The Chatham Record

THURSDAY, MAY 26, 1887.

LOCAL ALLOCATIONS.

[illegible] Pianos' Horses and Cattle [illegible] at Chapin's.

A comfortable eight room dwelling for rent in Hillsboro. For further information apply at Record office.

Bynum & Headen have just received a new lot of Mourning Goods, Paints, Oils, Spirits of Turpentine, and fresh Lemons at 35 per dozen.

We print an extra number of Records this week in order to supply the demand for copies by persons who wish extra copies containing an account of our grand celebration.

Col. John M. Robinson, President of the Seaboard Air Line Railway, and Maj. J. A. Winder, General Manager, visited our town yesterday for a short time, while on a tour of inspection of their lines.

Special offering this week at London's of 3000 yards of beautiful Lawns at 5 cents per yard. A superb stock of White Goods, among the lot 1000 yards of Victoria Lawns at a good quanty at 6½ cents per yard, the cheapest goods ever seen. A great reduction made in Laces and lace Flowers and all other Laces.

The rush still keeps up at London's. The ladies will have their Hats and they know Lemon's is the place to get the best styles. London has also some of those popular Dress Goods on hand. Gentlemen's attention is about here and London has the latest style Scarfs, Bows and Cravats. London's Cricket Shirts are the best for the money.

Sessions Sunday School Convention. The annual convention of the Sunday schools of Flat River church was held at Mt. Pleasant church, on last Saturday, and was [illegible] large crowd. The Sunday schools were represented in large numbers. The exercises were of a very [illegible] character, and were conducted by Rev. R. R. Hall, the pastor in charge, assisted by Rev. W. [illegible], President of the Oxford Orphan Asylum, and James B. Shepherd, Esq., of Durham. The children of the schools sang several very sweet Sunday school songs, that were [illegible] copied by the large congregation, and elicited from the Dry Ridge people that [illegible] of hearing their sweet Sunday school songs echoed and re-echoed through the woods. A sumptuous dinner was prepared by the good housewives of that magnificent neighborhood, and its contents were much enjoyed.

Superior Court.—The May term of our superior court began on last Monday, his Honor Judge Graves presiding, and transacted a vast amount of business and expired court promptly at 4 o'clock Monday morning. The grand jury [illegible] expanded [illegible] Judge in some respects. We were pleasantly [illegible] that what we did very [illegible] effect, though [illegible] Solicitor [illegible] the [illegible] Demurrer [illegible] Judge [illegible] Court [illegible] Court [illegible] The [illegible] Court [illegible] importance. The [illegible] of them:

State against David Bullock, Jack Pearson, indicted for fornication and adultery; [illegible] submitted and married.

State against George Rubucks and Betty Miles; F. & A.; verdict, not guilty.

State against Alfred Glosson, assault and battery; verdict, guilty; fined $25 and costs.

State against A. Reuben Jones, horse stealing; guilty; sentenced to penitentiary for years.

State against Jim Yarborough, disorderly house; guilty; thirty days in jail and fine of $10.

State against Rufus Weathers, James Farrer and West Farrer; affray; verdict, guilty; Rufus Weathers fined $10 and imprisoned three months; James A. Farrer fined $50 and five months imprisonment. West Farrer fined $20 and four months imprisonment.

State against J. G. Burton, cutting in a house; [illegible] not guilty.

State against W. B. Walker, disposing of mortgaged property; verdict, guilty; judgment and payment on payment of costs. This was the most interesting case tried.

Anna Moore, a colored witness, was jailed on charge of perjury.

There have not been many persons attending the term of the court, a sure evidence, perhaps, that Tuesday there was less crowd than ever before known in Chatham on court days. The farmers were too busy in their crops, and scarcely anybody came who did not have business here. Even the horse swappers failed to muster in their usual numbers, and therefore our streets were more quiet than usual during court week. The chief attraction was the political medicine man who was always surrounded with quite a crowd.

In addition to our county lawyers the following were in attendance from other counties, viz: Hon. Jno. Manning and J. G. Mason of Orange, J. S. Manning, J. A. Long, R. C. Strudwick and W. W. Fuller of Durham; and W. R. Murchison, of [illegible].

Judge Phipps has made a most favorable impression upon all classes of our people, and we regret that it will be several years before he again holds our court.

OUR CELEBRATION!

A GRAND OCCASION!!

A Great Success—An Immense Crowd—Sumptuous Dinner—Eloquent Speeches—Military Parade, Etc.

On last Friday, the 20th inst., the long expected celebration was held at this place in honor of the completion of the Pittsboro railroad, and we are happy to state that it was a complete success in every particular, and [illegible] the gratifying [illegible] and [illegible] an occasion [illegible] of the day. The weather was propitious, the [illegible] was unusually large, the dinner was abundant and excellent, the speaking was able and eloquent, the music was inspiring, the [illegible] was worthy of our [illegible] Republic. The speaking was in a grove near the depot, and was listened to by a large crowd of our citizens and visitors. Hon. [illegible] President of the Pittsboro Railroad, Hon. Kenyon Cox, ex-Attorney General Russell, ex-Congressman Cox, Julian S. Carr, Esq., Mayor Thompson of Raleigh, and others. The press was ably represented by Messrs. Miles and Weir of the News and Observer, Hocket of the State Chronicle, Barbee of the Durham Plant, Hackney of the Durham Recorder, Stamey of the Sanford Express, and Col. Fred A. Olds, the well known correspondent of the Richmond Dispatch and other papers. It afforded us peculiar pleasure to see present Capt. H. Speed, the accomplished president, whose skill and zeal contributed the construction of our road so much.

The crowd was variously estimated at from two to four thousand. We think the fifty twenty-five hundred persons are nearer. It was remarked to us by many of our most distinguished visitors that they never saw before such an orderly and well behaved crowd on any such similar occasions. We did not hear an oath uttered by anyone, nor was there the slightest breach of the peace. In fact nothing whatever occurred during the whole day that at all marred the pleasure of the occasion. There was no "hitch" in the exercises, but everything moved along as smoothly and pleasantly as possible. The weather could not have been more favorable, light clouds and dust tempering the sun's heat, and refreshing breezes gently blowing all day.

On the whole the celebration was a most decided success, and the committees deserve much credit for doing their work so well. The committee on grounds—composed of Messrs. J. A. Womack, W. F. Fuller and L. J. Haughton—deserve especial thanks for the good taste displayed in the arrangements. The committee on dinner showed how well they had discharged their duty by the excellent dinner served, and he who took charge of the dinner deserved it to be the best dinner ever served.

Many and peculiar were the comments passed on our citizens by our visitors. They all expressed the greatest surprise at our enterprise and prosperity. In the fashion of the dresses and much of our visitors, we may say the ladies generally received a great deal of compliment from our visitors. Many of our visitors stated that they had never before seen such a crowd of well dressed people in Chatham. In short, we may say that the people of Chatham manifested the true spirit of hospitality. The Sanford Express says: "Chatham county is the strong point of the people, and we do not wonder at it when we see how they can entertain a crowd." We hope that the people of Chatham will not be spoiled by this compliment, but we think they have shown that they are not behind the times in the matter of hospitality.

At night the young folks had a dance at the railroad warehouse, which had been most tastefully decorated for the occasion, and the greatest praise we can give the hard is to say that it was a fitting sequel to the day's celebration. It was indeed a most delightful recession. Beautiful and handsomely dressed ladies were present from many of the principal towns and cities of the State, possessing some of rare accomplishments.

With such a celebration in the day and such a ball at night, is it any wonder that the Record's rooster crows as loudest?

State News.

Warrenton Gazette: By this time last year hundreds of bushels of bags of corn were brought into this town from Northampton. So far this year we have seen none here from a distance.

Salem Press: Insects are the worst this spring that we ever knew. It is almost an impossibility to get a good stand of cotton or plants, and the cut worms and flea are playing havoc with corn. In some cases nearly half of the corn is to plant over.

Fayetteville News: Some farmer county one more. Mr. Duncan M. Neill, of that county, gave birth to four children [illegible] last week. May the farms be equally as prolific in that county, and the Western smoke house and corn crib will be a thing of the past.

[illegible] Greensboro, N. C., carry one of the largest stocks of goods in Central North Carolina. Merchants invited to call in person or send orders by mail. Very respectfully,

J. W. SCOTT & CO.

Greensboro, N. C.

April 21, 1887.

SPIRIT MARKETS.

Reported for the Record by

WYATT & TAYLOR,

Dealers in Tobacco and Spirits

Main Street, Durham, N. C.

Durham, N. C., May 26, 1887.

COTTON MARKET.

[illegible]

GRAIN AND PROVISION MARKET.

[illegible]

New Advertisements.

Kirkman House,

FAYETTEVILLE, N. C.

Situated in the centre of the business part of the town. Large sample room for Drummers. Every convenience and comfort afforded. Refined and genteel. A pleasant resort for the summer.

Horses and vehicles for hire.

M. F. KIRKMAN

April 28, 1887.

STAFFORD, HENLEY & CO.

HOLMAN'S MILLS P. O., ALAMANCE Co., N. C., Proprietors

FAIRMOUNT FOUNDRY.

Manufacture Turbine Water Wheels of special merit, built so as to be set in one of water house, and Steel Also Grist and Flouring Mill Machinery, Circular Saw Mills with smoothing setting head blocks, both simple and durable and quick to operate, Horse Powers, foot Mortising Machines, Cutting Machines, Cane Shellers, Cane Mills, Mill Screws, and Castings of various kinds. Repairs attended to promptly. Correspondence solicited.

April 7, 1887. 1y.

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JOHN W. MARKHAM,

DURHAM, N. C.,

Wholesale and Retail Grocer.

OFFERS TO HIS OLD FRIENDS in Chatham and they come to Durham one of the largest stocks of Goods in the city and invites an inspection of his stock, which comprises a heavy in large quantities, and can give you ROCK BOTTOM prices on

FLOUR, MEAL, MEAT, LARD,

SUGAR, COFFEE, SODA,

MOLASSES, SYRUP, CHEESE,

CRACKERS,

SNUFF, TOBACCO, FISH,

&C., &C.

I have also in stock a fine assortment of

SHOES

FOR MEN, BOYS AND LADIES.

Hats Dry Goods,

NOTIONS,

Crockery, Tinware

&C., &C.

SPECIAL INDUCEMENTS TO COUNTRY MERCHANTS

April 7, 1887.

GRAND OPENING!

DURHAM

HAS ARISEN FROM ITS ASHES, and on the spot that was an unsightly mass of bricks, a few weeks ago is now

THE MAGNIFICENT STORE

—OF—

Charles Robbins

Who has opened

ONE OF THE LARGEST AND MOST SELECT STOCKS OF

Dry Goods, Notions,

BOOTS, SHOES,

CLOTHING, &C.,

ever brought to Durham.

Our Mr. G. M. Gross will take pleasure in waiting on his many friends in Chatham and will give them extra bargains.

Mr. J. N. Atwater of Chatham is now with us and will be pleased to see his former countrymen.

April 7, 1887. 3m.

LOOK OUT

FOR THE

Advertisement

OF

ELLIS & MUSE,

Durham, N. C.,

Who are so busy opening and selling

their

SPRING GOODS

that they have not time now to write one.

Raleigh & Augusta A. L. R. R.

CONDENSED TIME TABLE

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W. B. SMITH, Superintendent.

SPRING, 1887

NEW GOODS!

—AT—

PRICES TO SUIT THE TIMES.

We take pleasure in announcing to our friends and customers that our

SPRING AND SUMMER GOODS,

will be offered on the [illegible] sympathy with the [illegible] of Farm Products.

We [illegible] complete line of DRY GOODS,

NOTIONS,

CARPETS,

OIL CLOTH,

BOOTS AND SHOES,

HATS AND CAPS

QUEENSWARE,

GLASSWARE,

GROCERIES, &C.;

Ladies' Dress Goods and Dry Goods a Specialty.

We solicit an examination of our Goods and Prices. Thanks for past favors.

Prices paid for [illegible] in exchange.

Yours Respectfully,

L. R. McLEAN & CO.

[illegible], N. C., April 7, 1887.

W. H. & R. S. TUCKER & CO.,

[illegible] Street,

HENDERSON, N. C.

The [illegible] Dry Goods House [illegible] with all the most complete stock of Dry Goods of all kinds. [illegible] of their

SPRING PURCHASES

SILKS, VELVETS, DRESS GOODS,

FANCY & WHITE GOODS,

EMBROIDERIES, HOSIERY,

GLOVES, UNDERWEAR,

STRIPES, CHECKS, CASSIMERES

PARASOLS, FANS, BUTTONS,

DRESS TRIMMINGS,

SEAL PLUSHES, PASSAMENTERIE,

HOSE,

HOUSE FURNISHING GOODS,

[illegible],

SHADES, CURTAINS,

Dado's, [illegible], &C.

Particular attention is directed to their [illegible] of Silks and Dress Goods and [illegible] Black Chantilly and [illegible] Laces, in pieces [illegible], fresh Paint, [illegible] and Silk Laces.

[illegible] such beautiful [illegible] in quantities [illegible] any other House in North Carolina.

[illegible] given to all mail orders.

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W. J. WYATT & CO.,

DURHAM, N. C.,

General Commission Merchants

AND DEALERS IN

Heavy and Fancy GROCERIES.

FEED STUFFS A SPECIALTY

Our Mr. Fred Norwood will be [illegible] his old countymen [illegible]

April 7, 1887.

MORRIS & CARTER

RALEIGH, N. C.

Special Bargains

IN

CARPETS

AND

Upholstery Goods.

We direct particular attention to [illegible] to which is devoted our spacious and well [illegible] This department is thoroughly equipped as any house in the South, and offers only

THE LATEST AND BEST

[illegible] the leading manufacturers [illegible] at prices as low [illegible] in the trade for equal [illegible]

EXTRAORDINARY BARGAINS

[illegible] these Goods and Wash Goods departments.

[illegible] Ladies and Children [illegible]

MORRIS & CARTER.

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[illegible] SPECIFIC

[illegible] TRIAL [illegible] FREE [illegible]

[illegible] PHILADELPHIA, PA.