Rockingham - Rocket.

THURSDAY, JUNE 27, 1889.

Church Directory.

METHODIST CHURCH-REV. M. Woop, Pastor .- Services every Sabbath at 11 A. M., and at-at 7:30 P. M. Prayer-meeting every Wednesday even-

ing at 7:30. Sabbath-school at 3:30 P. M.

BAPTIST CHURCH-REV. L. JOHN-SON, Pastor .- Services 1st and 3rd Sunday nights, and 4th Sunday morning, in each month; Roberdel, 4th Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock; Pleasant Grove, 3rd Sunday at 11 A. M.; Cartledge's Creek, 1st Sunday at 11 A. M. and Saturday before at 4 P. M. Sabbath-school every Sabbath at 9 A. M.

PEE DEE HEIGHTS M. E. CHURCH -REV. F. L. TOWNSEND, Pastor. Services at 11 a. m. on the 1st Sunday and at 8 p. m. on the 3rd Sunday in each month. Sabbath-school every Sunday at 9 a.m. PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH-REV. P. R. LAW, Pastor. Services the 1st Sunday in each month at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Sabbath-school every Sunday at 9 a. m. Y. M. C. A. meets every Friday night.

THE MAILS.

Postoffice opens at 7 o'clock A. M. Mails going West on C. C. Railroad close at 6:30 M.; mails going East close at 7:15 A. M. Money order department open from 8 A. M. to 5 P. M. D. M. MORRISON, Postmaster.

LOCAL DEPARTMENT.

Dr. W. L. Steele left Monday to attend the meeting of the Dental Association at Greensboro.

An infant son of Mr. J. W. Covington died on Friday last, after several weeks of severe illness.

The splendid rain of Monday and Tuesday will put new life into the crops and renewed energy into the farmers.

The Rockingham second nine and the Roberdel first nine will play a match game of baseball at Roberdel next Saturday afternoon.

A cool East rain began falling at 2 o'clock on Monday and thoroughly death to occur in the Lodge. wet the ground before it ceased. It.

"Dam No. 4," on Falling Creek, prung a leak last, week and a large part of the water escaped. On Monday a crowd went out and seined the pond, and they had a regular picnic. More than a flour barrel full of fish-trout, perch, jacks, cats, &c .- were caught in a short while.

Ah, there - The authorities have at last taken the right steps to re- place of meeting from Little's Mills move the trash and filth from our streets. The marshal has hired two hands and a wagon and while one to a much larger attendance than man is raking up the trash another hauls it off to some out-of-the-way place. Keep that kind of work going on, gentlemen, and we will always have clean streets and a healthy town.

The editor of Country Homes is no chicken judge, if agricultural, in his writing. The last issue of Country Homes contained a cut of a pair of Silver Spangled Hamburgs which he tried to palm offas "The Celebrated Wyandotte Chickens." If the chicken editor doesn't know the difference between certain breeds he

had better quit trying to tell farmers the kind of fowls to raise.

The Laurinburg Exchange tells a pathetic story of the afflictions that have fallen upon the family of Mr. J. M. Lytch, near Laurinburg. On the 15th inst. he was called upon to follow the remains of a bright son of twelve summers to their last resting place, while in the house lay six other children to whom it was not known when the dread summons would come. The stricken family

has our sincere sympathy in the dark hour of affliction, The life of the late James M. Pen-

nington, of McFarlan, N. C., was insured in the Lodge of the American Legion of Honor of this town to the amount of \$2,000, which will be promptly paid so soon as the neces-

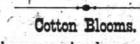
sary proof of death shall have been filed .- Spirit of the South. The Lodge was organized here some ten years ago and numbers

20 members. The above is the first



A number of letters having been received from railroad men and others desiring to attend the Railroad Meetand there are plenty more there yet. ing on the 12th of July, it has been

deemed advisable to change the to Rockingham, as indications point was at first expected. Several prominent speakers have been invited to address the meeting, and something his hard breathing and went to his tangible will be done. Come, every



body!

We have received several bloom in the last few days, the first to reach us being one from Mr. W. Gately, near Mangum, plucked on held in the Methodist church, conthe 21st. Mr. D. D. Livingston, near Old Hundred, also sent one which opened on the 21st or 22nd. The first we have heard of is the one re-

ported in last week's Spirit, which was plucked on the 19th.

"The Best in This Section."

An intelligent and esteemed sub scriber at Mangum, this county. writes:

* * "THE ROCKET, let me say. -but not flatteringly-is one of the best local papers in our section of the State.'

ty says:

MANGUM, N. C., June 22, '89. Editor of The Rocket:

MY DEAR SIR :- Enclosed is a cot-These words of encouragement are ton bloom handed me this morning appreciated, friends, and we shall by one of our most enterprising and endeaver to merit even higher ensuccessful young farmers, W. I. Gately. The bloom opened this morn-

comiums from our patrons. If those ing and is one of the first in this lowho owe us will pay up promptly cality. While we do not hope to be this Fall we shall endeavor to give the first on record, still we think it our readers the best paper ever pubsufficiently early to send to the en-

lished in the Pee Dee section.

Sudden Death of J. S. Watson. Mr. Joseph Smith, aged about 80 years, died in this county, on 17th We have this week to record inst., after a short illness of dyentery. the sudden death of John S. Wat-

An Emigrant Family found Murdered.

CHICAGO, June 21 .- A special from son arrived here Saturday night Helena, Montana, says:

"News was received here last night of a most brutal crime, committed in Fergus county, on Saturday last. The body of a middle aged woman, who had been shot in the back, was found by a cowboy in the wild and unfrequented portion of Judith river. On Tuesday, the bodies of two men, a sixteen-year old girl, and a six-year old girl, were discovered about one hundred yards above the same place. All were shot in the back except the child, who was

strangled. Near by were found the remains of burned trunks and camp equipage. Everything by which the bodies might be identified was destroyed. They are supposed to have been a family of emigrants from Iowa or Illinois. A hundred horsemen are scouring the plains seeking

the trail of the murderers. Will Smith, white, of Davidson

county, was jailed here last Saturday charged with horse stealing. Smith vainly endeavored to sell the animal in Charlotte, but failing in his purpose there, he turned about, and on years ago, when he moved to Geor-Friday disposed of the horse to Esq. W. R. Whitley, four miles distant, gia. He was respected and esteemed wherever known as a gentleman and rant for the arrest of Smith was is- ing all damage sued by Esq. J. W. Bostian, and the slippery-fingered gentleman being unable to give bond was consigned to quarters at the hotel de Foreman. A letter or circular came last Friday that evidently seals Smith's guilt The prisoner is apparently 25 years of age.-Stanly Observer.

> WHY WOMEN FADE. Women lose their beauty because colds undermine their life. D. Acker's English Remedy for Consumption is an absolute cure for colds. For sale by Dr. W. M. Fowlkes & Co.

A guinea hen on the plantation of Mr. F.S. Patterson, below Shelby, hatched a chicken which had no



house in North Carolina, and unexcelled by any in the South, we are destined to do | Coming in every day. Although the leading Piano and Organ trade in this section of this State and a part of South | it takes daily arrivals to supply the Carolina.

We have direct access to manufacturers. and less expense at home and can sell the Best goods for smaller profits

And on easier terms than those who are subjected to city ex

penses and a team of traveling men. Besides, we are not dependent upon this trade for a living. Our large Sewing Machine business supplies that.

For particulars address J. A. WRICHT, Rockingham, N. C.

NOTICE .-- I have impounded a steer which has been on my place for two or three months past. He is about 11 years old and has dark-spotted forelegs and red spots on head and neck. . Has cheap for cash, and keep things lodging the night previous, we think, horns about 6 inches long. The owner can moving. with Mr. Eph Hunnycutt. A war- get the animal by calling on me and pay- New li A. P. COVINGTON,



NEW GOODS this is the dullest season of the year.

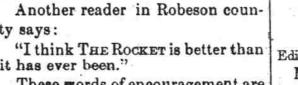
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demands of our trade. We buy bargains for cash and at a small per cent, and sell only for cash. Hence, as we lose nothing on bad debts we can afford to put-prices down to ROCK BOTTOM.

Among our daily arrivals we shall place before the people some Landslides which cannot be excelled prices which will show you the difference between the cash and the credit system-between the right and the wrong way. We believe in the old maxim, "Quick sales and small profits." Never hold goods for long profits but shove them off

New line Ladies' Hose, 4c, 5c; 7c and up; Gent's Half-Hose, 4c, 5c and up-also full line better qualities; Gent's Linen Collars, 4 cents and up; Ladies' Collars, 1 cenf and up; Blacking, 1 cent per box; Spool hread, 200 yards, 1 and 2 cents; Coats' Thread, 4 cents. New line of Torchon and Oriental Laces, 1 cent and up ; variety of Swiss Embroideries and Flouncings; new lot Lace Window Curtains, all prices; Hamburg Edgings 2 cents per vard and up; Figured Lawns, 41 cents and up. Ginghams, latest styles, Piques, India Linen, Victoria Lawns in abundance. Just received a full line of Fine Woolen Dress Gueds for Summer wear. As these goods, just received, were bought late in the season we can offer them at reduced



was very much needed.

Don't forget the big railroad meeting to be held in Rockingham on the 12th of July. Rockingham ought to take a lively interest in it, because | wife of Mr. J. B. Currie, of this place, it means much to her.

The foundation for the Academy was dug last Friday and bricklaying was begun on Saturday, since which time the work has progressed as rapidly as the weather would permit. It is a pity the building is no larger.

Mrs. Sarah A. McDonald, wife of Capt. W. A. McDonald, died on the 21st inst., after a protracted illness, aged 57 years. The remains were. interred at Mizpah church, three miles south of town, on Saturday er fruits, of which there is an abundmorning.

The catalogue of the University of North Carolina, for the past year, shows that the institution is well equipped for educational work. It enters upon a second century of life with every promise of enlarged usefulness and prosperity. For cata-logues address Hon. Kemp P. Battle, president, Chapel Hill, N. C.

The Asylum garden has produced a lusus naturce in the form of a tenhead cabbage. The heads are well formed and all growing from one stalk. Can any of our exchanges beat this ?- Orphan's Friend.

Has the Friend joined the Chatnam Record and cornered all the newspaper yarns? We are opposed to such monopolies!

There is one well authenticated case of longevity in North Carolina, that of Mr. Whitley of Stanly coun-ty. He is now in his 117th year and is still hale and hearty. It is claimed that he has cut three sets of teeth, that he never had a case in court, and that he has never taken a dose of medicine in his life. He will be one of the "attractions" at the Rocky River Springs celebration on the 4th.

Mr. Wall did go to London, and we guess by this time he is in "Merry England." He sailed from New York on the 19th, on the Bothnia, a steamer of the Cunard line, and which, by the way, is a huge affair. The ship is 420 feet long, iron hull, and is of 2,923 tons burthen. It has 48 staterooms, 192 berths, and is certified to carry 706 passengers. It was built in Glascow in 1874 and is provided with all the modern improvements and conveniences .--There were on board about 400 passengers.

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Unex-a Pur-

The Missouri Brunswicker hits the some time this week. truth exactly when it says: "The P. S .- Next Saturday afternoon come. The blood is purified, en- have ever tried."

A subscriber at Hoffman, N. C. sends us the following: Died, at

see if there are not "millions in it."

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Hoffman, Richmond county, on the 15th inst., of typhoid pneumonia, Mrs. Flora C. Currie. She was the formed an association of the above name with the following officers: and only about three years have President-Mrs. Col. J. W. Leak. elapsed since he took her home a Secretary-Mrs. Dr. J. M. Covingloving bride. She was a daughter of K. C. Chisholm, Esq., of Montgomery county. She was much be-Executive Committee-Mrs. P. W. loved by all who knew her, and Leak, Mrs. C. E. Webb, Mrs. Daniel leaves a large host of friends and

Gay, Mrs. J. S. Ledbetter, Mrs. Alex relatives to mourn their irreparable Stewart, Miss Pinkie Steele and Miss Fannie McDonald. Thousands of dollars might be The object of the association is to made in Richmond county this year co-operate with the County Confedif our people would turn their atten-

federate Veterans' Association and tion to drying blackberries and othto aid in every way possible the old veterans of the war and their fami- and make us one of the richest States cough, and I believe it saved my life. ance. Northern people would soon get rich on what the Southern peolies. It is a praiseworthy organizaple waste in fruits, grasses, &c., and tion and one which will accomplish we can never expect to prosper as good. It should meet with the we should until there is a change hearty co-operation of all the people. of methods. Begin by saving the fruit and berry crops this year, and

The Confederate Veterans.

As stated by us last week, Julian Editor Foote's inability to collect S. Carr, President of the State Conoutstanding debts has caused the suspension of his paper, the Carthage federate Veterans' Association, has Blade. He has our sympathy. His issued a circular letter calling upon subscribers like lots of others thought all the old Confederate soldiers of he could exist on air. Newspaper editors have an abdominal vacuum every county in North Carolina to that calls for the necessaries of life meet at the court house in their rejust the same as other people. They spective counties on the 4th of July have to have bread and meat and to form County Associations. In acwithout it they can't get along. The cordance with said call, every old printer and "devil" don't get full dues, unless they have rations to fill Confederate soldier in Richmond their flues. The editor must get pay | county is earnestly requested to for his paper or succumb to the inmeet in Rockingham on the 4th of

July for the purpose of organizing such association and for a general Gov. Fowle has designated Saturday, July 19th, as Veterans' Day at the State Guard Encampment, at in Watson's Hall at 11 o'elock, A. Wrightsville. The entire brigade of M., and appropriate addresses will the State Guard will parade on the be made. afternoon of that day, and will receive the veterans with the highest

ranged to provide a dinner for the honors, a review being among the occasion, which will be served at 2 ceremonies of the occasion. The o'clock P. M. Every old soldier who railways have been regested to give special rates to the veterans. It is wore the gray is invited, and all the particularly desirable that the atold colored servants who followed tendance be as large as possible. Col. Wm. L. DeRosset, of Wilming- their masters to the field of battle ton, has been requested to take and served them in the troublous charge of the veterans on the day times of war, are invited to be named .- Wilmington Star.

Vigor and Vitality

The baseball fever has struck of the day. The people generally this community hard. The latest is are invited to turn out and help to "I regard B. B. B. as one of the best blood a nine composed of married men give the veterans a warm welcome. medicines. at Pee Dee village, and they want to play a similar Rockingham nine.-We are authorized to say that they shall be accommodated, the "ground are quickly given to every part of

evitable.

learn that Mr. Gately has fifty acres of cotton knee high. Crops in this head and four legs. The chicken neighborhood are reasonably prom- was dead when hatched.-Shelby Ladies' Confederate Aid Association. The ladies of Rockingham have New Era. ising-our farmers hopeful.

terprising editor of THE ROCKET. I

son, Esq., which occurred at the res-

idence of his mother, in this town,

on Monday evening last. Mr. Wat-

from Concord, N. C., on a visit to

relatives, and was walking about

the streets Sunday evening greeting

his old friends, apparently in robust

health. Indeed, when he retired at

10 o'clock he was in his usual health,

but a few minutes later his brother,

in adjoining room, was attracted by

room and found him in the throes

of a stroke of apoplexy. He never

spoke or regained consciousness, and

expired about 8 o'clock Monday

evening. His wife was telegraphed

for and arrived at 12:30 Monday

night. The funeral services were

ducted by Revs. R. S. Ledbetter and

F. L. Townsend, but was under the

direction of the Knights of Honor,

of which Order he was a member.

Mr. Watson was about 43 years old,

and has lived in and near Rocking-

ham all his life until about three

a good citizen, and in his death the

community sustains a grievous loss.

The bereaved wife and family have

Crops, Railroads, &c.

the sympathy of all our people.

[Say, brother, don't you try to Our community is again being enthused over the number of railroad lines which may proceed this ham Record has been doing. When way; but we are most interested in a hen or any fowl begins to hatch, the Rockingham and Salisbury line the young break the egg-shell with

-the old Southport and Tennessee their bill and come out. It could road, from Southport to Bristol. It never have hatched itself without a looks to the writer that no line of head as the incubator has nothing railroad, unbuilt or built, would to do with "pipping." So you see the open up or has opened up so much headless chicken is a myth. Try us

undeveloped water power. From again.] Rockingham to Salisbury the line

of road would run within a short First a cold, then a cough, then distance of the Pee Dee and Yadkin consumption, then death. "I took rivers, whose undeveloped water Dr. Acker's English Remedy for Conpowers would turn enough machinery to employ thousands of hands sumption the moment I began to with all the machinery for filling orders,

in this Union. Let the good people of Richmond county come forward as one man-"our swords are a Croup, Whooping Cough and Bronchitis. thousand but our bosoms are one" -and we will soon have not only

the Southport and Bristol road but the Ashboro road ma Troy to Rockingham. Then our good old county town of Rockingham will boom and all hearts will be glad. Let us hope and earnestly work for this end. DELTA.

A SAD STORY.

The child coughed. The mother ran. No remedy was near. Before morning the poor little sufferer was dead. Moral: Always keep Dr. Acker's English Remedy at hand. For sale by Dr. W. M. Fowlkes & Co.

Lives Lost at Johnstown.

JOHNSTOWN, Pa., June 22 .- All the local physicians met accidentally at the Bedford street hospital last night. re-union. The meeting will be held They represented all parts of the stricken city, and after discussing the calamity joined in the conclusion that not less than 10,000 people were lost in the flood. On account The ladies of the town have ar- of the general knowledge of the people possessed by the physicians, the estimate is looked upon as reliable.

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Dr. A. H. Roscoe, Nashville, Tennessee writes: "All reports of B. B. B. are favorable, and its speedy action is truly

wonderful." Dr. J. W. Rhodes, Crawfordsville, Ga., ing to style of binding, as follows : and the weapons" to be decided on the body by Hood's Sarsaparilla. writes: "I confess B, B. B. is the best That tired feeling is entirely over- and quickest medicine for rheumatism I (excellent type), \$1.00 to \$3.00; with mu-come. The blood is purified, en- have ever tried." [excellent type], \$1.00 to \$2.50. Sell the finer styles CINES, TRUSSES, SHOUL

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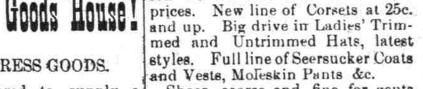
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