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E. F. LAMB,
Manager.
LOCAL NEWS.

Hon. T. G. Skinner was in town Tuesday, when he made us a call.
Mrs. Mordecai White departed this life at Nixonton on Saturday last.
The town commissioners met at their monthly session on Monday night.
The cold snap of last week was fatal to several old people in the county.
Dr. C. W. Sawyer has located in Elizabeth City to practice his profession.
Miss McCormick, of Philadelphia, is visiting, Miss Ida Melick on Water street.
George Williams, departed this life Monday night on Parsonage street aged 24 years.
Zack Mamm, a noted colored man, died very suddenly Saturday from exposure and imbricity.
The Albermarle Fire Company had a grand parade, on Thursday and a banquet at night.
The steamer Newbern is on the route to Newbern to assist the Neuse in her crowded freight.
Rev. Dr. Blackwell and George Ward, Esq., are in New York in attendance upon the Baptist General Convention.
Rev. James Y. Old was called to South Mills on Monday to officiate at the funeral services of Dr. F. N. Mullen, dec'd.
Since the cold snap of last week the oysters have been exceptionally fine. Some at Spright's saloon are non excelledum.
There is great demand for houses for residence in this town, which indicates that there is an accession to our population.
The commissioners of the county were in regular session on Monday and drew the jury for the spring term of the Superior Court.
Mr. A. M. Simmons, attorney at law, has located at his old native home, Currituck Courthouse, for the practice of his profession.
Mr. Edward Zoeller, father of our esteemed townsman Mr. W. H. Zoeller, departed this life on Thursday January 21st, at his home in Tarrboro, N. C.
Hon. Harry Skinner has introduced a bill in the House of Representatives appropriating \$100,000 for a public building in Elizabeth City for Federal use.
Aint that a pretty mess the Populist are in in Raleigh. It is hard to say which are in the worst fix. We rather think the Butler Populists have got the short end of the swingletree, for the bolters have some show of alliance with the Pubs but the Butlers are simply friendless.

Mr. L. A. Tarr, of Baltimore, who has been in our town for a short time, left for the North on Monday. He made many friends while here and will soon return to make it his permanent residence.
The Albermarle Fire Company, of this town were complimented a few days ago with a check for \$36, in acknowledgment of voluntary service to Elizabeth City Lumber Co., at the recent fire.
Miss Bettie Morris, Lizzie Bailey and Alice Bishop made us a short call on Saturday evening to see the printing operations. They were lively, chatty and vivacious and their sprightness gave a new lease of life.
Marshall H. Pinnex, of Lexington, N. C. an able lawyer and stalwart Democrat, departed this life at his home in Lexington on Saturday. He was well known and highly esteemed in this community where his wife (Miss Baxter) has relatives.
Mr. T. H. Lamb, of W. Mathews st. dined with us, sans ceremony, at our den on N. Water street, on Tuesday. The corn bread and greens he enjoyed greatly, excusing its being cold. Attic Sauce is the making of a square meal. Call again.
Officer Sedgwick, who is a polite and efficient policeman, was assaulted by a negro on Saturday while on his beat on Water street, but fortunately no damage was done. The negro was arrested and brought before Justice Banks, and in default the negro was committed to jail to await examination at the Superior Court.

It was a sad death from accidental drowning of Capt. Richard Sawyer in Pasquotank River on Monday night. He was in command of the Buffalo City barge McKeava and was trying to anchor her more safely when he missed his footing and fell overboard. He called for a rope to be thrown to him but in the darkness it did not reach him.
We understand that the noted Evangelist W. H. Froat, will begin a series of revival meetings at the Tabernacle on Poindexter St. Feb. 17th at 7 P. M. He will be accompanied by the great gospel singer C. P. Curry. Thousands have been saved and brought into the light, and great good has been done wherever he has held meetings. The public are cordially invited to attend these meetings.
Mr. J. M. Cartwright, of Camden county, presented us on Saturday with a nice bunch of partridges. He is the champion shot of Camden county, and has killed 500 partridges during the winter. If any one wants to test his skill, just come over, he says. Mr. Green, the champion shot of Connecticut, was in Camden a few weeks ago with a party of sporting friends from the "Nutmeg State," and Cartwright lead all of them in the hunt. He considers it a crime to shoot a partridge on the ground.
Early on Wednesday night an unknown Frenchman was found on Poindexter street near the store of R. B. White in the 1st Ward, in an unconscious condition. He was examined by Dr. McMullen who was passing near after his removal to the station house and Mrs. McMullen and Wood were called in attendance. His condition was caused by heart failure. He was sober and un injured. He was better yesterday morning, but unable to give any account of himself. He was taken to the "home of the aged and infirm."

Special sale Ladies under wear for ten days only. Prices just one half. "The Fair."
DEATH OF DR. F. N. MULLEN.
Another Schoolmate Gone.
Departed this life on Sunday morning, Jan. 31st, at his home in South Mills, Camden county, after a short illness from domestic bereavement, Dr. Frank Nixon Mullen, in the 82d year of his age.
The funeral knell announces a broken link in the charmed circle of our school days at Edenton. The year 1896 has thinned our ranks as never before. Two years ago there were twelve on our roll of the 2,000 girls and boys at the old Academy on the hill, in the decade of 1820-1830—seven girls and five boys. Then the inexorable scytheman cut us down to nine—five girls and four boys. This, thought we, proves the greater tenacity of woman to life than man. 1896 came, and death, the gourmand, swept off three of our girls in quick succession. Margaret Blount, Louisa Collins, Annie Iredell, within three short months, "sustained by an unflinching trust, joined the innumerable caravan that moves to the pale realms of shade." And now Frank Mullen has gone "Where each shall take His chamber in the silent halls of death," and five of us are left—two girls and three boys, like weak swimmers in the whirlpool of life.
Mullen's youth was a presage of his age. Calm, self-possessed, quiet,

stodious, persevering. These were the features of his boyhood at school. Indeed, in the sense of characteristics, he never was a boy. He was too earnest for the frivolities of boyhood. His manhood realized the promise of his youth. He was a marked success from his entrance upon life. As a physician he was learned, careful, thoughtful, successful, and he attained the first rank in his profession. As a business man he was wise, sagacious, farseeing. He won distinction in his profession and wealth in his business pursuits. In social life he was a model of every virtue, as a citizen he was exemplary and as a public man in public life he was steadfast in his convictions and firm in maintaining them. He was at one time a member of the Legislature of North Carolina, and while not conspicuous in debate, as he had never cultivated the habit of public speaking, he was doubtless wise in council, and one of the most useful members.
Dr. Mullen was bereaved in the death of his wife about a month before his decease, with whom he had lived in the perfection of domestic bliss for over fifty years. He is the last of his family.
He has been our steadfast friend from the time when he was Frank and we were Dick to the extreme limit of his patriarchal age, and we mourn his decease with the sorrow of sincere friendship.

Water Works.
We are glad to hear that water works for the town is a subject of interest and agitation. It involves the question of health and the question of protection against fire, two of the most important considerations that can engage the attention of any community. Cleanliness is next to Godliness and fire is the most potent agency in the destruction of life and property that we have to encounter. If there were an abundant supply of water at a moment's notice in every occupied house in this town, it would be absolutely safe against fire and these would be no necessity for insurance against fire.
We are not an engineering expert, but common sense tells us that where an inexhaustible supply of water suitable for all purposes is within 500 yards of the town limits, it can be conveyed into the town by aqueducts at comparatively small expense. Our supply of water is fresh, pure and healthy, and only one case in over fifty years have we known it to be impregnated with the saline water of the ocean, and it was only affected for a few days. Once introduced into the town no household would be without its protection and benefit.
The following is a list of jurors drawn for the spring term of the Superior Court of Pasquotank Co.:
John W. Sykes, F. M. Grice, E. G. Morrisette, Monlett Godfrey, Louis Selig, E. Goodwin, B. F. Gunn, D. J. Smithson, J. F. Saunders, W. T. Williams, E. S. Willey, J. F. T. Steger, J. P. Simpson, Moses Palmer, J. B. Blades, J. T. Brockett, F. W. Bell, A. C. Stokes, J. P. Hughes, H. T. Greenleaf, Alex. Small, W. M. Jackson, L. S. Blades, Geo. R. Bright, J. G. Gregory, W. H. Snowden, A. W. Swain, D. M. Simons, J. T. Wynn, J. E. Temple, J. W. Small, Henry Winslow, J. S. Wilcox, John Mullen, James Shannon, Albert Shannon.

A Rich Harvest
It costs no more to sow good seeds than it does to sow old and worthless stock. How foolish is the person who fails to get the best to start with. No doubt you have often thought of this, when your garden has not done very well. Will you jog along in the same old way this year, or use a little forethought and send to James Vick's Sons, Rochester, N. Y., for their Catalogue which contains a list of all that's new and good. Their seeds are always reliable—sure to grow and never disappoint. Send 10 cents for Catalogue and deduct this amount from first order. Really costs nothing.

NEWS FROM THE COUNTIES.
DARE.
COLLINGTON.—Mrs. Polly Crank, one of our oldest citizens, departed this life at her home in this town, January 21, 1897, in the 72nd year of her age. She has always resided in Little Collington and for 48 years has been a faithful and consistent member of the Baptist church. She was greatly beloved and her death is greatly lamented by all who knew her. She leaves three daughters and two sons who have the sympathy of the entire community in their great bereavement.
CURRITUCK.
GREGORY.—Mr. Willis G. Ferebee returned from Norfolk, Va., last Thursday.
A severe storm passed through this section last Monday night, for two hours the wind blew a perfect gale. We are glad to note that no serious damage was done.
Mr. John H. Sawyer, of Pasquotank County is visiting his son Mr. W. J. Sawyer, near Gregory, this week.
We are glad to note that Lillie Sawyer who has been very sick for two weeks is improving.
Master Phillip Gregory returned home from E. City last Tuesday, where he has been visiting his uncle Mr. McHarney.
Mr. C. C. Leary left here last Tuesday for Edenton, N. C.
J. GATES.
The sad news was received last Monday by Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Willey of the death of their only son John, who died in Baltimore of congestion of the brain, in attendance at the Maryland school of Pharmacy, and would have graduated this spring. Our heart felt sympathies are with the bereaved ones.
Yellow-hammers and doves have died in abundance since the snow by the force of powder and shot.
Mrs. Lena Eason, wife of our townsman Mr. J. A. Eason is very ill at this writing. Sport.

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MEN:—Marshall Barfoot, Geo. L. Bright, John Baley, Harry Carrell, W. M. Griffin, Williamson Humfres, Clifton Harris, W. F. Hill, Geo. Harrell, Elder E. E. Lundy (3), Eli Lamb, Thomas Lamb, Joe T. Neuberger, Jessie Newby, Noah Purvis, Alexander Perry, Thomas Pritchard, James E. Wilson, Delay White, George White (2), George Whitehead.
WOMEN:—Miss Minnie Bell, Miss Allie L. Brinn, Miss Ellen Brown, Miss Annie Bank, Miss Sarah Bartlett, Miss Mary Gallen, (2), Miss Jennie Dickerson, Lullie Davis, Miss Mary Etheridge (2), Miss L. C. Fenner, Victory Fletcher, Miss Hattie Hardy, Mrs. Annie Johnson, Mrs. Annie Morley, Miss Mary Menden, Miss Sissy Norman, Miss Lucy A. Scott, Mrs. Ella Stewart, Mrs. Ann Smith, Mrs. Ella Smith, Mrs. Annie Skinner, Mrs. Ellen Sawyer, Mrs. Mary Sawyer, Mrs. Darcas Swain, Josephine Williams, Miss Susan Ward, Mrs. Dave White, Miss Louiza White.
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