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**NOTES FROM HIGH POINT.**  
**The Local News From Our Neighbor Briefly Told.**  
(TELEGRAM BUREAU) HIGH POINT, N. C., June 30.  
E. M. Armfield has purchased the Abram Jones place, of four acres.  
One of the horses belonging to the Montlen dairy farm died last night of paralysis.  
Mrs. J. Jones was called to Winston this morning by a telegram announcing the illness of her son Edwin. Dr. J. A. Turner accompanied her.  
We will soon be connected with the long distance telephone line. The poles between here and Jamestown are being put in place and the line from that town to Guilford College is already completed.  
The Epworth League sociable on the lawn opposite Dr. Stanton's residence last night was largely attended and although the weather was rather cool for the occasion all enjoyed themselves hugely. The refreshments served were delightful.  
Buildings are being erected in all parts of the city. The following we have made mention of before: E. D. Steele has given the contract for another house in the eastern part of the city. E. T. Hedrick, contractor, will commence work on J. A. Clinard's dwelling on the corner of North Main and Thurston streets in a few days. The foundation for W. H. Ragan's residence on North Main street is being laid and the carpenters will go to work soon. Building houses for rent in High Point has become a necessity for seldom can a house be found unoccupied.

**SLASHED WITH A KNIFE.**  
**Negro's Arm Laid Open by a White Man.**  
A cutting affray which resulted very painfully for Pete McLean, colored, took place in the lot back of C. H. Coble's bar this morning. McLean and a white man who, it is said, is a distiller at Wilkinson's government distillery, south of the city, had been drinking all the morning. They easily became involved in a quarrel, the sequel to which was that the white man drew a knife and slashed McLean twice on the left arm, cutting two gashes nearly the full length of that member and reaching in depth, almost, if not quite to the bone.  
Immediately after inflicting the ugly wounds the white man fled, and McLean refusing to tell who cut him, the police have been unable to obtain evidence sufficient to justify a search. McLean was drunk and walked to McNair's drug store with the blood freely flowing from his arm. It was some time before a physician could be obtained and when Dr. Wilson reached him he was exceedingly weak from loss of blood. His assailant had cut with telling effect and had he hit the body would have, most probably, inflicted mortal wounds.

**Reidsville News.**  
Special to The Telegram.  
Reidsville, June 30.—Mrs. C. F. Irvin died at her home here yesterday afternoon, aged 89 years. She was the mother of Mesdames E. B. Anderson and J. H. Benson of this place. The remains will be interred here this afternoon.  
The Concert Band was pleasantly entertained last night at the residence of Mr. Ed. Wootton.  
Preparation is being made to begin work on the wells for the water works system.

**Turned The Tables.**  
Greensboro and Concord played baseball on both diamonds yesterday. While the Greensboro white team was receiving its drubbing on the Concord diamond, the Concord colored team was going down before the Greensboro team on the latter's diamond. The colored game is said to have been close and exciting, Greensboro winning by a score of 9 to 5.  
There are certainly not enough of these to go around and you must come early in the morning if you want them. Don't wait until the sizes you want are all gone and then say we advertise things we haven't got, for we always live up to our advertisements and can always show you everything we advertise, if you come before it is sold. We offer you now eleven pairs of boys' shoes, with heels, sizes 12, 12 1/2, 13 and 13 1/2, former price \$1.25, at 50c a pair; three pairs ladies' white canvas Oxford ties, kid-trimmed and kid heels, sizes 3, and 5 1/2, former price \$1.25, at 25 cents a pair (this is not a miss print—it means just twenty-five cents a pair); two pair boys' patent-leather Oxford ties, sizes 1 and 2, former price \$1.25, at 50c a pair; four pairs little girls' black kid patent-tipped laced shoes, sizes 12, 13 and 13 1/2, former price \$1.15, at 60c a pair; fourteen pairs boys' tan shoes, sizes 4, 4 1/2, 5 and 5 1/2, former price \$1.50 and \$1.25, at 75c a pair; twenty pairs little girls' dark tan, spring-heel laced shoes, all sizes from 8 1/2 to 13 1/2, former price \$1.25 and \$1.00, at 75c a pair.  
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**TO OUR SOUTHERN FARMERS**  
Important Suggestions Issued by Department of Agriculture.

**OPINION OF COL. J. E. BOYD**  
On Passage of the Constitutional Amendment—Opinions of Other Carolinians.  
Special to THE TELEGRAM.  
Washington, June 30.—The department of agriculture has just issued the following suggestions to southern farmers, of which it is desired wide publicity be given through the columns of the southern press:  
"Until recently the southern planter has paid little attention to raising other crops than cotton, cane and rice. These money crops always find a quick cash sale anywhere. With the money derived from the sale of these products he is able to buy his meats, grain, forage, etc.  
"The system of cropping and renting by those who hold large tracts of land which provides a more certain revenue, is almost universally followed. Hence cotton is extensively planted, and although the yield is but one-half the capacity of the soil, yet it is enough in the aggregate crop throughout the south to depress the price below the cost of production.  
"The enormous growing of cotton has greatly reduced the life giving vegetable matter or humus in the soil, and allowing land to remain bare all winter has facilitated leaching and washing of soil during open winters that much of the best land has been nearly ruined.  
"This condition of affairs has shown the southern farmer the necessity of changing the methods of farming, and of devoting his attention to raising other crops and live stock.  
"On account of the exceedingly low prices of the staple product an interstate farmers' convention was held at Vicksburg, Miss. February 19, 1899, for the purpose of discussing new methods of diversifying crops. The addresses delivered and discussed at that convention were placed in the hands of the secretary of agriculture, and by his direction have been condensed in the division of publications, and have been issued as Farmers' Bulletin No. 98, entitled 'Suggestions to Southern Farmers.'  
"These addresses relate to soils, the peculiar advantages of the south for growing forage crops, raising and feeding live stock, cotton seed and its products and other agricultural matters.  
"Diversified farming with rotation of crops and an increase in stock raising are urged for adoption by the southern farmer; a system that will include more crops to enrich the soil instead of wearing out the land; one that will provide more live stock to consume the products and manure to still further enrich the soil.  
"Attention is called to the great value of cotton seed and its products as compared with corn and other foods, and suggestions are given as to handling them so that the south may be able to derive a much greater benefit and a very much larger revenue from these products.  
"In the raising of forage crops the climate of the south gives it many advantages. Timothy, clover red top oats, alfalfa, lespedeza, vetches and cowpeas, the southern favorite are grown, and on the alluvial lands alfalfa furnishes from five to seven cuttings during the year.  
"This bulletin is for free distribution, applications to be addressed to the secretary of the agriculture, Washington, D. C."  
Col. James Boyd, Assistant Attorney General, is quoted as not being sure of the passage of the proposed constitutional amendment limiting negro suffrage in North Carolina, and as saying that "even if it is adopted the federal statutes are in the way of its applications. Nine out of ten North Carolinians, democrats and republicans coming to Washington say there is no doubt of the passage of the amendment. As to the proposed restrictions being unconstitutional, that is a matter to which careful consideration was given by the North Carolina legislature. The same argument as to the unconstitutionality of the measure was also urged against the Mississippi, South Carolina, Louisiana elections laws, most of them being based upon the same lines as that proposed in North Carolina, and all with the same object in view. The United States Supreme Court has upheld the Louisiana law, and lawyers in this city who have examined the North Carolina provisions say that there is no doubt but that it will stand the test."  
Mr. R. Kemper, Jr., of Alexandria, Virginia, who has been employed in the office of the Southern Railway Company in Washington, has gone to Minona, Mississippi, where has accepted a position as agent of the company at that point.  
The condition of General Henry Heth, the well known Ex-Confederate officer, who has been critically ill at

his home in this city has slightly changed for the better, and is now able to sit up for a short time each day. On account of the General's extreme age, however, he is extremely weak, and great precaution is taken lest he over-exert himself.  
Several bridal couples from Virginia are in the city, stopping at the various hotels. Among them are Mr. and Mrs. Clarence W. Huff, who were married at Danville Wednesday at noon. They are stopping a few days at the Metropolitan Hotel, and will visit Chester, Pennsylvania. Mr. Huff is a popular employe of the Atlantic & Danville Railway at Danville.  
H. D. Murry and wife, of Staunton are at the St. James Hotel.  
Postmasters have been appointed in North Carolina as follows: Henry Wilstead, Harbinger, Currituck county; and W. N. Gregory, Shiloh, Camden county.  
Elma Houlshouser has been commissioned postmaster at Troutmans, North Carolina.  
Freeland M. Holleman has been commissioned postmaster at Ascend, North Carolina.  
J. D. Sinclair, of Greensboro, is at the St. James on a business trip.  
Among other North Carolinians in Washington are Messrs. L. B. Turnbull, of Durham, J. W. Cannon and S. W. Cramer.

**An Error Corrected.**  
Editor Telegram:—I desire to correct an error made by your High Point correspondent concerning the 4th of July celebration at Randleman. Your correspondent was misinformed on the subject, as we certainly intend having a flag raising and Bible presentation under the auspices of the Jr. O. U. A. M. The Odd Fellows also are arranging a program for the evening. We expect quite a large crowd to be present and enjoy the day with us.  
There is not a case of smallpox in the town of Randleman, and no danger at all in coming to our town. The only case in the community is in quarantine with all suspects. The hospital is one and one half miles from town and under perfect control. We especially invite the good people of Greensboro and surrounding country to come down and spend the day with us. I am informed that a good game of ball will be played at 3:30 p. m. Special invitation to Junior Order members.  
E. E. Mendenhall,  
Mayor.  
Randleman, N. C., June 30, 1899.

**Winston's Public Building.**  
Judge John Gray Bynum, of this city, has been employed by certain parties in Winston to test the title to the proposed site for Winston's public building and if possible to prevent the location of the building on the site selected by the government. The site selected is on the northeast corner of Liberty and Fifth streets, and a large number of citizens of Winston, for certain reasons, objected to its selection and it is said that they will now make it a fight to the finish. Judge Bynum returned from Winston at noon today.

**An Encouraging Report.**  
Mrs. J. W. Alspaugh, of Winston, treasurer of the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society of the Western North Carolina Conference, passed through the city last evening enroute to Concord to attend the annual meeting of the society, before which body she will read her annual report. The report will show that during the last fiscal year she received over \$3,000 and that \$400 still remains in the treasury. This is thought to be the most encouraging report ever made to the society.

**The Normandie's Manager.**  
Mr. C. E. Frick, now of Charlotte, will be manager of the Hotel Normandie, this city entering upon his duties August 1st, to make arrangements for the opening of the hotel on the first of September. Mr. Frick has been, for the past four years, chief clerk at the Buford Hotel, Charlotte, and is one of the best and most popular hoteliers in the State. The Normandie will prosper under his management.  
The Telegram extends a welcome in advance.  
**Sent to the Confederate Museum.**  
Mrs. Ella B. Broadnax, of this city, has sent a canteen and a scarf, which belonged to the late Col. William L. Rankin, to the confederate museum at Richmond, Va. A large picture of Col. Rankin also was sent.

**To the Powers That Be.**  
Mr. Editor:—Would it not be a proper idea for the city commissioners to confer with the railroad authorities with a view to having an elevated bridge crossing at the depot for pedestrians and vehicles? Then you would have no more trouble in crossing the railroad and coming in contact with the board a short while ago. The case is one of the finest made, containing almost everything needed in making chemical tests, and Mr. Smith appreciates it to a high degree. He is to be congratulated.

**BAD SHOOTING AT HIGH POINT**  
**Joe Jackson Probably Fatally Wounded**  
**BY ONE "LINZ" CROAKER**

**Four Balls Lodged in Jackson's Body**  
**The Extent of His Wounds.**  
**Croaker Gives Bond.**  
Special to THE TELEGRAM.  
High Point, N. C., June 30.—Last night about 8:40 o'clock four reports from a pistol were heard in the direction of the railroad fill across from the colored Baptist Church. It soon developed that the reports came from a 38-calibre pistol in the hands of "Linz" Croaker and that all four of the shots took effect in the person of one Joe Jackson. The shooting took place at the home of the former (the old Haney building) at the bottom of the fill mentioned above. As soon as Croaker shot Jackson he went up town and on learning that chief of police Bennett had gone to his house he returned, meeting the former on his way back. In the meantime Jackson had walked home and sent a boy after the physician. Mr. Croaker acknowledged the shooting and Mr. Bennett placed him in the custody of Joe Hoffman until he went to the home of Jackson and found out the extent of his injuries. Croaker gave bond as soon as he returned. Your High Point representative hurried to the house occupied by said Jackson in the north-eastern part of the city as soon as he learned of the trouble. Arriving there we found Dr. McAnnally, the physician sent for, getting ready to examine the wounds of his patient, who seemed to be resting easy for a man with so much cold lead in him. It was found that one ball entered his right breast, about 3 inches below the collar bone going through his right lung, and lodging in his body. Another ball entered his back to the right of his spinal column, close to the lower ribs. The other two shots took effect in his right and left arms respectively—one ball going through his right arm, while the one that entered the left arm just above the wrist glanced downward and lodged in that member of the body. Dr. McAnnally does not think the wounds necessarily fatal, though they may prove so at any time. Only one ball was removed last night, and almost went through, lodging over the right lower bowel, which ball was soon gotten out.

**A SMALL MANUFACTORY.**  
Greensboro Should Add It to Her Collection.  
A gentlemen from Philadelphia will be in Greensboro in a few days seeking a building in which to locate a cigar factory with a small saleroom in the front. Any one having such a building desirably located for a retail cigar store, for rent, can get the gentleman's name and address at the Telegram office.  
Let's locate him. Small manufactories make a city and when one is secured it is another step forward. The gentleman in question is reliable and progressive and will make a valuable citizen.

**GREENSBORO BOYS DEFEATED.**  
**Lost the First Game to Concord—Crawford Today.**  
The Greensboro baseball team, which went to Concord yesterday morning to play three games with that city's team, yesterday afternoon lost the first of the series to Concord by a score of 4 to 13. A special to this morning's Charlotte Observer says that the Greensboro boys were easy to handle, Greensboro's pitcher striking out only one man, while six of our boys fanned the air.  
Crawford will play with the Greensboro team today and a much better game is expected. In fact, the news that the Greensboro boys triumphed in the end, would not be surprising, though baseball is Concord's hobby, and it is said that "they do play ball." The official score of yesterday's game is as follows:  
R. H. E.  
Concord..... 13 14 5  
Greensboro..... 4 7 8

**His Work Rewarded.**  
Charlie Smith, of Holton's drug store, this morning received a handsome and valuable chemical test case, presented him by the State Board of Pharmacy as a reward for having the highest mark in an examination before the board a short while ago. The case is one of the finest made, containing almost everything needed in making chemical tests, and Mr. Smith appreciates it to a high degree. He is to be congratulated.

**MRS. LOU WEATHERLY DEAD**  
**Passed Away at 8 O'Clock Last Evening at Her Home.**  
The many friends of the family in this city were pained this morning to hear of the death of Mrs. Lou Weatherly, which occurred at 8 o'clock last evening at the colonial Weatherly home, three miles south of the city. Mrs. Weatherly had been ill for eleven weeks with typhoid fever. About a week ago she grew worse and since then her death at any time would not have been a surprise. She was 55 years old, of an excellent family and one of the most beloved women in the section around her home.  
Mrs. Weatherly was a faithful member of Grace Methodist Protestant church, this city. The following children, all grown, survive her: Messrs. Carl H., Berriman, Tom C. and Misses Mary and Flora Weatherly and Mrs. John H. Stone, Jr., and R. W. H. Stone. She was a sister of Mrs. W. J. Teague, of this city.  
Her many friends mourn with them her loss.  
The funeral will be conducted at 4 o'clock this afternoon from the residence, by Rev. T. M. Johnson, and the remains laid to rest in Greene Hill Cemetery.

**Mr. Blackburn's Departure.**  
Greensboro is soon to lose one of her most valuable and popular citizens. Mr. W. J. Blackburn will leave about the 15th of July for Fayetteville, where he is interested in a new tobacco warehouse, as was mentioned in the Telegram a few days ago. Mr. Blackburn is an expert tobaccoist and will handle the product of Cumberland's rich tobacco fields in a way that will prove profitable, both to himself and the farmers. Greensboro will give him and his excellent family up with much reluctance but wishes them increased prosperity in their new home.

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Double seat, double knee, with seams all taped, can't rip, buttons won't come off. These are the kind of clothes that Mrs. Jane Hopkins makes for boys. Rankin, Chisholm, Stroud & Coes are the exclusive handlers of this excellent brand of goods. They are reducing prices on all their spring patterns. If you need a suit for your boy now is the time to buy. See their ad in this paper.

**He Has a Record.**  
It seems that Julian Parrish, the negro who is in jail here for stealing a wheel, is an old offender. Chief Scott received a letter from a Durham merchant this morning asking if Julian was not wearing a new pair of pants, which he said were stolen from him a short while ago. Julian's pants answered the description, but his ward robe not being very elaborate, he was allowed to keep them.

**THE MARKETS.**  
**Closing Quotations by Paine, Murphy & Co.**  
By private wire to F. A. Burgin, Manager.  
NEW YORK, June 30 1899  
American tobacco..... 914  
Northwestern..... 161  
Northern Pacific Pr..... 774  
National Lead..... 294  
New York Central..... 1392  
Pacific Mail..... 484  
Rock Island..... 204  
Southern Railway..... 118  
Southern Railway Pr..... 518  
St. Paul..... 1302  
Sugar Trust..... 1544  
Tenn. Coal & Iron..... 648  
Texas Pacific..... 194  
U. S. Leather Preferred..... 894  
Western Union Tel..... 214  
Wabash Preferred..... 214  
CHICAGO, June 30, 1899.  
Wheat, June..... 724  
" July..... 724  
" Sep..... 748  
" Dec..... 754  
Corn, Sep..... 342  
" June..... 332  
" July..... 334  
Oats, July..... 242  
" Sept..... 212  
" Dec..... 845  
Pork, Sep..... 820  
" July..... 820  
" Dec..... 520  
Lard, Sept..... 502  
" Dec..... 502  
" June..... 520  
Ribs, Apr..... 487  
" Sept..... 487  
" June..... 555  
Cotton, Sept..... 573  
" Jan..... 576  
" Feb..... 576  
" March..... 579  
" April..... 583  
" May..... 587  
" June..... @  
" July..... 549  
" August..... 553  
" Oct..... 560  
" Nov..... 565  
" Dec..... 569  
Spot cotton..... 6-15  
Puts 73 1/2 Calls 74 1/2

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1 Crusher, cost \$50..... 25.00  
1 Faunt Mixer running order, cost \$100 25.00  
1 Faunt Paste Mill, cost \$ 25..... 25.00  
1 Bokartus Mill, cost \$1 0..... 40.00  
1 Iron Roller Mill cost \$ 5..... 2.00  
18 horse power Boiler and 4 horse engine, thorough order, cost \$150..... 65.00  
1 new girl's Bicycle, cost \$35..... 15.00  
2 new girl's Bicycles, cost \$25..... 5.00  
This property will be sold "Some time, with security, could be given."  
McCormick Mower running order..... 18.00  
1 Horse Raiser running order..... 5.00  
12-Horse Wagon with bed..... 18.00  
1 Huggy in running order..... 8.00  
1 Deering Reaper and Binder in thorough running order..... 85.00  
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DAVID WHITE, Sec. & Treas.