

The Old North State

SALISBURY, FRIDAY, JAN. 14, 1870.

LOCAL AND STATE ITEMS

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.—Valuable Real Estate—Mary B. Bradshaw. New Crop Cardenas Molasses—O. G. Paisley & Co., Wilmington.

THE WEATHER on last Saturday, Sunday and Monday was very cold, and many ice bonces have been filled during the week.

CONCERT.—MR. LEO WHEAT, accompanied by the SALISBURY BRASS BAND, will give a Concert at McNeely's Hall, on Friday night.

For the Old North State. The Pastor of Thyra and Franklin Churches hereby acknowledges, with humble gratitude, the numerous and acceptable gifts to himself and family.

REMARKABLE ESCAPE.—It will be remembered that on last Saturday a week ago, a colored man by the name of Schuyler Hooper, who was employed in assisting on the wrecked steamer of Lewis, got into a surf boat for the purpose of bailing her out.

THE SALISBURY AND CHERAW RAILROAD.—Some time in October last we stated that the chances for this road to be built seemed to be very slim.

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SALEM FEMALE COLLEGE.—We are pleased to learn that this excellent institution of learning is full to its utmost capacity, and that some sixty applications for admission had to be declined.

DWELLING BURN.—The residence of Col. W. A. Lewis, of this place, was totally destroyed by fire, Tuesday morning last, between twelve and two o'clock, A. M.

A HEAVY BUSINESS.—We are credibly informed that the firm of Brown & Bro., tobacco manufacturers of Mocksville, N. C., have paid to the proper revenue officers the sum of about \$30,000 tax on their business for the year 1869.

INTERNAL REVENUE IN THIS DISTRICT.—We see in the Raleigh Standard a table showing the amount of Internal Revenue collected in this (the 6th) District during the six months including May and October 1869.

DEATH OF REV. D. A. PENICK.—The Rev. Daniel A. Penick, an old and highly useful Minister of the Presbyterian Church, died in Cabarrus county on Saturday night last.

SMALL FRUIT RECOLLECTOR.—The January number of this valuable monthly paper, upon our table. It is full of practical instruction on growing fruit and the beautifying of the home.

LETTERS FROM TEXAS say that the tide of emigration now flowing into the State is without a parallel. It comes from many directions, and is filling up various parts of the great state.

EDGEMORTH FEMALE SEMINARY.—THIS INSTITUTION is again in successful operation. It is eminently adapted, in its organization and management, to the wants of the people and to the circumstances of the country.

MRS. WAREN, WHO HAS the advantage of having been taught music by some of the best German Professors and has also had several years experience in teaching, proposes to give instructions on the Piano and Organ.

N. C. RAILROAD.—We have been favored by Maj. Smith, the President, with a statement of the condition and working of this road for the six months ending on the 30th of November last.

AN IMPORTANT ACT.—We copy the following important act for the benefit of all whom it may concern: An Act to Declare it a Misdemeanor for any County Officer to speculate in County Claims.

See 1. That if any Clerk, Sheriff, Register of Deeds, County Treasurer, or other County or State officer, shall engage in the purchasing of any County or State claim at a less price than its full and true value, or at any discount thereon, or be interested in any speculation in such claims, he shall be guilty of a misdemeanor.

See 2. This act shall take effect from and after its ratification. Ratified the 12th day of April 1869.

A Great Scotch City.—Glasgow, though not interesting to strangers, is an extremely prosperous and busy place. It has grown faster than any city in Great Britain, having increased its population from about 300,000 in 1861 to over 850,000 at the present time.

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Shocking, of True.—The New York World is telling some terrible stories of the wickedness at Washington, in which the professional lobbyist and the lobbyist in Congress are details are given, but the following will suffice to show what a lathsome picture the writer has been painting:

Among the lobbyist women in Washington last winter was the daughter of a present U. S. Senator, whose father years ago refused to let her marry the man of her choice.

Another Senator's wife, who is an invalid, cannot be unaware, for no one else is, that her husband has stocked no less than six of his mistresses on the civil service as clerks, and that he adds to the number every session.

Another Senator, a Southern carpet-bagger, had his mistress, on the Treasury Department last year, and was influential enough to have her salary continued while he sent her to New York to undergo an abortion. She died. The Senator himself drew the arrears of pay ostensibly for the mother of the murdered woman, who has yet to see the first cent of it.

Another notable bludge of the House, was driven out of a leading hotel six years ago for notorious conduct with a married woman, and that with the consent of her husband. That husband is now clerk in the Congressman's committee, his wife is the Congressman's mistress, and her son is a member of the floor of the House, and waits on his mutual fathers every day.

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