

THE REPORTER.

THURSDAY, AUGUST 7, 1879.

Local News.

Chew Jackson's Best Sweet Navy Tobacco.

Miss Bettie Pitzer is visiting friends in Danbury.

Doyle is a gone case for sure. 'Rah for Doyle!

Wonder if that male reached Mr. M's on the 5th?

A Good Templars' Lodge will be organized in this place to-night.

Rev. T. H. Pegram will hold services in this place next Sabbath.

Rev. C. Pepper delivered an excellent temperance lecture in the Court House on Tuesday evening.

We will stake Doyle against anything in the world, if anything should occur 'Rah for Doyle!

Wonder if the miller, K., down the way has quit going to see his belle between turns? Guess he has.

We have had rain in abundance during the past week, our farmers are rejoicing and crops growing off finely.

Have you heard the "boom" at Pepper & Sons' store? If not go and see what booming low prices they are selling goods at.

Why will some people engage in conversation during church services? It presents a sad commentary, let it come from whomever it may.

Wonder who that young man from Winston was, who was picked up on the hill side near Piedmont a few evenings since with his tight still on, from the previous day's performance?

FOUND AT LAST.

The whole trading population of this section have found out at last that Brown & Vaughn's is the place to buy their Hardware, at low prices. Store in Tiso block, Winston, N. C.

The white population of Salem numbers 1,000; colored 135. Total 1,135. Estimated population of Winston, white and colored, 2,700, making a grand total in both towns of 3,835. A close census of Winston would probably swell the number to 4,000.—*Press.*

RELIGIOUS.

Rev. Clarendon Pepper, of Lilesville, N. C., delivered a very impressive sermon in this place, on last Sunday morning. The discourse was full of many beautiful passages and strong sentences, interwoven with choice quotations and scriptural allusions.

Just Received!

At the Salem Agricultural Works, another lot of the celebrated Gardwell Threshers and Cleaners, also a lot of Horse Powers and Cider Mills, of various kinds on hand, which are offered at prices and on terms to suit the times. Call early and make a selection at THE SALEM AGRICULTURAL WORKS, Salem, N. C.

When times are dull people read the papers very closely. They watch the advertising columns to see what manufacturers and dealers offer the greatest variety of goods and the lowest rates. They have got time to read and reflect. They see who are laying in good stocks of goods and are providing for the rush of trade that the fall will bring. They are learning where to go, and they will go there. An item is as good as a column to a man who is anxious to see.

We have received from Mr. W. F. Campbell, the Assessor of Peter's Creek township, the following table of taxes for the year 1879:

25,798 acres of land, valued at \$62,580; 134 horses, valued \$5,113; 126 mules, valued at \$6,585; 1 jack, valued \$10; 794 cattle, valued at \$5,319; 1,746 hogs, valued \$1,883; 538 sheep, valued at \$538; household and farming utensils and produce, valued at \$6,688; money, \$2,773; solvent credits, \$3,830; all other personal property, \$4,979; poll, white 186, black 28 Total valuation, \$100,318.

A MOMENT AT PIEDMONT.

On last Friday we paid a hasty visit to Piedmont Springs, where we were cordially greeted by Capt. Taylor, the clever and highly esteemed manager.

We had not been on the scene long e'er the Capt. invited his guests to the commodious parlor where the instrumentalists were "sawing" off voluptuous swells of music. The music ended, the "long roll" summoned all to the dining room where a sumptuous and palatable meal was in waiting.

We found a very respectable company patronizing these popular Springs, and the number will be handsomely increased this week. All who come may rest assured that they will be well fed and receive every possible attention that will tend to make their stay pleasant.

Supper over—our moment up—we aboard the swift-wheeled conveyance and are soon on the streets of Danbury.

J. W. Thomas, Esq., of Thomasville, has purchased the lands of W. H. Reid, some 5 miles of this place, on Snow Creek, where he intends to engage in farming, stock-raising and the lumber business, at an early day. The Reporter extends a hearty welcome to Mr. T. with the hope that others will soon follow. The world is beginning to see what Stokes is, and with a railroad she will receive a note of praise from Cherokee to Curruck.

Harris Hairston, col., was arrested near Buffalo Church, in Snow Creek township, on last Monday, for having wantonly approached the house of Wm. S. Hampton, and finding Mr. H. absent he proceeded to make advances on Mrs. H., and threatened to shoot her if she did not acquiesce to his demands, thereby frightening the lady so much that she is at present dangerously prostrate. Hairston now bathes his weary soul in the sea of meditation within our jail.

The New American Sewing Machine is fast becoming the most popular machine of the age, owing to the many good points which they possess; a few of which are the self-setting needle, self-threading shuttle, stop motion by which the bobbin can be wound without removing the strap from the balance-wheel, unthreading the machine, or disturbing the work. It is light running, simple, durable and neat in its construction, and by far the best sewing machine in the world.

"MY GRANDMOTHER'S CHURN."

The above is title of a new and superb song and chorus, published by R. W. Carroll & Co., in Cincinnati, Ohio. It is a song that should take the place of the worn-out "Grandfather's Clock." The poetry and music combine in a high degree, simplicity, beauty and sweetness, and will reach the popular heart. The solo has a captivating vein of tenderness running through it, while the rousing chorus is a fine representation of the work the dear "Grandmother's Churn" used to do. No one should fail to get a copy of this striking beautiful composition. Price 30 cts. For sale by all music dealers, or by the publisher.

ACCIDENT.

Mr. D. W. Dodd, of this county, while on his way to this place last Tuesday, and while driving rapidly down a hill, several miles distant, one wheel of his conveyance ran over a stone and threw him forward upon his horse's back from whence he slipped to a perilous position between the shafts and the animal's hind legs. He miraculously succeeded in extricating himself from this posture only to be caught beneath the wheels. The animal continued to move on until he arrived at Piedmont Springs where he was arrested, and a party traced the route until they met Mr. D. He was escorted to Piedmont, and after having rested a few hours, concluded to return home but found himself unable. After another brief rest he succeeded in getting off. Some fear is apprehended that Mr. Dodd has been seriously injured.

QUAKER GAP Stokes Co. N. C., Aug. 4th, 1879.

EDITOR OF THE REPORTER:—

The strong hand of death is still making its way in this neighborhood; but as we are all born to die we should not be surprised at death's approach:

Mrs. Milly Boyles, wife of Mr. Henry Boyles, died the 2d of August, of typhoid fever, leaving her dear companion and two of her beloved children, not only to mourn the loss of a companion and mother, but confined to the bed of affliction. Some of Mr. Boyles' family have been sick for a month previous to the death of Mrs. B., and since that time they have all, except one little girl, been seized by the mighty hand of disease. Now, in the bereavements of this sick family, may they be cheered by the quick approach of that health which they once sustained, is our fervent prayer.

Mrs. Susan Young, of this neighborhood, is lying at the point of death—having fits. May she soon enjoy the health she once possessed.

The las ing wheels of death, Are fast rolling us along; And we who are but left, Will soon them mount upon.

And as they roll we go To Eternitie's land; But waiting pilgrims think them slow? The time is near at hand. W. J. J.

A \$340 ORGAN FOR \$85.—

Mr. Daniel F. Beatty, of Washington, N. J., appears to be determined that all who care to have parlor organs can get them, for he will sell during a limited period an instrument which it is said is equal in every way to the kind usually sold for \$340, for the very much reduced price of \$85. If this invitation to the public from Mr. Beatty is responded to in the spirit that it is made, every hamlet in the land will very soon have in it a musical advertisement of the New Jersey Organ Builder. Mr. Beatty has recently made an extended tour through Europe, and he expresses himself confident of having learned many things that will profit the purchasers of the organs he proposes to sell at one-quarter the price usually obtained for a handsome instrument of the class to which his belongs. It had as well be borne in mind by those considering the offer that it is only for a limited period, and the low price is to induce people to buy the organ in order that the manufacturer may show to the public the peculiar excellence which he claims it to possess. See his advertisement.

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VALUATION OF PROPERTY.

The Commissioners and Magistrates as a Board, levied County tax at 67½ on the \$100 valuation of property and \$2.03 on each poll, making the State and County tax the same as heretofore viz: \$1.00 on the \$100 valuation of property, and \$3.00 on the poll, and the same tax as the state under Schedule B & C., which it is thought will bring the County out of debt and set her even once more.

RANDOM THUNDERBOLT.

On Tuesday there was a very singular occurrence at Piedmont Springs. A somewhat heavy cloud passed over the south eastern portion of the mountain, south of Piedmont, while it was almost entirely clear at that point, a thunder bolt was heralded from the distant cloud and came in contact with a large tree midway between the hotel and cabins, utterly demolishing the same. Its effects were felt by all at the hotel and cabins. One gentleman who was at the spring, a short distance away, says he felt "somewhat dizzy" a moment after he heard the report. It was a singular occurrence.

COMMISSIONERS' COURT.

The Board met in this place on the 4th, with Commissioners F. Pringle, B. Bailey and L. W. Anderson. The following business was transacted:

The usual pauper claims were granted. Ordered that Betsy Moore have permission to go to the poor house.

Ordered that Mrs. Rominger have permission to go to poor house, and also Bettie Lawson.

Burwell Lemons was ordered claim for work on jail.

John W. Neal appointed beneficiary pupil for this County to State university. G. G. Shelton and Pleasant Foddrill released from poll tax for 1879.

Wm. A. Mills released from double poll, for years 1878-79.

Ordered that the Clerk give notice that the Board will meet on the 4th Monday in August for the purpose of revising the tax list, hearing complaints, &c.

AUGUST INFERIOR COURT.

Inferior Court convened here on Monday, the 4th, with Joel F. Hill, Esq., as Ch'rn, John L. Smith and C. M. Lasley, Associates. The re-organization resulted in the re-election of the former officers. Court declined to elect a Clerk.

Up to going to press the following cases have been disposed of: State vs. J. W. Dearman and Samuel M. Shelton, assault, submitted and fined \$1 each.

Frank Davis submitted in three cases for retailing liquor, and judgment suspended on payment of cost—defendant ordered to jail. State vs. Geo. W. Manuel, assault, fined \$1. John Forrest and David Farmer, for disturbing public worship, \$2 each and costs.

State vs. Sam Poindexter, affray, acquitted. State vs. C. C. Bennett, et al, for resisting officers, penny and costs.

Samuel Nunn, indicted for selling whiskey at proaching, acquitted.

State vs. John W. Lawson, affray, submitted and was fined a penny and costs.

Court will probably adjourn Thursday.

Let all our people attend the Templar organization.

GENERAL NEWS.

Mr. Joo A. Smith, is building a large tobacco factory on the vacant lot nearly in front of the Methodist church.—*Reidsville News.*

We have been informed that Wm. B. Anglin, son of the late Philip Anglin, of Patrick County Va., was killed by the Indians, in a fight on the frontiers of Texas, July 1st. He belonged to a company of Texas Rangers.—*Reidsville News.*

A difficulty occurred, recently, between Mr. A. E. Gray and Mr. David Golay, of this county. Gray struck Golay with a pitch fork. The case was tried before a magistrate, who fined Mr. Gray \$25 and sent him to jail for 30 days.—*Danville Times.*

TO BE HANGED.—Thos. Bowman, brought here from Rockingham county, and convicted for the murder of his wife, and afterwards granted a new trial and convicted in Randolph county, after which his case again went to the Supreme Court on law points giving him a further lease of life, was sentenced on Monday, the second week of Randolph county, by Judge Avery. He will be executed August 29th. The execution will be public and as it is the first that has ever occurred in Randolph county there will be acres of people there. There are few exhibitions that draw like a hanging, and that's not saying much for average human nature.—*Greensboro Patriot.*

From the reports made by the various Sunday Schools, though the report is meagre, there are 1,941 scholars enrolled upon the school books. Out of this number the average attendance is 1,381; and there are 254 teachers engaged in the work.—*Winston Leader.*

Danbury Academy.

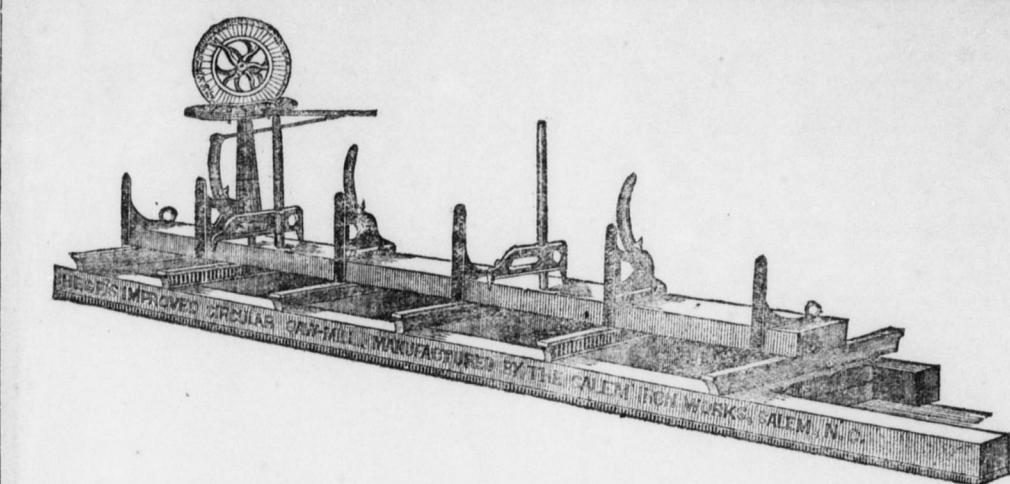
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We are determined to build a trade that will do honor to Stokes, if low prices and fair dealing is any thing looking in that direction—we mean what we say—and are determined to sell goods as low as they can be bought and delivered here from any market.

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