

J. S. HAMPTON, City Editor.

WEATHER INDICATIONS.

WASHINGTON, Mar. 3.—For North Carolina, warmer, probable rain.

GREENSBORO ALMANAC.—Sun rises 6:32. Sun sets 5:53. Moon sets 2:20.

MORNING NEWS one week for only 10 cents.

Old newspapers for sale at this office for 25 cents a hundred.

Three large cisterns are to be sunk at once—one on South Elm, another on North Elm and the other on West Market street.

R. F. Dalton has resigned his place as a member of the city council and Capt. Neil Ellington has been appointed in his place.

Such has been the demand for the News for several days past that our editions have run out. This must be accepted as our excuse.

A small peach tree in the yard of the McDonald house is now in bloom. Probably, the first of the season. Yet, peach trees have been known to bloom here in January, but probably did not fruit.

Our attentive correspondent at High Point writes to us under date of March 2: "York, the barn burner at Brown's X Roads, was caught at Wartown yesterday and passed through High Point to-day en route for Ashboro jail."

R. M. Rees and Sheriff Wheeler, of this county, escorted five negroes up the C. F. & Y. V. to take a job of work procured for them on the railroad by Judge Phillips. In other words, they have gone to "do the State some service."

Fayetteville is to have electric lights. The machinery is now on the road and the house to contain it is going up. The "Brush" apparatus will be used. It seems to us that if Fayetteville can afford to use electricity to light her streets that Greensboro ought to be able to "follow suit."

Mr. John McCullough went out to Brown Summit, Wednesday, and obtained a horse and buggy to go further. The horse took fright, dashed the buggy against a tree and turned our friend feet up and head down. He was rendered unconscious but recovered, to find himself badly hurt.

We regret to learn that our townsman, Mr. J. J. Thornton, the jeweler, met with an accident by which he was painfully burned in the face. He was engaged in repairing a pair of spectacles, and while using a blow-pipe, his lamp exploded, inflicting injury as above stated. By the prompt use of proper remedies it is thought no serious injury will result.

Everywhere you go in the city now you will see the ladies at work in their flower gardens, planting and transplanting shrubs for the spring flowering. Already the hyacinths and some other early blooming kinds are beginning to show their blades above ground, and blooms of the red and yellow jasmine are out. Nothing tells more certainly of the refinement of a town than an abundance and variety of flowers.

Mr. Drew is doing a most excellent job on laying down the pavement in front of the government building. First broken rock is placed at the bottom, then it is evenly covered with a mixture of concrete, which is smoothed and marked off in squares over which a roller is driven with indentations, very much resembling a rubber mat. In a few days this composition becomes hard as rock and looks very much nicer.

Yesterday morning Mrs. Annie Cator, on Church Street, heard her little son Freddie screaming in an adjoining room, and on going to him found the child in flames. She immediately wrapped him in a blanket and poured water on him and extinguished the flames. On examination it was found that he was badly burned on the left side. He is not con-

sidered in danger of losing his life. It is supposed that he set himself on fire with matches.

It was rumored on the streets, yesterday, that the postmaster would move into the new government building tomorrow. He stated to our reporter, however, that he did not expect to get in before the first of April.

Rev. F. M. Jordan, of Asheville, preached a very practical sermon at Bogart Hall, last night, on the importance of being an "Eminent Christian." He gave it as his opinion that a Christian who was content to barely squeeze into heaven, would never reach there at all. He is a fine looking, portly man, possessed of a stentorian voice, and deals sledge-hammer blows. His discourse was listened to with great interest, but we fear, with little comfort, by many present. He will preach again at the same place on Sunday next.

There are now five papers published in Elizabeth City. They are the Carolinian, the Economist, and the Falcon, weeklies; the Dixie, daily, and the Parish Register, a monthly. Pretty good for a town of 5,000 population.

So says the Elizabeth City Carolinian. It is estimated that we have about 5,000 population here in Greensboro. And we have the Patriot, North State, Methodist Protestant, North Carolina Prohibitionist, weeklies; Workman and the Morning News, daily; and the College Message, a monthly, published by the Female College folks. We have already beaten the Carolinian man, and yet hold in reserve the Tobacco Journal, a weekly, the first number of which is now well under way. Who, in view of these facts, will dare say we are not a literary people?

The Morning Moon.

An old moon with a waning breast Quietly lingers down the West; An old moon, worn and faint and sad; Over the East the Dawn climbs fresh and glad.

She walks straight on before the Sun; Bars of amber and cinnamon Kindle and fuse and separate; Then up the King rides through the flamy gate.

The old moon smiles above the hill; Flips toward her setting, meek and still; Across the earth's morn-burnished brim This brief space, face to face, she looks on him.

Soon the whole blue is softly paled; The perfect day moves glory-veiled And beauty burns on things below. Just as it comes, why must the sweet moon go!

For her long patience of the night, O Earth in her long patience bright, Swing slow and let the meek moon stay! Foolish! with her it has always been day!

What far-off splendor makes her fair When your small night seems everywhere? Above the world's low curving rim Across the sky, she always looks on Him! —Adeline D. T. Whitney

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TRAIN NORTH. Pass. and Mail. Freight and Pass. Leave Bennettsville... 8 45am 130pm. Arrive Maxton... 10 00 am 335pm. Arrive Fayetteville... 12 05 pm 750pm. Leave Fayetteville... 12 20 pm 10 00am. Arrive Sanford... 2 25pm 2 46 pm. Leave Sanford... 2 45pm 230pm. Arrive Greensboro... 6 15pm 900pm. Leave Greensboro... 10 m. Arrive Belew's Creek 12 30pm. Dinner at Sanford. TRAIN SOUTH. Pass. and Mail. Leave Belew's Creek 4 30 pm. Arrive Greensboro... 6 5 pm. Leave Greensboro... 10 00am 7 30am. Arrive Sanford... 1 30pm 2 00 pm. Leave Sanford... 1 55pm 3 00 pm. Arrive Fayetteville... 4 10 pm 6 45 pm. Leave Fayetteville... 4 25 pm 6 00 am. Arrive Maxton... 6 20 pm 9 22 am. Leave Maxton... 6 30 pm 10 15 am. Arrive Bennettsville 7 45 pm 12 20 pm. Freight and Passenger Train runs between Fayetteville and Bennettsville on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays. Freight and Passenger Train runs between Fayetteville and Greensboro Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays, and between Greensboro and Fayetteville Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays. Passenger and Mail Train runs daily except Sundays. The north bound Train makes close connection at Maxton for all points south. J. W. FRY, General Superintendent. W. E. KYLE, General Passenger Agent. JUST RECEIVED A FRESH LOT OF Candies, Nuts, Dates, Apples, Pick es, &c., &c. ALSO A NICE LINE OF CIGARS For the pleasure of those who indulge in that kind of amusement. The best article of Oil to give you light on this subject, or any other, if you use it right I am still in the Baking business. J. E. THOM. N. P. EASLEY, Builder & Contractor, GREENSBORO, N. C. Is prepared to make contracts for buildings of all kinds, frame or brick. Also, will contract for the building of bridges &c. Satisfaction guaranteed, and references given when required.