The Tobacco Plant.

WEDNESDAY, DEC. 1, 1886.

The Plant to be Pushed.

We now have three canvassers—Mr. Ed. S. Williams, whose excellence is vouched for by competent judges; Mr. S. M. Barbee, of Chapel Hill, who has shown us what he can do, and Mr. R. K. Ferrell, whose record (with no court weeks) is twenty-two subscribers in two weeks. If you want THE PLANT these gentlemen will find it out.

Thanksgiving was a real stormy day.

Read advertisement of Herring Sale.

See "Mother Goose" Friday night at Stokes Hall.

The Bank of Durham is fitting up handsome quarters on Main street.

The first car load of lumber for the contemplated street repairs has arrived.

Elder J. S. Dameron will preach at the Primitive Baptist church tonight.

The house of Mr. Wm. A. Guthrie promises to be one of the very handsomest in town.

The weather vane for the new smoke stack of Blackwell's Durham Tobacco Co. has arrived.

The case of McElwee against Blackwell, to be heard this week at Salisbury, was continued.

Contractors and builders are arriving at Durham from other points, notably from Danville, Va.

Heavy breaks of tobacco in town. The warehouses are full of tobacco and the town is full of wagons.

The new safe just received by the Bank of Durham is the handsomest thing of the kind we have seen.

Remember the entertainment Friday night at Stokes Hall. Admission 25 cents. Reserved seats 35 cents.

Mr. Thos. Rigsbee began to lay brick in the burnt district on Friday, and Mr. A. M. Rigsbee followed his example on Saturday.

The Grand Lodge of colored Master Masons meets in Durham, December 14th. The address will be delivered by G. W. White, of New Berne.

Mr. H. G. Herndon is clearing off the debris from his lot in the burnt district, hoping to get the brick work on his building finished before freezing weather.

The Roanoke House came near burning last Sunday. The room occupied by Mr. Blankenship caught, but the fire was extinguished before damage was done.

Mrs. Ada Smith, one of Durham's most successful milliners, has opened business again in the front part of Mr. Henry Seeman's Job office, on Main street.

Last Monday, one of the noticeable features of the day was the long line of tobacco wagons coming into town, headed by Capt. E. H. Lyon, a canvasser for the Banner.

Samuel F. Boggs, attorney, of Baltimore, is in town looking after Schlomberg, late proprietor of the Washington Bazar, who has recently made an assignment to one of his clerks, a Mr. Shaperio.

A "Mother Goose" entertainment will be given at Stokes Hall next Friday night, by Mrs. Dr. Carr and Mrs. W. W. Fuller. Let all attend, old folks, young folks, everybody, anybody, you will enjoy it.

W. E. Foster, our very clever deputy collector, is prepared to furnish duplicate special tax license to all persons who lost their license by the late fire, who will call at his office and make the necessary affidavits.

The Bank of Durham has a card in this issue of THE PLANT. The new quarters are comfortable, and will soon be elegant. Their new safes have arrived, they have ample money and are ready to accomodate their friends.

Howerton & Bro. have finished a very handsome delivery wagon for Messrs. M. C. Herndon & Co. It will compare very favorably with such wagons made abroad, and we are glad to chronicle such evidences of the handiwork of Durham craftsmen.

We call the attention of our readers to the advertisement of J. R. Page, of Cameron. He offers for sale large quantities of lumber, and offers also to trade lumber for two or three mules. Our people need lumber now, and the railroad will transport it at reduced rates. Let Mr. Page hear from you.

Sunday morning last Messrs. Ben Houston and W. W. Austin were driving along Main street, and in crossing a water drain the shaft broke, the horse took fright and jerked Mr. Houston, who was driving, over the spatter board. Mr. Houston suffered no injury from the fall save a lacerated hand.

The Mikado troupe had some unpleasant features connected with their late visit to our State. The boarding house keepers and hotelists along the line have them "on the list" and they are sadly missed. Yes, missed to the tune of many dollars. In short the troupe skipped and failed to settle for their "hash."

The following named gentlemen acted as pall-bearers Monday at the funeral of Mr. Duncan Cameron, from St. Matthew's Episcopal Church, Hillsboro: Messrs. Jas. C. Webb, C. M. Parks, Wm. Strudwick, C. B. Wright, W. P. Durham, W. D. Turrentine, J. J. Mackay, Geo. W. Watts, J. W. Wiggins and Dr. J. P. Monroe.

More Business Houses.

Our town would be greatly benefited if our men of means would build more good business houses. The character of our business houses, with some few exceptions, are not in keeping with the enterprise and reputation of the town; and besides, such as they were, there were not enough of them. Won't some of our people manifest town pride sufficient to begin a reform in this direction? The reputation of the town sorely needs it. Let's begin and build up our business streets creditably.

Fun Ahead.

Friday night, at Stokes' Hall, Mrs. Dr. Carr and Mrs. W. W. Fuller, will marshal the young people in the Mother Goose Parody to the delight of all hearts. Admission 25 cents; reserved seats 35 cents. We promise that all who go will be more than satisfied.

Factory Scraps.

The Cotton Factory last week shipped 30,992 yards of Chambrays, and 4,266 yards of bag cloth.

The Wooden mill is running on full time.

In the paper box shop at Duke's factory thirty persons are employed, and in one day 4,000 boxes were made.

The Herring Safe.

We call attention to the handsome advertisement of this excellent and reliable safe. We know the men whose names appear to the various certificates of its worth. They are honest, truthful men, and what they say can be relied on. We were present at the opening of some of the Herring safes, and we can add our testimony to theirs, and we know that the safe that can preserve its contents through as great and long continued heat as that of the late fire, must be a good safe. We, with pleasure, commend its excellence to our business men. Buy the Herring and you are all right.

Marriage Licenses for November.

The following marriage licenses were issued by Register Lunsford during November:

WHITES:

T. G. Proctor and Tinie Hudgins.
John High and Alice Barbee.
W. B. Pope and Mariah H. Norwood.
J. C. O'Daniel and Mary E. Markham.
John Cox and Ella Duke.
R. A. Burgess and Maggie Sykes.

The average age of the grooms was twenty-seven years, three months and twelve days; the average age of the brides was twenty-one years, five months and four days.

Sunday at Trinity Church.

The congregation at Trinity Church last Sunday enjoyed two good sermons. At the morning service Rev. Mr. Creasy preached. Subject: "Lessons from the recent fire." The eloquent divine was in his happiest mood, and the sermon was instructive and interesting. The points that he brought out, and the lessons of use in the Christian warfare, were many, beautiful and true. We wish we could give a synopsis of the discourse, but as we have not space for an exhaustive epitome, we will not do the minister the injustice of a short one.

At the evening service Rev. Dr. R. O. Burton occupied the pulpit. This Godly man, grown gray in the service he loves, preached a touchingly beautiful sermon. Exhorted us to love not the things of this world. His delivery was earnest and impressive. Standing, as he does, far down the hill of life, his words were weighted with wisdom, and strengthened by experience, and received attention and consideration from all and sank deep into the hearts of many. We hope the days of his years may be lengthened, and that many more sermons may fall from his consecrated lips.

Personal.

Mr. R. W. Rice, of Baltimore, was in town Friday.

Miss Hattie Lee, of Goldsboro, is visiting the Misses Cain.

Rev. T. A. Boone spent Tuesday in Durham while on his way to Conference.

Rev. Mr. Darnall is in Johnston county this week preaching at Oakland church.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Rogers, of Wake Forest, are the guests of Mrs. Lucius Green.

Mrs. Mercer and Miss Daisy, her daughter, of Virginia, are visiting Mrs. W. L. Wall.

Rev. Noble Frame, Mrs. M. W. Reed and Miss Bettie Carter spent Tuesday at Chapel Hill.

Aunt Sallie Clark has returned and will spend some time with the family of Capt. John S. Lockhart.

Major Jno. D. Shaw, of Richmond county, has, we regret to say, a son at the University reported seriously ill with typhoid fever.

Miss Lilian Dillon, of Peace Institute, Raleigh, spent Thanksgiving on "Caswell Heights," the guest of the family of Dr. J. B. Watkins.

Misses Maggie and Minnie Watkins left on the east bound train Monday. Miss Maggie returned to Peace Institute, and Miss Minnie went to visit friends in New Berne.

Mr. Matthew Atwater, Capt. John R. Hutchings and Capt. A. J. Roberts, good, substantial farmers, and three of our most respectable and worthy citizens, were in town Tuesday.

Rev. Amos Gregson left for conference Monday evening. Rev. W. S. Creasy, Messrs. U. M. Wahab and Jas. H. Southgate Tuesday evening. Mr. J. S. Carr will likely go later in the week.

Capt. J. F. Lyon, of Orange, called to see us yesterday and paid his subscription to THE PLANT. The Captain made a gallant fight for the party in the late campaign, but the stay-aways defeated him.

Dr. Geo. W. Blacknall, we see it stated, has let the Tucker House to Mr. Cook, formerly clerk at the Yarboro. What will Raleigh be without "mine host" Dr. Blacknall? It would be Shakspeare with Hamlet left out.

Miss Myra Alderman, the excellent and accomplished musical director of the Methodist Female Seminary, spent Thanksgiving with her parents in Greensboro. She returned to Durham, Monday, with a very sore throat.

Dr. C. Cardwill, a gentleman of high character, and a graduate of Heidleburg, has located in Durham. Dr. Cardwill was a regimental surgeon in Stonewall Jackson's Brigade, and has spent much time of late years in Mexico.

Bishop Granberry, Drs. Burkhead, Bobbitt, Black and Yates, Revs. B. B. Culbreth, W. B. North, A. R. Raven, J. W. Jones, N. M. Jurney, J. S. Nelson, P. L. Hermon and many others, ministers and laymen, passed through on yesterday afternoon's train, en route for Conference at Reidsville.

Warehouse Trash.

At the Reams warehouse last week Mr. R. J. Bowlin, of Chatham, made the the highest average, $49.59. M. L. Sorrell, of Wake, took the largest check, $265.09.

At the Banner Warehouse last week A. P. Tingin took the largest check, $217.84. A. W. Norwood made the best average, $26.65.

$80.00 per hundred, was the biggest price obtained for one lot of tobacco during the week.

Tobacco Business for the Week Ending Saturday, Nov. 27th.

Durham shipped last week 61,084 pounds of smoking tobacco worth, $22,106.63.

4,144,040 cigarettes, worth $13,721.33.

927 pounds of chewing tobacco worth, $324.45.

639 pounds of snuff.

12,250 cigars, worth $392.50.

At the warehouses last week 372,150 pounds of leaf tobacco was sold for $22,591.62.

Revenue receipts for the week $7,976.58.

List of Letters

Advertised for the week ending November 29, 1886, at the postoffice at Durham, N. C.:

B—Tom Barbee, col., W. G. Barnes, Henry Berdian, J. B. Bock, Mrs. Elmirea Brewer, Miss Lula Brown, Miss Lilly Brush.

C—Mrs. Mollie E. Check, Miss S. Bertha Cook.

D—H. C. Dixon.

E—D. L. Earnshaw.

G—Jennie Gresham.

H—John D. Hall, J. H. Harper, Ida Hearts, J. R. Herndon, L. M. Herst.

J—Louis Johnson, Mrs. Katie Jordan.

L—S. M. Lawson, Washington Loftin.

M—Martha Mangum, John Morgan, Stokes Maze (2).

P—Samuel Parrish, A. R. Pool.

R—J. W. Rodenhyer.

S—Miss Sulla Smith, C. P. Snypes, F. W. Sowell, N. C. Strayhorn.

T—Addie Thompson, T. M. Thompson, Emma Thompson, W. C. Thornton.

W—Mary J. Whitt, Bettie Williams, Leander Walker, William Ward.

In calling for any of the above letters, please say advertised and give date of list.

J. H. ALLEN, P. M.

Our Sick.

Mrs. C. J. Hulin, we regret to know, is quite sick.

Mrs. E. G. Jordan is under medical treatment. May she soon recover.

Miss Martha Green is sick at the residence of her parents, on Carr street.

Mrs. Ada M. Smith, we are pleased to learn, is recovering from her recent illness.

Mr. J. T. Pinnix, we learn, is sick.

Miss Abernathy, living near the Cotton factory, is on the sick list.

Mr. J. W. Tatum, late one of Durham's merchants, in under the care of the Doctor.

Mr. T. M. Stephens we are sorry to report as being quite indisposed.

Mrs. Chas Robbins, the wife of one of our very clever merchants is under the care of the the doctor.

Mr. Thomas Rigsbee is reported on the list of the sick.

J. H. Berry, one of our Main st. merchants, is under the doctor's care.

Isaac Newman, the son of our Hebrew friend, engaged in merchandizing, is reported sick.

Mr. Ed. Teague, living near the Cotton factory, is sick.

Mrs. Bradshaw is under the treatment of a physician. Her home is near the Cotton factory.

Mr. Ed. Lineberry is still reported on the sick list.

Report of Durham Graded and High School.

To the Board of Education:

GENTLEMEN:—Herewith will be found a report of the school for the month ending Nov. 26th, 1886. The attendance has been good considering the circumstances, slight sickness and a few incdement days. Judging from the reports submitted to me by the teachers of the different departments, and from personal inspection, much good is being done by the school. The school premises are in good sanitary condition. In case of an appearance of an epidemic every necessary precaution will be used to prevent its prevalence, as suggested by the best medical authorities in the country.

HONOR ROLL:

Misses Emma Parker, Kate Dessarnes, Bettie Williams, Daisy Adams, Mabel Tomlinson, Mary Cole, Jennie Woods, Bessie Battle, Mary Hamilton, Madge Morehead, Alma Rarely, Sarah Siegel, Rena Vickers, Lena Rarely, Blanche Ferrell, Susie Taylor, Virginia Monk, Pattie Long, Maude Morgan, Annie Whitaker, Fannie Couch, Hattie Green, Daisy Green, Katie Wrenn, Mary Gammon, Masters Wesley Check, Needham Couch, Winston Rogers, Alphonso Ellis, Charles Ferrell, Freddie Battle, John Carr, Charles Puryear, Julian Carr, Charlie Malone, Josh Jones, Gus. Moring, David Couch and John Foster.

ATTENDANCE.

Senior Class—Prof. T. J. Simmons.	100
Junior Class—Prof. T. J. Simmons.	96.562
Sophomore Class—Mrs. J. W. Goodson.	89.351
Freshman Class—Miss W. S. Asbe.	99.107
Fifth Grade—Miss Ida Christmas.	95.900
Fourth Grade—Miss L. M. Lindsay.	91.781
Third Grade—Miss Sallie Henley.	94.326
Second Grade—Miss Marion S. Fuller.	95.378
First Grade— { Miss R. F. Fattening. / Miss Jessie Lewellin. }	96.034
Average attendance of the school.	96.734
Number of pupils enrolled,	414
Number suspended,	1

Respectfully submitted.

EDWIN W. KENNEDY,
Superintendent.

The Raleigh Fire.

The editor happened to be in Raleigh yesterday and when the fire alarm sounded at 1.40 o'clock, went at once to the fire. The fire started just at the edge of the compress, which stands near the middle of the platform, and burned all the cotton between the compress and the Raleigh & Gaston R. R. shops on the north. The fire spread rapidly, it flashed over the long rows of bales and several hundred were on fire before the fire department could get to work. The colored hook and ladder company, the colored hand engine and the chemical engines were at work when we reached the platform, and soon succeeded in saving the compress. The Rescue steamer was soon at work, and the railroad shops got a stream on the fire also. In this way the fire was surrounded and water was poured in steady streams from all sides. If the substance burning had been anything else but cotton the fire would very soon have been extinguished, as it was the fight was continually going on and the fire was continually spreading. The platform presented a desolate appearance, heaps of blazing bales, heaps of blackened bales, thousands of dollars going off in smoke. There was never harder work done at any fire, but with all the labor of hundreds of willing hands, the loss was severe. The fire was under control when we left the city. We learn from the *News & Observer* this morning that the total loss was $45,000; total insurance about $35,000.

PRIOR—LANIER.—Mr. P. Prior, of Company Shops, was married to Miss Annie Lanier, of Raleigh, November 28th, at the home of the bride, Rev. Dr. Nelson officiating.

WHITEHEAD—NICHOLS.—J. R. Whitehead and Miss Annie Nichols, of Raleigh, were married at the residence of the officiating clergyman, last Saturday at 2 o'clock p. m., Dr. Skinner performing the ceremony.

PUREFOY—WEAVER.—Married, on Sunday afternoon, November 14th, near Chapel Hill, at the residence of Mr. Thomas Weaver, the bride's father, Mr. John H. Purefoy to Miss Sarah Weaver, Rev. E. S. Alderman officiating.

MANGUM—DAVIS.—In Granville county, November 24th, at the residence of the bride's father, Mr. Johnnie Mangum lead to the altar of hymen Miss Lizzie Davis. At the conclusion of the interesting ceremony, the bridal party, accompanied by invited guests, repaired to the hospitable home of Mr. Wesley Mangum, father of the groom, where awaited them a most excellent wedding dinner.

The best wishes of THE PLANT follow the brides and grooms on their voyage over the matrimonial sea.

BRANSON.—Born, Thursday, November 25th, to Mrs. Branson, wife of Mr. W. H. Branson, secretary and treasurer of Durham Cotton Manufacturing Co., a fine daughter.

THE PLANT offers congratulations.

SMITH.—Born, Wednesday morning, Dec. 1st, to Mrs. Smith, wife of Mr. H. M. Smith, a fine girl baby. The parents have our congratulations.

Cameron.—On last Saturday evening, in the quiet old home of his father, the Hon. Paul C. Cameron, in the town of Hillsboro, at 4 o'clock, the spirit of DUNCAN CAMERON took its flight to the God who gave it. While his death was an event that his friends had reason to expect for some time past, yet when the blow came what a shadow fell upon all hearts! So recently his fine physique was a subject of remark, yet the grim Messenger of Death, who seems blind to such excellence, slew our friend, and to day DUNCAN CAMERON sleeps the dreamless sleep of death.

DUNCAN CAMERON was born November 20, 1850, and died November 27, 1886, aged 36 years and 7 days. He married Mary B., the only daughter of the late Col. H. B. Short, of Columbus county, who, with three bright little girls, survive him.

"Can storied urn or animated bust,
Back to its mansion call the fleeting breath?,
Can honor's voice provoke the silent dust,
Or flattery soothe the dull, cold ear of death."

A more extended notice of his death will appear in our next issue.

Canaday.—Died, Sunday night, November 28th, of scrofula, DR. CANADAY, son of H. B. Canaday, aged 16 years.

Reams.—Died, Tuesday night at 9:30 o'clock, EVA J., the youngest daughter of Mr. Henry A. and Mrs. Bettie Reams, aged 10 years and ten months.

THE PLANT begs to tender its warmest sympathies to the stricken family in this the hour of their sad bereavement.

"Our beautiful bird of light hath died
Awhile she sat with folded wings—
Sang round us a few hovertings—
Then straightway into glory sped.

God's ichor fills the hearts that bleed;
The best fruit loads the broken bough;
And in the wounds our sufferings plough,
Immortal love sows sovereign seed."

RESOLUTIONS OF RESPECT.

At a meeting of Durham Lodge No. 1592, Knights of Honor, held at their hall Monday night, November 29, 1886, the following preamble and resolutions were unanimously adopted:

WHEREAS, It has pleased Almighty God in His inscrutable wisdom to remove from our midst our beloved brother JAMES DIKE, who departed this life at Greensboro on Tuesday night, November 23d; therefore

Resolved, That in the death of brother DIKE this Lodge has lost one of its most worthy and beloved members, and the town of Durham one of its most public-spirited and useful citizens, one who did all in his power to advance the interest of the town.

Resolved, That we extend to the family of our deceased brother our heartfelt sympathy in this their great loss, and can only commend them to Him who doeth all things well—to Him who is too wise to err—for we are assured that our mutual loss in the death of our beloved brother is his eternal gain.

Resolved, That these resolutions be spread upon the records of this Lodge, and that copies be furnished the family of deceased, and the Durham and Greensboro papers for publication.

H. N. SNOW,)
W. K. STYRON, } Com.
W. L. HUNT,)

COMMERCIAL.

PRODUCE MARKET.

SUGAR	6	@	8
COFFEE	12	@	15
MEAT	6½	@	7
N. C. HAMS	15		
" SIDES	10		
" LARD	9	@	10
W. LARD	9	@	10
CORN	50	@	60
MEAL (2 bu.)	$1 40	@	1 50
OATS	50	@	60
FLOUR	5 00	@	7 00
HAY	1 00	@	1 25
EGGS	15	@	17½
CHICKENS	12½	@	25
BEESWAX		@	15
WHEAT	1 00	@	1 40
SALT, ℔ Sack	1 00	@	1 75
KEROSENE OIL	20		
BUTTER	25		
CHEESE	15	@	20
FODDER	75		
MOLASSES, Cuba	35	@	40
" N. O.	50	@	60
SYRUP	40	@	50

TOBACCO MARKETS.

DURHAM.

SMOKERS.—Common	$ 3 00	@	5 00
Medium to Good	5 00	@	7 00
Good to Fine	8 00	@	14 00
Fine and Fancy	14 00	@	16 00
FILLERS.—Common Dark	1 00	@	3 00
Medium to Good	3 00	@	7 00
Good to Fine	7 00	@	12 00
Extra	12 00	@	15 00
CUTTERS.—Common	11 00	@	15 00
Medium	15 00	@	18 00
Good to Fine	16 00	@	20 00
Fine to Fancy	20 00	@	27 50
WRAPPERS.—Common to Medium	14 00	@	22 00
Medium to Good	22 00	@	35 00
Good to Fine	35 00	@	50 00
Fine to Fancy	50 00	@	75 00

Our market is active and prices are well maintained and are advancing. Weekly receipts last week were larger than usual.

[Reported by Messrs. J. M. Conrad & Sons.]

RICHMOND, VA., Nov. 30.—Our market closes this week dull and sluggish. All grades of leaf, with the exception of fine cutters and wrappers, are lower than we remember *ever* to have seen them at this season of the year, yet at present low prices the manufacturers show no disposition to take hold and add to their present stocks of leaf. They all say they have sufficient to last them for many months to come. Our home demand virtually amounts to nothing. There are several good orders on the market for the finer grades of wrappers and cutters. Outside of these we might class our market among the things that *have been*. We anticipate more demand and better prices after Xmas.

BUSINESS NOTICES.

Go to Rogers & Co's for your Christmas confectioneries.

1,000 pounds assorted nuts just received—purchased before recent advance—at
W. J. WYATT & Co's.

Go to Rogers & Co's for your crockery and glassware.

Hutchins & Shepherd, at the market, desire the beef, pork and sausage eaters to call at their stall and leave their orders. They are selling great quantities of meat, and have now on hand fine mountain beef that they will deal out to their customers.

Best sweet cider at Rogers & Co's.

Hutchins & Shepherd continue to sell great quantities of sausage. They make a sausage that keeps through all seasons, and if you have never eaten any of it don't buy any more until you try it.

A nice lot of holiday goods, such as plush dressing cases, manicure sets, cut glass cologne bottles, &c., &c., just received by
VAUGHAN & TENNY.

Fresh Magnolia hams at Rogers & Co's.

For sale cheap—One second-hand cook stove nearly as good as new. Apply to
W. J. WYATT & Co.

Fresh grapes, oranges, lemons and bananas at ROGERS & Co's.

Christmas goods.—Our stock of candies, nuts and fruits is larger than ever before, and can save you money in small lots. Specially low prices to the trade.
W. J. WYATT & Co.

Try the Carolina Belles, Trovatore and our other popular brands of cigars.
VAUGHAN & TENNY.

Maple syrup, New Orleans and Cuba Molasses at ROGERS & Co's.

Moet's champaign cider, 14 and 28 gallon kegs, at W. J. WYATT & Co's.

Mr. R. J. Bowling, of Chatham county, sold, November 24th, at the old reliable Reams' warehouse, seven (7) lots of tobacco—294 pounds—for $145.17, making the handsome average of $49.58 per hundred. Lea & Duke, the clever proprietors, are making things lively for the farmers. Try them with a load and be convinced.

Raisins, prunes, currents, leghorn citron and cranberries just received at
W. J. WYATT & Co's.

Christmas toys at Rogers & Co's.

75 nice fat Thanksgiving turkeys for sale at W. J. WYATT & Co's.

C. G. YOUNGER,
Sign and Ornamental Painter,
DURHAM, N. C.,
Will do work in any part of the State. All work guaranteed.

MULES WANTED.
I Want to Trade Lumber For
Two or Three Good Mules.
Cameron, N. C. J. R. PAGE.

J. M. CLARK,
Contractor and Builder,
Durham, N. C.,
Does all kinds of Wood and Brick work. Prices reasonable.
All work guaranteed.

JONES & MARKHAM,
Livery, Feed and Sales Stables,
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Nothing but first-class Stock and Vehicles, and the trustiest drivers kept.

R. W. RICE,
Gentlemen's Furnisher,
145 W. BALTIMORE ST.
Fine shirts a specialty, and fits guaranteed.

JOHN W. GRAHAM. THOMAS RUFFIN.
GRAHAM & RUFFIN,
ATTORNEYS AT LAW,
HILLSBORO, N. C.
Practice in the counties of Alamance, Caswell, Durham, Guilford, Rockingham, Person and Orange.

SHELBURN,
ARTIST,
DURHAM, - N. C.
I have fitted up a room over the old Racket Store and will be ready for work Saturday, November 27th.

R. C. STRUDWICK. R. B. BOONE.
STRUDWICK & BOONE,
Attorneys at Law,
DURHAM, N. C.
Practice in the Courts of Durham, Orange and Person Counties, and in the Federal Courts.

NOTICE.
This is to give notice that we, Z. I. Lyon and J. Ed. Lyon, heretofore engaged in the manufacture and sale of "Pride of Durham" smoking Tobacco, in Durham, under the firm name of Z. I. Lyon & Co., have this day sold, transferred and assigned to Mr. E. J. Parrish, our entire business, fixtures and good will.
The business will be conducted by Mr. E. J. Parrish, under the firm name of "Z. I. Lyon & Co."
(Signed,) Z. I. LYON,
November 14th, 1886. J. ED. LYON.

D. W. PERRY,
Church St., two doors south of Kenpner Building,
DEALER IN ALL KINDS OF
Heavy and Fancy Groceries!
RECEIVES WEEKLY SUPPLIES OF
FRESH GOODS!
—AND WILL—
Deliver All Goods Free of Charge!
SELLS AS CHEAP AS ANYBODY!

HILL C. LINTHICUM,
Architect and Builder!
DURHAM, N. C.
Persons wanting drawings or contemplate building can do no better than call on him.
He Guarantees All His Work!
And his prices are reasonable. Employs none but skillful and experienced workmen.

"PROOF OF THE PUDDING IS CHEWING THE BAG!"

Why can Lockhart pay more for the farmer's Tobacco?

Because his expenses are much less than other houses.

He has no paid drummers or canvassers to worry the farmers.

He pays no rent on Warehouse, and thereby saves from $1,500 to $2,500 a year in rents. He has also just completed a large four-story house storing and handling one million pounds of Tobacco. He saves by this $1,000 a year.

You see from the above a saving of from $2,500 to $3,500 a year in expenses which enables him to pay more for your Tobacco.

Why has his business increased so rapidly?

Because he always watches the farmers interest and always makes the biggest averages.

Why is it that he doesn't advertise more?

Because he believes that the only proper plan to advertise is to pay well for the Tobacco while the sale is going on.

Does this plan take well with the farmers?

I should judge that it does from the fact that he sold twice as much farmers' Tobacco this year as he did last. His sales were four million and a half pounds, but he wants to sell six million this year.

When you load your wagon drive straight to Lockhart's, and don't listen to any falsehoods that drummers and street talkers may tell.

LOCKHART WILL SEND YOU HOME HAPPY.

JULIEN A. SMITH,
PRACTICING PHYSICIAN.
DURHAM, N. C.
ALL CALLS PROMPTLY ATTENDED TO.

P. LINEHAN. JNO. H. WINDER.
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Quarries at Henderson and Wadesboro. Office at 409 Fayetteville street, Raleigh, N. C.
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DURHAM, N. C.
SUITS TO MEASURE
A SPECIALTY.
Gents' Furnishing Goods!
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