

Messrs. T. S. Robertson and L. J. Upton spent last Sunday at Poplar Branch. A grand time was reported.

Mrs. M. R. Gregory is spending this week in Elizabeth City. She will return to her home near Gregory's, next week.

Why do you wait 'till you get down before taking medicine. When you feel dull, aching and stretching, just remember that the next thing will be Malaria, Chills and Fever.

BY A. H. MITCHELL, JAS. R. ELLIOTT

SET APART AS A DAY OF NATIONAL THANKSGIVING.



Notes From Various Points Around and About us.

Miss Annie Burgess opened school at the Courthouse last Monday. A good impression has been made so far and a bright future is expected.

Owing to the inclemency of the weather last Sunday night Rev. T. G. Wood postponed his lecture on "Infant Baptism" until the third Sunday night, beginning at early candle light.

To avoid this, use GRANDMA'S SYRUP OF DATES, the great Fruit Laxative if taken will save you a long spell of sickness, and money. It is for the

SUBSCRIPTION PRICE \$1.00 When Paid in Advance. \$1.50 If Not Paid in Advance.

By the President of the United States:

At Elizabeth City November 17, 18, 19 and 20th.

Of a Personal and Newsy Character.

Mr. W. R. Caphart, of Avoca, is spending a few days here this week.

Why will you buy bitter nauseating pills when GRAY'S PLEASANT LEMON SYRUP is so pleasant as Lemon Syrup. Your druggist is authorized to refund the money in every case where it fails to cure. Price, 50 cents.

Kidneys, Liver & Stomach, and will cure Constipation. A Safe Remedy for Young and Old. Regular Size 25 and 50 Cents. Trial Size 10 Cents.

Delivered at doors of city subscribers by carriers, as soon as from publishers, without extra charge.

The people of the United States should never be unmindful of the gratitude they owe to the God of nations for His watchful care which has shielded them from the disaster and pointed out to them the way of peace and happiness.

THE PROGRAMME

Pencilings Reproduced From The Notebooks of Fisherman & Farmer Reporters.

EDENTON, N. C. Election day in Edenton was a quiet one.

It is Not so Much What You Say, as What You do.

Sunshine down stairs without clapping my hand over my heart and resting. In fact, it would almost take my breath away. I suffered so I did not care to live, yet I had much to live for. There is no pleasure in life if deprived of health, for life becomes a burden. Hood's Sarsaparilla does far more than advertised. After taking one bottle, it is sufficient to recommend itself." Mrs. J. E. SITTER, Beloit, Iowa.

The Editor disclaims all responsibility for the views or statements of correspondents, and reserves the right at all times to revise or reject any article he may think proper.

Therefore, I, Grover Cleveland, President of the United States, do hereby and designate and set apart Thursday, the Twenty-sixth Day of the present month of November, to be kept and observed as a day of thanksgiving and prayer throughout this country could prosper permanently; that the cause he espoused was the cause of nine-tenths of the people of this Union; that the fate of the first revolt against the shameful, sordid and despotic tenets of the Republicanism of this time does not betoken the fate of the second.—Columbia State.

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 17.

Mr. W. J. Leary and wife are at Baltimore.

Truthful advertising is often read with as much interest, as anything else in the paper. It is the best means of reaching the people and letting them know what you have to sell—it costs lots of money to do this and, the merchant who writes a great flaming advertisement, that people know is not the truth, is simply wasting his money. It does not take people long to find out those stores that advertise so cheap but, when you go there to buy, they tell you, "they have just sold out" the article you saw advertised or, will have it in shortly. It is not so much what their advertisement say, as what they do. Claiming to sell cheaper does not count much with the people unless it is backed up by facts. We believe in advertising but, we believe in telling the people just exactly what we have, and exactly what they can expect—truth will tell. We often hear customers say, I come here because, I find what I have seen advertised. You may continue to come, and you shall not be disappointed. When we get a good thing we tell it—Listen! A manufacturer in New York, for some cause has shipped us a big lot of Ladies Jackets and Capes to sell for them—they are not our goods. There is a big story behind these goods but, that matters nothing to you—they are here and we are going to sell them. If we sell them for several dollars less than their worth, it is no loss of ours.

Hood's Sarsaparilla

The Pleasure

All announcements and recommendations of candidates for office, whether in the shape of communications or otherwise, will be charged as advertisements.

On that day let all our people forgo their usual work and occupation and, assembled in their accustomed places of worship, let them with one accord render thanks to the Ruler of the Universe for our preservation as a nation and our deliverance from every threatened danger, for the peace that has dwelt within our boundaries; for our defense against disease and pestilence during the year that has passed; for the piteous rewards that have followed the labor of our husbandmen, and for all the other blessings that have been vouchsafed to us.

11:30 a. m.—Bicycle Race by boys under 16 years, 1/2 mile dashes, best 2 in 3. Purse \$10.00.

Mr. Edward Wood has gone to Baltimore on a visit.

Mr. W. D. Folk, of Smithfield, Va., father of Geo. P. Folk, cashier of the bank here, was in the city this week.

Hood's Pills

The Atlantic Collegiate Institute.

And let us, through the meditation of Him who has taught us how to pray, implore the forgiveness of our sins and a continuation of heavenly favor.

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1:30 p. m.—Colt Race, open to colts foaled in the year 1893 and owned in the district 6 mos. prior to day of race, 1/2 mile heats, 2 in 3. Purse \$25.00.

Mr. Paul Harrell, who has been with the John Robinson circus, has returned home.

Mr. Thomas Thompson has returned home after an absence of two months at Belmont and other points.

A School for Both Sexes.

SAWYER & JONES.

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1:30 p. m.—Bicycle Race, open to all riders in district, 1/2 mile dashes, best 2 in 3. Purse \$25.00.

Mr. C. B. Elliott, who was married last week at Littleton, Va., arrived home Monday with his bride. They were met at the train by many friends and relatives who showered them with congratulations. At night they were serenaded by the Edenton Band.

A very interesting horse race occurred Wednesday evening at the fair grounds between the trotters owned by L. D. Bond and J. W. Spruill, which was witnessed by a large crowd. The race was won by Spruill's horse; time 2:53.

The 19th Annual Session

Special Inducements

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A disturbance occurred Wednesday afternoon at the corner of Broad and Water streets. Officer Pratt interfered and a young man drew a pistol and shot twice at the Policeman then attempted to shoot himself. He was arrested by Policeman Pratt and carried to jail.

The election in Chowan county resulted in the election of the fusion ticket between Republicans and Populists by a majority of 450.

SCROFULA.

DR. FENNER'S Kidney and Backache Cure

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Richard Elliott, Rep., will represent the county in the next Legislature.

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DR. FENNER'S Cough Honey

OUR BEEF, VEAL, Mutton and Pork.

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Reg. of Deeds, M. A. Hughes, Surveyor, W. J. Hettick, Sheriff, A. Q. Elliott, Treasurer, B. F. Elliott, Coroner, I. A. Harris, Commissioners, M. H. Hughes, E. T. Forehand and W. W. Blair, colored.

Our Ladies Jackets at \$5.00 puts every lady thinking. You may compare them with any in the town at \$8.00. It's not often we have things our own way but, sometimes large cloak manufacturers get hard up you know, and that's the secret. The assortment is large. still there's a choice—you had better come early.

DR. FENNER'S Golden Relief

GET THE BEST

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Mr. J. Lawrence Grandy is expected at Church Hill Friday.

The Charleston base ball team has disbanded until early next spring.

DR. FENNER'S German Eye-Salve

Most Popular

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Mr. H. W. Shaw is now visiting his son, Shaw Scott, at Hampton, Va.

We regret to hear that Mr. Thomas Whaley is reported to be no better.

DR. FENNER'S Sore Eyes

Light Running

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Messrs. W. D. Gregory and H. C. Morrisett, were in Elizabeth City Tuesday.

People were as busy as bees Tuesday casting their ballots for free silver men and victory.

DR. FENNER'S Sore Throat

NEW HOME

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Mr. P. H. Williams, a popular young man of Camden, was in Elizabeth City last Monday.

We announce with manifested sorrow the illness of Mrs. Matilda Jarvis at her home near this place.

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Mr. Joseph Spence is reported ill at the home of Rev. T. G. Wood, which we regret to announce.

Misses Sadie P. Sawyer and Ella L. Gilbert spent Sunday evening with Miss Mary J. Wood near Belcross.

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