The Chatham Record

THURSDAY, JANUARY 21 1892.

LOCAL RECORDS.

SCHEDULE PITTSBORO' R. R.

The passenger train on the Pittsboro' railroad leaves Pittsboro' daily, except Sundays, at 9 10 a. m. and 4 00 p. m., and arrives at Pittsboro' at 11.10 a. m., and 6 15 p. m., in time under connection at Moncure with the trains on the N. & A. & C. R. R. going to and coming from Raleigh.

—Our streets are no dirtier than they have been this winter.

—The editor of the RECORD is expected to return from Cincinnati next Saturday.

—We learn that Deep river at Lockville is three feet higher than it has been in two years.

—Monday and Tuesday were unusually dull days, because on account of the inclement weather.

—A few more white girls wanted at the Pittsboro' Knitting Mill, to whom good wages will be paid.

—Dogwood, Persimmon and Hickory timber, and cedar posts wanted at the Pittsboro' Skuttle Mill.

—If there is any truth in the saying that hard weather and much snow is sure to be followed by good small grain and fruit crops we may expect good crops this year.

—Fewer of our farmers were in Pittsboro' Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday than for a long time. Monday the streets had the appearance of a deserted village.

—When our citizens awoke yesterday morning they found that the rain had ceased and a beautiful white mantel of snow lay on the roofs of the houses and in places on the ground. A welcome change from the rain.

—Special bargains offering for cash at W. L. London & Son's this week in ladies' dress goods and cloaks. If you need anything of the kind it will pay you to give them a call. They are selling the best suit for 5o cents you ever saw.

—Received this week at W. L. London & Son's a large lot of second books, slates, ink, pens and paper. They keep their stock of goods complete in every line. A large stock of canned goods which they are selling very low. Full stock of groceries.

—Our young townsman, Mr Hal London, has returned from his visit to Cuba, looking much improved. He says he enjoyed the excursion immensely. Perhaps he may tell the RECORD readers some things that he saw in that sunny Isle in our next issue.

—We learn that three deaths from *La Grippe* occurred at the Home for the Aged and Infirm one night a few night's since, Richard Glanton, white, and Josh Alston and George Morgan, colored, each of whom were over 80 years and at the time of their death. This makes four deaths at that institution from this dread disease in the past week.

—All day Monday, all night Monday night, all day Tuesday and late into that night we had a steady, almost continuous rain, not a hard dashing, furious rain, but a slow falling, gentle rain enough to make out door work next to impossible and traveling very disagreeable. Sometimes there would come heavier down pours than at others, but on the whole it was not a remarkable rain and yet we learn some of the star mail routes in the county were delayed on account of high water. We have not yet learned whether any serious casualty has occurred in Chatham on account of high water, we hope not.

ANOTHER CENTENARIAN DEAD.—An old colored woman, named Cynthia Alston, died a few days ago at the Home for the Aged and the Infirm, who is said to have been 105 years old. This is the third centenarian in Chatham, whose death has been published in the last few months the past two months. This old woman has a brother at the Home for the Aged and Infirm, who is 84 years old and she was a grown woman when he was a small boy. She died from an attack of the grip after being sick only a day or two. Nearly every inmate of the Home for the Aged and Infirm has been sick with the grip, and superintendent has been very busy nursing them.

For the Record.

A Pleasant Marriage.

SILK HOPE, N. C., Jan. 2, 1892.

At the residence of Mr. John Henderson by S. P. Teague, Jr., J. P., December 31st, 1891 Mr. Jonnie Clark to Miss Fannie Henderson. After the many good things to eat and a pleasant night's rest and on the next morning, (being New Year's Day), two of Esq Teagues buggy wheels and all four of the groom's buggy wheels were missing, but after a diligent search of two hours they were all found again and all were ready, together with the lovey couple, and went on their way to to South Fork church, where the Friends were holding a series of meetings which had been going on nine days and is still in progress at this writing.

After spending a few hours at South Fork all were off again for Esq Oliver Clark's, father of the groom, where the good things had been waiting for us some time.

C. C. TEAGUE.

Greensboro' Items.

GREENSBORO', N. C., Jan. 13, 1892

EDITOR CHATHAM RECORD,—We are taking ten large weekly newspapers and one daily (Greensboro' *Daily Record*), and we read them. We have our preference in the paper line, as we do with men and other things. The CHATHAM RECORD is a great favorite, because we get things explained there that we did not know, that are worthy for young men committing to memory, and it serves as an educator. It is located at the county seat of one of the best counties in the State for fine lands.

Greensboro' is the county seat of Guilford county.

The large steel and iron furnaces are being built as rapidly as the nature of things and season will admit.

The girl's industrial normal school building has made a good beginning with brick work. It is near the Greensboro' mineral springs, where the lythia, chalybeate and freestone waters are in abundance.

These three mineral springs are just wonderful. A fine place for a large hotel. But the people come in crowds with bottles and vessels of various kinds. It has the praise of those that need such waters.

Street car track is laid but no cars running as yet.

This is a fine locality to live in, but the *La Grippe* did not fail to call on us. Many have suffered by it and some deaths. But a good remedy is to keep cheerful, sober and busy. When people stop to do it soon overtakes them. Rest a little and then forward, march!

The hotels have been well patronized this fall and winter, so far.

R. R. MOORE.

State News.

Concord Standard: The Silver Valley Mine, near Georgeville, is to be reopened and worked by the Universal Company, of Charlotte, which is after copper ores, each which is mixed with. The plant will be a big one.

State Chronicle: The department of agriculture is now daily receiving an unusually large number of letters from the north and northwest, making inquiries as to homes in North Carolina. Special attention is given to the answers to these inquiries.

Shelby Review: In a talk with representative farmers in this and adjoining counties, we learn two things with reference to this year's crops: That the amount of commercial fertilizers used and the acreage to be planted in cotton will not be as large as it was in last year.

Jonesboro Leader: An old batchelor in Alliance county, while leaving home to minister on religious matters remarked, "I make it a rule to hold family prayer every night of my life." Think of it—an old batchelor who has lived by himself for ten years, holding family prayer every night.

Fayetteville Observer: Counterfeit silver dollars are in circulation in those parts—that is, Mr. Frank Lupo had one "shoved" on him at Wright's Office last Tuesday. It is a very poor imitation of good money, and it would have fooled us if we had not seen the genuine coin.

State Chronicle: The Lincoln paper-mills owned by A. M. and R. Crider, who recently made an assignment, have just been sold at auction. The property was bought by R. M. Oates for $11,000. A new company will be formed and the property improved and operated on a much larger scale than formerly.

Newbern Journal: Yesterday morning Capt Lewis Rice of Adam's creek, and Capt John Thornton, of Browns Creek, brought up over 7,000 nice speckled trout (three boat loads) which they caught the night before in South River, thirty miles below Newbern. Capt. Rice will live unmolested there no more and long may he and his boys from