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LOCAL SNAPS.

Ship your Potatoes to W. S. Emley, 10744 Philadelphia, a well known and reliable house, satisfaction guaranteed. Represented by W. F. Morrill, Greenville, N. C.

Mr. J. D. Williamson left yesterday for a month at Asheville.

Novelties in moire silks, ties and laces at M. T. Cowell & Co's.

Mrs. Charles Skinner and children are visiting relatives in Bertie.

All who have ordered tobacco flues will please come and get them as soon as possible. Don't wait.
S. E. Pender.

Miss Bessie Jarvis, who has been in Colorado several months visiting her aunt, Mrs. Wallace, returned Saturday.

Sweet potato plants \$1.00 per thousand at Allen Warren's.

Miss Bessie Harding is at Chapel Hill commencement and will witness the graduation of her splendid brothers this week.

FOR SALE. Georgia Crowder field pea, the best hay pea in the world. A few bushels of the celebrated "Unknown" pea. Call early on I. A. Sugg

Miss Hortense Forbes has returned from college at Baltimore and her sister, Mrs. Mark Quinerly, of Kingston, is visiting her parents here.

Those baby caps at M. T. Cowell & Co's millinery emporium are beautiful.

That is good work the town authorities are doing in having the weeds cut down and a general cleaning up and hauling away of rubbish &c.

Remember you always get your groceries and furniture at rock bottom prices at the Old Brick Store.

The principal stores in town close now at 7 o'clock and the business men are all the better for it.

FOR SALE—A fine large ox in good condition and splendid for heavy pulling, well broke and kind.
I A Sugg

L. H. Pender has a handsome new Rambler bicycle making 14 now in town. Get up a track ye cyclists.

Four sets of tobacco flues in good condition for sale at half price by J. J. Perkins at Post Office.

That was a pleasant and extensive storm party of lovely belles and handsome beaux in honor of Misses Myrtle and Lillie Wilson in Forbestown Tuesday night.

I want your eggs, furs, hides, chickens for cash.
S, M. Shultz.

The tube rose band is now rejoicing over, and blowing in, a handsome set of new horns. Capt. W. W. Humphrey desires to thank the public for contributing for their purchase.

Mr. Johnson Nichols returned from Chapel Hill Saturday night. He had to leave the University before commencement this week on account of sickness at home.

Tom Cobb, near Falkland, got mad last week, yoked up his oxen, took an axe and broke their heads open, killing them, we commend to the consideration of the constable the law against cruelty to animals.

It sounds mighty old foggy to say so, but Mr. W. R. Parker who keeps the Five Point market, has fitted up the first meat refrigerator ever in Greenville. This is a highly commendable improvement and is appreciated by his customers.

Those who were present will observe that this paper gives a full report of the meeting Monday. We think our readers want the news, and it is not our business to construe it, or color it, but to give it all? What's a news paper for anyway?

MARRIED.—At the residence of Warren Tucker, near Greenville, Wednesday night, June 5th, Mr. Robt. L. Nichols to Miss Addie Tucker. At the residence of Mrs. Jno. Quinn in Greenville, Wednesday night June 5th, by Rev. Mr. Lambreth, Mr. T. R. Moore to Miss Ida Moore.

FALSE REPORT.—The report that there is an epidemic of sickness in Greenville is wholly without foundation. There has been in the past month two isolated cases of diphtheria, they were promptly quarantined and no further trouble exists. All are now over the trouble and we are authorized by the Superintendent of Health to say that the town is unusually healthy now.

DIED.—Mrs. Maria Anderson, at Mrs. W. A. Bernard's, Thursday, May 31, in the 79th year of her age. She was a consistent member of the Baptist church in Greenville and highly esteemed by all.

Pattie, the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. G. James, aged 5 months Sunday morning, June 3rd. The whole town feels the deepest sympathy for the family, who have been thus bereaved twice in two years.

Mr. Alex May, near Ayden, on Friday, June 1st. He lived several years ago at Marlboro, and was a most industrious, worthy man

S. C. V.—An order of Sons of Confederate Veterans was organized in Greenville, Wednesday night. Mr. B. F. Sugg, an old veteran, by request acted as temporary chairman, Henry T. King acted as secretary. Messrs. Moore, Morrill and King were appointed committee on constitution and by-laws. Messrs. Andrew Joyner, W. R. Parker and H. T. King, committee on credentials.

After discussing the great needs of a young organization to preserve the records and perpetuate the valor of the fast vanishing fathers the meeting adjourned to meet at the INDEX office for permanent organization Wednesday night, June 20th, '94. Eleven were enrolled as charter members.

Pitt County Schools.

The closing exercises of Grifton Academy last week were attended by large numbers and the exercises were most creditable and enjoyable to both pupils and teachers. Profs. Dail and Davis have done good work in the community.

At the Carolina Christian College at Ayden, Prof. Rightseil had prepared a splendid series of exercises. Friday morning Major Harding made an excellent, practical and useful address to a large and intelligent audience and at night the large building was packed inside and out. The dialogues, recitations, declamations and essays by the pupils and the music were all thoroughly well done.

The college has made a most creditable beginning and will no doubt be the greatest blessing Ayden ever had, a credit to the Christian church and to the county.

At Centreville closing exercises we have heard the address delivered by Mr. Seawell was highly spoken of and understand that Miss Seawell the principal of the school presented an excellent programme.

The Colored Institute at Grifton, under the admirable management of Profs. Brown and Slade had a big closing Thursday and Thursday night. The orator of the day was the colored lawyer, T. W. C. Moore. We heard many of the best people of Grifton who heard him, say that his address was in splendid taste and his advice to his audience of the high

est order of merit.

We love to chronicle the good work the white and colored schools are doing. Never before in Pitt county were the people in some sections of it more alive to the pressing needs of a greater diffusion of intelligence and education among all the people. The pupils of Pr. F. Ragsdale's and Mrs. Bernard will join in a lawn party at the Academy Grove Friday night. The Prof. had arranged to have an excursion for the benefit of his school to Scotland Neck, but the false reports about sickness here, made the Mayor of that town think it best for them not to come. The INDEX is not invited strange to say.

J. P's. and Commissioners in Session.

The first business that came before the Board of Magistrates Monday, was the levying of taxes. A. L. Blow read the assets of the county for the past year, and stated that the county, owing to building of the dam, was one thousand dollars behind, but with economy the county could get along another year, without any improvements, at the same levy. G. T. Tyson inquired if any improvement was needed. Mr. Blow said a fire-proof vault was badly needed. That a fire or burglary would work untold damage to the property of the county, that the gallery of the Court room needed shutting in and the rooms for old records &c.

Mr. J. S. Harris stated that a former board contracted for a vault at a satisfactory price, but when they placed the contractors under a bond to guarantee the work, they backed out.

Chairman Dawson stated that the vault in Lenoir county was a failure.

G. T. Tyson said he was in favor of progress and moved to place the levy at 25 cents on the \$100. J. J. Laughinghouse moved to place it at 20 cents, the amount asked by the Board of Commissioners. Dr. Bynum stated that the necessity of an appropriation to establish a true meridian on which surveyors needles could be tested. D. C. Moore moved to add to Mr. L's motion that all taxes, license and otherwise, be the same as last year.

J. B. Little moved to amend by placing \$1.00 county tax on marriage license. Motion lost.

Mr. Laughinghouse's motion as amended by D. C. Moore was then carried.

The election of Superintendent being next in order E. F. Williams nominated Andrew Joyner, seconded by G. T. Tyson. J. D. Cox nominated the present incumbent, W. H. Ragsdale and stated that he would pledge for him if elected, that he would employ an assistant in his school, visit the schools and hold an educational meeting in Greenville this summer where teachers and all interested in education could take part. The ballot resulted Ragsdale 38, Joyner 13.

Andrew Joyner came forward and said that he had never wanted the office, never asked a Magistrate to vote for him if a better man who would perform the duties of the office could be elected, that since the pledge made before them that in future those duties would be performed, he had accomplished all he had ever undertaken and had won a victory for the children of the county, and was perfectly satisfied as to the competency and efficiency of the Superintendent if those pledges were fulfilled and he believed they would be.

Next came the election of county commissioners. J. J. Laughinghouse nominated J. D. Cox, for chairman, E. C. Blount nominated Dr. J. N. Bynum. Cox was elected. E. F. Williams placed in nomination the "Old Board", E. C. Blount nominated Jesse Cannon, Albert Horton nominated W. R. Horne, J. J. Rawls nominated S. M. Jones, Dr. Bynum nom-

inated E. A. Barrett.

In counting the votes one was cast for "old board". Hon. I. K. Witherington stated that he voted one like that, that he had forgotten the names of the members. The chair ruled that it be counted. Some question was raised as to its legality, when D. C. Moore moved that the vote be counted for the members of the old board. G. T. Tyson stated that if the election of the old board depended on that vote their title would be doubtful, the best way was to follow the law. The chairman stated that this body had a right to make its own rules and regulations in the matter and ordered the votes to be counted for Council Dawson, J. S. Smith, T. E. Keel, Samuel Gainer and Leonidas Fleming, who were elected by a large majority.

NOTES.

When the vote to increase marriage license was taken, G. T. Tyson plead for his unmarried friends. Squire Blount voted no, so loud his face turned red and Jesse Sugg and Almarine Hill had to be held by main force to prevent their lobbying with the squires against the tax.

We are amazed at the political lies told on us to the Justices, Monday and coming unknown to us and apparently well authenticated to them. We have traced them up and their authors, who are barefaced unprincipled liars. Next week we will mention this matter.

ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE OF LAND FOR ASSETS.

North Carolina, In the Superior Court of Pitt County.
Allen Warren, Adm'r of Henry Cooper. Against

Vicey Cooper, Livia Stancil and husband Will Stancil, Alfred Weathington and wife Sarah F. Weathington.
Pursuant to an order made in the above entitled action of special proceeding, the undersigned Administrator of Henry Cooper, will sell at the Court House door in Greenville, on Monday the 2nd day of July, 1894, the following described tract or parcel of land for Assets, as follows, to-wit: A tract of land containing eighty acres more or less, adjoining the lands of S. F. Weathington, E. F. McGowan, Geo. F. McGowan, Samuel Cory, William McGowan and others, the same sold subject to the widow, Vicey Cooper's dower of 20 acres more or less, described as follows: Beginning at a lightwood stake on main road leading from Vicey Cooper's to Lewis H. Weathington house, about one hundred and eighty yards from lane, near a persimmon tree and running straight from said stake 245 yards to back of field at lightwood stake or ditch, then northeast from said stake with said ditch and fence to lightwood stake in W. G. McGowan line thence with said McGowan and Vicey Cooper's line to road above mentioned, then with said road to the beginning. Terms of sale, CASH.

ALLEN WARREN, Adm'r
May 28, '94. of Henry Cooper.

ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE OF LAND FOR ASSETS

By virtue of a decree of the Superior Court of Pitt county, I will on Monday the 2nd day of July, between the hours of 12 M. and 1 P. M. offer for sale at the Court House door in the town of Greenville, a tract of land in Falkland township, Pitt county, adjoining the lands of Martha A. King and others and being the land allotted to W. A. Peaden in the division of the lands of Wm Peaden, containing 95 acres. Terms of sale Cash.
B. SHEPPARD,
Adm'r W. A. Peaden
May 22, '94.

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