

THE COUNTY UNION

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 26, 1898.
DUNN, N. C.

LOCAL DOTS.

—Cotton is selling for 52 cents to-day.

—The Dunn Hardware and Furniture Company can now be found in their new quarters.

—Mr. H. L. Godwin has opened up a grocery store in the Godwin building on Locknow Square.

—A bright little girl baby is queen of policeman Sneed's house. Her reign dates from Sunday afternoon.

—Mr. J. W. Bain has opened up a new grocery store on Broad street and has a choice stock.

—The town authorities have had a good foot-way erected across the branch between the town and cemetery.

—Lane & Galbraith have the best mules and horses ever brought to Dunn. Don't buy until you see them.

—Mr. R. M. Pearsall is erecting a handsome dwelling in the southern part of the town. He has two rooms already completed.

—There will be preaching on next Sunday at 11 o'clock a. m., at Holmes' School house by Rev. D. B. Parker.

—Don't buy a mule or horse until you see Lane & Galbraith's Tennessee raised mules and horses. They are the best on the market.

—During the warm weather week before last we learn that a Mr. Warren, who lives over in Sampson a few miles from town, had a large fat hog to die from the effects of the heat.

—The city of Wilmington has had only two cases of small pox to develop yet, the city council met Monday and ordered compulsory vaccination of all the inhabitants free of charge.

—We learn that Chairman Green has given the order this week for an iron cell to be put in the county jail. This will save the county the expense of sending her capital offenders to Fayetteville jail. He expects to have it by court.

—Mr. C. E. Pope, who has served as tyro on THE UNION for about three years, has accepted a position on the Smithfield Herald and left for that place Saturday. We wish him much success.

—The pond back of the Methodist church is thoroughly drained and there is no longer fear of malaria from that source. The town authorities have had a deep ditch cut through it which drains it well.

—The warm weather in this month has brought about a good number of colds and we learn of several cases of pneumonia. Willie, the little son of Mr. R. H. Core, who lives on Broad street, we learn is quite sick with it.

—Two cases of small pox were reported at Charlotte Monday. A negro man and a negro girl were found sick with it. A strict quarantine was made around the houses they are in and every effort made to stop the spread of the disease.

—The little folks of the town had a party at the Jackson House last Friday evening. Quite a number of the little lads and little lassies attended and had a jolly good time playing and eating good things prepared for the occasion by the gallant little lads.

—On Friday night, Feb. 4th, our town boys will give a musical concert and minstrel for the benefit of the gymnasium. The boys are already rehearsing and will give you something good, so don't fail to come as it is for a good object.

—Quite a large crowd attended the quarterly conference here Saturday and Sunday. Our people are well pleased with Presiding Elder Bishop, and enjoyed his sermons Sunday morning and night, which were well prepared and eloquently delivered.

—Our genial hotelier, Mr. Jno. A. Oates of the Divine, has some strawberry plants on his lot in the southern part of the town and had some of them covered with straw. He was examining his plants the other day and found a young berry on it. He says he is going to protect it carefully and have the first berries of the season this year.

People and Their Movement.

Mr. J. J. Wilson made a trip to Raleigh last week.

Miss Cora Parker, of Avera-boro, is visiting Mrs. E. L. Parker.

Mrs. J. W. Jordan returned from a visit to her mother in Johnston last Friday.

Mrs. L. H. Lee left Saturday to spend several days with her husband at Rowland.

Miss Josie Adams, of Four Oaks, came down Saturday evening and returned Sunday.

Misses Lida and Saddle Adams, of Little River Academy spent Sunday in town with Miss Nettie Barnes.

Mr. A. L. Pearsall, the popular clerk in N. B. Hood's drug store, left Saturday for Clinton to visit his parents.

Misses Hettie and Ross Darden, of Little River Academy, spent Monday night in town with Mrs. Brewer.

Rev. F. A. Bishop, Presiding Elder of the Fayetteville District, came up last Friday and held the first quarterly conference with the church here Saturday and Sunday.

Rev. I. W. Rodgers, who was pastor of the Disciple church here last year, stopped over here Friday night on his way home from a trip to his mother in Missouri.

Mr. J. A. Galbraith, of Mossy Creek, Tennessee, who is engaged in handling stock here and at Smithfield, came down Friday and remained here until Monday noon.

Miss Emma Woodall from near Benson, who visited her sister and niece, Mrs. Effie Harper and daughter, Meta, last week, returned home Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Stephenson, of Atta, Johnston county, attended the quarterly conference of the Methodist church here Saturday and Sunday and were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Shell.

—Dr. H. G. Hill, of Maxton, will come up Friday and will preach at the Presbyterian church Friday night at seven o'clock. He will also preach the dedicatory sermon at the church Sunday morning at 11 o'clock. Dr. Hill is one of the ablest Presbyterian divines in the State.

—The town aldermen held a meeting last week and elected Mr. J. A. Driver night watchman in place of Mr. Tim Norris. Mr. Driver is now on duty each night. He made one of the best policemen the town has ever had and we believe that all our citizens are pleased at his appointment.

—We would be glad for you to continue to read THE UNION but unless something is done by you to show your appreciation in the way of paying your subscription we shall be forced to drop your name from our list. We cannot afford to send the paper out for years and years without pay, and we hope those who are so far behind will pay part if not all. We regret to stop your paper but something must be done.

—Our boys have organized an Athletic Club, and are preparing to equip a gymnasium. The club has rented the lower floor of the Goodwin and Sexton building and are already putting in some of the apparatus. This is a good thing for the boys, and we are glad to see that they are taking an interest in physical culture. A library and reading room will also be added.

—Mr. W. J. Melvin, a practical machinist of Fayetteville, has accepted a position with the South Dunn Mfg. Co. It is a fact well pleasing to us that this worthy enterprise is succeeding so nicely, and its success is only an evidence that other enterprises would be a financial success if our moneyed men would but invest. We can never hope to build a town without the aid of manufacturing and the sooner we get about this important step the sooner we are to have a large and flourishing city.

Buckley's Arnica Salve.

The best Salve in the world for cuts, bruises, sores, ulcers, salt rheum, fever sores, tetter, chapped hands, chilblains, corns, and all skin eruptions, and positively cures piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by N. B. Hood, Druggist.

CASTORIA.

The family signature of *Chas. H. Pritchard* is on every wrapper.

Local Dots Gathered at Buie's Creek.

(By Telephone.)

Mr. G. M. Spence spent Saturday and Sunday at home with his parents near Bradley's Store.

Mr. W. H. Upchurch and Prof. Woodall spent Saturday in Dunn.

Prof. Campbell, accompanied by Cadet Beasley, spent Saturday in Lillington.

Mr. J. R. Harmon's smoke-house was entered last Wednesday night by some thief who took a ham and shoulder of meat.

Mr. J. W. Aiken has been elected second lieutenant of the cadet corps.

Prof. J. V. DeVenny will move his family here from Wake Forest about the first of February.

Mr. Wash Gregory has bought the stock of goods of Mr. Frank McLeod.

Messrs. Dexter Blanchard and F. M. Monro have been elected sergeants of the military company.

Miss Susan Hodges, accompanied by Miss Smithie Hamilton, spent Saturday at home with her parents near Dunn.

Mr. J. L. Hall, of Dunn, spent Sunday here.

The societies of the school are in a splendid condition and each is doing splendid work.

Mrs. William M. Pearson will have a re-union of all her children to-morrow (Thursday) it being her sixty-second anniversary.

Misses Hattie Peel and Katie Byrd are on the sick list week, we are regret to note.

Prof. DeVenny filled Rev. J. A. Campbell's appointment at Hector's Creek church Saturday and Sunday.

Ye localizer was mistaken in the item of last week in regard to Mr. P. T. Beasley's contemplating going to Georgia. He has no intention of leaving school.

Our already large enrollment list grows each week. A few new students were enrolled last week.

ST. JOHN.

Consumption Positively Cured.

Mr. R. B. Greeve, merchant of Chilhowie, Va., certifies that he had consumption, was given up to die, sought all medical treatment that money could procure tried all cough remedies he could hear of, but got no relief; spent many nights sitting up in a chair; was induced to try Dr. King's New Discovery, and was cured by use of two bottles. For past three years has been attending to business and says Dr. King's New Discovery is the grandest remedy ever made as it has done so much for him and also for others in his community. Dr. King's New Discovery is guaranteed for Coughs, Colds, and Consumption. It don't fail. Trial bottles free at N. B. Hood's Drug Store.

Married.

In Black River township on Sunday morning the 23rd inst., Miss Aya Matthews was united in marriage to Mr. Rufus Dupree, an industrious and hard working farmer of that township. Mr. W. A. Green, J. P., performed the ceremony. The happy occasion took place at the home of the bride's father and was a quiet nuptial with only a few friends present. The Union wishes for them a happy and prosperous voyage over life's tempestuous sea.

How to Look Good.

Good looks are really more than skin deep, depending entirely on a healthy condition of all the vital organs. If the liver be inactive, you have a bilious look; if your stomach be disordered, you have a dyspeptic look; if your kidneys be affected, you have a pinched look. Secure good health and you will surely have good looks. "Electric Bitters" is a good Alternative and Tonic. Acts directly on the stomach, liver, and kidneys. Purifies the blood, cures pimples, blotches and boils, and gives a good complexion. Every bottle guaranteed. Sold at N. B. Hood's Drug Store. 50 cents per bottle.

Sewing and Dress Making.

Mrs. Florence Shaw and Miss Leola Crowder are prepared to do all kinds of sewing and dress making in the Postoffice building. Gentlemen and children's clothing a specialty.

Mr. John H. Burke Dead.

Mr. John H. Burke died at his residence on Broad street Sunday morning just after 12 o'clock, aged about 31 years. He had been sick for a little over a week with pneumonia which developed into a violent form and all the assistance of physician and friends could not remove the cause of the dreaded disease.

Mr. Burke came to Dunn in 1889 and has carried on business here since that time. He had been married twice, his first wife being a daughter of Mr. Archie B. Godwin of near Dunn; his second wife, Miss Alma Lassiter, daughter of Mr. Jno. W. Lassiter, of Johnston county, survives him. His remains were interred in the cemetery in the burial plot where lie his first wife and children, Monday afternoon, Rev. N. B. Hood conducting the burial ceremony. A large number were present to pay the last tribute of respect to their departed friend and neighbor.

His mother, Mrs. Flora Burke of Sanford, and his brother, Mr. J. M. Burke, of Maxton, came last week and remained with him until the end. His sister, Mrs. O. M. Kelly, of Sanford, and her husband came Sunday. Mr. J. W. Lassiter, father of Mrs. Burke, was here to attend the burial.

May kind Providence bless the bereaved young wife with his richest blessings and help her to bear with humble resignation the loss of her husband and protector. To the bereaved family we extend our heartfelt sympathy.

BEAUTY IS BLOOD DEEP.

Clean blood means a clean skin. No beauty without it. Cascarets, Candy Cathartic clean your blood, and keep it clean by stirring up the lazy liver, and driving all impurities from the body. Begin today to banish pimples, boils, blotches, blackheads, and that sickly bilious complexion by taking Cascarets—beauty for ten cents. All druggists; satisfaction guaranteed. 10c, 25c, 50c.

Seventy-Eight Years Old and Only Nineteen Birthdays.

There is a gentleman living in Harnett county who is seventy-eight years of age and has had only nineteen birthdays, so we are informed by the Sanford Express, which says: "Mr. A. A. Harrington, of Norval, is seventy-eight years of age, yet he has had only nineteen birthdays. He was born on the 29th of February which comes every four years as 'February has 28 days in fine till Leap Year gives her 29'."

Everybody Says So.

Cascarets Candy Cathartic, the most wonderful medical discovery of the age, pleasant and refreshing to the taste, act quickly and positively on the kidneys, liver and bowels, cleansing the entire system, dispel colds, cure headache, fever, habitual constipation and biliousness. Please buy and try a box of C. C. C. to-day! 10, 25, 50 cents. Sold and guaranteed to cure by all druggists.

Mr. Ed. Sanders Dead.

Mr. Ed. Sanders, who was stricken with paralysis Saturday was a week, died last Saturday morning at the home of Dr. F. Smith near Little River Academy, where he had gone on a visit. His left side was completely paralyzed and pneumonia set in in the right lung and he was too feeble to stand the effects and death came to him peacefully. He was 68 years old last August. His remains were interred Sunday morning at 11 o'clock in the cemetery at Sardis Methodist church, Rev. Mr. Black conducting the burial service.

Mr. Sanders was born in Johnston county and lived there until some years after the war when he moved to Cumberland where he lived until a few years ago he came to live with his daughter, Mrs. D. S. Williams, near Dunn. He leaves several children to mourn his demise.

He was a good man and had a large number of kindred and friends who will learn of his death with sorrow. He had all promised the allotted three score and ten years. One by one we finish our work and are called to give an account of our stewardship. The bereaved family have our tenderest sympathy.

It is easy to catch a cold and just as easy to get rid of it if you commence early to use One Minute Cough Cure. It cures coughs, colds, bronchitis, pneumonia and all throat and lung troubles. It is pleasant to take, safe to use and sure to cure. Hood & Grantham.

HOG STRAYED.—A large red and black spotted sow, unmarked which I bought at H. H. Poe's sale strayed from my house about six weeks ago. I will give a liberal reward for her return to me.

J. E. STEWART,
Benson, N. C.

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

IN MEMORIAM.

Mrs. Caroline Elizabeth Turner, relict of the late Dr. H. M. Turner, departed this life at the home of her grandson Hon. Oscar J. Spears in Lillington, this county, on Friday the 14th of January, 1898.

The death of this aged christian woman removes from among us another one of the few who are left whose lives link the present, with the beginning of the present century.

Mrs. Turner was born Oct. 27th, 1808, and hence died in the ninetieth year of her age.

It is vouchsafed to few to bear for so many years time's ravaging hand, but her body, like her mind, was cast in the molds of that stern unyielding fibre, peculiar to those born for generations in the past. Her life was an eventful one—her cares were many, and her responsibility great, but she met every duty with that unflinching courage born of christian faith and trust, that the clouds of adversity nor the shadows of some bereavement could never shake. "What her hands found to do, she did with all her might."

Duty was the guiding star that directed and controlled her life, and nothing stayed her hand in its full performance herself, nor did she excuse its neglect in others.

Mrs. Turner was the daughter of the late Neill McNeill, a wealthy farmer of the older time, who left two children, Col. A. S. McNeill and herself. She was married in early life to Dr. H. M. Turner of Anson county who afterward located in Harnett and became one of the most distinguished physicians of the upper Cape Fear. Dr. Turner died in 18—.

By this marriage she had three children, one son and two daughters. The son a gallant cavalry officer of the Confederacy, gave his young life to his country on the field of battle; the two daughters Mrs. Col. J. A. Spears and Mrs. Dr. W. M. McNeill, died shortly after the war, leaving a number of children, nearly all of whom live in this county. These children were the objects of their grandmother's most tender care and affection, and were the comfort and solace of her declining years. Surrounded by these loved ones, with the fires of her strong intellect burning with the brightness of mid-day life, with her pillow smoothed by the magic touch of affection's hand, she laid aside the cares and concerns of this life, to put on the robe and crown of the new heavenly life, that awaits all those who like herself, are faithfully sublime in the death bed scene of a dying christian! How eloquently does it bear testimony to the reality of our blessed religion. From such a scene the dark spirit of skepticism flees in confusion of fear! What can rob death of its sting or the grave of its victory, sure the promises of our blessed Saviour, that enables the expiring christian to say with perfect trust, "Yea, tho' I walk through the dark valley and shadow of death, I will fear no evil, for Thy rod and Thy staff they comfort me."

I hoped that to-day I would be free" were among the last words of our aged friend. Her soul seemed to crave to be free from that broken and bruised body, that bore the scars of a century's storm, to dwell with the Saviour, she so long had loved and served.

The dear ones who are left have the sweet assurance that tho' lost to their sight now in the mysterious depths of the grave, they have left the inheritance of her precious mem-

GREAT CLEARANCE SALE!

We have bought the entire stock of the
LEE HARDWARE COMPANY
from Mr. J. C. Clifford, the assignee, and for the next
THIRTY DAYS
we shall give our customers the
advantage of the
Lowest Prices on Hardware
ever known in this section.

The goods must be sold and we will sell them at the lowest prices for cash.

Country merchants can find bargains at our stores. Call at once and secure them.

We have two stores full of goods. Call on us at the Brick Stores formerly occupied by the Lee Hardware Company and J. J. Dupree.

We have the goods and if you want them bring the cash and the goods are yours.

Don't fail to take advantage of this great sale. We must reduce this stock at once.

Thanking our friends for their liberal patronage and hoping to continue to be worthy of it, we are,

YOURS FOR BARGAINS.

DUNN HARDWARE & FURNITURE COMPANY.

HOLLIDAY & PRIVETT.

TO THE PUBLIC.

We have just arrived with a load of the best Tennessee Horses and Mules ever brought to Dunn. If you want good SOUND, RELIABLE stock give us a call.

Lane & Galbraith,
Dunn, N. C.
Nov. 17, 1897.

The Massengill Dry Goods Co.,

Sell Knitting Cotton, all colors, Spun cotton all numbers, Coats' machine thread at 4¢, Progress machine thread at 25¢ per dozen, Infants all wool shirts at 75¢ per pair, Men's Rubber Boots at \$2.50 per pair, Dental Snuff 2 ounce tin cans at 5¢, Brussels Carpet at 65¢ per yard, Warner's Corsets at \$1.00, Working men's water-proof overcoats \$2.50, All wool undershirts cheap. A full line of men's heavy overshirts almost at your own price.

WE MAKE A SPECIALTY OF

Fine Flour for the best trade, also Sugar, Coffee, Rice, Fresh Water Ground Meal, Snuff and Tobaccos, and the highest grade of white Astral and Red C. Oils. If you have been having a poor light and smoked chineys, just wash out your lamps, put in new wicks and buy our oil for us.

A new stock of shoes, every pair warranted, will arrive this week. Call and examine our goods and we promise to do you good.

THE MASSENGILL DRY GOODS COMPANY.

P. T. MASSENGILL, Manager.

ory, that will be to them a benediction, and an inspiration to follow her example still, until finally the family circle broken on earth shall be re-united in heaven.

A FRIEND.

Mrs. Mary Berd, Harrisburg, Pa., says, "My child is worth millions to me; yet I would have lost her by eroup had I not invested twenty-five cents in a bottle of One Minute Cough Cure." It cures coughs, colds and all throat and lung troubles. Hood & Grantham.

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I can now be found on Broad street, next door to S. G. Marks & Co., with full line of Dry Goods, Notions, Groceries &c. When you bring your produce to town see me before you sell. I buy all kinds of produce, hides, feathers &c., and will exchange merchandise or pay you highest cash price for same. I will pay 6¢ per pound, cash, for all the hams brought to market.

J. W. GREGORY.

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TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY.

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All Druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. 25c.