the granite belt. J. T. Wyatt has a four foot mill stone at the Rowan county Fair grounds that he proposes to sell and devote one half of the proceeds to the Vance monument. This mill stone got the diploma. W. W. Ritchie has moved back from Mt. Airy, where he had been employed as foreman of the quarry there. Faith, June 19th, '94. Manning Zephyrs. Blackberry pies are among the delicacies of the season. Our farmers were wise and made hay last week while the sun shone. Miss Minnie Goodman, of Cleveland, is visiting at Manning. Matrimonial business is a way down below par now. No weddings have occurred in this neighborhood in many years, it is not because the girls don't wish to marry, but the purchasing price is too high for the boys. Salem Sunday school averages about 80 scholars. A ministerial call has been extended Mr. Borger by the Manning charge. We hope it will be accepted. Wheat has been harvested and a great portion of it housed. The most of it did not mature, but dried up. Not more than a third of a crop is expected in this vicinity. Oats is also short, most of it froze out during the extreme cold weather. Corn is growing off nicely, some are laying by. Cotton is looking fine since the warm nights, but blooms are not expected before the 4th of July. We are glad to see the improved appearance of the Watchman and hope it will continue to be bright and newsy. LEO. El Dorado Items. We had a good shower of rain 13th. The wheat crop will average 60° oats 90°. Corn and cotton remarkably small. Much enquiry from gold mines. A party is shipping ore from the Tebe Sanders mine to have it tested, a sale is expected. Children's day at Macedonia the 17th, much time is being spent getting the children trained, and getting some good things for the inner man, as vegetables are scarce, and the dogs have killed many good muttons. VIDI. Mt. Gilead Locals. Rev. G. O. Witholt filled his regular appointment here on Sunday. His sermon was good, and very interesting to the children. Rev. A. K. Pool is filling the place of Rev. K. A. McLeod, who left us the first of the month. Rev. Mr. Betts preached in the Methodist church here last week. He was on his way home and was accompanied by three of his daughters. This community is now being blessed with good rains. Messrs. T. C. Leak, Jr., W. B. Cole, John Everette, and Geo. S. Steele, passed through town last week on bicycles on their way to the Narrows. Prof. R. H. Skeen returned from Atlanta last week accompanied by Miss Mattie Skeen who has been in Atlanta attending an art and music school. Rev. A. K. Pool is at present boarding at Mr. T. S. Williams. Milton Lisk and Starling Moore have contracted to dig post holes from Mt. Gilead to Norwood for the telegraph line. So Mt. Gilead will be connected with the outside world by the wires if we can't get a railroad. J. A. Lisk has bought lumber to rebuild his furniture shop and will soon be at work again. A. B. Ingram has just completed a house at the Wood place. Miss Minnie Withal in company with her father, of Ansonville, came over last Sunday and took part in the children's day exercises. J. Mt. Gilead, June 19, '94. How's This! We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. E. J. CHENEY & Co., Toledo, O. We the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by him. West & Traux, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O. W. A. Walding, Kinnin & Marvin, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Price, 75c per bottle. Sold by all Druggists. Testimonials free. The Asheville Citizen says: "It is learned from the cemetery authorities that the remains of Senator Vance's first wife have never been removed to Riverside from the Presbyterian cemetery, and the statement that the Senator's remains were removed from the side of his first wife's grave is incorrect."

To the Democrats of the Eighth Judicial District. The time is approaching when you will assemble to nominate a candidate for Judge. The Judicial office, like the Presidency of the United States, is neither to be sought nor declined, and the man who would use the arts of a demagogue to obtain it thereby proves his unfitness for its duties. But as I have held the office for five years, and as it has been circulated through the district that I would decline a re-nomination with the view of running for a high political office to be filled by the Legislature, you have the right to know, and it is my duty to tell you whether or not this is true. I accepted the office five years ago after much hesitation and many misgivings, knowing that by its acceptance I would sacrifice a practice large and reasonably lucrative. I however accepted. With what ability and learning I have discharged its duties, you are the judges. This far I will indulge in "the foolishness of boasting." I will assert that I have always held the judicial scales with absolute impartiality, yielding neither to fear nor affection. No man can say that "while sitting to judge him after the law, I have smitten him contrary to the law," or that I have used my high power to brow-beat him or wound his feelings. I have striven rather to be just than to appear learned, to be merciful rather than famous. And I say to you frankly, since the matter has arisen directly upon the above report, that if you approve my conduct, I would be proud of a re-nomination. But I recognize the fact that in this country no man has any claims upon an office. It belongs to the people. And the man who accepts an office must school himself to the sentiments of Job, as he expressed them towards the Giver of all gifts, and be able to say: "The people gave, and the people have taken away; blessed be the name of the people. I would never hold the office one hour, without the belief that I was the choice of the people of this district, and of the whole State. I heartily wish that primaries may be held in every township, that the people may express their will upon the nomination of the Judges. And if the will of the people shall be expressed against me, I shall take consolation in the boast of the Spartan that my country hath worthier sons than I. Having said this much I leave the matter in your hands, recognizing that it is your first duty to look to the public interest. Very Respectfully Yours, R. F. ARMFIELD. Statesville, N. C., June 18th, '94. A Valuable Chest. Tacoma Wash.—I have used Simmons Liver Regulator and can conscientiously say it is the king of all liver medicines. I consider it a medicine chest in itself.—Geo. W. Jackson. Your druggists will sell it in powder or liquid. The powder to be taken dry or made into a tea. STATE NEWS. D. A. Patterson, of Maxton, sends the first cotton bloom of the season to the Wilmington Star. An Elkin correspondent of the Charlotte Observer states that a lady carried a daily mail from Laurel Branch to Sparta, a distance of 80 miles, on a mule. J. P. Alderman, assistant operator in the depot at Tatum, S. C., was brutally murdered Sunday night and the depot robbed. The body was carried about 100 yards in the woods and was very much disfigured. The Greensboro Record says that Judge Schenck saw Vice President Stevenson and Senator Gordon in Washington Thursday and secured the promise of each to attend the Guilford Battle Ground celebration on the 4th of July. Davidson township again comes to the front with a strange freak of nature. A hen belonging to Mrs. E. E. Cornelius hatched a brood of chickens recently and in the flock was one that had three well developed bills. The chicken has since died.—Landmark. Statesville Landmark: Messrs. Skinner and Kitchin made speeches in Statesville last Friday. The meeting was a disappointment—an agreeable one to the Democrats. It was well advertised and from the talk of the Populists it was generally supposed that an immense crowd would be present. But the crowd didn't pan out. True, the court house was full, but they were not all Populists. Both "the old parties" were well represented. Democrats went out of curiosity and Republicans went to enjoy the drubbing they anticipated for the Democrats. The quickest way to dig your financial grave is to let up on advertising. It will dig itself there—you'll simply sink out of sight of everybody but creditors and a few old fossils who loved the dead smell of the past.—Jed Scarboro.

Weekly Weather Crop Bulletin. The reports of the correspondents of the Weather Crop Bulletin, issued by the North Carolina State Weather Service, for the week ending Monday, June 18th, 1894, indicate that the weather has been somewhat more favorable than the previous week. The temperature has been above normal, with one or two cool days after the thunder-storm of 13th and 17th. The rain-fall was greatest in Eastern District, but insufficient nearly everywhere. There were several very heavy days. Cotton is growing better. The yield of wheat it generally reported small. WESTERN DISTRICT.—The weather during the past week has been quite warm, and would have been very favorable for growing crops but for the prevailing dryness. Although light showers fell at many places on the 13th, 17th and 18th, drought still prevails over a larger part of the district. Corn and cotton are well cultivated, and the warmer weather has started cotton to grow. Wheat harvest has not commenced in some of the mountain counties; in others it is about over and three-harvest has commenced. Rains reported: Salisbury, 0.25 inch; Lynn, 0.81, Oak Forest, 0.25; Murphy, 0.37, Concord, 1.18; Charlotte, 0.18 Davidson, 0.57. The Bride to be Backed Out. Beneja, Rockingham county, Letter, 15th, to Salisbury Herald. We had quite a sensational incident here yesterday in the matrimonial line. The circumstances in the case are about as follows: About six or seven years ago Miss Laura Van Hook, of this place, and Mr. Pearce, of Jamestown, South Dakota, got up a correspondence through a matrimonial paper. They have kept up the correspondence ever since, which ripened into love. He paid her a visit about a year ago. The wedding was to have come off yesterday. The prospective groom put in his appearance Monday and made all the arrangements with his intended bride. They were to marry yesterday at 9 o'clock and leave on the north bound train at 10:40 for their Northern home. The would-be groom went to Reidsville Wednesday and procured a license and at the appointed hour yesterday he put in his appearance with the Rev. Mr. Ware, of Reidsville, to perform the ceremony. Miss Van Hook had her trunks packed and was dressed and ready for the ceremony to be performed, but when the time came she backed out—refused to marry him. He tried to persuade her, but it was all in vain, for she still refused. At 10:40 the would-be groom took the north-bound train for his home in South Dakota, a sadder but wiser man. Mrs. H. A. Judd, who has been visiting in England, was here Tuesday on her way to New London. Orange Page, the murder, who is under sentence to be hanged in July and who escaped from jail at Raleigh May 16th, has been recaptured. Trashy Medicines. Many such food the market. Botanic Blood Balm is a conscientiously compounded medicine, the result of forty years practice by an eminent physician. It is the best blood purifier ever offered to the public, and is guaranteed to cure if given a fair trial. Try it for all skin and blood diseases, including catarrh rheumatism in its worst form. One bottle of it contains more curative and building-up virtue than a dozen of any of other kind. Try "Old Reliable." See advertisement elsewhere. To the Public.—For information: All prescriptions written by any physician with any druggist's name does not mean for you to go there and get your medicine. You are at liberty to go and get your medicine as cheap as you can. J. H. ENNIS. Nothing but first class work turned out from the Watchman Job Office. Give us a trial order. 16 Boils at Once. Hood's Sarsaparilla Purifies the Blood and Restores Health. "C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass.: "About four years ago my wife was troubled with salt rheum. Although we tried nearly everything it got worse instead of better and spread over both of her hands so that she could hardly use them. Finally she commenced to use Hood's Sarsaparilla and when she had taken two bottles her hands were entirely healed and she has not since been troubled. In December, 1892, my neck was covered with boils of a Scrofulous Nature. There were sixteen of them at once and as soon as they healed others would break out. My neck finally became covered with ridges and

Among those whom we have seen spoken of as probable candidates for Solicitor is the name of our popular young townsman and lawyer Mr. Lee Wright, who together with L. C. Caldwell, of Statesville, W. G. Means of Concord, and E. E. Raper of Davidson, make four candidates in the field. Detectives in Washington have just discovered a deep plot to blow up the capital by a gang of anarchists headed by a half breed Indian by the name of Honore Saxon. The plans were all being systematically laid, meetings being held every night and the combustible material had been obtained, and almost everything in readiness when one who had the confidence of the gang or a "peep hole" into the meetings gave them away to the detectives who made a raid and spoiled the whole game. "Whither are we drifting?" Pimples, boils and other humors of the blood are liable to break out in the warm weather. Prevent it by taking Hood's Sarsaparilla. Butler and Tillman. The first meeting of the campaign in South Carolina was held at Rock Hill on Monday where, Governor Tillman and Senator Butler, candidates for a seat in the United States Senate, appeared on the stump together. Four candidates for Governor made speeches and Congressman Strait appeared before his constituents for re-election. SIMMONS LIVER REGULATOR. The Old Friend. And the best friend, that never fails you, is Simmons Liver Regulator, (the Red Z)—that's what you hear at the mention of this excellent Liver medicine, and people should not be persuaded that anything else will do. It is the King of Liver Medicines; it better than pills, and does the place of Quinine and Calomel. It acts directly on the Liver, Kidneys and Bowels and gives new life to the whole system. This is the medicine you want. Sold by all Druggists in liquid, or in Powder to be taken dry or made into a tea. 47 CENT PACKAGE. Has the Z Stamp in red on wrapper. LEAVE ASHEVILLE ON RETURN, 8 P. M. JUNE 29th, reaching Charlotte at 12 o'clock. Remember, this is the cheapest excursion that has ever been run 379 miles round trip for \$2.75. You will have a portion of Thursday evening and that night, and all day Friday in the city to view the scenery. This train will not stop after leaving Salisbury, going over the W. N. C. Railroad, a distance of 141 miles, making fast time, and going through the great Swannanoah Tunnel of one mile, and going around the Blue Top Mountain three times to get on top. I have secured the services of two of the best Musicians in the city to furnish music—Fiddle and Banjo. Parents, if you cannot go send your son or daughter in my care. Best order will be enforced. For further information apply to J. L. Bridges, Manager, Charlotte, N. C. ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE. Having qualified as Administrator upon the estate of Euphrosene E. Fronts, deceased, all persons having claims against her estate are hereby notified to present them to me for payment on or before the 15th day of July 1894, or this notice will be void in her behalf. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make prompt settlements. This May 17, '94. Lee S. Overman, Adm'r. Dissolution Notice! The firm of Webb Nicholson & Babo is this day dissolved by mutual consent. The business in the future will be conducted by C. B. Webb & T. J. Babo, who are to pay all debts due by the firm some of Webb & Babo, who are to pay all notes accounts etc. due the firm as to be paid to them. This May 21 1894. C. B. Webb, W. L. Nicholson, T. J. Babo. W. L. Douglas's \$3 Shoe is the best. IS THE BEST. IS NOT SQUEAKING. \$5. CORDOVAN, FRENCH & ENAMELLED CALF. \$4.50 FINE CALF & KANGAROO. \$3.50 POLICE, 3 SOLES. \$2.50 WORKINGMEN'S. \$2.00 EXTRA FINE. \$1.75 BOYS SCHOOL SHOES. LADIES. \$3.25 \$2.12 1/2. BEST GINGOLA. SEND FOR CATALOGUE. W. L. DOUGLAS, BROCKTON, MASS. You can save money by purchasing W. L. Douglas's shoes. Because we are the largest manufacturers of advertising shoes in the world, and guarantee the value by stamping the name and price on the bottom, which protects you against high prices and cheap quality. Our shoes are equal custom made in style, easy fitting and wearing. We have them sold everywhere at lower prices for the value given than any other make. Take no substitutes. If your dealer cannot supply you, we can. Sold by

Call for Meeting of Democratic Executive Committee Eighth Judicial District. The Democratic executive committee of the eighth judicial district will meet at the Mt. Vernon Hotel in Salisbury, on Tuesday, June 26, 1894, at 12 m., for the purpose of calling the judicial nominating convention, and for the transaction of other necessary business. By authority of the committee. THEO. F. KLUTZ, Secretary pro tem. Democratic papers in the district will please copy. Capt. J. C. McCasless, entertained a number of his friends at Duane Mountain on Tuesday. The menu was all that could be desired. The Why and Wherefore. There is nothing marvelous in the fact that Hood's Sarsaparilla should cure so many diseases. When you remember that a majority of the disorders "flesh is held to" are due to impure or poisonous condition of the blood, and that Hood's Sarsaparilla is an effective and radical blood purifier, the whole thing is explained. Besides its blood purifying qualities, Hood's Sarsaparilla, also contains the best known vegetable stomach tonics, diuretics, kidney remedies and liver invigorants and is thus an excellent specific for all disorders of these organs, as well as for low condition of the system or That Tired Feeling. FOR SALE! VALUABLE CHURCH PROPERTY. The frame chapel, on corner of Chestnut and Main streets, and lot 35x50 feet, which belongs to the M. E. Church, South and which can be converted into a comfortable dwelling or store-house, is for sale cheap. For further description, etc., apply or write to the pastor in charge. REV. S. D. STAMEY, A. A. HARTMAN, J. L. ODELL, M. M. WARR, Trustees. June, 19'94. Salisbury, N. C. The Farmers Mutual Fire Insurance Association for Rowan County, met in convention at the Court House on the 2nd inst., and effected a permanent organization, electing the following known men as officers for the ensuing year: Phillip Sowers, Pres.; W. T. Gheen, J. H. L. Rice, H. G. Lippard, J. T. Carson, Jesse W. Miller, Geo. A. Hall, W. L. Harris, J. F. Carrigan, W. C. Klutz, W. A. Campbell, J. C. Sowers, S. A. Earnheart, Directors. This is a co-operative plan of Insurance for the protection of farm or any detached property against destruction by fire, wind and lightning. It gives each member a policy contract chartered by the Legislature of North Carolina, and good for a period of thirty years for 50 cts. on each one hundred dollars of property insured, and is subject to no additional cost except to meet the actual losses of this County Association by prorata assessment. The statistics show that the average expense is about \$1.50 on the one thousand per annum. For further information address. W. O. GOREE, Local Agent, Salisbury, N. C. Or J. S. C. CARPENTER, Gen'l. Ag't. Charlotte, N. C. LE BRUN'S G & G AS A PREVENTIVE. Cure for Catarrh of the Bladder, Gleet, Stricture, Hemorrhoids, Piles, etc. Edwin Catbrell, Salisbury. NOW IS THE TIME WANDON Wrights Furniture Store IS THE PLACE To get Furniture for the multitude. Nothing like it ever before seen in Salisbury. Bed Room and Parlor Suits as pretty and as cheap as was ever offered on any market in the State. You only have to see our line of Tables, Dining and Parlor Chairs, Rockers &c., to be pleased. We also handle Baby Carriages, Musical Instruments and in fact anything that you want in this line and at prices that defy competition. No room is complete without nice Pictures. We have got them. Also the handsomest line of Frames and Moulding that can be found in the State. UNDERTAKING. This department is complete, Coffins, Caskets, Burial Robes, Slippers, etc., Hearse's furnished for city or country. Embalming a Specialty. See me before buying. Geo. W. Wright.

Pulling The Wool. AND TAKING THE SCALP! 300 pairs Oxford ties in tau and black at 50c pair. 2000 yards best indigo prints at 5c. 200 yards 20c Silkline in 10 to 20 yard remnants at 2c. a yard. 50 bolts silk ribbon number 7 at 5c. a yard. 250 yd's Calcutta cloth worth 12 1/2 at 8 1/2 yard. 500 Mens' Suspenders at 10c. each. 500 Boys Suspenders at 5c. each. Best six cord spool cotton, two spools for 5c. 5 cases Woman's Calf Button Shoes at 75c. a pair. Big lot of White Goods at less than original cost. These are only a few of the bargains we are offering this week. Very Truly, E. W. BURT & CO. Ortmann Pays THE EXPRESS. SEND FOR OUR SPRING PRICE List and Circular and you will find it to your advantage to have your soiled clothes dyed or cleaned by us. All work guaranteed or no charge. COLUMBIA STEAM DYE WORKS, 173 MAIN ST., COLUMBIA, S. C. J. E. RAMSAY, Agent, SALISBURY, N. C. HAVING RECENTLY MOVED MY STOCK OF GOODS TO THE CORNER, Formerly Occupied BY J. B. SHEET, I am better prepared to sell you Groceries cheaper than ever. I receive new goods daily and buy all kinds of country produce also agent for the celebrated galvanized back-band hooks, will not rust from sweat or exposure to weather. SPECIAL—I have 200 pairs of shoes and some ladies dress goods on hand and will sell at and below cost. Also all persons indebted to me by account, note or mortgage for last year will call and settle and save cost. Yours respectfully, JULIUS EARNHARDT.