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OUR BOOK TABLE.

The Enquirer is again under special obligations to the publishers, for Lippincott's Magazine for June. The second paper on "Down the Rhine," is in this number and is very interesting and well illustrated. "In the valleys of Peru," is concluded in this number and is certanly an interesting bistorical-descriptive paper. Besides these are "A love-chase," "The Marquis of Lossie," "The Priest's Son," "Curious Coupies," and various other pieces which give life and interest to this number of this work Terms, \$4 per year. J. B. Lippincott & Co., Philadelphia.

finds its way to our office. Scribner's is are able and worthy of its columns. It is the forged note. But he falled in this from the published Messrs. Scribner & Co., of New fact that the clerk, Lewis M. Cowper, had Yord city, at the small cost \$4 per an it with him in Murfreesboro. The greater

lie's elegant Illustrated Weekly Newspaper, we are under renewed obligations for his Pleasant Hours for June. Although Frank Leslie is a northern publisher, his publications are equally readable and appreciable Superior court for the Edenton District, by every Southern man, and should, as they do, receive their liberal support.

is another of those elegant publications of ready lifted him to fame and fortune. His Messrs. Scribner & Co. of New York-full massive and uncouth frame contained a of fun, choice reading and educational in- heart, which overflowed with patriotism and struction, \$3 per annum.

HISTORICAL SKETCHES OF HERTFORD COUNTY. well, and most nobly and successfully em-

BY J. W. MOORE.

Chapter XXXIV.

the Federal offices. Early in the year a rupoccurred between the President and Mr. Calhoun. The growing sectionalism of the period culminated the year before in the famous debate in the Senate between Webster and Hayne. The protective tariffs were exclusively for the benefit of Northera manufactories. Notes of auger and discontent deepened in South Carolina and a thorough rehabilation of party lines wes Euclid Borland and his brother Solon, who close at hand.

The animosities and divisions of Wash ington City had not in 1831 obtained much influence on the political movements in Hertford county. Everybody here profess. ed to be strong Jackson men. Jacob Hare steadily refused to become a candidate for Senate Gen, Bridger Montgomery was again elected to that position. Col. John H. Dr. Godwin C. Moore. It were better that | torney, on June 27th 1828. another hand should portray the character of Hertford would be sadly marred were a He this year morried Julia Monroe, daughter of John Wheeler of Murfreesboro. A ple knowledge and understanding were adorned by a graceful and easy elecution. Some idea of the confidence of those who know him best is evinced from the fact that for thirty-seven years he has been con. tinously elected Moderator of the Chowan Association. He has ever resided at Mulberry Grove, the home of his ancestors,

In this Legislature Rowan county again sent both the presiding officers: David F. Caldwell in the Senate and Charles Fisher in the Commons. In the latter body also from the same constituency was Richmond M. Pearson. John Bragg of Warren was likewise a member of the House. He Lad recently graduated at Chapel Hill and was the oldest of six brothers. Three of them became famous in the land. His legal brethren John R J. Daviel of Halifax and John M. Dick of Guilford, were likewise attending their first session in the Assembly Judge Gaston and Richard Dobbs Spaight were members for Craven: Judge Toomer and Lewis D. Henry, for Cumberland. These polished and elegant gentlemen were noted for grace and power in their oratory, and a melaucholy interest attaches to Mr. Beary, in the recollection of a miefortune

The Murfreesboro Enquirer. | that embittered his life. In his youte, for everything that was neccessery for the Sawyer, members of the General Assem-

A great misfortune befell the State in to get a stand from the first planting. June of this year. The Capitol was destroyed by fire. The carelessness of a me said to have occasioned the disaster. The will not give you any items. loss of the building itself was of less importance than the destruction of the statue of Washington by Canova. This was a noble recumbent figure in Roman armor and said to have been in the happiest style of that great sculptor. Until the building of the new State House, the governor's Palace an afterwards a building on Fayette. ville street, owned by B. B. Smith. were used for the sessions of the General Assem-

This recalls the fact that a similar cafastrophe befell the county of Hertford. On Saturday August 22nd. 1830, a man named Wright Alien was said to have procured an incendiary to burn the Court House in Winton. Allan stood in-licted for Seribner's elegant Monthly for June also forgery, and was subsequently convicted little job of prut ng-We informed him and punished for altering the amount of a that we had none on hand, but could soon of all the elegant monthlies, probably our note given by Fimothy Ridley of Manney's favorite; and this number is no bad repre- Neck. The culprit was a man of respects. sentative of its insues. Besides being re- billity and consideration, and his punishplete with articles by the ablest and best ment at the whipping post created a great authors of the day, the June number is excitement in our midst. His object in well illustrated. It ecutains twenty five procuring the barning of the Court-House. fine articles and selections: all of which was to destroy the evidence of his crime in portion of the records were destroyed, and Besides receiving regularly, Frank I.es- what makes our case peculiarly hard, this disaster was repeated by the U.S. troops on Friday, March 20th 1862,

The legislature of this year elected David L. Swain of Buncombe, late a Judge of the governor of North Garolina. The great natural endowments and unwearied assidu-St. Nicholas completes our June list. It ity of the young mountain lawyer, had al devotion to his native state. No man has ever better known or more sincerely loved North Carolina than Goy Swain. He mar mied the grand-daughter of Richard Cas-

other portions of our state was still unabated in 1831. Isræl Pickers had gone to Al Andrew Jackson was unquestionably a abama, and had become governor of that great man and a patriot, but God had given State. The same commonwealth had rehim a passionate and imperious soul. He ceived William R. King of Sampson, and was as impatient of opposition as John Ad- he was then a leading member of the U. S. sins and first introduced the habit of who e- senate. Judge Hugh L. White of Tennessale removal of political adversaries from see in the same body, with Thomas H Benton of Missouri and Spencer Jarnagan, a leading lawyer belonging to a Hertford family and many others were illustrating other lands with genius and abilities, which under bappier anspices would have remained at home. Hertford had already list W Wheeler had followed their example. Ere long James S. Jones too was gone. Dr. afterwards became U. S. Sepator from Arkansas, with Richard Gathing, the inventor, were only a few of the many useful men, who at that period, turned their backs upon the homes of their childhood

Death had been busy with some of our proudest names. In 1824 Dr. Dav.d Caldwell the eminent Revolvtionary patriot and divine died at home in Guilford. Let him Wheeler having been defeated for Congress not be confounded with Dr. J. seph Caldhad been appointed clerk of the French, well, so long president of the University. commission and was no more a citizen of This great and useful man survived uptil Hertford. He was succeeded in the house Jan. 27th 1835. Judge A. D. Murphy. of commons by Elisha A. Chamlee. The while still in his g ory at the Hillsboro bar redoutable Major Carter was replaced by had died in 1829; Jamas F. Taylor the At-

North Garolina with embarrassed finances and services of Dr. Moore; but the history and Litter sectional struggles, silently awaited the developments of affairs about Washfalse modesty to ignore his merits. He ington. An excitement far surpassing the had been educated at the Universities of agitation consequent upon the passage of North Carolina and Pennsylvania, and was the Alien and Sedition laws, was close at highly valued as a medical practitioner hand. Mr. Clay was fast forming a formidable opposition, but everything was chaotic and as yet undefined Nicholas Edward N. Baker, William L. Baker and Louis womanly modesty and purity of life, and a Biddle and the U. S. Bank were recognized G. T. Baker,-Defendents. forbearance and charity that realizes the by the President as the agents of his ene-Lacreate's ideal of the blameless King, are m'es; and he had already reccommended his distinguishing characteristics His am. Congress that a new charter of the government fiscal agent should not be granted. warfare as that of the Titans was fast brewing but the Nul ification trouble in South Carolina and the wrath of the bank brought no dismay to the heart of Gen. Jackson.

(To be continued)

OUR GARYSBURG LETTER.

(GARYSBURG, N. C.,) May, 222, 1877.

Editor Engainer:

A local item appeared in the Roanoke News a week or two ago, and was copied into the Observer last week, which does injustice, or rather fails to do justice, to several Northampton, physicians. I would like to make the correction through your paper as it has the largest circulation in the county. The article referred to states that break his a.m., Dr. Gee, a physician of Halifax county, was called in, and attended to the broken limb. Now, Dr. Gee was Lawrence's and get this Medicine, or inwho had also been "called in" had done cough.

some triffling cause or offense, be and Thos, wounded arm, and some of them had re-J. Stanly passed through our county and turned to their homes; I suppose the misfust beyond Somerton, over the Virginia take on the part of the News was unintenline, had a host ic meeting, in which Starty tional. I hope you will publish this cortel dead at the first fire . William D. rection out of justice to our home doctors. Mosely, a descendant of that Edward Moses as we don't like to see them left out in the ly, who had been so prominent as a law- cool in this way. I have not heard either SAWMILLS yer of the province in Queen Anne's time, of them mention it, and I have written the was again with L. D. Wilson and S. T. above without their knowledge of consent. Our farmert have about finished planting

cotton for the second time, having failed Northampton court is in session, but as the Enquirer has a representative at the chanic engaged upon repairs of the roof was "court house," as they say in Virginia, I

Hoping to be able to drop you a few lines occasionally hereafter, I remain

> Yours hastily, NORTHAMPTON.

We return our than ks for an inv tation to attend the celebrations of the Washington and Frankin Literary Societies of Randolph Macon College, which takes place

on June 21st.

WANTED LICENSE. - We were interrupted from our editorial duties on Wednesday last, by the appearance of a smiling specimen of the abony race, who inquired upon entering, it we had any marriage Licenset. Turning po i ely to tule his ord r-and imagining at tie same time that we had a nice print him some, and continued by asking him by what time did he want them? He replied by the evening -as he wished to get married at 8 o'clock." We fell back in our chair and directed "Sam" to get his gilt, \$1,75. ma'e and set out for Mr. Sharpe, the registrar of deeds, at Winton-lest there should be a postponement of his intended mar

Said Gossip one to Gossip two. While shopping in the lown. -"A friend of mine has just told me Smith bought his goods of Brown." Said-Gessip two to Gossip three with a frown,

"Old Mrs. Pry to me remarked Smith got his goods of Brown.' Said Gossip three to Gossip four, Who cast her eyelids Cown. "I've heard to-day peculiar news,-

Smith took his goods from Brown!" Said Gossip four to Gossip five, Who blazed it all around, "I've just been told such shocking news!-

Smith stoled his goods of Brown!" Moral,-Keep your tengue in your pocket and don't gossip. Murfreesbore has a newspaper to publish things for it

IN NORTHAMPTON. - Through the kindness ulated the virtues of that illustriou of our esteemed friend, Judge D. A. Barnes who is always a friend to a pedes rian eci-The tide of emigration from Hertford and tor, we were enabled to be on hand last week at Jackson court. Here we met maby of the strunch leading men of the county, and did not fail to appreciate the whole-soul courtesies of R. A. Weaver, Esq., the hotel proprietor of that place, On the court house given, we were pleased to welcome B. J. Rocgers, E.q., of the Rural Messenger, of Peter-burg. Va. 'and W. L. Saunders. Esq., of the Rateigh | Problems wit out far or aver, and makes if Observer. Both looked well, and scenical to be sharing hterally the patronage of the good Northampton people. Several of the business men of Auctors, Portenouth and Petes burg. Va., were on hand, idudging twenty comes sit. At the nie H. Murfree and Judge Manney. Colonel from the state docket, the prohibition act has had good effect in Northampton, claim There were only forty cases on that dock - A NEW AND ELEGAN ON O PRESENTED et this term. Winde twice that number has to each subscriber entitled ASTING A BLESS. been a small list for the county here a fore. Among the members of the bar in at choance we were pleased to meet, Hons. D. A. Barnes, J. J. Yeales, W. N. H. Smith. Col. W. W. Peebles, Capt. R. B Peebles, W. C. Bowen, W. A. Reese, Willis Bag ley, S. J. Wright, E. L. C. Warn, John face price, Gatting, Esqs. and Col 1. J. Person.

Ghas. M. Cocke, Esq., was solicited and Judge R. P. Buxton presided. OFFICE OF

There were but lew cases of any s, bend importance. I ourt will con laue alte ago out this week, however, when the cock is

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA.

will be almost enthery cleared.

Hertford county-Superior Court. W. J. Baker executor of Nancy Rea. deceased and Sarah F. Raker. AGAINST

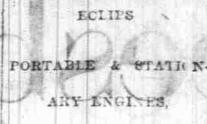
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It appearing to the sa isfaction of the Court from the return of the Sheriff of soid county and affidavit of the Plaintiff that the defendants Edward N. B ker, William L. Baker and Louis G T Baker reside beyond the limits of this State: it is therefore Oriered t at publicati n be made to the MURFREESBORO ENQUIRER, a newspaper published in the town of Murfreesboro in said County for six successive weeks, notifying said defendants of this petition which is filed in the Cle k's office of said court, and let them take notice that if they fail to answer or cemur to said petition, on or before the 3rd day of July 1877, the Plalutiff will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the Complaint.

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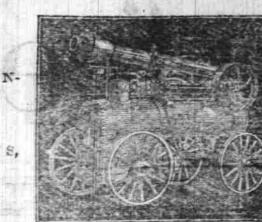
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