

BUSINESS LOCALS.

Wants and Business Notices can be inserted in this column at ten cents a line. Sugar Cured Hams at 14 cents a pound at B. F. POWELL'S. Flour at the same price, just received at J. H. ROYAL. A few of those Silver Spoons (that cost nothing) left at T. M. FERRELL'S. I have just received a new lot of Dress Goods. Ladies, give me a call. Respectfully, B. F. POWELL.

Barbains! Barbains!! at the Backet Store, in White Dress Goods, Ladies' Hats and Ribbons, call and see them. Mrs. M. E. PETERSON & Co. Be sure and call on M. HANSTEN for your Clothing, Hats, Shoes, Dry Goods, &c. He will give you more goods for a small sum of money than any other house this side of New York. All goods must be sold. Be sure to call on him. I am still receiving orders for the Murray Seedling Strawberry Plants, at \$25 per thousand, under restrictions. All that wish to buy these plants, send in your orders. I hope to be able to fill them this fall. Mrs. S. E. MURKAY, Warsaw, N. C. JUST RECEIVED. Another pretty lot of Millinery Goods and a late invoice of White Goods and solid color Satinets, at MOORE & PATRICK'S. Our entire stock of Crocker and Glass is offered at cost WM. A. JOHNSON'S. Tin! Tin!! Tinware of every description—cheap! cheap!!—at J. E. ROYAL'S. I will continue to sell out my stock at cost, and at auction on each Saturday. Rare bargains going. J. A. FERRELL. With A. Johnson will sell 2,000 Tute Rose Bulls, that will bloom this season, at 25 cents per dozen.

NOTICE! I have just received two car loads of Marble at my Fayetteville Yard. Also two hundred small five dollar Head Stones for infants. Parties who are in need of work in my line will do well to write or call to see me at my works. Respectfully, CHAS. A. GOODWIN.

Notice of Sale—Henry E. Faison, At the Mammoth Grocery and Hardware Store of Clinton—J. H. ROYAL.

PAID READING NOTICES. 4 1/2 Cards and Reading Notices can be inserted under this head for ten cents per line. Somebody took my Umbrella at the College Tuesday night, the 10th instant. Size, 32 inches, ten ribs. Please return and oblige. B. F. POWELL.

SUMMER ART SCHOOL. will open an Art School in Clinton, N. C., Monday, the 16th, to continue for four weeks. Those desiring to receive instruction will apply to MISS SUDIE FAISON, Clinton, N. C.

HOUSE AND LOT IN THE TOWN OF CLINTON FOR SALE. I will sell my dwelling, six rooms, each with a fire place, and lot, on Presbyterian Church street. It has just been newly renovated and painted. A nice orchard on the lot and good out-buildings. For terms, apply to W. G. RACKLEY.

Attention, Sampson Light Infantry! You are hereby commanded to appear at your armory on Friday, the 20th instant, at 4 o'clock P. M., for Special Drill. Every member of Company is expected to attend. By order of Captain Commanding, M. HANSTEN, First Sergeant.

LIBRARY ASSOCIATION. Parties having either the following Books of the Library in their possession will please return at once to the Library: Number 39, Little Dorrit. "59, Children of the Abbey. "89, Taine's Eng. Literature. "114, Plutarch Lives. "115, R. W. Emerson. "128, Shelley's Poems.

Appointments of The County Lecturer for Sampson. Mr. Marion Butler, the County Lecturer of Sampson County Farmer's Alliance, will speak at the following times and places: Newton Grove, on Thursday, June the 12th, at 2 o'clock P. M. At 3 o'clock on Saturday June the 21st the County Lecturer will deliver a public address at Clear Run Alliance.

WILL YOU SUFFER WITH DYSPEPSIA and Liver Complaint? Shiloh's Vitalizer is guaranteed to cure you. For sale by R. H. HOLIDAY, Druggist, Clinton, and W. P. KENNEDY, Warsaw, N. C.

MARKETS. CLINTON. (Reported by A. F. JOHNSON & Co.) Corn, (new) 20 Peas, 80 Bacon, 8 to 12 Chickens, 15 to 25 Eggs, 10 to 15 Butter, 18 to 20 Lard, 20 to 25 Flour, 10 to 15 Hides, 50 to 55 Turpentine, (hard) 25 (Virgin and Yellow Dip) 20 Cotton, 10 WILMINGTON. Spirits Turpentine, 35 per gallon Housin, (strained) 1.10 per barrel (good strained) 1.12 per barrel Tar, 1.10 per barrel Crude Turpentine, (hard) \$1.35 per barrel (Virgin) \$1.25 Yellow Dip, 2.00 Cotton, 10 Timber, per m., 3.00 to 15.00

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Sun rises 4:40 a. m., and sets 7:16 p. m. The residence of H. E. Faison Esq., is being repaired and improved. Capt. W. A. Johnson is having another neat cottage erected on Johnson street. Capt. W. L. Faison has been shipping some very fine Irish potatoes, some of them, weigh as high as a pound and a quarter. Here's the way the Middlefield Messenger expresses it: "The man who never advertises is doing business at his old stand still."

Miss Sudie Faison, art teacher of the Clinton Female Institute, will have a class in painting and drawing this summer, commencing next Monday morning. The firm of T. H. Partrick and Bro. has dissolved. Mr. T. H. Partrick retires and Mr. D. M. Partrick continues the business at the same stand. Handsome new counters have been placed in store of Watson and Peterson and the building much improved by a new coat of paint inside and out.

Those desiring to attend the Teachers' Assembly can get any information desired by applying to Isham Royal, Co. Supt. of Public Instruction. If newspaper men were paid for one fifth the work they do in advertising their towns and booming their home enterprises, they would become bloated bond holders in a very short time.—Greensboro Patriot. Rev. J. W. Millard will preach at 8 o'clock on Wednesday the 14th Sunday in June. At Mt. Gilead the 4th Sunday and Saturday before, and at Boykin's Chapel on Tuesday after the 4th Sunday in June.

As a public journalist it is our duty to put our friends on their guard, and so we would advise them to prepare to meet the census enumerator. He will ask you if you are in arrears for your home paper. Young men who are born tired and dislike anything in the form of work, are always on the lookout for all kinds of snaps. They usually find the places all filled before they get there, though. The whole affair passed off to the highest satisfaction of every one and the visiting brethren expressed themselves as being greatly pleased at the courtesy, hearty, genuine and hospitality with which they were met by every one. May there be many similar causes for the repetition of such a happy meeting.

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A GRAND MASONIC REVIVAL.

Over a Half a Hundred Masons in Special Communication Confer the Master's Degree, Followed by a Public Banquet. Last Thursday was a red-letter day for the Masonic fraternity. The noon train brought to Clinton a half dozen visiting Masons from Wilmington and elsewhere, and the evening train brought nineteen more. They were met at the depot by members of the fraternity here and other citizens of the town and assigned to the hospitality of various residences. The conferring of the Master's Degree, (known as the raising of a candidate on the Third Degree of Masonry) upon our esteemed enterprising townsman, Capt. Wm. A. Johnson, of Hiram Lodge, No. 98, was the cause of this Masonic gathering. At 8:30 J. M. Marshallburn, W. M. of Hiram Lodge, called the Special Communication to order. The following members of the Degree Team of the Wilmington Lodge 319 A. F. and A. M., were present to assist in conferring the Degree: Samuel Northrop, W. M., Jas. W. Monroe, S. W., P. M., H. P. West, J. W., D. M. Fennell, Treasurer, T. F. Bagley, Secretary, P. G. M., C. H. Robinson, S. D., Jas. C. Stewart, J. D., George L. Morton, R. H. Pickett, Stewards, Thos. H. Johnson, Tyler, C. H. Robinson, Marshal.

The beautiful and impressive ceremonies of this imposing degree, can never be effaced from the memory, (or even dimmed) of one who has experienced it, and when it is performed in the fine style it was on this occasion it is peculiarly impressive in the highest degree. In fact this degree, as all Masons know, is a genuine tragedy. The music for the occasion furnished by Mr. E. P. Boatwright, organist, and Messrs. C. H. Robinson, Nathan Mayer, H. M. Bowden, R. H. Grant, U. M. Robinson and W. P. Toomer as chorus, was unusually fine. The work of the evening in the Lodge assembled being over, the sixty-five Masons from a half a dozen different lodges repaired with good appetites and real pleasure to the banquet consisting of cake, wine, strawberries and ice cream, prepared by the ladies in the hall below, where for an hour right royally did each and every one enjoy himself in social intercourse and feasting on the good things of this world.

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Commencement of Clinton Female Institute.

The closing exercises of this excellent school, under the management of Miss Mary Anderson took place on Tuesday and Wednesday evenings last. TUESDAY EVENING. Despite the inclement weather, when the rostrum curtain raised nearly every seat in the hall of the Institute was taken. This was Children's Night, and the programme consisted of a musical concert by the children, interspersed with entertaining and amusing recitations and tableaux. All the pupils did so well that we hesitate to single out any, but it is certainly our duty to recognize special merit and should be our privilege to refer to those parts of the exercises that impressed us most without appearing invidious. The "Bachelor's Proposal," a recitation by Master Howard McKinnon and Rena Johnson, was very well done indeed; the song by Miss Bettie Johnson, in the "Mother Goose Entertainment," was very sweetly rendered. The instrumental music by Misses Eva Lee, Bettie Johnson, Bettie Beaman and Hyacinth Peterson, was especially good. The Misses Atkinson, considering the short time they have been taking music, did very well indeed. In fact the whole musical concert was not only creditable to the pupils, but especially so to their careful, pains-taking and efficient teacher, Miss Claggett. The entertainment over the audience was invited up stairs to the ART GALLERY, and art gallery literally it was. A large hall with the walls covered with more than a hundred large beautiful paintings, arranged in the most artistic manner. The lover of the beautiful, with any artistic taste could not fail to be charmed in the midst of the inspiring scene. We were surprised to learn that the work was executed by comparative beginners, a majority of the art pupils having entered the studio for the first time at the beginning of this term, five months since. Such rapid progress and great proficiency in so short a time speaks in the highest terms of the proficiency and great success of Miss Sudie Faison as a teacher of Art. The many excellent results of the brush are too numerous to mention, but we were specially struck with the Autumn Scenes, the Ebonized Mirror, the Meadow Scene, and the Wreath of Marshal Neil Roses.

As we go to press the evening entertainment is in progress. Misses Rena Stewart and Bessie Partrick charmed the audience with excellent music. Misses Sula Beaman, Mary Lou Kerr, Mollie Duffie, Lucy Taylor, and Ella Boney show signs of marked improvement and bid fair to become skilled musicians. Of the tableaux and recitations, the following were the features of the evening. The Pyramid of Beauty, the Matrimonial Advertisement, the Interrupted Recitation by Miss Mary Herring and Master Ferdie Johnson, and the Daughters of the Regiment. The latter was a pantomime regimental drill, and the fair soldiers took the audience by storm as willing and delighted captives. The school will open again on the 1st Wednesday in September and the pupils and patrons of the school will be pleased to learn that Miss Faison and Miss Claggett will remain in the faculty. The pupils were delighted to have with them on this occasion Mrs. J. M. McIver (nee Miss Lois Anderson) one of their former teachers. At the close of the entertainment Dr. B. F. Marable will make some timely and appropriate remarks on the subject of Music and Art. Later—The music medal was awarded to Miss Mollie Duffie and delivered by Dr. Marable in his usual happy and graceful style.

Colored Progress. (Special Correspondent.) The commencement and closing exercises of the Clinton Preparatory and Normal Institute last Friday, June 6th, eclipsed all former ones in the number of special attractions. The presence of Prof. Isham Royal, County Superintendent; Prof. A. H. Smith and A. Moore, drew an immense crowd of interested visitors. Moore's subject, "What will the Negro do?" Smith's subject, "The Education of the Head, Heart and Hand." Each treated his subject in a forcible and intelligent manner that reflected much credit upon themselves and the race. The speeches made by the students, the speakers of the day said, would reflect much credit upon any institution of learning. Prof. W. H. Ashford was present and gave a very spicy little speech and to the point. O. D. Holmes, L. H. Bizzell and W. T. Pritchett were also present. Prof. Royal gave a very interesting and instructive but short address, being unwell. But the principal, G. W. Herring, says he cannot see how to let the Superintendent get around speaking when visiting his school. The good effects of his visit may be easily seen in the progress of the school. "He is a real stimulus." G. W. Herring, the principal, is a hard worker and a lover of his race, and deserves to succeed in erecting the Normal School building here. Average attendance was 41; whole number attended 74. W.

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Farmers Meeting. Editor TELEGRAM. Please state that the Farmers' Meeting, near the Hatch old mill, will be Saturday the 21st day of June at 2 o'clock. D. E. STEVENS. Mr. Willis Martin's baby died last Sunday. Miss Mary Park of Enfield is visiting at Mr. C. B. Trices'. Mr. and Mrs. Y. H. Knowles are boarding at Mr. F. Oliver's. Miss Annie Huffman of Scotland Neck is visiting at Dr. B. F. Marables. Mrs. L. F. Oates' private school closed last Friday after a pleasant session of several months. Rev. Mr. Crocker preached in the Baptist church last Sunday morning and night according to appointment. Miss Sullie Wilson returned home last week from Kingstree S. C., where she has been teaching a school.

Miss Maggie Tew who has been spending some time in Clinton, was on a visit to her parents near here last Sunday. Mr. A. S. Wells a young graduate in Dentistry has recently located in town. There is no excuse now for having the toothache. The season for shipping vegetables has come to a close. The bean market, which was about the last, busted a few days ago. Dr. Pennington of Wilson has been working the Life Insurance business in our town lately for all it is worth. He says he "has never yet talked a man to death." But that he "once talked a man fast asleep." The farmers are jubilant over the bright crop prospects. The seasons so far have hit just right and we sincerely hope they will continue the same. A rich harvest is one thing this part of the country is badly in need of. In giving a report last week of Mr. and Mrs. Knowles' marriage, we unintentionally neglected to state that the organ was presided over by Miss Annie Broadhurst of Kenansville, who performed in a beautiful manner. Some lovely wedding matches. Several of our young folks "paired off" last Wednesday and went to Seven Springs where they spent the day very pleasantly. They however would have had a better time—at noon at least, had it not been for a certain old hog which lives in that section. Friends take warning, if you wish to save your dinners you had better eat them before you get to the Springs. The Newberne District Conference will convene in the Methodist church at this place on Thursday the 26th inst., and will include 5th Sunday. Rev. M. Abernethy is making arrangements to entertain the preachers and delegates, and we feel assured the liberal hearted people of which our town is full, will entertain the conference very handsomely. There are about a dozen preachers in the district which is entitled to 4 delegates to each pastoral charge. "How to Cure all Skin Diseases." Simply apply "SWAYNE'S OINTMENT." No internal medicine required. Cures Itch, eczema, itch all eruptions on the face, hands, nose, &c., leaving the skin clear, white and healthy. Its great healing and curative powers are possessed by no other remedy. Ask your druggist for SWAYNE'S Ointment.

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