

# THE COUNTY UNION

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 4, 1897.

DUNN, N. C.

## SPECIAL.

All orders for job work must be paid for when delivered, Thirty days allowed on advertising.

## LOCAL DOTS.

Remember that next Tuesday is election day.

Mr. K. L. Howard killed a mad dog near his mill in Sampson Monday.

Editorial page for other local matter this week.

Misses Kennedy & Benton will, we learn, move their entire stock of goods to Benson.

Some very large melons are being brought to town now. One load of fine ones sold for 100 cents each Monday.

The Dunn Hardware and Furniture Company have an attractive case of guns in their store. The case is beautiful.

Several of our young men went down to Fayetteville yesterday afternoon to witness the Firemen's Tournament.

We are glad to see several of the citizens from Benson in our town. They are attending the tent meeting.

A novelty in clothes pins can be found at S. G. Marks & Co's store. They are the best clothes pins we have ever noticed.

Several of our citizens will attend the Confederate Re-union at Bensonville tomorrow. General Ransom is expected to be present and deliver an address.

There will be a discussion of the local school tax law at Rhodes' Mill in Cumberland Saturday afternoon. F. P. Jones, Esq., of Dunn, and others will make speeches.

Mr. Stion T. Barefoot presented The Union with a large red apple Saturday. It measured ten and a half inches in circumference and was of a delicious flavor.

The weather is getting too dry again. We have had no rain for over two weeks and crops are beginning to suffer. The prospect for good crops is excellent now, if we have rain in time.

Mayor H. L. Godwin has moved into his new office on Lucknow Square. He is in neat and comfortable quarters and will be pleased to have his friends call and see him.

The four months old twin babies of Mr. and Mrs. Gilliam of this township died Tuesday in a few hours of each other. They were placed in the same coffin and buried. Rev. J. F. Owens preached the funeral.

We are requested to announce that Elder S. F. Bass will preach at the Primitive Church here on the third Sunday evening in this month at 7:30 o'clock. He will be at Hannah's Creek in Johnston county on third Sunday morning and Saturday before.

On the first page will be found an original cartoon representing a board of public school committee in Harnett county. The cartoon is not perfect by any means but it is sufficient to convey the idea. This is a horrible state of affairs and a bitter pill for the white men of the county to swallow.

We learn that the negroes all through the county are going to vote against the local tax for schools. The Democrats allowed them to manage their own schools but under this new law they have no more voice in the management of their schools than they have in the management of the white schools.

Mr. W. I. Stewart of Grove township started with a Mr. Denning to town last Friday morning and in passing a neighbor's house the mule they were driving became frightened at a dog and began to run. Mr. Stewart jumped out of the wagon and was quite badly shaken up. The bit to the bridle broke and the mule proceeded to run back up the road for about a mile when a gentleman on the road stopped him. Mr. Denning remained in the wagon and was not hurt.

## People and Their Movement.

Miss Tunie Dupree is visiting Mrs. Thos. Fowler.

Miss Lillie Fowler spent Sunday in town with relatives.

Miss Sallie Johnson, of Guley's Mill, is visiting Mrs. J. H. Burke.

Mrs. J. H. Burke has returned from a visit to her people in Johnston.

Misses Bertha and Ethel Gerald are visiting relatives near Selma.

Miss Lizzie McKay, of Dickinson, spent Sunday with Miss Irene McKay.

Mr. John A. Green and wife, of Lillington, were in town today.

Misses Gertrude and Annie Harper returned from a visit to Rev. J. J. Harper, near Smithfield, yesterday.

Mr. E. F. Young and little daughter, Isabella, returned from the Beach Monday night on the excursion.

Master Willard Jackson returned Friday from his grandfather's in Sampson where he had been for several weeks.

Mr. A. M. Pittman left yesterday afternoon for Rowland where he has a contract to build some dwellings.

Mr. B. F. Williams, of Winslow, was a welcome visitor in our town Sunday. He joined the excursion party Monday and went to Wilmington.

Miss Sallie Cox, of Latta, S. C., spent a few days with Mrs. G. F. Snead last week. She is now visiting near Newton Grove.

Dr. Marsden Holden and wife, of Concord, N. C., are visiting their daughters Mrs. J. G. Johnson and Mrs. G. F. Snead of our town.

Prof. Hill came in yesterday afternoon and will remain until his school opens. We extend him a cordial welcome to our town and hope he will meet with success.

Mr. S. A. Salmon, of Lillington, was in town today. He says The Union is always the first paper he reads and that he could not afford to be without it. Suppose you try it for three months.

Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Hooks and children returned to the city Saturday from an extended visit to relatives and friends in Concord. They were accompanied by Misses Kate and Nan Archibald, of Concord's sisters of Mrs. Hooks, who will spend some time here.

Mr. C. H. Barnes, of Macon, Ga., is visiting his brother, Mr. J. D. Barnes, mother and sisters here. He is general real estate agent and land broker for the southern part of Georgia, and is doing quite a nice business.

Mr. W. S. Long, of Roberdell, Richmond county, is in the city. He is here on a visit to his sister, Mrs. Dr. J. C. Goodwin. He will try to establish a camp of the "Woodmen of the World," a social order with an insurance feature while here. The headquarters of this order are at Omaha, Neb.

Next Tuesday is the day for the school tax election. Be sure to attend and vote.

The Greensboro Telegram, a bright and newsy afternoon paper, made its first appearance Saturday afternoon. Mr. C. P. Sapp is editor and Mr. Jos. J. Stone business manager. It is a valued exchange and we wish for it much success.

The first issue of the Standard, a six column weekly, published at Southport, N. C., was received last week. It is a neatly printed sheet and should receive a liberal patronage.

A gentleman from Sampson came into town Saturday afternoon and filling up on corn juice or cider that he had brought along with him became offensive and insulted one of our young merchants who proceeded to do him up in a rough manner. A submission by both before the Mayor increased the treasury of the town four dollars.

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## THE TENT MEETING.

EVANGELIST LEAVITT STILL CALLING SINNERS TO REPENTANCE.

The tent meetings continue with unabated interest. Large crowds flock beneath the canvass at each service.

Sunday was a big day in the history of Dunn. Early in the morning every road leading into the city was lined with vehicles loaded with souls hungry for the bread of eternal life. Three services were held that day as usual, and much interest was manifested.

The Evangelist has no favorites and at times peels the hide off both saint and sinner. His sayings are heart searching and not many can go away from the tent feeling that they have not been condemned. Tobacco and snuff users are condemned and as some of them go away from the tent they go and bury their tobacco and snuff cans. The preacher is condemned by some for his fearless denunciation along this line while others fully agree with him in all he says.

Next Sunday is expected to mark another big day in Dunn's history, as people from far and near are expected to be here.

## The Excursionists.

Early Monday morning with the rising of the sun, people began to hasten to the depot to join the pleasure seekers whose good fortune it was to go on the Hatch Bros. excursion. Quite a good number boarded the cars at this place, and when the train pulled in to our neighboring town, Benson, the number was swelled to hundreds. All along the line the number was increased and by the time we reached the last point at which passengers were taken on, every car was crowded. On to the beautiful city of Wilmington we sped, and at about one o'clock we approached its gates. No change of cars was made, and soon we found ourselves swiftly gliding along on our way to Ocean View which was reached after a few minutes ride. Here many of the excursionists viewed for the first time the grand and majestic ocean, and beheld with wonder and amazement the great handiwork of Omnipotence, as the waves broke on the beach and receded only to be followed by another. The merry crowd strolled along the beach and bathed in the surf until 4 o'clock when they again boarded the cars for the return to Wilmington when after a good long tramp down Front street they found themselves ready to board the beautiful steamer "Wilmington" for a 24 mile ride down the river. Seated upon that beautiful steamer that has carried so many happy excursionists, the party began to enjoy the special feature of the trip. It was still early and calm and the waters scarcely murmured as the old "Wilmington" gently glided through them. It would seem almost at times that the waters were asleep, but at times the great bosom of the deep would breathe and show to its admirers that it was yet foaming and restless, and the gentle zephyrs of the evening wafted far out upon the river the sweet notes of "Love's Dreamland" waltz and other selections rendered by the band which was a happy feature of the occasion, and we venture the assertion that vocal notes of sweetest love and fondest affections were heard in some parts of that majestic boat which found an hiding place in the deep recesses of some fair maidens' hearts.

The Hatch Bros. excursion will long be remembered as one of the most enjoyable occasions that has ever gone out from Dunn. These gentlemen make the excursion business a specialty during the summer months, and their success is only due to their splendid management and first-class accommodation. We congratulate them on their success, and hope our people may have another opportunity of patronizing them in the future.

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MRS. JNO. A. OATES.  
July 19th, 1897.

We have numerous other testimonials attesting the good qualities of the New Lee Stove some of which will appear in these columns from time to time.

## Excursion Scene.

Public courtship is often performed and at times it becomes necessary for one to make the desires of his heart known, even in the eyes of the public, but the art of public hugging has never yet been successfully done without attracting the eyes of those about. Hugging is an excellent thing in its place and we admit that we all do it—more or less—but we have never yet come into the embrace of a perfected hugging machine.

Our eyes were made to see and our pencil was made to describe the observations of the eyes but in this instance the latter is not equal to the task. At times the scene was more interesting than at others, but the repetition of the same act made it become "stale" and the charms lost their "sweetness." Our eyes fell upon a gushing, voluptuous young maid with pretty black eyes and with long glossy tresses trailing down her back. Her name seemed to be, from appearances, "Squeeze-me, Hug-me-tight," the young men by her side seemed to realize fully the meaning of the name and did the work up in style.

Man generally, cannot stand more than 265 pounds pressure—the maximum limit of a steam engine—but circumstances altered things in this case, and the young men bore a greater amount of pressure from those rushing about the scene.

A hug and caress may be all right when you have had your regular meals, but on an empty stomach it brings little relief and comfort, thus it fails to fill an important part of the programme. For us, give us our regular meals, and plenty of room with only two witnesses to the scene, and we will try to hold up our proportional part the pressure.

## Married.

This morning at 10 o'clock at the home of the bride's father, Mr. W. B. Jones, living near Dunn, Miss Kizzie L. Jones was united in marriage to Mr. B. F. Heath, J. W. Lucas, J. P., officiating. This probably is the last official act Mr. Lucas will perform as his six years term as a Justice of the Peace expires to-night. He has the consolation of knowing that his last official act brought sunshine and happiness to two fond lover's hearts. May married bliss follow them all the days of their life.

On Sunday morning in the Little River Academy Section, Mr. J. M. Bass, a hardworking and highly respected young man of our town was joined in matrimony to Miss Mackie Colyer of the Little River section, a sister of Mrs. H. B. Anderson of our town. The marriage took place at the residence of the bride's father and was a quiet home marriage. We extend to this young married couple our best wishes and hope for them a long, happy and prosperous life. They will make their home in Dunn.

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JERSEY CALF STRAYED.—On May 8th a light colored heifer Jersey calf strayed from my farm. It was then about four months old and unmarked. I have reason to believe that it was seen at Alex Norris', near Dunn, about the middle of May. Any information leading to its recovery will be liberally rewarded.

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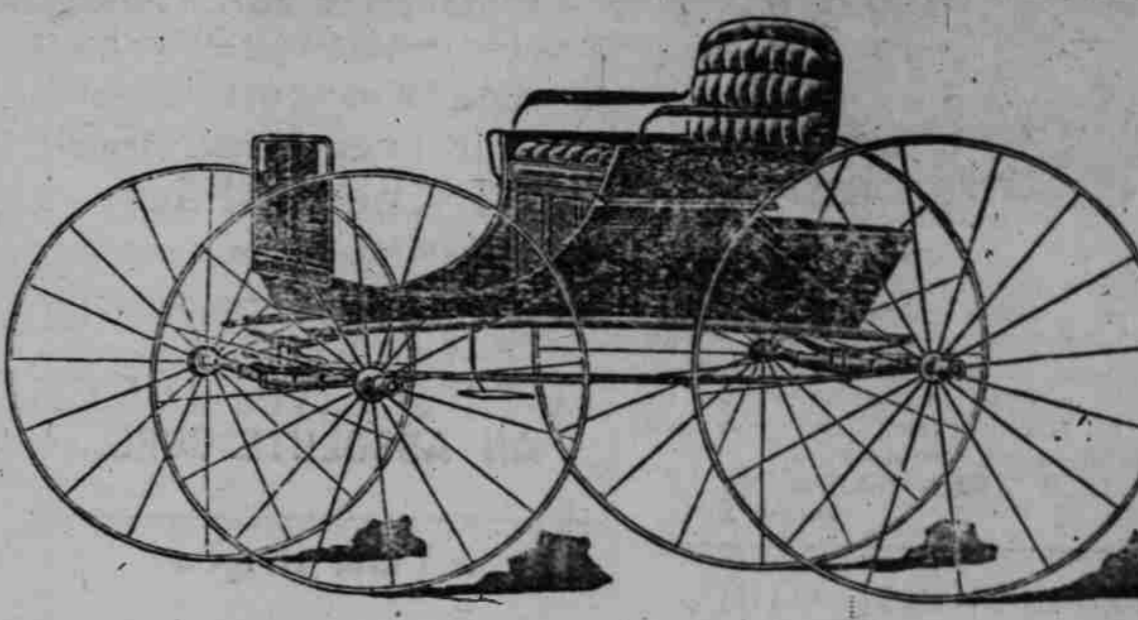
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G. R. HODGES.  
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