

THE CAUCASIAN.

CLINTON, N. C., JULY 25, 1889.

Notice.

We will insert accounts of marriages and deaths (if not more than six lines free. All over six lines will be charged for at half of regular advertising rates; viz: five cents per line.

Index to New Advertisements.

The following persons will receive notices for THE CAUCASIAN at the places opposite their names:

- Golden Butler, Cumberland Co.; J. A. Culbreth, Godwin; J. B. Parker, Maitland; W. H. Henry, Magruder; E. W. Taylor, Catharine Lake; E. W. Murrill, Gum Branch; J. P. Maxwell, Mesena; J. T. R. McMillan, Wade; E. A. Monk, Newcomb Grove; Joseph N. Hall, Richards; Mrs. Sue C. Carroll, Harrett's Store; D. R. Powell, P. M., Sloan; E. G. Edwards, Fargatory; W. R. Johnson, Clear Run; E. Prior, Faison; Mrs. S. Watson, Kenansville; Mrs. S. H. Huxey, Wabawa; W. L. Jones, Jr., Magnolia; C. P. Parker, Cypress Creek; Walter S. Merritt, Taylor's Bridge; C. H. Bronson, Lisbon; D. H. Antry, Dismal; E. T. Burlington, Ora; Jesse Wilson, Bass; T. F. Prigden, Gray Hill; T. D. Robinson, Way Cross; R. P. Register, Joford; J. C. Hobbs, Hobton; J. H. Dranghton, Mingo; P. W. Bland, Bland; G. W. Bullard, Hayne; G. W. Carroll, Six Run; S. J. Faircloth, Shepard; J. D. Williams, Gill's Mills; J. H. Packer, Keener; H. G. Williamson, Dobbersville; D. I. Robinson, Delta; Mrs. Cornelia Faison, Elliott; J. W. Spill, Hawley's Store; C. P. Johnson, Clinton, N. C.; J. M. Lockerman, Huntley, N. C.; Mrs. Lizzie Beaman, Beaman's Store; John A. Oates, Duplin, Sampson and Onslow counties.

LOCALS.

The boys of Co. F. arrived home safe last Thursday at noon after a pleasant stay of nine days in camp by the sea-side.

W. K. Pigford and Marion Butler are the delegates appointed to represent Sampson county at the In-ter-State Farmers' Association which meets in Montgomery, Ala., on Aug. the 20th.

The Rifle team of Co. F. made the third best score target practice at the Encampment and Sergeant Owen tied the best individual on the first round. Our team should practice more and then it would stand a better chance at the annual contest.

A telegram was received by the Sheriff Tuesday morning to be on the lookout for a negro answering a given description. A character answering the description stepped from the 12 o'clock train in to the hands of assistant policeman, Thomas Butler, and promptly lodged in jail. The negro is charged with stealing \$360 in Georgia. A preliminary hearing of his case will come up before Mayor or Thomson this (Thursday) morning. Clinton is not a healthy place for escaping evil doers.

The steam saw-mill (50 horse power boiler) of W. J. Powell, located on Coharie, three miles east of Clinton, was burned on last Sunday night about 10 o'clock. The engine and boiler are damaged but can be repaired, but there was other machinery, a planing machine, a number of small rip and cut saws, a valuable chest of tools, almost totally destroyed, a shingle machine, which had been bought for the mill, was, fortunately, not yet brought from the depot. The cause of the fire unknown. The mill supplied material for the Carolina Veneer Works.

Business men, be sure to read and consider the article on the first page of this paper with reference to soap and starch factories. The sweet potato, it is said, makes as good a grade of starch as there is on the market, and there is no limit to the quantity our farmers can raise. The machinery for the factory is not expensive. This latter statement is also true of a soap factory, and in addition the immense quantities of rosin which soap concerns use, will have right here at home. Will not these facts bear a "lot of thinking?" Let us wake up and start some of the many little enterprises that would add so much to the prosperity of this place.

Business men of Clinton, read the following paragraph: "Blowing" helps a town if it has anything to blow about; but the best advertisement any town can have is a live, thriving paper, crowded with well written advertisements of every business in the place, from doctor to blacksmith. The reason advertisements in the best paper make good advertisement of the town is, that the world knows that advertising pays; and people know that where all the business men of a town advertise, they must be prosperous, because prosperity is the inevitable result of advertising.

Now, we believe this to be true, therefore we have decided to write up our home advertisers in next week's issue, by way of calling special attention to the progressiveness

and business prosperity of this place.

We will give a short biographical sketch of all home advertisers, and also a sketch of the volume and kind of business done by each. If the statement in the above paragraph is true, our town could not possibly have a letter and more paying advertisement than the one we will give it next week.

The attention of those who have subscribed to the Methodist church fund and others who are interested in the rebuilding of the church, is called to the notice in this week's paper from Messrs. Nicholson and Moore. We understand that the funds that are now on hand will continue the work for only three weeks longer. Therefore, if more money is not raised in that time the building must stand unfinished. It would be a pity for such to be the case, for if the church could be properly finished after the present plan it would be decidedly the handsomest structure of the kind in the county, it will be a credit to Clinton, to the county and especially to the denomination. Last summer we offered for several weeks to give 50 cents on each cash subscription to the church fund and was surprised to receive only two during that time. We felt like we ought to help but were unable to do so directly. But we will make another proposition to be good until September the first. Every person who will raise us a club of ten cash subscribers, we will pay to that person \$6.50 (one half of the subscription price) to be donated to the Methodist church fund, and in addition we will give the person who gets up the club, one year's subscription free. We will publish the names of the members of each club headed by the name of the person who raises the club.

Carolina Veneer Works.

The Manufacturers' Record, in its report of Southern industries, has the following item under North Carolina notes:

Clinton-Veneer Works. The Carolina Veneer Works have enlarged their works and put in additional machinery for the manufacturing of butter dishes, thirty-seven machines for making grape baskets, etc.

The above is true as far as it goes, it is not the whole truth. There are twelve additional butter dish machines put in, making the capacity of that department of the factory now 40,000 dishes per day. The thirty-seven grape basket machines turn out 3,700 baskets per day. Machinery is being added for making orange boxes that will have a capacity of 10,000 per day. The crate department has a capacity of 700 per day, while the berry basket department has a capacity of 35,000 per day. The majority of the butter dishes are shipped to a New York firm, and this firm says that it is the best and handsomest dish on the world's market to-day. Great improvement has been made in the grape basket, and Mr. Noble, a large grower of Wilmington, is authorizing, saying that it is now one of the best baskets on the market. We understand that the factory has just received an order for a large commission merchant in Jacksonville, Fla., (who has formerly been buying from Maine) for 400,000 orange boxes. This is a big enterprise for Clinton and too much for the public-spirited, progressive and large-hearted proprietor can not be said.

We have only to regret that Clinton has not a hundred A. F. Johnsons. But, alas! the man who has done so much for his town is now almost a physical wreck from overwork and is absent seeking rest and recreation. However, Mr. Johnson can rest assured that with such men as Foreman, J. S. Clute, engineer, B. F. Fennell, and book-keeper, H. B. Chesnut, in charge, that the work of the enterprise will be pushed with zeal and despatch.

Shall We Have a Fair?

The life members of the Sampson County Agricultural Association met in the Courthouse on last Saturday, pursuant to a call published in the last issue of THE CAUCASIAN, and proceeded to organize by electing for President, H. E. Faison; for Business Manager, H. B. Chesnut; for Corresponding Secretary, Marion Butler.

Col. L. A. Powell, Capt. W. L. Faison and a person whom they should select, were appointed as a committee to inspect the Fair Grounds with a view to estimating necessary repairs and report at the next meeting, on Friday, July 20th, at 2 P. M., at which time decided steps will be taken with regard to holding an Agricultural Fair at this place next Fall.

Let every good citizen lend his support to further this object, for a Fair we should and must have.

Clinton in the Same Fix.

The Wilson Mirror, in referring to the nuisance of having the Wilson county jail in the heart of town, says:

The jail—the county jail now situated in the heart of town—is a nuisance, and should be so declared by the Board of Health. And the town Commissioners and the good people of the town ought to support the Board of Health so as to compel the removal. It is the retreat of the vile, who have no respect for their surroundings, and by vicious language, uproarious howlings, fiddling, dancing, blasphemous praying, to say nothing of the loathsome emanations poisoning the atmosphere, so annoy all those within ear and nose-shot as to make the further continuance of the same a shame upon the county authorities.

Clinton is in exactly the same unpleasant condition. Now, Mr. County Commissioners, (in the language of the dear good ladies) please move this nuisance of a jail—please do! Won't you?

All Through the County.

What Samsonians are Doing and Saying.

Send us the news from your township for this column.

HALLS.

Mr. Thomas Hobbs has placed upon our table an Irish potato of the early rose variety of remarkable size and shape. He says that his father, the late Wm. P. Hobbs, commenced planting this potato immediately after the war and that he had been saving their own seed and planting every year since. There is a moral in this that other farmers would do well to heed.

Died, on Tuesday morning, the 23rd inst., Miss Katie Weeks, the only daughter of the late B. G. Weeks. She had been sick with typhoid fever about ten days, was taken suddenly with hemorrhage of the bowels and died in a few hours. She was buried on Wednesday evening by the side of her father in the family grave.

Miss Katie was a promising girl, just blossoming into womanhood. She was a bright, pleasant and interesting pupil of ours for some time at Salem High School, where we learned to know and appreciate her character and worth. Alas! how this peculiarly sad event reminds us of the terrible uncertainty of human existence.

The majority of those who made wheat in this section are well pleased with the yield.

Mr. W. A. Hobbs will deliver a Sunday School address at Hall's Academy on the 28th inst., at 3 p. m.

Miss Sullie Darden of Cumberland will open school at Hall's Academy on the 22nd instant.

Miss Fannie McPhail has returned from Wrightsville well pleased with her trip, while her sister, Miss Jimmie, reports a pleasant trip to Louisville.

Miss Louisa Beaman narrowly escaped serious injury by being thrown from a road-cart a few days ago.

Miss Mary Herring is spending some time with relatives near Taylor's Bridge.

Mrs. G. W. Highsmith has been visiting her sister, Mrs. O. M. Matthews, in Goldsboro.

Singing and writing school at Keener's Chapel this week, conducted by Prof. Boykin and McKenzie.

A projected meeting was to have been held at Keener's last week, but owing to sickness of the pastor, Mr. Jerome, it was postponed.

LIBSON.

There is a well at Spring Vale Church, dug through clay soil, forty feet deep, the water of which gives forth a peculiar sound. The sound is very like that given forth by water just about to boil, yet the surface of the water is perfectly smooth.

There are several wells near by that have the same peculiar quality. This noise can be heard by a person riding along the road a few paces distant.

Henry Boon (col.), living on Mrs. E. V. Lamb's farm, was in the field at work with his daughter, when a moccasin bit the girl. Her father ran to the house, took a bottle of spirits of turpentine and put the mouth of the bottle over the bite and pressed it there for a few moments. The poison passed up into the bottle of turpentine and the girl suffered no further inconvenience from the bite, but went on with her work that same evening. This is a simple remedy which every one can try, and should be remembered in such emergencies should arise.

What One Factory is Doing.

The Statesville Manufacturing Company, Mr. C. J. Dundas, manager, has bought since the 1st of January 138 car loads of timber, equal to about 104 cords of wood, and expects to buy and work as much more by the 1st of January next. This company has a pay roll of from \$90 to \$125 per week and runs 12 hours a day, which is equivalent to 7 days a week. This is one of a class of enterprises that make prosperity in a community. It not only turns loose every Saturday evening a certain amount of money which goes into the channels of trade and business, but it furnishes a cash market for our abundant timber, paying for it in the amount probably at least \$3,000 per year—Statesville Landmark.

There is enough money deposited by the citizens of Sampson county in the bank here at 6 per cent interest to start twenty earning factories. Yet the men who own this cash capital and therefore are able to do something for their county that would mean additional prosperity to every household, let their capital lie idle and therefore are responsible for these needed and necessary industries not coming into existence.

TRUE AS PREACHING.

The Caucasian Points a Moral. Copying The Landmark's paragraph of two weeks ago about the quantities of fruit coming to town and the low prices in consequence, the Clinton Caucasian says:

Start canning factories and save this fruit that is daily being wasted all over the country. It is not so much the evil of an over-crop as the want of a means of preserving that causes fruit to go begging on the market.

That is true as preaching. We wonder we did not think to point this moral when speaking of a glutted market.—Statesville Landmark.

Do you take THE CAUCASIAN? If not, then it is your duty to do so, and help us make the paper better and more influential.

PERSONALS.

Judge E. T. Boykin left Monday on a business trip.

Miss Cleone Hobbs is visiting Miss Jesse Wooten, of Columbus.

Miss Mary Brady, of Bladen, is visiting at Mr. James A. Stevens.

Miss Hattie Mahn, of Wilmington, is visiting at Capt. C. Partrick's.

Miss Mary Anna Holmes, of Goldsboro, is visiting at Mr. Richard Holmes.

Wm. A. Guthrie, of the Durham bar was in town Tuesday on professional business.

Mrs. M. A. Wedding and daughter, Miss Agnes, are visiting in Nash and Wayne counties.

"Col." W. A. Johnson and Mal. W. N. Peden are off for a few days recreation at Wrightsville.

Mr. J. C. D. Herring, formerly of Clinton, but now of Thompsville, this week called to see us Tuesday.

The Misses Lee and Dortch, who have been visiting friends in North Carolina, returned to Goldsboro Monday.

Miss Maggie Watkins, who has spent the last few weeks with Miss Nannie Faison, returned to her home in Durham Monday.

Mr. Henry Hines, of the firm of Slawyer & Hines, left Tuesday for the mountains of Western Carolina, where he will spend several weeks.

BUSINESS LOCALS.

"Wants" and Business Notices can be inserted in this column at ten cents a line.

How Tom Ferrell sells that Tobacco 5 cents is the question.

My entire stock of Lawns reduced to 5 cents. Call before they are gone. T. M. FERRELL.

Notice. All subscribers to the Methodist Church Building Fund, who have not paid their subscriptions, are earnestly requested to do so at once as the money is greatly needed.

By order of the Building Com. D. B. Nicholson, Sec'y. July 18th, 1889.

RACKET STORE. New goods at the Racket Store this week. Splendid bargains in Towels, Table Cloths, Napkins, Scrims and other goods.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

A. F. JOHNSON & CO. THE ORIGINAL ONE PRICE CASH STORE Of Clinton, N. C.

What is the use of allowing trade to be dull during mid-summer? We don't propose to do it. But we DO PROPOSE TO MAKE THINGS LIVELY next few weeks by MARKING Down Prices.

Our Entire Stock of Gent's Straw Hats at Greatly Reduced Prices. Carpets at Prices Away Below their Actual Worth.

Another invoice just received of our FAMOUS "Bijou" Button Shoe, at \$2.00. Our stock of other shoes is complete and you can always find what you want in this department.

Complete stock of Hardware, Crockery, Glassware and Lamp Goods, Preserving Kettles and Sauce Pans, Pickle Jars, &c.

Another lot of that same Flour, that is so popular both in price and quality. A small lot of the best Tobacco in for 10 cents a plug. Meat, Lard, &c., &c.

Meat, Lard, Flour, Molasses, Rice, Snuff, Starch, Soda Crackers, Lemon Crisps, Horsford's Bread Preparation, &c., &c. T. M. FERRELL.

We have just received a large supply of all kinds of circular, poster and flat cap papers. Also envelopes, note and letter paper, cards and invitation paper. We are prepared to do all kinds of work, from printing a common poster to school invitations and catalogues. Call in and see samples. Respectfully, THE CAUCASIAN.

Persons wishing to improve their memories or strengthen their power of attention should send to Prof. Loizette, 237 Fifth Avenue, New York, for his prospectus post free, as advertised in another column.

PROFESSIONAL COLUMN.

M. LEE, M. D. PHYSICIAN, SURGEON AND DENTIST, Office in Lee's Drug Store. Je 7-137

J. A. STEVENSON, M. D. PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON, (Office over Post Office.) May be found at night at the residence of J. H. Stevens on College Street. Je 7-137

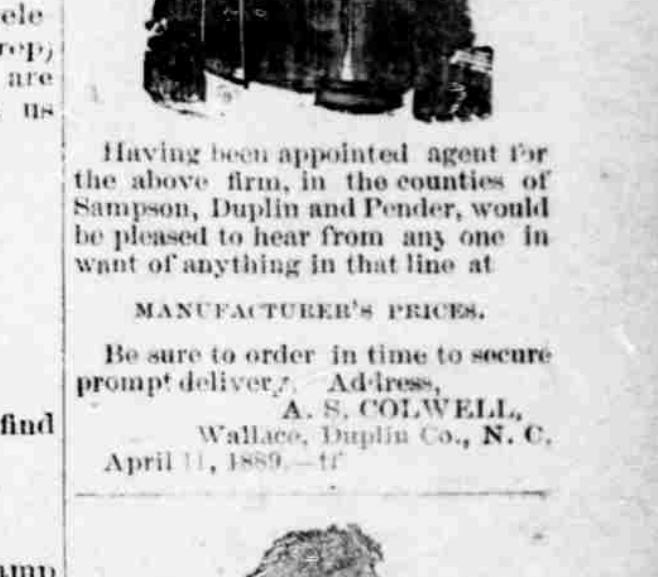
FRANK BOYETTE, D.D.S. DENTIST, Office on Main Street. Offers his services to the people of Clinton and vicinity. Everything in the line of Dentistry done in the best style. Satisfaction guaranteed. Je 7-137

H. E. FAISON. H. E. FAISON, ATTORNEY AND COUNSELLOR AT LAW, Office on Main Street. Will practice in courts of Sampson and adjoining counties. Also in Supreme Court. All business intrusted to his care will receive prompt and careful attention. Je 7-137

E. W. KERR. E. W. KERR, ATTORNEY AND COUNSELLOR AT LAW, Office on Wall Street. Will practice in Sampson, Bladen, Pender, Harnett and Duplin Counties. Also in Supreme Court. Prompt personal attention will be given to all legal business. Je 7-137

W. S. THOMSON. W. S. THOMSON, ATTORNEY AND COUNSELLOR AT LAW, Office over Post Office. Will practice in Sampson and adjoining counties. Ever attentive and faithful to the interests of all clients. Je 7-137

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS. BLYMYER IRON WORKS. LARGEST MANUFACTURERS OF MACHINERY IN THE U. S.



Having been appointed agent for the above firm, in the counties of Sampson, Duplin and Pender, would be pleased to hear from any one in want of anything in that line at MANUFACTURER'S PRICES.

Be sure to order in time to secure prompt delivery. Address, A. S. COLWELL, Wallace, Duplin Co., N. C. April 11, 1889.



LIVERY AND SALE Stables. WE ARE NOW LOCATED on Railroad street, in our new quarters. We will, at all times, have on hand a lot of FINE HORSES AND MULES, BEGGIES AND ROAD CARTS, which will be sold cheap for cash or on time, with good security. Come and examine our stock.

Respectfully, J. F. SOUTHERLAND & CO., 406-4th Clinton, N. C.

D. B. WATSON, A. F. JEFFERSON. WATSON & PETERSON. New Firm! LOW PRICES! GOOD QUALITY.

What better do you want? If you come in and we will sell and show you something better still. A full line of Family Groceries!

Pure Up-Country Corn Whiskey a specialty. Opposite Courthouse. Come In! Respectfully, WATSON & PETERSON.

W. T. WILLIAMSON'S BUGGY AND CARRIAGE FACTORY, IN NEW QUARTERS ON FAYETTEVILLE ST.

McMillan Bros., MANUFACTURERS AND DEALERS IN. Gane Mills, Evaporators and Farming & all descriptions Copper and Galvanized Iron Pans, Starchmills and Portable Mills, extra Double Grain Bars, and Farming Implements. See Premium List on Cumberland County Fair for our Special Cash Premium for Best Home-made Soap.

NEW GOODS! A T J. A. FERRELL'S! NEW CLOTHING, SHOES, DRY-GOODS AND HARDWARE. One lot of Calicoes at 5 cents per yard. Spring Goods will be coming in constantly. Cash customers would do well to call in and examine stock before buying elsewhere. J. A. FERRELL.

MARKETS. CLINTON. (Reported by A. F. JOHNSON) Huckleberries, 25; Corn, (new), 1.00; Bacon, 10 to 12; Chickens, 10 to 12; Butter, 18 to 20; Lard, 10 to 12; Flour, 1.00; Hides, 62 to 67; Turpentine, (yellow dip), 1.00; Cotton, 3.00; Spirits Turpentine, 23 per gallon; Rosin, (strained), 25 per barrel; (good strained), 80 per barrel; Tar, 81.85 per barrel; Crude Turpentine, (Hard) 81.00; (Virgin) 82.00; Dip, 1.90; Cotton, 10.