The Chatham Record

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 29, 1903.

Local Records.

—Your notes and accounts are due at Bynum & Headen's Nov. 1st.

—The frost yesterday morning covered the ground as white as a light snow.

—The first killing frost of this fall at this place was on last Tuesday morning.

—Nearly 200 persons bought railroad tickets for the State Fair, last week, at this place.

—Corn shuckings are now all the go, and every night may be heard the songs of the merry shuckers.

—A well known old colored brick-mason of this place, named Jacob Sutton, died quite suddenly on last Thursday.

—The "oldest inhabitant" does not remember ever before seeing a snow storm before there had been a killing frost. It is unprecedented.

—An interesting revival is being carried on at the Methodist church here by its popular pastor, Rev. J. H. Frizelle. It began last Sunday night.

—A. Max is slashing prices right and left at his big department store at Durham, and is offering bargains in all lines of general merchandise.

—Gentlemen if you want something new and nice in the way of an overcoat don't fail to call on Bynum & Headen. They also have a splendid line of clothing.

—Chatham's bird hunters can enjoy their favorite sport after next Sunday without fear of violating the law. The partridges are said to be very plentiful this year.

—Our stock of Dry Goods, Clothing, Shoes, Hats and Caps, Ladies' Jackets and Furs is complete. Come to see us and we will save you money. J. R. Weatherspoon, Sanford, N. C.

—When the citizens of this place awoke on last Sunday morning they were surprised to find all the roofs covered with snow, and the ground would have been covered if it had not rained so much.

—Your attention is again called to the splendid line of stoves at Bynum & Headen's. They have the largest stock of air tight heaters, cook stoves, and box stoves for school houses. Their prices are low.

—The telephone exchange is now in operation at the new quarters on the old "Marlin" lot. Miss Eva Hatch, who has been the polite and obliging 'central,' has tendered her resignation to take effect the 12th of next month.

—Ladies, now is the time for that coat or cape. Bynum & Headen have a splendid line of ladies' coats and capes, and the number that they have already sold speaks louder for them than anything that could be said through these columns. Give them a look before buying.

—On Friday night of next week there will be a grand educational rally and celebration at Goldston High School in the interest of that flourishing institution of learning. A large crowd is expected and an enjoyable occasion is anticipated.

—When you go to Durham be sure to call on A. Max for anything you need at the lowest prices. His great reduction sales now offer the best opportunity to get splendid bargains. Thousands of dollars worth of goods are there being sold at and below cost.

—Another lot of nice millinery just received at W. L. London & Son's, also a nice lot of yard wide black silk. Have you ever seen their nice cloaks and jackets, not only for ladies but for children. A few of those nice skirts left. Their stock of dress goods is complete. All kinds of trimmings and ornaments.

—It is now time you were having your hunting outfit and W. L. London & Son's is the place to get it. They have a good lot of guns. The best single-barrel breech-loading gun for only $5. This is a nice gun. Double-barrel guns from $10 up. Shells, shot, powder, loading tools, hunting coats, corduroy caps, leggings, good waterproof shoes, &c.

—Pickpockets were very numerous and active at the State Fair last week. Among their victims was the editor of THE RECORD, but the thief who got his pocket-book must have felt disappointed, if not disgusted, when he opened it and found only one dollar in it. We had fortunately secreted all our money but that in another pocket, which was not molested.

—We have more than once complained of the inefficiency of the railroad freight service between here and Charlotte and the many inexcusable delays that occur. We regret now to cite another proof or instance of this inefficiency. The package of sheets for THE RECORD which were sent from Charlotte on the 9th of October did not arrive here until the 26th, nearly three weeks on the way!

—We regret to hear of the death of Dr. C. N. Roberson, of New Hope township, who died on last Tuesday after a long sickness. He was one of the oldest physicians in this county and will be greatly missed in his neighborhood.

—The Supreme Court, on last Tuesday, affirmed the judgment rendered by Judge O. H. Allen at the last May term of our superior court that the railroad rights-of-way are not liable to stock law tax. The last board of county commissioners levied a stock law tax on the right-of-way of the railroads in this county, and the railroad companies contended that it was not legal, and their contention is sustained by the Supreme Court.

—The many friends of our former countyman, Mr. Philip Farrell, will regret to hear of the death of his wife at Swepsonville, on Wednesday of last week. Her remains were interred next day at Hanks' Chapel, of which church she had been a member for 26 years. Mr. Farrell requests The RECORD to express his thanks to his friends at Swepsonville and at his old home for their loving sympathy and kindness in his sad affliction.

—Who has ever before heard of a snow storm in this section as early as the 21th day of October? So far as we can learn it is unprecedented. There was a slight flurry of snow last Saturday morning, and that night it snowed a good deal—enough to surprise everybody next morning when they awoke to see the ground white with snow. It was decidedly a wintry scene, and the contrast was the more striking because Friday was as warm as a summer day.

PERSONAL ITEMS.

Mrs. J. Hamilton Herie and children have gone on a visit to her mother at Atlanta.

Mr. B. A. London, Jr. and daughter, of Charlotte, have been on a short visit to his parents.

Mr. Robert W. Bland, of this place, is summoned as a juror at the next term of the Federal court at Raleigh.

The editor of THE RECORD has accepted invitations to speak to-night at Durham and to-morrow night at New Hope, where public gatherings will be held next Tuesday.

General News Items.

In the contested case of Knight vs. Tuesley for the discretary carried by a good majority.

An unsuccessful attempt was made to assassinate President Diaz, of Mexico, last Tuesday.

Mr. E. D. Blackburn, of Ashe county, has 17 children and 126 grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

Mecklenburg county will build a new county home that will cost $15,000 and will be the finest in the State.

A hundred or more Portuguese laborers have been brought to Newbern to take the place of negro laborers.

There are now in operation in North Carolina 115 rural routes and the monthly pay roll is considerably over $20,000.

A mare, named Lou Dillon, trotted a mile at Memphis on last Saturday in the unprecedented time of one minute and 58¼ seconds.

For a pleasant physic take Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. Easy to take. Pleasant in effect. For sale by G. R. Pilkington, druggist.

The number of hail storms in the State during the past summer must have been quite large, as the agent of one hail insurance company says it incurred 500 losses.

King Edward has approved the appointment of Sir Henry Mortimer Durand, the British Ambassador at Madrid, as British ambassador to the United States, to succeed the late Sir Michael Herbert.

Fayetteville Observer: There was a shocking accident in upper Fayetteville yesterday morning, the victim of which was Emma Holmes, wife of the well known negro driver. The woman, who is a paralytic, was alone in her house on Robinson street, when in some manner her clothing caught afire and, before her neighbors, who were attracted by her terrifying screams, could reach her, she was almost burnt into a crisp.

Durham Herald: Durham county is now spending upwards of $25,000 per year in building macadam roads and about ten miles of good roads are completed annually. It is one of the greatest works in connection with the county government. The good roads are now stretching out in all directions from Durham towards the county lines and the people—many of whom at first opposed the move—are beginning to realize the advantages offered by the new system and are lending their entire support to the move.

Cumnock Jottings.

Cumnock, N. C., Oct. 24.

Jack Frost has made his appearance and nipped some of the green buds.

Several of our young people attended the fair and all report a large crowd and elegant time.

Mr. E. H. Petty, of this place, had the misfortune to lose his purse containing $41 in bills and some small change. He offered a reward of $10 for its recovery, but as yet nothing whatever has been heard from it.

The eastbound So. Ry. train has been unusually late for the past two weeks, supposedly on account of the fairs at Greensboro and Raleigh.

Freight traffic is heavy over this branch of the "Southern." Nine trains passed through here last Sunday besides the regular scheduled ones.

We are having an epidemic of chills here now. There must be some prolific malarial deposit somewhere around here.

Frank Kissell has gone to Norfolk to accept a position with a grocery store at that place.

The large 60-horse boiler for Mr. J. R. Burns' sawmill has arrived and is being put in place, and the mill will be in readiness for work the first of the week. This is the most complete plant this side of the large Piney Woods mill. The capacity will be something like 25,000 feet daily. All the machinery is of the latest, up-to-date pattern. Mr. Burns has orders for an immense amount of heavy lumber for Northern markets.

Mr. L. A. Tysor has the largest hog for his age in this community. It is 11 months old and will weigh easily 350 pounds and is not fully fat yet. Mr. Tysor will keep him until January next in the hopes of reaching the 500 pounds figure. There are several other nice hogs here.

Mr. Ivey Gilmore is at Dr. Robinson's being treated for appendicitis and is making favorable progress.

Some of the boys are shooting birds under the impression that the law has expired. This is a common mistake. Game in J. P. remark that unless it was a new act the law expired on the 15th inst. The RECORD has each year told its readers how the law was, but still it is hard for some to remember that it has been unlawful for several years to shoot birds, such as quail, before the 1st of November.

Capt. and Mrs. J. A. Moore, Mr. J. W. Bell, of Gulf, L. S. Brown and Miss Lula Johnson, of Gulf P. O., spent last Sunday at Mr. T. W. Sugg's.

Mr. T. W. Sugg has moved to Sanford last week, and we are sorry to see him leave us.

We note that there is quite a pestilence of lottery schemes just now and some agents for large mail men, looking toward prospecting Carroll at some place near Farmville. There is undoubtedly still following this Deep river road.

Mr. J. C. Adcock, of this place, has a pen of hogs that for beauty and to their age can't be beat. They are of the Black Essex breed and are beauties. They are so fat that they are totally blind.

ANONYMOUS.

Revolution In Santo Domingo.

Cape Haytien, Oct. 28.—A revolution, which has broken out in the northern part of the republic of Santo Domingo and which already has resulted in the establishing a provisional government under the presidency of General Morales at Puerto Plata, is, according to advices received here, caused by the numerous customs house frauds and prevarications of ministers of war and finance.

The signal for the outbreak of the revolt was given at 2 o'clock Saturday by three cannon shots. That same evening all the partisans of President Woss Y Gil at Puerto Plata were arrested. The inhabitants of Monte Cristi, La Ligne and Moca united and attacked Santiago. That town is now surrounded by revolutionists who have severed telegraphic communication between Santiago and La Vega. The revolutionary movement is extending.

Vice President Desehamps has sought safety in flight, and is said to be hidden in Monte Cristi, whence he is seeking an opportunity to embark on board a vessel bound for a foreign port.

The general opinion is that the government of President Woss Y Gil is lost.

Attempted Abduction.

Special to News and Observer.

Wilmington, N. C., Oct. 26.—A man giving his name as Raymon Jose, a follower of the Layton Carnival Company, but not employed by that organization, was taken from aboard the show train as it was about to leave it for Monroe, N. C., at 3 o'clock this morning and landed in the police station, where he was charged with abducting pretty thirteen-year-old Margaret McCabe, daughter of a well known ship carpenter here.

Jose had stowed the child in a box car containing show tents and other paraphernalia and she was discovered there by the carnival manager, who promptly turned the abductor over to the police. The man had promised the girl a position with the carnival company to sell confetti and met her by appointment early in the night as she was on her way to church.

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The Youth's Companion,
Boston, Mass.

Smithfield Postmaster Removed.

Washington, Oct. 26. The removal of Postmaster J. D. Massie of Smithfield, N. C., is recommended by the postoffice inspector who was sent to that place to make an investigation of the charges preferred against the official. The inspector's report occupies a position on the desk of Fourth Assistant Postmaster General Bristow, but it will be acted upon soon and then State Chairman Rollins will be asked to name a successor to Mr. Massie for the Smithfield office.

Murder at New Bern.

Special to News and Observer.

Newbern, Oct. 26.—Yesterday morning the people of Newbern were awakened to the sad news that a dastardly and cowardly murder was committed between 9 o'clock Saturday night and Sunday morning, on the railroad, between the Atlantic and North Carolina Railroad shops and National avenue, in the city limits, when Charles Meadows was murdered. The supposed murderer was Will Phillips, who some time ago ran away with Mr. Meadows' wife.

Saturday night they both were in company at Mr. S. B. Babicht's barroom. Witnesses testified before the coroner's jury tonight, that they had a quarrel in said barroom about said Meadows' wife, Meadows promising Phillips a weekly bonus, to give him his wife back, but Phiips refused. They both left the bar together and were seen together until 10 o'clock Saturday night. Meadows was found dead Sunday morning at 7 o'clock in the same place with scars on his throat as it choked to death. Phillips is under arrest. Many witnesses were examined, and intense feeling manifested. Dr. J. F. Rhem, the coroner, retired the jury at 8:15 o'clock and they returned a verdict at 9:30 that the said Meadows came to his death at the hands of Phillips. Phillips was bound over to the November term of the criminal court.

The Charlotte Observer says that John Harrison, the colored porter on the train from Roanoke to Charlotte, had a peculiar accident last Saturday evening. As the train was pulling into Mocksville, a car door slammed on his hand, cutting the thumb off smoothly at the first joint.

TAX NOTICE

As required by Law I will attend at the following times and places for the purpose of collecting the taxes due for the year 1903:

Bear Creek, Thursday, Oct. 29.
New Hope, Friday, Oct. 30.
Cumnock Shop, Saturday, Oct. 31.

All taxpayers are requested to meet me and pay promptly, and thus save costs.

JOHN R. MERRITT,
Sheriff Chatham County.
Sept. 17th, 1903.

Gastonia News: The shooting of the Chronicle mill at Belmont has stopped. The superintendent was picked up dead with the throat cut and all the operatives being home. A number of operatives were shot at once and those that escaped shooting were attending to those who were shot or dying. One young lady went into a trance and was unconscious for about twelve hours. She said when she awoke that she had been to heaven but she did not like to stay there because she had not been converted and the devil was after her all the time.

He Received a Good Rub.

It is said of John Wesley that he once said to Mistress Wesley, "Why the devil did you tell that child the same thing over and over again?" to which Mistress Wesley replied that it was because one telling is not enough. It is for this same reason that you are told again and again that Chamberlain's Cough Remedy cures colds and grip; that it counteracts any tendency of these diseases to result in pneumonia, and that it is pleasant and safe to take. For sale by G. R. Pilkington, druggist.

The Virginia Military Institute is closed on account of the prevalence of typhoid fever in Lexington, where there have been 60 cases since June and 31 this month.

Ran a Ten Penny Nail Through His Hand.

While opening a box, J. C. Mount, of Three Mile Bay, N. Y., ran a ten penny nail through the fleshy part of his hand. "I thought at once of all the pain and soreness this would cause me," he says, "and immediately applied Chamberlain's Pain Balm and occasionally afterwards. To my surprise it removed all pain and soreness and the injured parts were quickly healed." For sale by G. R. Pilkington, druggist.

Married After Many Years.

Richmond, Va., Oct. 26.—Michael O'Doherty of Kansas City and Mrs. Mary Schweitzer of this town, who were sweethearts in Killarney fifty years ago, were married here today after a separation of thirty-seven years. The bridegroom is about sixty years old and the bride is hardly less than fifty-five. Each has had a try at matrimony before and both have been in this country for several decades. The bride's maiden name was Mary McMahon.

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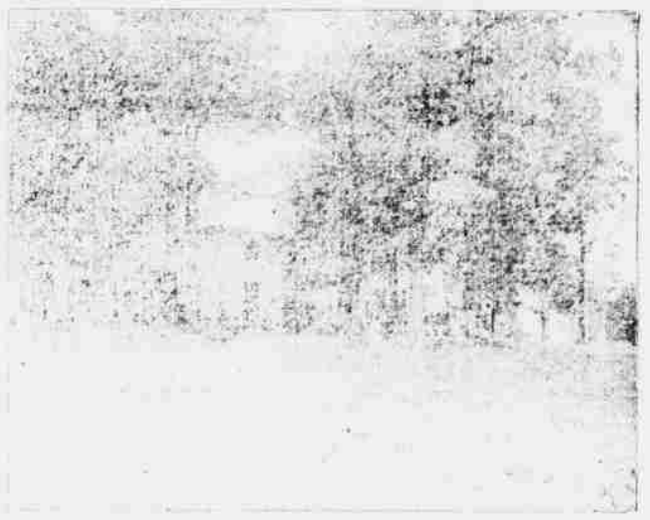

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