

THE COUNTY UNION

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 2, 1897

DUNN, N. C.

SPECIAL.

All orders for job work must be paid for half when order is given and balance when delivered. Thirty days allowed on advertising.

LOCAL DOTS.

The brick-masons commenced laying the brick for the foundation of Mr. R. G. Taylor's store yesterday.

Watermelons from Florida and Georgia are passing here now every day by car loads for the northern market.

Mr. Jno A. Oates received ten tons of ice Monday, and packed it away in his ice house. He can furnish ice cheap.

Cotton chipping is about over. The plant is small but healthy and looking well through this section.

Several of our people leave today to attend the commencement exercises at Turlington Institute, Smithfield.

The Baptist Sunday School Convention at Benson last week was well attended. Several of our people went up and they report a good meeting.

Read the local advertisements in this issue of Gainey & Jordan. They are headquarters for watches, clocks, jewelry etc.

Several car loads of lumber are shipped from this point every week now. Our lumber men seem to be doing a rushing business.

Dunn still goes forward. New buildings are to be seen in every direction. Push and pluck will build any town and in this Dunn is not wanting.

Yesterday was the first day of June and the summer months have made their debut for this season. Still we have had very few days that were so warm as to be uncomfortable.

We learn that the county commissioners at their meeting Monday will try to arrange some plan for the building of a court house and to fund the county debt.

The U. S. Tintype Company have pitched their tent near the depot. They will give Thursday specially to the ladies. We have seen some of their work and it is good of the kind.

An entertainment will be given at the Town Hall Monday night by the celebrated Weber family. See their "ad" elsewhere in this issue. Admission for gentlemen 25 cents, ladies and children 15 cents.

There are few houses in this town that have lightning rods on them. If properly but up they might save a house and probably a large fire in the town. It is well for property owners to take every precaution against fire.

Rev. A. J. McKelway, of Fayetteville, will deliver a temperance lecture before the W. C. T. U. here at the Baptist church Friday evening June 11th. Subject: "The bar-room and its evils." Everybody is invited to attend.

The tax lists will soon be around for you to list your property for taxation. You are required to list for taxation all property, except twenty-five dollars worth of personal property which is exempted that is in your possession on June 1st. The tax on the poll will be the same this year as last year—\$2.00.

Mr. A. B. Harrell, advance agent for the Southern Cineograph Co., arrived in town yesterday afternoon. This Company will give an entertainment at popular prices in Town Hall on Wednesday and Thursday nights of this week. The Cineograph, with its pictures moving as in real life, is truly a wonderful instrument and none should fail to see it.

Monday was observed as Decoration Day in the United States in honor of those who fought and died on the Federal side in the late war. All the National cemeteries were decorated with flowers. At Newbern the negroes went to the cemetery decorated the graves of the soldiers, and had speeches from some leading negro orators over the graves of the dead Union soldiers.

People and Their Movement.

Mr. J. G. Cox is visiting relatives in Wilson this week.

Mr. E. F. Young is in Wilson this week on business.

Mr. H. E. Brewer spent Sunday in Sampson with friends.

S. A. Salmon, Esq., of Lillington, was in town Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Austin are visiting relatives near Newton Grove this week.

Mr. J. H. Burke and wife spent Sunday in Lillington with friends.

Miss Mamie Kelly, of Sanford, is visiting her uncle, Mr. J. H. Burke, on Broad Street.

Ex-Sheriff Colin McArtan of Lillington, was in town yesterday.

Miss Lizzie McKay, of Dickinson, spent Sunday and Monday in town with relatives.

Mr. J. D. Stewart, of Columbia, S. C., a Harnett county boy, paid us a pleasant call last week.

Elder J. J. Harper, of Smithfield, spent Sunday night here with his father and mother.

Messrs. D. H. McLean and J. C. Clifford went to Lillington yesterday on professional business.

Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Surles and little son returned from a visit to relatives near Benson Monday.

Miss Alda Green, of Buie's Creek, took the cars here Saturday for Dunbar, S. C., where she will spend some time with Mrs. L. Dew—see Spence.

Miss Addie Byrd left yesterday Morning for Smithfield to attend the commencement exercises of Turlington Institute.

Miss Fannie McLean, of Summerville spent a short while in town Monday on her way home from Peace Institute, Raleigh, where she has been attending school.

Prof. R. J. Weber and sons are in town for a few days to do piano and organ work. The Weber family have a broad reputation as fine musicians. They come to our town well recommended.

Prof. L. C. Brogden left Monday for Chapel Hill to attend the commencement of the State University of which he is an alumni. He will spend his vacation with relatives in Goldsboro.

Miss Mattie Carr and Miss Annie Pearsall attended the Sunday school Convention at Benson. Miss Carr left their for her home in Mount Olive. She has many friends here who wish her to return and teach again.

The Celebrated Wober Family will give an entertainment at the Town Hall Monday night, June 7th.

Come out, bring your sweet heart, or mother-in-law and enjoy a hearty laugh along with good music etc. The mostest fun for the leastest mon.

Gentlemen 25 cents, ladies and children 15 cents.

Doors open at 8 o'clock, commence at 8:30.

Most coughs may be cured in a few hours or at any rate in a few days, by the use of Ayer's Cherry Pectoral. With such a prompt and sure remedy as this at hand, there is no need of prolonging the agony for weeks and months. Keep this remedy in your house.

Died.
Mrs. Betsey Bridgers, aged 84 years, died at her home near Little River Academy Monday morning at 7 o'clock. She was buried at the Surlis' grave yard yesterday beside her husband who died last December at the age of 74 years. She had been sick only a few days with a severe cold. She was a member of the Free Will Baptist church at Collier's Chapel and had lived a consistent member for many years.

If you want the best sewing machine on earth buy the Improved New Home. It has already proved its qualities and will not cost you a cent to try one. See me.
M. F. GAINNEY.

THE U. S. TINTYPE CO., can be found making Tintype Pictures for 10 cents each, 2 at a shot 20¢, until Saturday, near the depot.

What to do Now!

After the fine address we had at the depot by Rev. Mr. Jones of the Disciple church, on the great evil of the drink traffic in Dunn, it will not be hard for any one, who has the good of his town at heart, to decide what to do in regard to the continuance of the saloons here.

A vote for "NO LICENSE" on the 14th of June, by our people, will rid us of the great iniquity of being a party to the degradation of our fellow man through the liquor traffic. And all who claim to be friends of humanity, if not friends of the Lord Jesus, will have no hesitation in taking the right stand in so great a matter.

If I love my neighbor I want to help him to live in honor to himself and to his country and his God. But I must not vote to put stumbling blocks in his path, that will cause him to fall into ruin. I will do all I can to remove them. If so, I will vote to take away the liquor evil, that may prove the destruction of my neighbor, and his boys, or some member of his family. Christ came to save men, and if I am His, I will desire to save them too.

To patronize the Saloons is to destroy men; and no christian can do this, without committing a great sin. May we all see this now; and, while we have the opportunity, vote against that which ruins the man, beggars his family, and destroys his home.

OBSERVER.

Earthquake Monday.

Monday about two o'clock in the afternoon several of our citizens felt a distinct earthquake shock which lasted for a few seconds. It was very slight here and shook only a few houses perceptibly.

It seems that the shock was nearly all over the country, east of the Mississippi river, from the telegraphic reports in yesterday's papers, and that it was moving from the south-east to north-west. At no place was but little damage done. At Knoxville, Tennessee, two chimneys are reported to have been thrown to the ground and the city pretty badly shaken.

The shock was perceptibly felt although the States of Georgia, South Carolina, Tennessee, Kentucky, Ohio, Indiana, West Virginia, Virginia, North Carolina and in some sections east of the Mississippi. At no point was it severe but in some places the inhabitants were badly frightened.

At Raleigh it is reported that it was severe enough to shake brick from the top of chimneys.

At some places it was accompanied by a roaring sound which lasted for about a minute. Many places report a second shock which was perceptibly felt by many.

In Dunn it was so slight that very few took any cognizance of it and only thought about it when others commenced to talk of it.

Watches, Clocks, Jewelry and Spectacles repaired by
GAINNEY & JORDAN.

The University Catalogue.

47 Professors and Instructors—549 Students—The University Catalogue for 1897 shows marked growth in every department of the institution. 110 courses in 14 departments are offered. The College has 307 students; the Medical School 34; the Summer School 158, making a total less duplicates of 549, taught by 47 professors and instructors. This is the largest attendance since 1851.

Women are admitted to all Graduate courses. The Departments of Pharmacy will be ready for work in September for next session. Free tuition is offered to teachers and candidates for the ministry. 76 endowed scholarships are given to needy boys of talent and character. Money is loaned in small sums when possible to students needing help. For catalogue write to President Alderman, Chapel Hill, N. C.

The old reliable Seth Thomas Clocks for sale by Gainey & Jordan.

—You have no idea what F. P. Jones has unless you examine his stock, and his prices cannot be questioned.

See the Wheeler and Wilson Machine at E. F. Young's. Its a hammer—Greatest range of work.

Sunday School Pic-Nic.

On last Thursday morning at 9 o'clock quite a number of Sunday School workers and scholars of the different Sunday schools of the town, left on an excursion trip for Rhodes' Mill, a most pleasant resort, and there spent the day. It was a day appropriate for the occasion—one of the loveliest of the season. By 11 o'clock a good crowd had gathered beneath the shade near the pond.

All arrived safe and sound, though some of the more fortunate ones claimed that they came through on second-class tickets. After promenading and boat-riding for two hours, which seemed to be greatly enjoyed dinner was announced and after prayer by Rev. E. C. Sell, all feasted for half an hour on the dainties spread before them prepared by the good ladies. After all were fully satisfied several basketsful remained. Plenty for all and some left. At 2 o'clock all were seated beneath the majestic oaks that furnished such delightful shade, to hear the speaking. The orators chosen for the occasion were Rev. E. C. Sell, Messrs D. H. McLean and J. C. Clifford, all of whom delivered excellent speeches for the Sunday school cause. Indeed it was an intellectual feast.

After the speaking was over few attempts were made to catch fish but were unsuccessful, it being just for that particular day a time for fishing on land. Whether the latter was successful or not time only can tell.

When the shades of the evening were falling the tired and happy pic-nickers turned their faces homeward fondly dreaming of the delightful day spent on the banks of Rhodes' Mill.

Health and happiness are relative conditions; at any rate, there can be little happiness without health. To give the body its full measure of strength and energy, the blood should be kept pure and vigorous by the use of Ayer's Sarsaparilla.

Died.
William Edgus, the little son of Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Byrd, of Bunnlevel, N. C., was born April 18th, 1895 and died May 18th, 1897. God seeing where the little baby could glorify him more perfectly in heaven than on earth called him home to forever live with him. The child was the idol of all who knew him. His little place will be hard to fill. He was the brightest child the writer ever saw and was devoted to his parents although so young. God bless this dispensation of his providence to the good of the family.

"Mother, father, do not weep
I have only gone to sleep;
If you'll trust God and be brave
We will meet beyond the grave."
S. L. P.

You run no risk. All druggists guarantee Groves' Tasteless Chill Tonic to do all that the manufacturers claim for it.—Sold and guaranteed by Hood & Grantham, Dunn, N. C.

Warranted no cure, no pay. There are many imitations. To get the genuine ask for Groves—Sold and guaranteed by Hood & Grantham, Dunn, N. C.

Minzo Sparks.
With mind and body all in tune, Hurrah! for THE COUNTY UNION and leafy June.

Good rains and much needed ones fell in this section Saturday, and our farmers are all busy planting potatoes.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Giles, of Giles' Mill, spent Sunday in our community.

We are now having a splendid Sunday School at Bethesda and is increasing in number.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Warren visited friends near Bass last week.

We were glad to see our friend, Mr. W. F. Dawson, of Giles' Mill, in our community Sunday.

Whatever may be the cause of bleaching, the hair may be restored to its original color by the use of the potent remedy Hall's Vegetable Siccilian Hair Renewer

Why will you buy bitter nauseating tonics when GROVES' TASTELESS CHILL TONIC is as pleasant as Lemon Syrup. Your druggist is authorized to refund the money in every case where it fails to cure. Price, 50 cents.

Do you need feed Oats? If so call on S. G. Marks & Co.

Orange Phosphate is no bad drink—cold as ice at Hood & Grantham's.

Tutt's Pills Cure All Liver Ills.

A CLEAR HEAD; good digestion; sound sleep; a fine appetite and a ripe old age, are some of the results of the use of Tutt's Liver Pills. A single dose will convince you of their wonderful effects and virtue.

A Known Fact. An absolute cure for sick headache, dyspepsia, malaria, sour stomach, dizziness, constipation, bilious fever, piles, torpid liver and all kindred diseases.

Tutt's Liver Pills

Giles' Mill Items.

Cotton and corn is looking well. Mr. G. L. Baggett has the finest field of corn in this section. He has a field of seven acres in which the corn will average two and a half feet high.

Mr. W. S. Strickland has been home for two weeks past. He leaves to-day for the upper part of Wake county to sell bed springs.

It is with pleasure that we learn that Mr. W. M. Hawley of this section won the debater's medal at Buie's Creek Academy, and we extend our congratulations.

Miss Lela Highsmith who has been visiting friends in this community returned home to-day, accompanied by Mrs. O. D. Strickland and Messrs. J. M. Page and F. West.

Messrs. R. H., J. E., and W. H. Strickland are making brick at the Strickland Gin.

No Cure—No Pay. That is the way all druggists sell GROVES' TASTELESS CHILL TONIC for Chills and Malaria. It is simply Iron and Quinine in a tasteless form. Children love it. Adults prefer it to bitter, nauseating Tonics. Price, 50c. Sold and guaranteed by Hood & Grantham.

Malaria produces Weakness, General Debility, Biliousness, Loss of Appetite, Indigestion and Constipation. Groves' Tasteless Chill Tonic, removes the cause which produces these troubles. Try it and you will be delighted. 50 cents. To get the genuine ask for Groves—Sold and guaranteed by Hood & Grantham.

A full line of Glass-ware, Tinware, and Fruit Jars just received at S. G. Marks & Co.'s

Just received a lot of those Wheeler & Wilson No. 9. See them at E. F. Young's.

Everything cheap at N. B. Hood's drug store.

Don't forget to call at Massengill's and look at the perfect fitting suits. They look just like Tailor Made.

S. G. Marks & Co. are selling best Apple Vinegar at 20¢ per gallon.

Fresh Pork sausage and all sorts of soft drinks on ice at F. P. Jones'.

You can buy Pumps, Points, Well Pipe &c. at your own price from S. G. Marks & Co.

Sugar, Coffee, Molasses, Flour, Meal etc., etc., from Lane & Co.

Fruit Nectar, Sherbert, Lemonade, Milk Shake, Coca-Cola and a variety of nice cold drinks now served at N. B. Hood's drug store.

Cut and Smoked Herrings at F. P. Jones'.

ICE FOR SALE.—I am now prepared to serve you with a good quality of ice. Leave your orders with me and they will be filled properly. Ice house at Town Hall. I can sell it to you cheaper than you can order it.

Respectfully,
JOHN A. OATES.

—It is admitted that F. P. Jones has the best Grocery store in Dunn.

See S. G. Marks & Co's 20¢ Tobacco, before you buy.

All the leading brands of Snuff are sold by S. G. Marks & Co.

Groves' Tasteless Chill Tonic is a perfect Malarial Liver Tonic and blood purifier. Removes Biliousness without purging. As pleasant as Lemon Syrup. It is as large as any Dollar tonic and retails for 50c. To get the genuine ask for Groves—For sale and guaranteed by Hood & Grantham, Dunn, N. C.

Don't fail to call at N. B. Hood's drug store when you need medicine.

NOW IS THE TIME TO GET MARRIED!

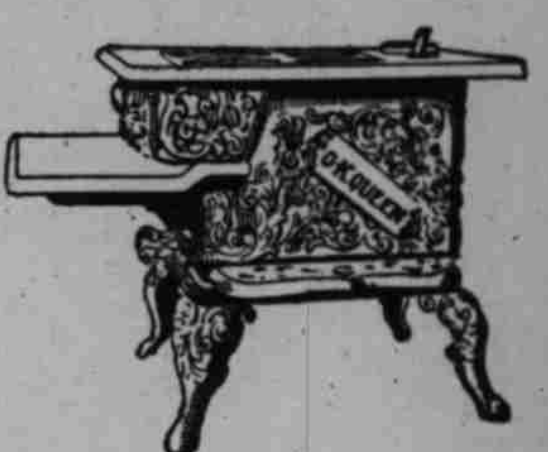


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OUR MOTTO. LOW PRICES TALK.

You must see and get our prices on Cook Stoves, Baby Cradles, Baby Carriages, Bed Steads, Suits, Bed Springs, and Mattresses to appreciate what we are doing for you.

We have on hand a complete line of Rubber and Leather Belting, Inspirators and all kind of Engine Fittings for the mill men of this country which we are offering at prices never before heard of.



When you come to town make our place headquarters. We will save you money and make it pleasant for you.

YOURS TO PLEASE,

DUNN HARDWARE & FURNITURE CO., DUNN, N. C.
Privett & Holliday,
A. L. Pearsall, Salesman.
[Next door to J. J. DUPREE]

N. B. HOOD, DRUGGIST AND PHARMACIST.

I buy for cash and am prepared to sell at the very lowest prices. With my experience and convenience I am prepared to fill PRESCRIPTIONS promptly and accurately at the very lowest cost.

My stock is now complete, and I can furnish anything found in a First-Class Drug Store. Orders promptly filled.

Country Merchants are invited to see me.

I thank all for past favors and cordially invite you to come and see me. I can save you money.
Very Respectfully,
N. B. HOOD, Dunn, N. C.

BROWN'S SALOON,

D. McBROWN, Proprietor.

[After January 1st, 1897, I will be in the store now occupied by Mr. S. V. Parker.

To get fresh pure liquors call on me.
Water is a first-class drink in its place but it don't beat
OLD NORTH CAROLINA CORN WHISKEY SOLD BY ME.

ALL are invited to drink with me. what ever your circumstances may be.
DRINKS are good, wherever found. If you want good drinks call on McBrown.



Nerve Coca is a delightful drink, quenches thirst and cools the system, increases the activity of the brain and gives tone to the nerves. Invaluable for professional and business men. On draught at Hood & Grantham's Drug Store.

Notice!
Having been appointed Registrar for the approaching Local Option election to be held at the Town Hall in Dunn on the 2nd Monday in June 1897, for the town only, all persons who have not registered in any previous town election who wish to vote in said election will be required to see me and have their names placed on the registration book. I will have the book open at Town Hall on Thursday, Friday, and Saturday, June the 10th, 11th, and 12th, 1897. This May 14th, 1897.
B. M. F. COATES, Registrar.

LADIES—Don't fail to examine the perfect-fitting "Featherbone" Corsets, the best and cheapest on the market. All styles of these goods at R. G. Taylor's, Dunn, N. C.

Sherbert, Pineapple, Raspberry, Strawberry, Cherry and Orange all made from Pure Fresh Crushed Fruit at Hood & Grantham's.

COCA COLA!—The refreshing drink and specific for headache, Relieves mental and physical exhaustion. Properly dispensed at Hood & Grantham's drug store.