

LOCAL NEWS.

Cool nights and plenty of frost and ice this week.

A number of the legal fraternity of this place are attending McDowell court this week.

Messrs. Dunnavaud & McConaughey, liverymen, lost a fine horse, this week, from colic.

The residences of Messrs. R. A. and T. G. Cobb, on Lenoir street, are being painted.

The Sulky Plow men say the county authorities drove them out of the county with high taxes.

The Sally Michael Tobacco Co. received a new machine, this week, for cutting smoking tobacco.

Quarterly meeting for Morganton circuit will be held at Gilboa church next Saturday and Sunday.

Preaching at the Baptist church next Sunday night at 7 1/2 o'clock, by Rev. H. D. Lequaux. No service in the morning.

A new and handsome depot for Morganton is now a certainty. The contract has been let to a man by the name of Hardin, of Asheville.

Erwin Hall is being fitted up for a newspaper office and will be occupied by our successor as soon as the new press and outfit arrive.

The case of young Brown, charged with the killing of Roger Page, editor of the *Times-Register*, will be tried during the present term of McDowell court.

The bridge across John's river was ready for the traveling public to cross last Friday. Old Rip Van Winkle is slow but sure. If he don't get there to-day he will to-morrow.

The members of the Farmers' Alliance of this county chipped in and ordered their fertilizer in a bulk for wheat this fall and by doing this saved a big per cent. in the way of commissions, etc.

Married, at Oak Hill church, Sunday, Oct. 6, 1889, 1 P. M., Sam'l M. Smith to Miss Huldah Franklin; also, at the same time and place, Mr. Hugh Franklin to Miss Ida Smith, all of Burke, Capt. W. M. Winters officiating.

Let every man in the county subscribe something towards getting up a fair for Burke county next fall. It will be a good investment. Don't fail to attend the preliminary meeting which is to be held at the court next Saturday.

We almost envy our county friends at this season of the year, as they are having turnips, pork, potatoes and o'possum in great abundance, while the town people are glad to get tough beef at high prices, poor chickens and Western bacon.

We were to-day shown a suit of clothes, cork screw goods, made by Mrs. P. F. Simmons for ex-Suvern B. A. Berry, which is a perfect fit and beats most of the Northern-made clothing for workmanship. It shows some of the finest hand sewing we have ever seen.

Our citizens seem to be united upon the question of holding a Burke county fair next fall, and we trust they will keep the ball in motion. With a united effort there is no reason why Burke should not have a fair second to none in the State. A meeting will be held in the court house next Saturday for the purpose of organizing.

Personal.

Mr. Albert S. Sudderth is home from Colorado.

Mrs. B. S. Gaither was visiting relatives in Caldwell county, last week.

Mr. W. C. Ervin and family moved from Lenoir to Morganton last week.

Mr. Manley McDowell has returned from a business trip to Colorado.

Miss Alice Kincaid and little Eula Wilson, of Bridgewater, are visiting relatives at this place, this week.

Presiding Elder Moore passed through town Monday, on his way to Linville church, to hold quarterly meeting for Table Rock circuit.

Rev. E. B. Anderson, D. D., left least Monday to attend the N. C. Synod of the Presbyterian church, which is in session in Charlotte this week. Mr. G. P. Erwin is also in attendance upon the Synod.

Mr. A. L. Finley, Marion, N. C., was a severe sufferer from Scrofula in an aggravated form; was so disabled he had to walk with crutches. Was cured by Mrs. Joe Person's Remedy in 1883, and has been ever since, a strong, healthy man. For sale by John Tull, Morganton.

Call at the Iron Front Clothing Store and see the new Underwear at bottom prices. sep.26

Quarterly Meeting last Saturday and Sunday.

Quarterly meeting for Hickory and Morganton stations convened with the Methodist church at Morganton last Saturday and Sunday. Ministers present, Dr. Moore, P. E., Prof. J. F. Crowell, president of Trinity College, Bevs. Boaner, Anderson, Brothers and Payne.

Presiding Elder Moore preached Saturday and Sunday, at 11 o'clock each day, to the delight of all who heard him. He is a level-headed man and a very strong preacher.

Prof. Crowell preached Sunday night to a packed house, and every one who heard him was delighted with his sermon. His text was from Daniel, last chapter and part of the last verse. He impressed his hearers at once that he was a man thoroughly consecrated to his important work—that of preaching and teaching—and that he was following out the scriptural injunction, "Whatsoever the hand findeth to do, do it with all thy might," and if pluck and consecration are necessary to success, Trinity College will certainly prove a success under Prof. Crowell's presidency.

A New Clerk Appointed.

Judge Bynum appointed, last week, Mr. H. W. Connelly Clerk of Burke Superior Court, to succeed Mr. S. T. Pearson, who resigned to take the position of cashier of the Piedmont Bank at this place.

Mr. Connelly needs no special notice at our hands—his acts are all familiar to our people. He is one of the men who have commenced at the bottom round and come up by pluck and energy, and wherever such men are to be found their record is all the recommendation necessary to secure them places of trust in any department in life.

He filed his bond before the commissioners, last Monday, and will qualify in a few days and assume the responsibilities of the office.

Meeting of Burke County Farmers' Alliance.

Burke County Farmers' Alliance met at Connelly Springs last Friday. All the sub-alliances were well represented, there being about two hundred members present.

We learn that a considerable amount of business was transacted and much that was of grave interest to the farmers, which, if carried into effect, will tend to the bettering of the condition of the farmers and the country generally.

A Compliment to Brother Ervin.

Charlotte Chronicle.

W. C. Ervin the handsome and intelligent mayor of Lenoir who delivered a graceful address of welcome to the Press Association last summer, has been wooed from law back to his first love; and he will at an early date take editorial charge of THE MORGANTON STAR which has been recently purchased by a joint stock company. It would not have been easy to have made a better selection in our State.

Death of a Little Child.

Statesville Landmark.

Died at the home of the parents at this place on the morning of the 2nd inst., of blood poison, Margaret Lowery, daughter of J. and Maggie L. Caldwell, aged year and 16 days.

"There's a narrow ridge in the graveyard, would scarce stay a child in his race, But to me and my thought it is wider Than the star-sown vague of space."

A Bad Character.

A St. Louis paper of a recent date says: J. J. Boyle, the priest of the Roman Catholic church, who is now on trial for his life at Raleigh, N. C., charged with outraging Geneva Whitaker in May, was well known in the city a year ago, and has been here at an even later date. Boyle's reputation while here was well known to the police, and he given a very bad character. About one year ago he officiated at a Catholic church in a small town in Illinois, but left in disgrace, having contrived to raise a large sum of money for the purpose of building a new church, and having then come to St. Louis to spend it among fast women. About a year ago officer Carr arrested the man at a house on Spruce street for disturbing the peace, on complaint of one of the inmates. He was let off with an easy fine, but was subsequently brought up in the same court a number of times.

Remember we don't intend to be undersold in Boots and Shoes. Our stock is complete, and we bought them to sell and not to keep. DICKSON, TATE & WILSON.

If you want the best Shoe in the market, buy the Gainsville, Ga., Home-Made Shoe of Dickson, Tate & Wilson. You will find them low for the quality. sep.19 tf.

Weekly Weather Crop Bulletin, for the Week Ending Friday, October 4th, 1889.

CENTRAL OFFICE, RALEIGH, N. C.

The reports of correspondents of the Weekly Crop Bulletin issued by the N. C. Experiment Station and State Weather Service, co-operating with the United States Signal Service, show that, during the week ending Friday, October the 4th, there was a deficiency of rain-fall, and average temperature and very much sunshine. No rain fell excepting light showers on September 30th, and the sky has been nearly cloudless the entire week. Light frosts occurred again in the early part of the week but caused no damage. The nights have been cool with heavy dews while during the day time the temperature has been normal. The large percentage of sunshine has caused the bolls in the cotton fields to open more rapidly, except on very large plants. Farmers are now busy gathering the staple, and the season has been very favorable for this important work. No complaint has reached the central office of damage done by the cotton caterpillars; dry weather seems somewhat to check their spreading. The corn crop is probably ripe enough to gather now in places. The prospects seem to be for continued fine weather and farmers are in good spirits.

EASTERN DISTRICT. Few reports have been received. The weather has been slightly warmer than in other districts, with little rain and plenty of sunshine.

CENTRAL DISTRICT. Weather very fine—veritable Indian summer. Cotton picking progressing rapidly. Corn should be nearly ripe enough to gather.

WESTERN DISTRICT. Light frost early in the week caused no damage. Temperature slightly

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

THE BEST SALVE in the world for Cuts, bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by Tull.

Read this Statement.

Policy No. 78,789 was issued February 28th, 1873, on the life of R. C. K. by the **EQUITABLE LIFE ASSURANCE SOCIETY**; age 42 years; amount \$5,000.

Annual premium \$239.20. Premium paid in 15 years \$3,588.

RESULT FEBRUARY 28TH, 1888.

1. Cash value, \$4,487.75
A return in cash to the policy holder of \$125 for each \$100 paid by him in premiums, notwithstanding the fact that his life has been insured for \$5,000 for 15 years; or

2. Paid up value, \$8,130.00
A return in cash to the policy holder's heirs at his death of \$226.00 for each \$100 paid by him in premiums, notwithstanding that his life has been assured for \$5,000 for 15 years. No more premiums to be paid.

Write for particulars and for information.
BREM & CO., Agts.,
Charlotte, N. C.
July 25—3m.

THE Sally Michael Tobacco COMPANY,
OF MORGANTON, N. C.

Are now manufacturing their famous "Sally Michael" and "The Morganton Star" Smoking Tobacco, at Morganton, N. C., and the reputation of this tobacco has already gone out and orders are being received daily. As to the merits of this tobacco read a few of the many certificates that this company can produce:

MORGANTON, N. C., Sept. 21, 1889.
This is to certify that I have been smoking "The Morganton Star" Smoking Tobacco, manufactured by the Sally Michael Tobacco Co., and find it to be the best smoking tobacco that I can buy in this or any other market, and can cheerfully recommend it as a first class article.
Respectfully,
J. L. LAYTON, M. D.

STATESVILLE, N. C., Sept. 19, 1889.
This is to certify that I have been a regular smoker for the past twenty-five years and the "Sally Michael Smoking Tobacco," manufactured at Morganton, N. C., is the best tobacco that I have ever smoked, and can safely recommend it to all smokers.
Respectfully,
T. Addison Brinkley, M. D.

MORGANTON, N. C., Sept. 25, 1889.
I have been using the "Sally Michael Smoking Tobacco" for the past six months and find it to be a No. 1, and can cheerfully recommend it to all persons who use the weed.
J. W. ROBERTSON, Mayor.

Notice!

Alfred Hawkins, Adm'r of Thomas Hawkins,
Against
Elias Hawkins and others, Heirs at Law.
Superior Court, } Before Clerk.
Burke County. }

BY virtue of an order in the above-entitled case, we will, on Saturday, the 9th day of November, next, offer at public sale, at the court house in Morganton, a tract of land lying near Morganton, as the property of Thomas Hawkins, deceased, containing 14 acres, more or less, and on which there is said to be a VALUABLE GOLD MINE.

Said land is re-sold by virtue of a ten per cent. bid placed on former sale, by John Tull.

Terms: 1. The biddings will be opened at \$165.00. 2. Twenty per cent. cash in hand. 3. Six months on balance, and bond and security. 4. Title retained until all the purchase money is paid.

This 7th October, 1889.
JOHN T. PERKINS,
S. C. W. TATE,
Commissioners.

ILEAD, WHILE OTHERS FOLLOW.

All you have to do is to give me a call, as I have the LARGEST STOCK OF MARBLE ever shipped to Statesville, and all the time remember

I POSITIVELY WON'T BE UNDERSOLD. SO GIVE ME A CALL OR WRITE FOR PRICES.

C. B. WEBB,
STATESVILLE, N. C.
sep.12-1y.

I AM NOW RECEIVING AN IMMENSE STOCK OF

MEN'S & BOYS' CLOTHING

Bought direct from Manufacturers.



I am well fixed up for the business: have all the conveniences and arrangements in my building.

Will do business with small expense and intend to

Meet and come below any prices in this or any market.

I HAVE A FULL LINE OF

SHOES.

HATS

—IN—

THE LATEST STYLES.

COMPLETE.

Call and see my Underwear,

In all grades. Made specially for this market.
Respectfully,

Morganton, Sept. 5, 1889.
B. F. DAVIS.

UP TO THE WANTS OF ALL

GILLAM & SHUPING,
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALERS IN

CANE MILLS,

CIDER MILLS, COFFEE MILLS,
AND ALL KINDS OF MILL MACHINERY.

A CAR LOAD OF THOSE CELEBRATED

PATRON COOK STOVES

to be sold at a price during court week. Come and hear the price. It will surprise you.

PLOWS! PLOWS! PLOWS!

including the celebrated Oliver Chilled, the best in the world; the Syracuse Hill Side, the best known to the trade; Dixie, Daisy and the Bob White. Farmers, come and see our stock of Plows. We can suit you in quality and price.

ALL KINDS OF PLOW REPAIRS CONSTANTLY ON HAND.

Ready Mixed Paints
ALWAYS ON HAND.

PAINT YOUR HOUSE. IT DON'T COST MUCH.

Gentlemen, give us a call. We will not be undersold.

GILLAM & SHUPING.

Morganton, N. C., Aug. 1, 1889.

ARE YOU MADE MISERABLE by Indigestion, Constipation, Dizziness, Loss of Appetite, Yellow Skin? Shiloh's Vitalizer is a positive cure.

WHY WILL YOU cough when Shiloh's Cure will give immediate relief. Price 10 cts., 50 cts., and \$1.

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A NASAL INJECTOR free with each bottle of Shiloh's Catarrh Remedy. Price 50 cents.

SHILOH'S CURE will immediately relieve Croup, Whooping Cough and Bronchitis.

FOR DYSPEPSIA and Liver Complaint you have a printed guarantee on every bottle of Shiloh's Vitalizer. It never fails to cure.

"HACKMETAC," a lasting and fragrant perfume. Price 25 and 50 cents.