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Closed Under Execution.

The store of Joseph Zahran, on Massey Hill, was closed by the Sheriff this morning under execution issued from A. F. Bannister & Co., of Newark, N. J., for a debt of \$102.

The Old Blount Home Destroyed at Hope Mills.

Fire last night destroyed the Blount residence and the store attached thereto at Hope Mills, now owned by Mr. A. Deaver. The fire started in the store part and the residence could have been saved but there was some delay in the working of the powerful pumps provided for such emergency.

Davis-Parker.

Our popular townsmen, Mr. John H. Davis, and Miss Carrie Parker, were united in marriage Saturday afternoon at 4:30 o'clock at the home of the bride's father, Mr. S. R. Parker, in Duke, Rev. J. A. Campbell officiating.

Hotel Tarrymore.

In another column is an advertisement in the Tarrymore hotel, at Wrightsville Beach, N. C. The writer has recently visited there and was a guest at the Tarrymore. The hotel was kept clean and the table fare good.

Picnic at Ardluosa.

There is a large crowd of young people from Raeford having a picnic at McNeill's bridge to-day. This is an ideal place for a picnic and these Raeford folk went there this morning with everything necessary to make the occasion an enjoyable one.

A Horse Breaks Into a Store.

There were lively times on Hay street about 5 o'clock Wednesday afternoon. A blind horse, attached to a city hack, owned by Mr. W. L. Peoples, became infuriated (and not without reason) by its driver trying to pull by main force, the reins from under its tail, and dashed into the dry goods store of Mr. W. E. Kindley.

A New Commercial Bank.

As an evidence of confidence in the present and future prosperity of Fayetteville twenty-five thousand dollars additional stock has been subscribed to Cumberland Savings and Trust Co., making the total capital of this institution fifty thousand dollars, and the company will commence doing a general commercial banking business in August.

Death of Mr. I. T. Alderman.

Mr. I. T. Alderman, of Tomahawk, died last Friday at 3:30 o'clock p. m., at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Mariana Murphy.

SO THERE WILL BE NO MISTAKE.

In an article headed "Tried to Kidnap Child," which appeared in yesterday's issue of the Observer the following paragraph occurred: "It seems that Daughtry, who like Mr. Beasley, comes from an excellent family, married the latter's daughter about 7 years ago. Four months after a baby was born, the wife left her husband, and with her baby returned to her father's home, on account of ill treatment by her husband."

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Nominee for Attorney-General.

Hon. T. W. Bickett has been invited and accepted the invitation, to speak at Eastover, in Plea Hill township on July 30th, at their annual Farmers' Alliance picnic. No doubt there will be a large crowd present to hear Mr. Bickett, who is one of the State's best speakers.

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