

GREENSBORO ALMANAC.—Sun rises 5:28. Sun sets 6:36. Moon sets 8:29.

WEATHER INDICATIONS.
By Telegraph to the Morning News.
WASHINGTON, April 12.—Indications for the twenty-four hours commencing at 6 p. m., yesterday: For North Carolina, fair weather, colder.

—Porter & Tate are always doing things. Just now it is a neat and tasty awning over their windows.

—Mr. O. R. Cox, of Cedar Falls, was in the city yesterday. He reports things quiet, but prosperous in his section.

—The News doffs its old hat in response to the many compliments paid Tuesday's issue containing an account of Easter Sunday's doings.

—The Charlotte Chronicle comes to us enlarged to eight columns to the page. This shows prosperity. It is one of our most valued exchanges.

—W. D. McAdoo had a mule out on his farm, last week, that ran against a barbed wire fence and cut and mangled itself in a horrible manner. It cut itself in various places and deeply.

—Oh dear! Oh dear! It was Monday morning Messrs. Kinney and company went fishing, and not Sunday, as the misplaced types said in our yesterday's issue.

—The editor, armed with a hand-bag filled with blank subscription receipts, makes a descent upon Walnut Cove to-day, and it is hoped he will take many scalps. Walnut Cove is one of North Carolina's coming towns.

—We refer the reader to the card of Dr. J. G. Brodnax, practicing physician, which appears in to-day's paper. The Doctor comes to us with the highest commendation and we cordially welcome him to the floral city.

—On Monday, being Easter Monday, the following named persons were elected as the vestry of St. Barnabas church for the ensuing year, viz: Roger P. Atkinson, S. A. Howard and Hugh Flippin.

—We made even fewer errors in the sermons, yesterday, than we feared we would, but the one in Dr. Smith's in which we placed the word disquieted where it should have read disquieted was horrible; as bad as the other fellow who silenced an obituary notice with the "silent groans of the dead," instead of "silent grave."

—Geo. B. Yates is repairing and renovating the old postoffice building for M. K. Callum, who will put a stock of groceries, &c., in it on May day. It will be painted inside and out, the walls will be calcined, and the room newly shelved and countered. When completed it will be one of the best stands in the city.

—The Presbytery of Orange will meet to-day in New Berne, at 8 p. m. The two pastors of the Presbyterian church of this city and Samuel C. Smith, a ruling elder, have gone on to attend upon it. The Presbytery will be in session till Saturday. The two pastors will visit Rev. Samuel M. Smith, Dr. Smith's eldest son, in Washington, N. C., before they return home.

—We notice that some of the Democratic papers of the State are hunting up a man who will do for a Republican candidate for Governor in 1888. Among those mentioned, as the most probable, we see the names of Col. Jas. E. Boyd, of the North State, and Hon. John Nichols, of Raleigh, with the chances in favor of Nichols. He is a wonderfully lucky fellow, and while he seems never to have had any great political aspirations, he holds himself in readiness to accept whatever falls to his lot, and would not shrink from a seat in the United States Senate.

—The State Medical Association of North Carolina is in session at Charlotte. There is likely to be a very large attendance. On Monday, the Board of Examiners had nine candidates before them. This morning, Doctors M. F. Fox, of Tabernacle; W. P. Beall, C. M. Glenn, R. W. Tate, of Greensboro, and Willis of Summerfield, will leave here for Charlotte this morning. W. H. Wakefield, a young gentleman just about to enter upon the practice of the profession, will also go from this town. The Association will probably adjourn on Friday.

—C. P. Vanstory is tearing down his wooden building on the west side of Davie street, on which he will immediately rear a brick building. The lot is 60 x 150 feet, but he has made an arrangement with Mrs. L. A. Rees, by which he obtains a strip of land on the north side of his stable, and is enabled to build an ell in the rear 30 x 70 feet, two stories high.

The main building will be 60 x 120 feet, lighted by sky light. There will be an office in front, on Davie street, with wide doors through which to drive carriages. He intends to have a superb stand and do a livery business in the right way.

—It is the private opinion of the weather quid nuncs publicly expressed that we are having a spell of weather, and very pleasant at that. Soon we will all be whining for a good shower, if it does not come as soon as we judge proper. What inconsistent folks we are. Let us remember that a wiser One than we directs the destinies of this mundane sphere, and sends rain, sunshine and storm to suit Himself, and we cannot, by complaining move things by so much as one hair. But stop; suppose: If we, all the people, repent us of our evil and turn to Him earnestly, and say: Oh! Lord, forgive, would he not be moved to bless us? We say, emphatically, yes.

—Let the ambitious lads remember to present themselves for examination before the committee in Greensboro, on Tuesday next.

Parlor Entertainment On Thursday Evening.

St. Barnabas church is very much in need of a real good organ, and the young ladies of the congregation are about to take the initiatory steps toward the procurement of a new and better one. A series of attractive and pleasing entertainments, both dramatic and musical, of a most select character, have been decided on and will, from time to time, be given in accordance with previous notice, the proceeds of which will be solely applied to the purchase of a new instrument for the church. The entertainments will be of a varied character, including, in addition to vocal and instrumental music, dramatic readings and recitations, private theatricals, tableaux vivants, etc., and the success of each and every entertainment will, at once, appear assured when we mention that some of the prominent parts will be filled by Miss S. Dick, Miss F. Stone, Miss L. Ball, and Mrs. William Snow, assisted by Mr. J. J. Thornton, Mr. Thos. Woodroffe, and Messrs. George and William Woodroffe. The first entertainment of the series will take place to-morrow (Thursday) night, in the large dining room of the McAdoo Hotel, which has kindly been placed at the disposal of the ladies committee by Mr. Chas. Vernon.

The doors will be open at 8 o'clock p. m., and the entertainment will commence at 8:15, sharp. The general public is cordially invited, and we bespeak for the entertainment a large audience, as the admission fee has been placed at the very low figure of 25 cents.

Tickets may be obtained at the Dike Bookstore, the McAdoo Hotel and at the door.

An Old Curiosity Box.

The "old curiosity shop" of Dickens has been beaten, and the contents that beat it were contained in a box only 17½ inches long, 10 inches wide and nine inches high. Some years ago one R. Lyman Potter conceived the magnificent idea of trundling a wheelbarrow across the continent from Albany, N. Y., to San Francisco, California. And we believe he accomplished the object. On his way he became an attraction to the sight seers, who gathered about him to ask questions and inform themselves of his novel adventure. He gathered together a lot of trinkets, among which were corals, minerals, shells, petrifications, many specimens of wood, bark, trinkets, such as buttons, beads, keys, specimens of pieces of animals, fishes, birds, venomous reptiles, coins, stamps, and other bric-a-brac, including any amount of Confederate currency and issues of the different Southern States during the four years' war, also currency of the old Confederacy of 1775, and many other things, all of which were confined in this little box. Besides, he had with him Smoaky, the live Indian Wolf or Coyote, and the wheelbarrow which made him so famous.

About four or five years ago Potter came trundling his wheelbarrow from San Francisco to the east, and coming south he stopped here on his way to New Orleans. He had more of a load than he could well trudge under, so he left the above described box with W. L. Callum, to be forwarded wherever he should order it. He took up his line of march for Salisbury, accompanied by Smoaky, and in a few days thereafter he got on board so much o-be-joyful as to unbalance him, and he incontinently placed himself before an engine under way, and was crushed to death. The box has lain

here in the Callum drug store ever since, till yesterday afternoon Mr. Callum concluded he had better open it, which he did, and laid before an admiring audience the curiosities named above, and more too. His own photograph was unearthed, and any amount of Confederate money, &c. reaching into the tens of thousands perhaps, as well as confederate bonds. It was the most conglomerate exhibition we ever beheld.

We may have something to say on the matter to-morrow.

—We failed to get in several news items in yesterday's issue on account of Easter's doings. We only fill our paper, and have no place for an overflow.

—In the hurry and rush to get out yesterday's paper we neglected to make mention of the new advertisement of the old, original G. Will Armfield. Read carefully what he says and go see his beautiful new spring styles.

Death of Gen. Grant's Uncle.

BATAVIA, Ohio, April 11.—Mr. Samuel Simpson, the uncle of Gen. Grant, and for whom the General was named Ulysses Simpson, died at his home near this town last Friday, aged 91, and was buried yesterday.

Ulysses Simpson Grant was named by his mother Hiram Simpson, but Representative Hamar, who appointed him to his cadetship, mistakenly gave his name to the authorities as Ulysses Simpson, and when he entered the Academy he made a move to have a correction made, but there was so much "red tape" to go through that he adopted the misnomer, as U. S. Grant.

An exchange says the Queen is trying to conciliate Ireland by using Irish sheets and pillows on her bed. This is rather a poor way to bolster a failing cause.

Particular Notice.

All who are in want of Groceries and General Family supplies, will consult their best interest by calling at J. A. Groom & Co's new store on the corner of Sycamore and South Elm sts., and getting their prices. Fine Cigars and Tobacco are specialties. They keep only the best. J. K. Hall & Co's finest brands: "Five for a Quarter," "Pure Spanish," "The Peerless" and "Upper Ten" always on hand. The best brands of Chewing Tobacco always in stock. Give them a call. April 13. 1w.

If you want anything in the line of Staple or fancy Groceries, Canned Goods Baking Powders or Tea. Call on J. W. SCOTT & Co.

STILL AHEAD!
The Books in the Register's Office show that for the six months ending Jan. 1st, 1887, we bought more goods than any other two Houses in the City Combined. Leaving out one Dry Goods House and one Hardware House they exceed the combined purchases of any other four houses in Greensboro. Very Respectfully,
J. W. SCOTT & Co.

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Ladies Dress Goods--Summer Weight--Just In.

Just in a complete line of ladies dress goods, newest and latest styles, at low prices.

WASH FABRICS.
I am now offering my entire stock of remnants and odd lengths of Wash Goods, including Sateens, Gingham, Seersucker, both plain and crinkled, and chambrays at prices to please the closest buyers.

The Immense Shoe Department.
I desire to call attention to my large and varied spring stock of Shoes. A full line of Zeigler's and the Bay State work in all styles and qualities. Also the nationally noted Hess Shoes in all styles and qualities, and an immense bargain county loaded with every style, quality and size of shoes. End lots at half their original cost.

Clothing Department.
I bought very largely of Clothing this Spring, and my stock complete. In this special department I lead--do not follow. The clothing department is so varied and extensive that I cannot give you in detail the many special bargains I am offering, but can positively assure you that an examination of the goods will undoubtedly effect us a sale for the reason that I am making many great sacrifices in this particular line.

Hats, Trunks, Valises, Umbrellas, Ladies' and Gents' Furnishings. All of these departments are kept complete at all times, but like every other line there are odd numbers, articles and garments which I am willing to sacrifice.

Black and Gold Front.—Commercial Block.

You may think that times are hard and money scarce but one hundred cents will buy more at Sample Brown's than you could get for two dollars a few years ago, so it don't matter much if money is scarce when a little money goes so far. At Brown's you can buy a substantial cheap suit of clothes for \$3.75, a better suit for five or six dollars, and a good all-wool suit from seven to nine dollars. Ten dollars gets a real nice nobby suit and fifteen dollars pays for something elegant. You can get Men's Gaiters at \$1.25, \$1.50, \$2.00 and upward. Good white Shirts for fifty cents, better ones for seventy-five and the very best for ninety cents and one dollar. Boys' Malaga Hats ten cents. Men's fifteen cents. Good low crowned broad Hats fifty cents. Of course some of our goods are higher priced than those mentioned above, but we have scaled prices down to the very lowest notch on everything to keep business moving lively in spite of the cry of hard times. Our line of piece Goods for Pants and Suits is very full, while our display of fine Dress Goods is unusually attractive.

Come and see us and we will make it worth your while, no matter what class of goods you want to buy.

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JUST RECEIVED,
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You can get ICE at all hours during the day, at my Stall, at 75 cents and \$1 per hundred pounds. Parties who are compelled to use ice in case of sickness, and are not able to buy the same, will be furnished free of charge.
1w ap6 J. R. HUGHES.

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I have Cabbage Plants for sale in small or large quantities. For small quantities call on H. J. Williams: for large quantities, a thousand or more, call or write to me, at my market garden on Asheville street. B. VOLTZ.

Tuberose Bulbs.
In quantities to suit purchases. Will bloom this season. Very cheap at,
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And are recommended by the medical faculty throughout the country. No pressure producing irritations. No danger of cancer that is sometimes the result of wearing other eye-glasses, resting with ease upon any nose.

FROM THE GOVERNOR OF LOUISIANA.
Baton Rouge, La., Jan. 23, 1886.
To Mr. A. K. Hawkes—Dear Sir: I desire to testify to the great superiority of your Crystalized Lenses. They combine great brilliancy with softness and pleasantness to the eye, more than any I have ever found.
S. D. McENERY,
Governor of Louisiana.

FROM GOVERNOR IRELAND, OF TEXAS.
To Mr. A. E. Hawkes—Dear Sir: It gives me pleasure to say that I have been using your glasses for some time past with much satisfaction. For clearness, softness and for all purposes attended, they are not surpassed by any that I have ever worn. I would recommend them to all who want a superior glass.
Respectfully yours,
John Ireland.

FROM GOV. S. P. HUGHES, OF ARKANSAS.
Having used A. K. Ha Crystalized Lenses for some months, I have found them the finest glasses I have ever used.
Simon P. HUGHES,
Governor of Arkansas.

FROM EX-GOV. W. R. MILLER.
I find Hawkes' new Crystalized Lenses of superior quality, having worn them with great satisfaction.
W. R. Miller,
Ex-Governor of Arkansas.

ONE FROM THE SUPERINTENDENT, OF INSTITUTE FOR THE BLIND.
Mr. A. K. Hawkes—Dear Sir: I take great pleasure in saying that your Spectacle and patent spring eye-glasses excel anything I have yet been able to procure, enabling me to read the finest print with ease and comfort.
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