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Elizabeth City Economist. The various uses of pine straw has furnished employment to many persons in this section of North Carolina. Most of our people are away mostly to the seaside. Cottage life on the ocean, at Nags Head, seems to be the favorite way of spending the summer months. The court house in Martin county grows apace, it is said by some that another assessment of \$10,000 will be required to complete it. Some one has said that there is a settling of one of our waters. We hope very fine at Nags Head. Tom Skinner caught over six hundred in one day.

There was a violent tornado that passed over the county on Tuesday night that was terrific. It destroyed most substantial houses and blowing down a house on Water street, and also a shelter of the Albemarle House. For a few minutes there was imminent danger of the destruction. Crops in Martin county are looking splendid. Some cotton is as high as a man's shoulders, which is pretty good for Martin. It is rather dry here for the last two weeks.

Asheville Citizen. Died, at her residence in Brown on Friday morning, July 20th, Mrs. A. E. B. (formerly Miss T. W. Shuford), in the 85th year of her age. She leaves a husband and three children. A barometrical station in connection with the Geographical Department of the U. S. Coast Survey has been established at Asheville, at the house of Mrs. Hall, under charge of Mr. Reynolds. A station has likewise been established at Mount Pisgah, which will be kept open until December next, and will be connected with the mountains survey now being made. A contract has been entered into by the United States authorities with Prof. E. F. Venable, of this place, to connect the two stations by a line of telegraph. Mr. H. McCracken told us he had on his farm on Crabtree over one hundred acres in grass, and then could show orchard grass sacking only three inches of being six feet high. In every section we hear of a large increase in acreage, preparatory to stock raising on a largely increased scale.

Charlotte Journal Observer. Christopher Carpenter, Esq., one of the last landmarks of the old citizenship of Cleveland county, died Tuesday night at his residence, aged 85 years. Mr. Carpenter was one of the prominent men in the county in the old time, having been the Register of Deeds for that county for 22 years. A force of twenty-one hands from the Rock Hill cotton factory, passed through the city yesterday, en route to Danville, to go to work in the factory at that place, where, they say, they get better pay. A note from Shoe Heel, Robeson county, informs us that on next Saturday 4th inst. the return of the "Hill and Boys" will be celebrated at that place. The old commander of the company, Gen. M. W. Ransom, will be present to deliver the reunion oration. Col. A. M. Weddell will also attend and deliver an address. A remarkably rich gold mine was developed near Blenheim in Stanly county, where one that assays \$2,600 to the ton is now laying on the dumps. The mine is called the Crowell, and is being worked by Mr. N. B. McCaskey, superintendent. Mr. McCaskey intends exhibiting the ore at the Boston Exposition and it will very likely attract much attention there. The ore that was sent to Baltimore for assay and which was found to yield \$2,600, was not picked out, but was gathered from the pile on the dumps, and all the balance is said to be equally rich.

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