

The News Reporter

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LITTLETON, N. C.

Littleton's Officers;

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Chf. of Police B. E. King.

Church Directory.

Methodist Church.

Preaching by Pastor E. H. Davis, 1st. and 4th. Sundays in each month 11 A. M. and 7.30 P. M.

Preaching by Rev. J. M. Rhodes 3rd Sunday in each month at 11 A. M.

Presbyterian Church.

C. N. Wharton pastor. 2nd. Sundays 11 A. M. and 7.30 P. M.

Local and Personal

W. E. CARMAN at the new store.

Miss Bertie Black came home Wednesday.

George Miles of Warrenton was in town Sunday.

The Vaughan Messenger has suspended operation.

Lard 7 cts per pound, at Carman's.

Miss Cobb of Washington left for home Wednesday.

J. E. Frazier and wife of Macon were in town Sunday.

Mr. W. S. Parker of Henderson was in town Tuesday.

Mr. H. E. Biggs of Scotland Neck was in town Tuesday.

W. G. Bobbitt, had a pleasant trip to Grove Hill, last week.

W. K. Parker, of Fayetteville is stopping at the Bon Air Hotel.

Rev. Ben Black was called, to town by the death of his father.

R. S. Rowland of LaGrange, Ga. was at the Bon Air last week.

Mr. Henry Burgwyn, of Jackson, N. C. is summering in the city.

Miss Annie Bell Mayo of near Tarboro is visiting Miss Lucy Land.

Miss Bessie Allen, has been the guest of Miss Susie House this week.

Mr. W. F. Fitchett of Charlotte stopped over Sunday to see his mother.

Mrs. W. F. Williams, of Baltimore, is visiting Mrs. A. M. Johnston.

Rev. Gaston Battle of Battleboro, has been stopping at the Bon Air several days.

One need not know where a dog is in the dark. If he hits him he will be heard from.

Dr. S. P. Hilliard, one of the finest dentists in the State returned to Rocky Mt Sunday.

Miss Annie Perry has returned from a visit to relatives and friends at Wake Forest.

C. G. Evans of Weldon N. C. is summering in the city and stopping at Bon Air Hotel.

Mrs. E. R. Beavans, and boy of Franklin, Va. came up Wednesday, to spend a month at Hotel Bon Air.

Miss Mary Baynard who has been spending several weeks in town, left for her home in Washington Wednesday.

W. M. Cohen, after spending several days with Mr. Eugene Johnston left for Weldon Wednesday.

The Camp Meeting is being largely attended and pastor Edmundson is doing some good preaching.

Nice line Candies at CARMAN'S.

Six Cabinet size Photographs at the White Cottage Gallery for \$1.50 or \$2.50 per dozen. Other sizes at corresponding prices.

Watermelon vines and chicken roasts are being visited by thieving hands. The perpetrators will soon be arrested and brought to justice.

Thanks to H. Cawthorne J. L. Wright and Mrs. Skinner, for evidences that we were not forgotten since our last issue.

Arbuckles Coffee, 14c. per package at CARMAN'S Cheap Cash Store.

Messrs B. P. Terrell, and S. W. Weldon, of Warren Plains were in town Sunday, come again boys our doors will open.

Pastors McCullen, Herman and Frizelle were in town Wednesday afternoon to look after the proper disposition of the remains of Dr. Black.

C. J. Rhem, has moved his family from Northampton County to Littleton and will in the future reside in our midst. We welcome them here.

Look out for the X marks for the next two or three weeks as many subscriptions will expire soon. Be prepared to renew at once.

Miss Sue Genia Wells of Wilson, and Miss Kate Joyner, of Garysburg, who have been on a visit to Miss Claude Johnston left Wednesday.

L. P. Robertson, Petersburg Va. E. W. Huffman Newport News Va. Judge H. R. Bryan New Bern. J. H. A. Edwards, Spring Hope are registered at the Bon Air this week.

Fresh Soda Crackers @ 8 cts per lb at CARMAN'S cheap cash store.

The Diamond Hustlers, the col. base ball team here claims the championship of Warren and Halifax counties having challenged the other base ball teams none of which will contest.

Observer's P. C. to hand but our office is not supplied with a magnifying glass nor is our printer a very good guesser therefore for fear of misinterpretation we have to relegate it to the curiosities of the office.

Mr. Gray Thornton, son of our countyman Bob Thornton, died at his home in Macon Aug. 2nd typhoid fever, Grey was a popular young man, be loved by all who know him.

Cards are out for the marriage of Miss Nannie Walker Whitaker of this place to Mr. William Bransford Ballou of Oxford, N. C. at the Episcopal church on Aug. 11th 2 p. m. THE NEWS REPORTER extends its congratulations and wishes them a happy voyage over the tempestuous sea of life.

Aunt Arie Harriss col. was stricken with paralysis Sunday last and died Tuesday. A faithful servant has gone, a woman of an amiable disposition, and christian character has passed into the realm of peace.

Boyd & Rogers have just received four car loads, of the celebrated "Studebaker Bros." wagons, (one and two horse), and "Fish Bros." wagons, (one and two horse). These wagons are unsurpassed by any wagons built in the United States. Buying in large quantities for CASH enables them to offer a strictly high grade wagon, at the price cheap grade work is sold at. Boyd & Rogers also carry a large line of all grades of buggies. Call to see them before purchasing.

Wanted An advertisement from a bicycle concern that is willing to put the machine at its regular cash price and exchange wheel for advertisement with some cash. No company need apply who wishes us to pay the regular cash price and then give as much more in advertising.

As our people begun to move about Wednesday morning the sad news that Dr. W. S. Black is dead" was reported in whispered tones, sending pangs of grief to the hearts of our people. To many it was the first intimation that he was not well, and to such it was a shock. The venerable and much beloved Doctor came home the latter part of last week feeling unwell but it was not known to many; hence the gloom the announcement cast over our town. Few men have had the love and confidence of so near all who knew them as was bestowed upon Dr. Black, by old and young alike, children in his field of labor loved his coming, his under laborers felt benefited by his presence, men of the world respected and honored him for his consistent walk and exemplary life. Surely he will be missed, and many hearts will bleed in sympathy with the bereaved family in so sad an affliction. The News Reporter shares with the community in the loss of one whose life was one it could reap an influence from.

Farmers Reply to Capt. Leach.

Editor NEWS REPORTER.—since Capt. Leach has left the subject at issue I simply say I have no response to make, but leave the matter for the consideration of the readers of the NEWS REPORTER. Thanking you for the courtesy shown in this little discussion I will not longer consume your space.

Respectfully
A. FARMER.

Warren Plains Dots.

It is hot and dry.

Some of the farmers here are curing Tobacco this week.

There is right much sickness around the plains at present.

Watermelons plentiful.

Rev. W. S. Davis of Louisburg was at the Plains this week and stopped with his son W. J. Davis.

The cylinder head of A. G. Hayes's sawmill engine blew out last Monday, he had just bought the engine and started to sawing with it.

S. D. Tucker is having a pack house built.

Tobacco is yellowing very fast and will have to be cured in a hurry, so as to save it all.

Miss Mary Williams is visiting Mrs. J. B. Davis.

Siroc.

The Other Side.

A gentleman once said to us, "I do not favor prohibiting the sale of liquor; it would be an injustice to the men in business; besides, it would throw thousands out of employment.

We replied: "You do not look at the issue from the right side. You take a contractor's view.

Just before the war closed a government contractor said, in a car, I hope the war will not close under two years. I will lose thousands of dollars; besides, many men will be turned out of employment from the government works."

"A lady passenger, clad in weeds of mourning, rose to her feet, and with tearful voice said; Sir, I have a brave boy and husband sleeping the sleep of death in the soldiers cemetery. I have only one boy left and he is in front of the foe. Oh, God? I wish the cruel war would close now."

He saw the point. Do you?

It may be your boy or your girl that will fall the next victim to the drink "industry".

Would you consider the "trade" worthy of such a price? If not, for your own sake, and for the sake of other fathers and mothers, stop the murderous traffic.

Wanted—An Idea Who can think of some simple thing to patent? Protect your ideas; they may bring you wealth. Write JOHN WEDDEBURN & CO., Patent Attorneys, Washington, D. C. for their \$1.00 price offer and new list of one thousand inventions wanted.

Administrator's Notice.

Having qualified as administrator of Ridley Browne died late of Warren County. I hereby notify all persons having claims against the estate of said dec'd to present them to me or my attorney on or before the 1st. day of July 1898, or this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate settlement. This 30th. day of June 1897.
S. G. Daniel, W. B. Faulcon, Atty. Admr.

NOTICE!

Having resigned my connections with the firm of C. W. Garrett & Co., I beg to announce that I have opened a Brokerage and Commission business in the city of Norfolk Va. and solicit consignments of Country produce from the good people of Warren and Halifax Counties.
W. L. POWELL.

C. H. Scott,
Civil Engineer, Warrenton, N. C.
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Having qualified as administrator de bonis non with the will annexed of Ridley Browne Sr. deceased late of Warren County N. C. I hereby notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to present them to me or my attorney on or before the 1st. day of July 1898 or this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate settlement. This 30th. day of June 1897.

S. G. Daniel, W. B. Faulcon, Atty. Admr. de bonis non

North Carolina, In the Superior Court, Warren County

Mollie A. Mosely vs James T. Mosely, Notice.

The defendant above named will take notice that an action entitled as above has been commenced in the Superior Court of Warren County to obtain a divorce and the said defendant will take notice that he is required to appear at the next term of the Superior Court of said County to be held on the third Monday in September 1897 at the court house of said county in Warren ton N. C. and answer or demur to the complaint in said action or the Plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in said complaint this 7th day of June 1897.

W. A. WHITE, C. S. C. Warren Co. Howard Alston, Plaintiff's Attorney, J11

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