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**Battleboro Budget.**  
Rev. Mr. Cunningham, the Presiding Elder of the Warrenton district, is here assisting Rev. G. T. Simmons in conducting a protracted meeting at the M. E. church. That considerable interest attaches is indicated by the large attendance, and the surpassing eloquence and fervor of the distinguished divine who is conducting the meeting.  
Miss Helen Gorham, left last week for Fair Bluff, N. C., where she will engage in teaching.  
Dr. H. B. Marriot and wife, Jas. H. Hobgood, J. C. Braswell and others attended the State Fair last week.  
Miss Lula Brooks a most charming young lady is here on a visit to the Misses Marriot.  
Miss Kate Johnston, of Virginia, spent last week in town, the guest of Misses Mamie Johnston and Mollie Wheelless.  
Our post office changed hands last week. The accommodating and very efficient W. P. Davis was turned out in order to make room for the Cheatham appointee, just what meant the recent addition has not yet appeared, but the comprehensive smiles of chairman Battle and his inclination show how highly they appreciate an act of kindness to a needy brother without being anything in the brother's favor.  
Our friends at Rocky Mount are still pushing ahead in preparations for the Fair. The magnificent Floral hall is nearly completed and every effort is being put forth to keep the fair up to the high reputation it has already attained.

**Rev. J. William Lee.**  
This big-hearted, big-hearted, energetic and enthusiastic Evangelist, who has been laboring zealously in this part of the Lord's Vineyard for about three weeks, has caused for self gratulation over the success with which God has blessed his efforts.  
About twenty persons were received into the Methodist church last Sunday and twelve or fifteen more have given in their names to the Pastor for membership.  
The work has not yet concluded as the Evangelist will close the meetings with services in the Methodist church to-night.  
The interest in the profoundly persuasive, eloquent and forceful preaching of Rev. Mr. Lee has struck deep into the hearts of residents of West Tarboro, as well as in this place and every meeting there witnesses many mourners and professions.  
Several of his converts will connect themselves with other churches.  
The Evangelist will begin a series of meetings with the Methodist church in Fremont on Sunday, leaving here Friday for that place, but a glowing hope will elude and linger about the grandeur of the good work he accomplished here.  
A revisit from him will be as delightful as the memory of his present visit will remain green and sweet.

**State Shoes.**  
Jim Moore, an aged colored man went into Mayor Clark's store yesterday to purchase a pair of shoes and David Pender took him into the shoe department to show them to him.  
David showed him two pair and went behind the counter to get another, but when he returned one pair was gone.  
He told the old man that a pair of the shoes was missing, but the old man, who had a bag in his hand, said he had only one pair therein and those he bought of Mr. Zander.  
David examined the bag and found the shoes. Moore was arraigned before Squire Bradley who bound him over to court, under \$100 bond to answer at next term.

**From Hamilton.**  
Married at the residence of the bride's father last Thursday at 11 o'clock a. m. near Greenville, Pitt county, Elder M. T. Lawrence of this place with Miss Naomi House by her father, Elder David House.  
No cards.  
The republicans held their county convention on the 15th and nominated the following ticket: For Legislator, Charles Colerain, Probate Judge Lafayette Moore; Register of Deeds, J. B. Hooker; Treasurer Mr. Fisher; Coroner, Perry Elliott, (col).  
Senator M. W. Ransom to address the people on the issues of the day, here next Saturday.  
Mr. Fin Hoard is quite low, do not think he can survive many days longer.  
Miss Robertson, of Salisbury, Maryland, is visiting her Brother J. D. Robertson of this place.  
We have had some frost for the last two nights.  
Catarrh indicates impure blood, and to cure it, take Hood's Sarsaparilla, which purifies the blood. Sold by all druggists.

**Edgecombe Tobacco Ahead.**  
IT TAKES FIRST PREMIUM AT STATE FAIR.  
THE SOUTHERNER tips its hat to Frank D. Foxhall.  
Mr. Foxhall exhibited ten pounds of his finest grade of tobacco cultivated and cured by his own hands and walks away with first premium of \$20 offered for the best quality of bright yellow tobacco at the State Fair.  
A lot of this tobacco was sent to G. B. Elam, of Henderson, who selected therefrom the best quality for exhibition and now Mr. Foxhall, one of Edgecombe's most industrious and energetic young farmers, has the high honor of receiving above all competitors the first premium.  
Mr. Foxhall has been the most successful tobacco grower in the county this year, his prices averaging as high as forty-one cents.  
Does this not encourage those who are engaged in its culture to work more diligently and quit planting so much cotton?  
The farmers are better pleased now than they were some weeks ago, the crops are coming in far better than they anticipated.  
A. & Greene Co., say they have nearly collected all for supplies furnished to their time customers. This is speaking well for the farmers.  
Several of our citizens attended the Raleigh fair last week and were highly pleased with it.  
Mr. Editor, of all the fess that you ever heard of or read off, we had it here last Saturday among the negro candidates. George Loyd, col, wanted one box and Frank Battle another, each speaking at the same time. We had lots of fun. G. A. White, made a very good talk to his voters.  
Charles Cutchin died last Sunday at the home of his father, B. E. Cutchin, after an illness of two months of typhoid fever.  
J. A. Cutchin and B. D. Mann have been called on to go over a part of their work again, as census enumerators.  
Miss Tempy Battle, of Nash county, is here on a visit.  
T. J. Jackson, of Chicago, is here visiting friends.  
The members of the M. P. church of this place are having the church furnished, we are glad to see this work going on.

**Commissioners Meeting.**  
The regular meeting of the town commissioners was held Tuesday-night with all present save commissioner Gant. Committee on street reported work progressing.  
It was moved by S. S. Nash that Donnell Gilliam be requested to write Mr. Cox and propose to close with him on his original proposition in regard to an electric light plant, viz: To contract for 60 lights at \$15 and light for town hall at reasonable figures, provided they can agree upon details after a personal conference. The motion was adopted.  
C. B. Mahagan appeared before the Board in behalf of the Wah-Roe Club and asked permission to use town hall during Fair week. It was decided to be inexpedient to rent the hall for dancing and the application was refused.  
S. S. Nash made a motion which was adopted that the building committee be empowered to buy the curtain and scenery for the hall.  
Misses Alice and Hattie Howard asked permission to have a tennis court on the West side of the commons and upon motion of O. C. Farrar same was granted.  
After allowing a few accounts the meeting adjourned.

**Marshes at the Fair.**  
The following is a partial list of the marshes at the Fair next week: Will Jamies, R. D. Bo, Cherry, C. B. Mehegan, Austin Williams, John Wimberly, John Mc Dowell, Capt. G. J. Studdert, J. K. Granis, J. H. Baker Jr., J. J. Martin Jr., W. L. Margrove, W. M. Pippes, W. A. Brooks, Black Creek, J. L. Arrington, J. D. Odum, W. B. Spiers and H. E. Brewer Rocky Mount, W. H. Taylor and M. W. Deans Aulander. Frank Hodges.

**PERSONAL INTELLIGENCE.**  
H. T. Latham is sick.  
Judge Phillips is at home.  
Miss Carrie Jones is improving.  
O. W. Dall is at home for a while.  
Frank Hitch, of Hamilton was in town today.  
Miss Mattie Russell has returned to Washington.  
Miss Lucy Garrett is visiting Miss Kate Cheshire.  
E. J. Hardin, of Raleigh, is visiting Dr. J. H. Baker.  
Wyatt L. Brown, of Greenville was in town Monday.  
Mrs. P. Ewell, of Williamston is visiting her parents here.  
Miss Sallie Parker is visiting her cousin, Miss Mary Phillips.  
Mrs. E. Zoeller has returned from a visit to relatives in New Jersey.  
Mrs. H. E. Keefe, of Winston, is on a visit to her mother.  
Charlie Jenkins, Jr., has recovered sufficiently to be out again.  
Almon Hart, Geo. Howard Jr., and J. H. Edwards have returned from the Raleigh fair.  
James E. Sheppard, H. G. Connor and G. H. Brown passed through town yesterday.  
P. B. Cox, who recently went to New York for treatment, has returned home much improved.  
Capt. Haywood Clark delighted his many friends with his general practices last week's intended court.  
Misses Lina Battle, Helen Fowle, Belle Bagley, Emma McVea, of Raleigh Agnes Carter, Coatsdale, Mary Bingham, Mehanville, Mittie Dawd, St. Mary's Raleigh, Mary Bunn Rocky Mount, Anna Lewis Goldsboro, and Messrs James M. Walker, High Point, Jas. S. Worsham, Wilmington, Walter E. Curtis, Greensboro Sam. S. Jackson, Pittsboro, W. R. Tucker Raleigh, Haywood Parker, Bingham's school and Walter E. Phillips, Battleboro were here to attend the marriage of H. W. Jackson with Miss Annie Phillips to-night.

—The cotton market is a little off now.  
—The purses for the races next week are worth competing for.  
—With continued good weather there will be large crowds here next week.  
—Rev. Mr. Hebbard will hold services at St. Mary's Chapel on Sunday afternoon at 3.30 p. m.  
—People in the entire eastern section of the State seem exuberant with delight over their crop prospect.  
—With cheap excursion rates on all roads a large crowd is expected to be in attendance upon the Tarboro Fair.  
—The river is on a sufficient boom for the boats to make the trip up here. The steamer Greenville came up last night.  
—John Purvis says that he has a potato that will measure four feet in length and he will exhibit it at the Fair. It will be a curiosity.  
—From reports Mr. Lee is conducting quite a successful meeting in West Tarboro. There are about twenty who have professed religion.  
—D. Lichtenstein expects to hear to-night or to-morrow from the troupe that will be here during Fair week. He is endeavoring to get the best troupe that can be found.  
—More cheap houses for rent are badly needed in this place. For persons working on a salary, to rent a large residence, would be more than they could afford, therefore it behooves property owners to engage in the erection of small dwellings to accommodate such classes.  
—The town authorities should have the holes in the commons filled to prevent serious accidents to parties passing through in buggies. A lady and gentleman came near having a serious accident yesterday. The horse stepped in a hole and the dog cart was overturned and both parties were thrown to the ground.

—Edgecombe tobacco compares favorably with any cultivated in the finest tobacco sections and the fact that a few pounds of it was purchased to be exhibited at the Atlanta Exposition is quite a big advertisement for the first attempt. Export tobacco men say that tobacco grown in this county is as good as any.

—The cotton receipts for last week were about eight hundred bales. Saturday two hundred and fifty bales were brought into market, this being the largest number brought in this season. All of the cotton is now being shipped via Hamilton, and the Hamilton railroad employees are kept quite busy. Some days two trips are made.

**Died.**  
Early this morning at his home in no 5 township Lafayette Leggett of heart disease. Aged about 58 years.  
For a number of years Mr. Leggett was closely connected with the affairs of the county and always manifested the deepest interest therein and often rendered the most valuable service.  
His death is not only a severe loss to his family and the community, but the entire county. A colored man who brought the sad intelligence of his death here remarked, that the best man in that township had passed away. Mr. Leggett's death was not unexpected. He told a friend a few days since that he did not expect to live long.  
The funeral will take place this afternoon and the Alliance will attend in a body.  
Last evening John W. Gant, aged about 55. For several terms he has been a commissioner of this town.  
"The things we know are neither rich nor rare," but marked by an uncommon ingredient of common sense. One of them is that one 25 cts bottle of Salvation Or will relieve pain.  
As true as steel, Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup 25 cts.  
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—The meeting of the Literary and Philharmonic Society is postponed till Friday night.  
Hood's Sarsaparilla is in favor with all classes because it combines economy and strength. 100 Doses One Dollar.  
**Subscribe.**  
The people generally should not be unappreciative now that Messrs. Nash, Farrar and Jeffreys have taken steps to prevent the removal of the Hamilton railroad.  
The subscription list should be immediately filled and all who can should do their utmost to have the desired shares taken up.  
It would be detrimental to every business interest if this road should be removed and the men of means should not fail to embrace the opportunity to render assistance.  
Every one should appreciate the situation and make diligent and zealous efforts to accomplish the purpose desired.

**PRIVILEGES FOR SALE.**  
THE RESTAURANT, BAR AND STALL privileges at the Fair, to be held October 28-31st, are for sale.  
No reservations will be made. The first to come will be the first served.  
If you would get your pick of STALLS, the sooner the better for you to see.  
FRANK POWELL,  
d&wtf. Secretary.

**Sales of Land.**  
By virtue of a decree of the Superior Court of Edgecombe county, in an action pending wherein Sallie Webb et al are plaintiffs and J. W. Stokes and wife are defendants (to-wit: on Monday the 2nd day of November, 1890, sell at the Court house door in Tarboro, N. C., for partition, to the highest bidder, the following land to-wit: One tract of land which was assigned to Polly Gay as her dower in the land of her deceased husband, Denney Gay, and on which she resided at death, adjoining the lands of Hardy Edwards' heirs. Root, Pitt the lands of Hardy Edwards' heirs. Root, Pitt and others, containing 19 1/2 acres, more or less, and about 19 miles from Tarboro. Terms of sale one-third cash, one-third in 18 months, one-third on note, bearing 8 per cent. interest, payable in 24 months. Title reserved until fully paid for. On the land are two residences with necessary out-buildings in good condition and good water.

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