## PERSONAL AND LOCAL BRIEFS

PEOPLE WHO COME AND GO Items of interest Gathered by their home at Edmunds S. C.

Our Reporter.

This is coal weather.

Where did you go this week? Get on the Leader honor roll.

You are among good people in the Leader honor roll.

Right now while you think of it send us a dollar en subscription.

Besure and read the advertisments in the Leader, there is a reason.

Miss Jennie Lasley went up ireensboro Wednesday.

Mrs. S. A. White spent Saturday in u lington.

Miss Ora Holt went up to Burlington Saturday.

Miss Lea Lentz of Hickory is visit ng Miss Mary Ed Scott.

Mr. D. E. Wilkinson of Reidsvill was in Mebane Friday. Miss Bessie Albright went to Bur-

lington Tuesday. It will require about 3 weeks more to

finish up the street paving of Mebane. Mr. W. A. Holt spent Saturday in Greensboro on business.

Misses Ollie and Tannie Douglas spent the latter part of last week in Burlington.

Miss Alice McFarland will leave to day for Hillsboro where she goes to teach school.

Mr. and Mrs. M. N. Wilkerson went tures of the occasion. down to Durham Tuesday evering to attend the marriage of Miss Myrtle Holder.

Mrs. J. M. Ward of Caswell county passed through Mebane Tuesday enroute for Graham to visit friends.

Mrs. Elizabeth Fogleman who has at Greensboro.

diss Ida Wilkerson visited in lington Saturday and Sunday.

Keep your eve on your wife says H.

Miss Magada Malone and Mrs. J. E. Dillard of Corbett went down to Raleigh job. Wednesday to visit Mrs. J. F. Thompon who is there in the bospital.

Don't fail to read the advertisment of the Piedmont Warehouse. They treat you right and will get a very satisfactory price for your tobacco.

Mr. A. N. Scott, Vice-President of Efiand in Greensboro October the 17th Mehane Bedding Co. left Tuesday to attend the meeting of the Bed Spring Mfg. at Chatanooga.

Little Miss Virginia Clark went down to Durham Friday evening to visit friends. She visited the circus Saturday and much enjoyed it.

prices at Planters Warehouse Mebane. See their published report of a few sales on front page.

Holmes-Warren & Co. have placed in ket offords. front of their store a large size street light. We hope to see more of them Light is worth a lot in a town that expects to do business

It is said when the Barnum and Baileys Circus was in Greensboro Thursday er clear across the street. Why we

would be pleased to have your trade.

Dr. J. M. Thompson who has recently located in Mebane with a view of practicing medicine, can be reached over phone at the Mebane Drug Co. To The Circus at Durham during the day and in his room in the up-stairs of the Drug Store at night,

Don't forget that this is the season vertise in the Leader.

ceived from members and friends.

Katie May Comptons.

Thorsday night at mid-night to learn. signal. It is done now.

Mrs. D. E. Wilkinson and Mrs. S, C Wilkinson of Ridgeville was in Mebane Wednesday.

said that J. Edwin was paying defruitie. He was careful not to let her get in the way of the Elephant, El had heard about the fellow the Ele phant kicked over in Greensboro.

of the Leader office. The removal of passenger receipts per month for 1888. this embankment will be of great service to the railroad company as well as Mebane, but there is some doubt as whether the work will be pushed to completion at present, yet we hope

so. Should there be a suspension we trust it will be brief And there did come a suspension Tuesday morning. We all feel bad over it, Mr. Railroad man get up steam and try again.

#### A Family Reunion.

Warren and wife, and Mr. Walter Malone and wife spent Sunday at Mr. Brice Warrens at Corbett, Caswell County. A kind of a family reunion. A pleasant time for all was the fea-

#### One Hnndred and Thirty-Live Thousand.

Although the Circuses and Fairs were pulling people in every direction the past week, the warehouses of Mebbeen visiting her daughter Mrs. Henry ane sold up to Saturday evening 135,-Nicholson left Tuesday for her home 000 pounds of tobacco. Not bad after

Mrs. M. Mannigal who is sueing her husband for a divorce is perhaps influenced in her action by McNamaras Dr. Wiley Commends Cot-E. Wikinson Co, and direct her where friends who are on trial for their lives to buy goods. They keep a good stock, in Los Angeles. Marnagal is an informer and they want to embarras him, and his wife may take the money on the

#### Miss Gorden Married to Mr. Brown.

Miss Amanda Gorden of Hillsboro sister of Mrs. W. M. Smith of Mebane was married to Mr. Julian Brown of

#### Bring Your Tobacco to Mebane.

Tobacco breaks were splended on the Mebane market all the past week. The they had in the old religion of Egypt They are selling topacco at good sales for Tuesday and Wednesday of The cat Aelurus was embalmed after this week were especially good. Prices death and buried in the city of Babasruled well, and were decidely satisfac- tis because, recording to Herodotus. tory Bring your tobacco to Mebane Diana Babastis, the chief deity of the if you want the highest price the mar- place, was said to have transformed

#### Ellis Stone & Co.

Ellis-Stone & Cc. the prince dry goods merchants of Durham place an advertisement in this weeks Leader. This an elephant kicked a local news report- firm carry a handsome line of ladies of the Districk of Columbia Supreme Messrs Hunt & Co. of Mebane places shade and weave. White goods in car matches and 30 per cent result from notions, shoes, hats and groceries and paid for all customers who buy \$15,00 years of age or more of goods from any point east of Haw-River to Durham.

Mebane furnished a pretty good size deligation to Durham Saturday the greater portion of whom went to to push your advertisement in the attend Barnium and Baileys great cir-Leader. If it is business you want cus. The following is a a partial list now, the Lead r can talk to the pec- of those who went down: Mr. and Mrs. ple who can give you business. Ad- J. S. Warren, Mr. and Mrs. James Cheek, Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Crawford, Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Morgan, Miss Daisy The ladies of the Presbyterian church Miles, of Corbett, Mrs. T. B. Pettiare making preparations for a Bazaar grew, Mrs. Wiley James, Messrs. to be held about I hanksgiving next Walter Lynch, Ola Albert, Fred Terrell, month, Donations will be glad y re- Everett Clark, Lacy Jobe, Dr. N. D. York, Murray Ferguson, E. W. Harris, Clem Wilkers in, Dave Quarles, John Miss Magada Malone and Mr. U. S. Gibson, George McCauley, Mrs. Ella Ray went out to Ridgeville Sunday, Pearson, Mr. Phillip Cooper and wife of spending the day at the home of Miss Carr, J. E. Boland' S. Arthur White, Misses Essie Dodson and Sudie Clark, and others whose names we did not

Ights, one at each end of the depot Durham had a great crowd Saturday, burned brightly. The lamps were and most of the people attended the cleaned, and, this, even this, was en- circus, at least 8,000 was at the show. to be trying to do his duty in helping was all right. There was some troup things, and we are sure all Mebane uble about reaching the circus grounds. people will appreciate his efforts. Up The service for transfering the people to Mr. Slacks coming there was not was not as good as it might have been' even a light kept on top of the depot while no one expected it to be adequate to the crowd.

#### Growing Some.

Noting mor + illustrates the activity and progress of a town than the Mr. M. F. Smith and family after receipts in the passenger, and spending several days with the family freight office. We know that Mebane of Mr. C. C. Smith left Tuesday for has made great progress in the past twelve months. This is apparent to Mr, Jest Fowler has enlarged his every one who comes here, but to those store by building an addition, increas- who do not come, the freight and ing its capacity more than twenty five passenger business tells the story. per cent, he has also put in a sheet For September 1910, the freight and High Point after a pleasant visit with iron front which ads much to its ap passenger receipts for Mebane were friends. \$5,679,01, for September 1911 the receipt were 7,825.63, or an increase of Mr. J. Edwin White was at Raleigh \$2,146.63 nearly 33 per cent. The Friday and took in the circus. It is first week in October, of 1911 was the best week in freight receipts Mebane voted attention to a piece of juicy has ever known. The freight recipts for that particular period were \$7,054,-53, the passenger receipts for the same time was \$771,10 making a total of \$7,825,63 for the week. If this weekly It was a source of much gratification total should continue to the end of Octo note that a force of hands with a tober it would run up the freight, and flat car train to remove the dirt were passenger business of Mebane to more put to work last Thursday morning than \$30,000, for the month. This cutting down the embankment in front would equal Winston's freight, and

Los Angeles in the dinamiting plot de- ton. manded whether the venireman believed the United States would be better off if there were no unions. Whether he favored discrimination between union and non-union men, and whether he believed the most lawless men are members of labor unions. No matter how he framed the questions, however Mr. Ben Warren and wife, Mr. West the district attorney objected and the court sustained. And the court was eminetly right. Everlasting right, without comment.

#### Notice to Phone Users.

The users of the phones of the Mebane and Ridgeville Telephone company are requested to report to Mr. H. E. Wilkinson any complaint they may have to make in regard to the inefficiency of the phone service. It is the desire of the company to render the ser vice as efficent as possible, and phone subscribers may aid material in helping us to do this by reporting any defect in the service.

Cotton Oil.

#### When the Cat Was Sacred In the middle ages brute animals

formed as prominent a part in the devotional ceremonies of the time as herself into a cat when the gods fled into Egypt.

#### 40 of 100 Divorces Due to Elopements.

Statistics compiled from the records coat suits, and an immense stock of all Court show that 40 per cent. of all kinds of ladies dress goods, in every divorces are the result of runaway

Eighty per cent of the divorce suits purple ring will be visible. have been filed by women and less than 10 per cent of the couples who seek the courts are parents. There is one divorce suit in the District to every four marriage licenses.

#### Telling The Public.

(New York Globe.)

Whatever credit there is in being the first to bow to the inevitable belongs to the Missouri Pacific Railway Its bulletin giving a full and apparently true account of an accident near Omaha, sent to the newspapers and to every one connected in any way with had a narrow escape while demonstra- made by one American Minister, about the wreck, has been generally hailed ing his new aeroplane at Kill Devil five years ago, after careful study of as marking a new era in railway mana- last Wednesday. While quite a dis all the data, official or other, that its than others. The farmers are load for \$123,82. Evans and Tear sold gement. It does undoubtedly do so, tance up the areoplane fell. The were available. It fixed the approxi- getting rich selling hogs at 9 cents a load for \$146,01, but the public deserves the credit for aviator had a remarkable escape from mate total at 270,000,000. This estiit, not the railroads, the railway com- injury. freacherous air pockets dur- mate agreed substantially with that are getting poor selling pork at 25 missions of the various states and the ing a high wind storm are responsible Interstate Commerce Commission for This is nameing them some, wild rench scientists corrected with the a year for their services, and die poor, a year for their services, and die year for their services are year for their services. have forced this action by their inquistitive prying, the latter body issued pockets, is it. an order on June 21 last requiring immediate notification of the commission—by telegram—of ali railway ac- bribed an Irishman on the jury for \$100 you?" her little brother inquired. The couraging. Agent, H. B. Slack seems It was a pretty day, and the ground to work for a verdict of manslaughter young man blushed. "I—I don't know" small iron bolt for 5 cents, and make in this section.

The workist was a pretty day, and the ground to work for a verdict of manslaughter young man blushed. "I—I don't know" small iron bolt for 5 cents, and make in this section. The purpose of this rule being "to The verdict was so returned. At the he replied. "That's funny," said the 2 cents profits on it. But the autoaid the commission in informing itself first opportunity the prisoner thanked terrible infant. "Pa has looked you up mobile repair man will charge you as to the advisability of making an the juror and asked; "Well, Pat, did in the rate books, ma has found out all 75 cents for the same bolt, and \$3.25 as to the advisability of making an investigation. Several of the state commissions also require immediate commissions also require immediate the property of the other eleven wanted to acquire the commissions also require immediate. The other eleven wanted to acquire the commissions also require immediate to acquire the other eleven wanted to acquire the other eleven wanted to acquire the commissions also require immediate. telegraphic reports of accidents.

#### Etland Items

turned from their bridal trip.

Miss Bessie Baity has returned from Burlington after spending some time with her aunt Mrs. Price.

Hillsboro Monday on business.

Mrs. Joe Trent has returned from

Mrs. Oakley has returned to her home Mrs. Fitzpatrick October 14th.

week with her aunt near Efland.

Monday on business. Mrs. C. C. Smith of Mebane

visiting her mother Mrs. Reeves.

Fifty times by actual count Davis County boy has decided to try the which he had constructed into a blind in proportion to their holdings in the tion plans the trust claims to have rean attorney for the defense of John bonds of Matrimony. The wedding to to cover the projectoscope. He thought original company. McNamara now on trial for his life at take place Tuesday evening in Burling- he could not enter the operating room

Mr. John Hanner was in Effand Mon-

Mr. John L. Efland returned to Flia.d Monday after a western trip.

Mr. H. D. Smith of the Southern Railway spent Saturday night and Sunday at home with his people.

Mr. John Baily is spending this week in Hillsboro doing some work. Mr. Ira Lewis of Oaks spent Sunday

at Mr. Thomas Tapps. Mr. George Compton was at hom

Sunday with his family. Don't miss the "Hallowe'en Party Tuesday night October 31st, at the E. H. school building.

Paw-Paw-Queese.

#### Hallowe'en Party,

The Ladies Aid Society of the M. P | the public. church of Efland will give an entertainment at the Efland High School A Dangerous Censorship. building, Tuesday night October 31st. For over quarter of a century Dr. All are invited to attend. Come boys Wiley, the famous government expert and bring your best girls. There will Department excluding the Chicago posed to find fault with the way in the list. has conducted an active campaign for be "Jack O Lanterns" and the good Vice Commisson's report from the which this prosecution has been conpure food in the interest of public old pumpkins, and lots of games. More mails was importants chiefly as a ducted, but I fear that the court may health. His advocacy in a recent speech fun than you'll see in a life time. symptom of tendencies to oppressive not fully appreciate the tremendous imof the use of Cotton Oil as a food is, Girls come and wa'k down stairs back- bureaucratic government. The hipe- portance of this matter to the men therefore, especially significant; it sim- wards, pierce the future and see your ous report was not intended for gen- whose very living depends upon getting ply emphasizes the wholesomeness of future wife or husband. There will be eral circulation, and might have gone a fair price for the tobacco they grow Cottolene—the vegetable oil shorten—numerous ways to try your forcuses. on its mission of good without the use I simply desire an opportunity to say eral of Virginia, T. W. Bickett, attoring—which is composed so especially of If you miss it you'v missed half of of the postal service. In now finally a word in their behalf. your life. Come one, come all to the reversing that order this particular If you are willing to grant this re-Hallowe'en Party. Don't forget the symptom disappears, but the general date October 31st Tuesday night. Ad- tendency noted remains, as shown in once go to New York and file the pro- tobacco growers in what is known as

The Ladies Aide Society.

#### Kitchen Laboratories.

Every housewife can be her own food chemist and find out whether her grocer is selling her goods which are exactly what they are represented to be. Oleo can be told from real butter by holding a spoonful of it over the fire. Real butter will foam, while oleo will outside of Washington. crackle, sputter and give an unpleasant greasy odor. Or a little real butter eral sense of decency may be properly stirred into a glass of cold sweet milk indictable, and can best be reached on 000,000 a year is inexcusable. The will divide and spread over the milk's this ground through local law. But Tariff Commission has not reported, surface, while oleo will cling in one

If the milk supplied by the dairyman contains formalin, which is the preserv- in authority at Washington. Equally rich wool duties. They may be as ing flued ordinarily found, it can be de- dangerous to liberty is the extension indefensable and excessive as Mr. tected by pouring sulphuric acid into a of the power over the mails not to the Taft has repeatedly declared them to They carry a nice stock of dry goods, not write for samples Railroad fair ing parties was under twenty-one glass of milk. When the sulphuric

Lemon extract can be tested by applying a match to some of the extract in a saucer. Real lemon extract will make a blaze, while the imitation extract will not ignite.

These are a few of the simple which are known to many housevives, and are being generally tried since Dr. Wiley has awakened the world to the wholesale frauds which are perpetuated by unscrupulous manufacturers.-Nash ville Ternessean.

## Air Pockets.

A man who was on trial for murder

## Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Brown have re- ALMOST ROUGH

Mr. Alonzo Forrest went down to Trouble at Durham Over Attempt to Exhibit Bin-

The Binford picture muddle assumed ominous proportions Monday night in torney-General, United States, Washat Burlington after attending the fune- Durham when Manager Wilkerson ington, D. C.: ral of her mother Mrs. Mary E. Hobbs locked his operating room doors, warnwho died at the home of her daughter ed officers not to enter it and threat- letter relative to the dissolution of the the United States circuit court for ap-Miss Sudie Miller spent part of last was present and twice Manager Wil- courtesy. kerson mounted the stage and announ-Mr. John Miller was in Hillsboro ced that the pictures would go, while

ford Pictures

to serve a warrant on the operator. When Wilkerson saw his device, he

"If you put that thing up over that hole, I hope God will strike me dead. if men are the men whose ill paid toil is I don't put a bullet through vou."

then and Commissioner Claibon Carr single organization arbitrarily fix the Mr. Doll Riley is on the sick list this to caution both officers and manager. that brought about the French revoluof Pendergrast be not used and a war- are the legitimate offspring of comrant was issued at once for the mana- mercial tyranny. ger and operator.

In the meantime the reeling off of the picture went along untill officers arrived and served a warrant and stopped the show in the middle of the per-\$200 bond and returned to the show, his sole purpose had been to vindicate thousands of our citizens.

The first order of the Post-Office

sorship of newspapers. It is one thing to exclude from the of fraud. It is another thing for the Supreme court of the United States. Post-Office Department to refine its tastes to the whims of this or that individual in authority and carry its activities to the point of usurping functions which belong to local government if we are to have any government

Newspapers which offend the genno newspaper is safe even in all de will not report for several weeks, and cency where the deciding rense of its until it does report no one muyt disfitness is confined to some one person cuss any reduction of the Papne-Ald-tion. ment of illegitimacy in any business Even if it finds them too low, no one was on sales Friday. and its Federal prosecution.—New must protest. York World.

A college professor, who is very absent-minded, got on a crowded street car not long ago, and had to stand up. As the conductor came to take his fare the professor suddenly perceived a well known society lady of his acquaintance. He at once put his hand in his pocket, took out a nickel, and handed it nonchalantly to the woman, then turning, he made an elaborate bow and shook hands with the conductor.

The most trustworthy estimate of the A telegram says: Orville Wright population of the Chinese empire was ency they won their fight. government of Tonquin in the Sout's.

"You're goin' to marry sister' ain't the other eleven wanted to acquit yez won't you?"-Cleveland Plain Dealer and overalls.

Attorney-General T. W. Bickett Writes Hon. George W. Wickersham.

Letter to Mr. Wickersham.

"Oct. 9, 1911.

ened to shoot Sergeant Pendergraft it American Tobacco company will nei-proval. Important among the events he enterfered. A bursting over crowd ther tax your patience nor strain your

the crowd cheered. He had previously has submitted to the court does not Maiden Lane, at which it was determirequired officers to buy tickets and have the merit of even locking like a nated to intervene at the public hearbona fide dissolution of that corporation ing to be begun October 30. "The first show is over. You offi- The newspapers state the plan to be to Mrs. Thomas Tapp has returned home cers can buy tickets for the new one if divide the American Tobacco company Great Britain, limited, petitioned the after a visit of two weeks with her you want to. Beulah Bieford pictures into three companies, and issue stock United States court for permission to daughter Mrs. John Thompson of Jaks will go." Sergeant Pendergrast sent of each of the three companies to the join others in the intervention in spite "More wedding" Another Orange Sergeant Cadle for the top of a hatbox present stockholders in the American of the fact that in its so-called dissolu-

> I am profoundly convinced that such agreement under which the foreign a plan will afford no relief to the men corporation concern was completely who grow tobacco, and these are the shut out of the American market. men who should be the object of the government's tenderest care. These the very foundation of the tobacco He stepped into his private office business: And when these men see a remonstrated with him Men in the prices of the product of their labors, audience ren out and others gathered they are stirred by the same feelings Chief Freeland advised that the device tion, and the night riders of Kentucky

#### Files His Protest.

has filed a protest against this plan in brokers in the southean states, with behalf of the independent cigarmakers. branch offices in all important southformance. Manager Wilkerson then I desire to secure your permission to enacities, filed a petition in barkuar went to the police station, put up a file a drotest and a brief in behalf of tcy late Monday after noon in the Fedthe dependent tobacco growers of North eral court at Salisbu, through Maxhaving announced that he would not at- Carolina. This state ranks second well and Kerans, his actorneys. Judge tempt to present the Binford picture among the tobacco growing states in Boyd promptly adjudged the petitioner any more. He was followed by a cheer- the union, and the determination of a bank; upt and referred the matter ing mass of men, He declared that this case spells hope or despair to to W. S. O'B, Robinson, of Charlotte,

himself and the house, and he left it to It is my purpose to ask the attorney- The habilities, it is said. are more generals of the leading tobacco states than \$1,000,000, while the assets will to unite in filing a protest and a brief, not reach one-quarter of that amount provided we can secure permission to Practically all of the creditors are

Permit me to say that I am not dis- New York firms are represented in

With much respect. I beg to remain, Very truly yours, T. W. BICKETT, Attorney-General

The rashness of Representative Underwood in saving that the wool tariff costs American consumers over \$100-,

On the occasion of President Taft's turning the first spadeful of earth on the grounds of the Panama-Pacific Exposition we read that "scores of womer, worn out by the heat and excitement, fainted and were dragged out Chandler sold a load for \$105,51, was of the crowd. They were carried over well pleased, Vaughn and Evans got a five-foot fence by policemen and \$116,72 for the load. laid in rows in the inclosure before Take your next load of tobacco to E. the President.' And this in California W, Harris, Planters Warehouse, Mebwhere the women have just been gran- ane, Mr. A F. Dillard sold a load there ted equal rights at the ballot-box! for \$137,62, was well pleased, J. M. Plainly it was not by muscular compet | Warren sold a load 76lbs, for 110.76.

Some men are better at making prof- 34. W. M. and G. H. McAdams sold pound, while the packers claim they while some eldermen get \$1 a meeting load for \$147,30 and amass vast fortunes.

The hardware man will sell you a

# OPPOSITION TO

The Imperial Company Joins in the Movement.

A rattling skirmish fire of opposition to the tobacco trust plans of reorgani-"Hon. George W. Wickersham. At- zation came from many directions, some of them from sources that the trust had felt it would not join in the "'Dear Sir-I trust that a second war against its proposals now before was a secret conference of representatives of all sorts of independent tobac-"The plan which the newspapers co interests at the headquarters Nasay the American Tobacco company tional Leaf Tobacco association, 141

> The Imperial Tobacco company, of leased the British concern from the

## Wealthy Broker of Charlotte is Adjudged Bankrupt.

Liabilities Over \$1,000.000

O. P. Heath, of Charlot's, one of I notice that Mr. Brandeis, of Boston the wealthiest and best known cotton

referee in bank aptcy. North Carolina banks, though several

## Will Make Fight In Tobacco Case.

Samuel W. Williams, attoriey gen-Fraser Lyon, attorney general of South quest, please wire me, and I will at Carolina, as representatives of the the later Richmond case of postal centest and the brief. Of course, in the the "bright tobacco belt," and as brief, I shall maintain that the plan of friends of the court, has filed a petireorganization submitted by the Ameri tion in the United States circuit court mails matter which is clearly unfit or can Tobacco company is, in no way, a asking permission to he allowed to which is clearly circulated for pure ses | compliance with the judgment of the | present written and oral arguments in opposition to the proposed dissolution plan of the tobacco "tast" at the hearing to be held October 30. They claim that in the "bright tobacco belt" 260,000,000 pounds of leaf tobacco is raised annually and that the thousands of persons engaged in the industry in the three States are vitally concerned in the dissolution of the "trust," or ordered by the federal supreme court. They state that they have made a careful study of the dissolution plan submitted of the court, which in their opinion is fundamentally defective, in that it does not restore free competi-

## Tobacco News.

Mr. Walter Bradshaws of Durham

Farmers carry your tobacco to E. W Harris at the Planters Warehouse, at Mebane, for good prices. Mr. Lynch sold a load there, 1030lbs for \$161,44.

Good tobacco is selling well at the Planters Warehouse, Mebane, J. D. Bradshaw sold a load for \$162,53, A. G.

Carter & Long sold a load at the

Planters Warehouse, Mebane for \$153,-Henry Tate sold a load with E. W.

For good plices take your tobacco to E. W. Herris at the Planters Ware-

house, Mebane, the best lighted house