

THE NEW REGIME

JOB WORK.

We are prepared to execute Job Work of all kinds with neatness and dispatch.

Salem Almanacs for sale at Hardin & Toms'.

Dr. Duffy is preparing ground for the purpose of planting a vineyard.

Go to C. A. Duffy & Co. for your Valentines.

Our town has been very quiet during the past week.

Wild Pigeons in search of mast—are on the wing.

Early Rose Potatoes for sale at the Drug Store of C. A. Duffy & Co.

The match game of base ball will take place, at Burnt Chimney, on Friday the 18th inst., at 1 o'clock.

Can't the young ladies of Rutherfordton give a leap year party, and thus keep up with the times?

We hope that our friends throughout the county will go to work and make up clubs for the REGIME.

The boarders at the Erwin House have been feasting upon fresh oysters, just from Norfolk, for the last week.

A meeting of the Democratic State Executive Committee will be held in Raleigh on the 1st day of March.

The Louisville Courier Journal will do an entire new dress this week. It is one of the ablest, spiciest, and best papers in the Union, and the subscription is only \$2 per year.

There will be a concert given, under the auspices of the masonic fraternity, in this place, for the benefit of the Oxford Orphan Asylum, on Monday the 28th inst.

The Railroad Companies centering at Charlotte have advanced their rates of freight on cotton, and in consequence the price of the staple has fallen a fraction.

We hope that all persons who have not paid their subscriptions will come forward and pay up as we intend to run an entirely cash subscription list.

The dance Tuesday night prevented the organization of the debating society, and the young men are requested to meet at Mr. G. W. Suttle's office on Monday night for the purpose of organizing.

Col. H.'s lightning cock has been on a tour to Chimney Rock, and, after whipping everything that would fight him, he has returned and began preparations for a campaign through South Carolina.

A few persons in this community who are guilty of cutting wood on other people's lands without permission are hereby notified that if they continue the practice, they will have to answer for it before his honor Judge Schenck.

Fat, Shad, Herring and other salt water fish in large numbers are making arrangements to visit our mountain streams in a short time. We will welcome them to hospitable boards and give them a warm reception.

AN IMPROVEMENT.—Messrs. C. A. Duffy & Co., have opened a first class Drug Store in this place. Their assortment of Drugs, Medicines and Chemicals is large and complete.

The goods are tastefully arranged and everything has a neat and healthy appearance. We are glad to see enterprises of this kind for it is certainly an improvement upon the old style of Drug Stores in Western North Carolina.

The Rutherfordton and Burnt Chimney base ball clubs will play a match game, at Burnt Chimney, on Friday the 18th inst. The citizens of Burnt Chimney propose to give a dinner and a grand barbecue and ball at night. It is hoped that the Charlotte brass band will be up to make music for the occasion. Everybody is invited to attend and witness the game and the fun.

The inevitable and incorrigible Amos Owens was again domiciled at Sheriff McFarlands last Wednesday—for some little irregularity concerning the revenue law.

The Government has its hands full with larger fish up at St. Louis and several prominent Revenue officials were, last week, sent to the Penitentiary for a term of years for defrauding the Government. Gen. Babcock, the President's special friend, is now on trial for complicity in the Whisky Ring. There is no danger of his conviction.

A company supposed to have a large capital have purchased the Crambury Iron Works in Mitchell county and are now constructing a rail road from Johnson City, Tenn. to the works. The road will soon be completed.

A friend of ours who says he has not drunk a drop of the critter in 10 years told us recently that he was very much troubled with the constant taste of whiskey in his mouth. He fears some revenue man will be up for investigating his internal improvements in search of a still house.

We notice that the fence around the village cemetery is broken down in several places, which gives the hogs and other stock an opportunity to demolish the shrubbery around the graves. We hope that the proper parties will repair the old or build a new fence before the spring opens.

The lumber contract for the new Schooner to run between Mountain Falls and Cherokee Ford has been taken by a gentleman of our acquaintance, and the contract for building will be taken as soon as necessary specification and bonds are filed. The public may not know much about this huge enterprise but interested parties know whereof they speak.

We call attention to the following new advertisements:

- Erwin House. Hardin & Toms. A. L. Grayson. Dr. J. W. Harris. J. H. Hightower. C. A. Duffy & Co. Geo. W. Suttle. Geo. G. Eaves. Churchill & Whitesides. James Albert Forney. M. H. Justice.

In the memory of the oldest prophet we have not had such a mild winter as the present. The thermometer ranges from 50 to 70 degrees, the birds by day and frogs by night keep up a continual serenade, and the children and ladies are all as gay and joyous as if real Spring had already commenced. But all this bodes no good to the peach crop, and the premature blooming will surely be disastrous to the lovers of that delicious fruit to say nothing of those who set great store by the brandy crop.

We have not had so mild a winter since 1817-18, when the trees were in full bloom in January, with a killing frost in February, again in bloom and killed in March, and again in full bloom to be killed in May. That's our recollection of it.

St. Valentine's Day.

It comes on Monday (the 14th) laden with hundreds of sweet love letters, all redolent with the fragrance of rosy love. Valentine was a sweet-hearted old saint, who died a martyr in Rome. A festival used to be held in honor to his name. At this festival the custom of choosing Valentines began its long reigning career. Such is said to be the origin of St. Valentine's day. Others derive the custom from the supposed habit of birds selecting their mates on this day. Now, let no young man "pop the question" in a valentine. That will be unconstitutional. Be brave when you come to that business. Here is some poetry we will lend you for such an occasion:

"He fears his fate too much, Or else his merits are small; Who can't put the question to the touch, To win or lose all."

The New Regime.

A new paper just started at Rutherfordton by Mr. A. F. Dabington is on our table. We might be at loss to determine its political character and would prefer something more outspoken than vague idealities. For these are times that admit no uncertain sounds. There is no middle ground between opposition to the policy of the existing administration, and adhesion to it. We want something that is either "fish or fowl or good red herring."—Raleigh News.

We take it that our neighbor of the News has been in the harness battling for a new order of things ever since its establishment, and we propose to fight on the same line against the present Administration from the aspirant for a third term down to the meanest revenue smeller who ever crawled up a still worm. Now if you don't know what that means, we are straight out Democrat, neither fish, fowl, or any ways fishy.

It is stated that a red-hot weekly Democratic paper will soon make its appearance in Raleigh. It will be made a campaign paper this year, and a family and political paper after the ensues.

SHELBY ITEMS.

The goods of the firm of Ware and Fronberger have been going rapidly this week under the hammer of the auctioneer. Large numbers of people in town and country attended the sale. The bidding was quite spirited and most of the goods sold well—averaging at least cost price.

On Tuesday, some one up street cried, fire, fire. And away went a stream of men double-quicking to ward Mr. Border's hotel. A dark column of smoke was seen boiling out at the top of the house. But the whirlwind of excitement was soon over, it being nothing more than fire burning in the chimney.

If any one wants to supply himself with the freshest and best garden seeds of the season, let him go to Capt. J. H. Wells' Drug Store. They are there in the greatest variety and abundance.

Mr. Robert Harris of Belmont has sold his house and lot to Mr. O. McBrayer. Mr. Harris expects to remain in Shelby and build him another house. We are glad of this, for he is a good citizen. And we are glad too that Mr. McBrayer is coming to town.

A Pennsylvanian in our town a few days ago, said he had been in most of the towns in N. C. but he had found none that showed so many signs of energy, thrift and growing prosperity as Shelby. He thinks property is not too high here.

Our jail has not a single prisoner in it. That speaks well for Cleveland county. No grog shops, an empty jail, a full school and churches speak volumes.

Little Ernest Bynum (4 years old) having heard the pastor of the Methodist Church request all the children to give something for the new church, went to hauling chips in his little wagon and has made 10 cents, which he says is to go for that purpose. Well done for him. He is going to be a man. He has a philosopher's head set upon a robust body.

We are glad to learn that the Ladies Aid Society of the Methodist Church is growing in interest. This Society has done excellent work already, and we hope its success will be still better in the future. It will meet hereafter at the District Parsonage on Wednesday evening. Now let us have a grand Centennial Festival. This is the Centennial year of N. C. Methodism—let us commemorate it in Shelby by giving a bold push to the enterprise of building our church.

J. W. Limeberger has completed one of the best blacksmith shops in Western Carolina. It is a frame building, of large size covered with sheet iron. Just here we could remark that Mr. Limeberger deserves praise for his success in life. He came here 19 years ago worth nothing—worse than nothing for he owed \$200. But nothing daunted he went to hard work—laboring in his shop from 4 o'clock in the morning until sundown, and then went out and cut wood in the night for a mere pittance. He lived economically, saved what he made, never went in debt, and kept on hammering iron until he has secured a considerable amount of property—about \$5,000 worth from all we can learn. This is not a large fortune compared with such as are made in great cities, yet it is quite praiseworthy, when we remember that it has been hammered out on the ringing anvil by literally hard blows and a sweating brow.

Mr. Editor:—As you have taken to your paper a new name, please tell your readers how to pronounce it. Some of the children here call it Reg-mite—others Reg-mine.

Well for the children's sake we will say that Regime being a French word is pronounced Ra-zheem. Our name means a new order of things.

McDowell Items.

A black man (stranger) calling himself Robert Austin is confined in McDowell jail on the charge of a daring burglary on the house of Peter Epler in McDowell county. The proof is positive. He entered two doors, took a key from the pocket of Epler's wife's dress and from a bureau drawer got \$50 in silver and \$50 in currency.

A colored woman named Sisk has been bound over to court as an accomplice with the burglar Austin. Tobacco is all the talk in McDowell Parties are receiving returns from Danville; prices not very encouraging.

Maj. Malone is said to be the largest tobacco farmer in McDowell county. He was among the first pioneers in the tobacco raising and

we are told that he has been very successful.

The tobacco crop in McDowell county for the year 1875 is estimated at 150,000 pounds; prices averaging from 6 to 50 cts. per lb. will bring in the county about \$25,000. Average crop per acre about 400 lbs. making an average of about \$50 per acre.

Dry goods are selling rapidly in Marion. Sheriff Neal is the salesman and sells only between the hours of ten and four.

Mr. Teague has started a steam saw mill in Marion. The rail road track is laid three miles above Old Fort, and a new hotel is going up at the end of the road.

POWER OF IMAGINATION.—The other day a Detroitier took home a book containing several anecdotes showing the power of imagination, and, after reading them to his wife, he tenderly said:

"Now, Angelina, you may sometime imagine that you hear me kissing the servant girl in the other room, and you see her base it would be to accuse me."

Court Notice.

To accommodate members of the bar and particularly to avoid conflict with McDowell Court, the Spring Term of Rutherford Superior Court will not be held until the 2nd week of the term, it being the 1st Monday in April, 1876.

The jurors of the first week will attend the second week, as well as the jurors for the second week. Published by order of D. Schenck, Judge 9th District.

M. O. DICKERSON, Clerk Superior Court for Rutherford county.

THE PEOPLE WANT PROOF.—There is no medicine prescribed by physicians, or sold by Druggists, that carries such evidence of its success and superior virtue as BOSENER'S GERMAN SALVE for severe Coughs, Colds, settled on the Breast, Consumption, or any disease of the Throat and Lungs. A proof of that fact is that any person afflicted, can get a Sample Bottle for 10 cents and try its superior effect before buying the regular size at 75 cents. It has lately been introduced in this country from Germany, and its wonderful cures are astonishing everyone that use it. Three doses will relieve any case. Try it. Sold by JAMES H. WELLS, SHELBY, N. C. 25-ly

OZOENA—AN OBSTINATE DISEASE IN THE nose, which eat away the partition bone, destroys the sense of smell, produces green or yellowish scabs, the shape of the nostril—sometimes flat, often tainted with blood and matter; causes weight and dull aching over the eyes, headaches, loss of memory, giddiness, etc. This disease is often caused by neglected colds, by suppressed skin diseases, scrofula, measles, scarlet fever, psoriasis, syphilis, and other contagious diseases, and is itself contagious. It often extends to the throat, producing hoarseness, bronchitis and consumption. It is a tertiary form of cancer, destroying the nose and throat, when too long neglected. Dr. Jones is the only physician in the United States who thoroughly understands curing this dangerous and offensive disease. He destroys the offensive smell in five minutes, and relieves the sufferer in every way at once, and cures the disease in a short time.

Dr. Jones is healing the afflicted and straightening cross eyes, at the McAdoo House, Greensboro, N. C. Send for Circular. 2-ly

NOW IS THE TIME.—For a club of 40 subscribers with the cash, we will present a fine \$65.00 Weed Sewing Machine. Every man is a duly authorized agent to get up clubs. Go to work, and through this dull season 1000 subscribers can be raised for the REGIME in the county of Rutherford, which will net the agent 25 Sewing Machines which he can easily sell at \$60, making \$1,500 for his time and trouble. He has a chance to make money and many of the idle young men of our town and county would do well to engage in it immediately.

Will You Believe It!

WOMAN'S BEST FRIEND.—To relieve the aching heart of woman and bring joy where sorrow reigns supreme, is a mission before which the smiles of kings dwindle into utter insignificance. To do this is the peculiar province of Dr. J. Bradfield's Female Regulator, which from the numberless cures it has accomplished is appropriately styled Woman's Best Friend. The distressing complaint known as the "whites," and the various irregularities of the womb, to which woman is subject, disappear like magic before a single bottle of this wonderful compound. It is prepared by L. H. Bradfield, Druggist, Atlanta, Ga., and sold at \$1.50 per bottle by respectable Drug men everywhere. Physicians prescribe it. Its action is prompt, sure and decisive.

NOW IN PERFECT HEALTH.

NEAR MARIETTA, GA., March 21, 1876. Messrs. Wm. Root & Son.—Gentlemen:—Some months ago I bought a bottle of BRADFIELD'S FEMALE REGULATOR from you, and have used it in my family with the utmost satisfaction, and have recommended it to three other families and they have found it just what it is recommended. The females who have used your Regulator are now in perfect health, and are able to attend to their household duties, and we cordially recommend it to the public. Yours respectfully, Rev. H. B. JOHNSON.

REAL ESTATE,

PURCHASING AND Advertising Agency, A. L. GRAYSON, RUTHERFORDTON, N. C.

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RUTHERFORD COUNTY,

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT.

Thomas Jefferson Hampton, Plaintiff.

James Madison Hampton & Joseph Lafayette Hampton as administrators of Adam Hampton, dec'd., Defendants.

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA.

To the Sheriff of Rutherford County:—GREETING: You are hereby commanded to summons James Madison Hampton and Joseph Lafayette Hampton as administrators of Adam Hampton, dec'd., the Defendants above named, if they be found in your County, to appear at the ensuing regular Term of the Superior Court to be held for the County of Rutherford at the Court House in Rutherfordton on the 4th Monday in March next and answer the Complaint of the Plaintiff, a copy of which will be filed according to Law, and let them take notice that if they fail to answer said complaint within the time prescribed by law the Plaintiff will take judgment for the sum of four hundred and twenty six dollars and ninety cents and four hundred and twenty-eight dollars and seventy-five cents interest on same and interest on the said principal from 15th January, 1876, until paid and costs of suit and for the other and further relief demanded in the Complaint. Complaint filed in my office 7th day of January, 1876. Herein fall not, and of this summons make due return.

Given under my hand and the seal of said Court this 15th day of January, 1876.

M. O. DICKERSON, Clerk.

J. M. Hampton one of the defendants above named in the foregoing summons is hereby notified that a warrant of attachment in the said case has been issued against his property in this County returnable to the next term of the said Superior Court to be held for this County at the Court House in Rutherfordton on the 4th Monday in March, 1876.

Plaintiff's claim is eight hundred and fifty-five dollars and sixty-five cents—due by notes, accounts and for money paid as security including interest. Jan. 15, 1876.

M. O. DICKERSON, Clerk Superior Court.

Forney & Churchill & Whitesides, Attorneys for Plaintiff.

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Feb 1-ly

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May 29 19-ly.

NOTICE.

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July 24-27-ly.

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TOBACCO, WHOLESALE DEALERS IN CIGARS, MANUFACTURERS OF Jacob M. Mendel & Co., RUTHERFORD COUNTY, IN THE SUPERIOR COURT.

D. I. Twitty & L. Twitty, Plaintiffs.

Against G. W. Logan, Mary Jessie Lano, M. O. Dickerson, assignee, Annie Laura Lano, Matthew Lano, William Watson & wife Mary L. Watson & John C. Davis, Defendants.

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA. To the Sheriff of Rutherford County:—GREETING: You are hereby commanded as before in the name of the State to summons Mary Jessie Lano, Annie Laura Lano, Matthew Lano, William Watson and wife Mary L. Watson Defendants in the above action to appear at the next ensuing regular Term of the Superior Court to be held for the County of Rutherford at the Court House in Rutherfordton on the 4th Monday in March next and answer the Complaint of the Plaintiffs, a copy of which can be found in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court, filed the 27th day of October, 1875, and let them take notice, that if they fail to answer said Complaint within the time prescribed by law the Plaintiffs will take judgment against them for the relief demanded in the complaint and for all costs and charges in this suit incurred.

Witness M. O. Dickerson Clerk of our said Court at office in Rutherfordton this February 2nd, 1876.

M. O. DICKERSON, Clerk Superior Court.

In the above entitled action it appearing to the satisfaction of the Court upon affidavit and the return of the Sheriff that the defendants, Mary Jessie Lano, Annie Laura Lano, Matthew Lano, William Watson and wife Mary L. Watson are not residents of this State and cannot after due diligence be found therein.

2nd, That a writ of habeas corpus in which the defendants are proper parties.

3. That said cause of action relates to real property within this State. It is therefore ordered, That service of this summons be made by publication in "The New Regime," once a week for six weeks successively.

4th, Said summons shall be deemed to have been served at the expiration of the time of publication prescribed by this order. Superior at office this 2nd day of Feb 1876.

M. O. DICKERSON, CLERK Superior Court for Rutherford County. 2ol-6w

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