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THURSDAY, MAY 8, 1890.

Church Directory.

METHODIST CHURCH—Rev. M. L. Wood, Pastor. Services every Sabbath at 11 A. M., and at 7:30 P. M. Prayer-meeting every Wednesday evening at 7:30. Sabbath-school at 9:30 P. M.

BAPTIST CHURCH—Rev. L. Johnson, 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.

THE MAILS. Postoffice opens at 7 o'clock A. M. Mails going West on C. C. Railroad close at 6:30 P. M.; mails going East close at 7:15 A. M.

ADVERTISING RATES. 1 inch, 1 mo. \$2.00, 3 mo. \$4.00, 6 mo. \$6.00, 12 mo. \$10.00. 2 inch, 1 mo. \$3.00, 3 mo. \$5.00, 6 mo. \$7.00, 12 mo. \$12.00.

LOCAL DEPARTMENT. Owing to the arrangements necessary in the change of management, no paper was issued last week. It will come out regularly hereafter and on time.

At the election in Laurinburg on Monday the "dry" ticket was elected by a small majority. Miss Annie Jones died at Roberdel on the 1st ult., aged about 19 years. Another victim of la grippe.

There was less drunkenness and rowdiness on the streets last Monday than at any town election held here in several years. Mr. B. Green and Miss Cenia Ingram, daughter of Maj. S. M. Ingram, were married on the 24th ult. by Esq. N. G. Nicholson.

The farmers say the oat crop in this section will be very short, due to so much dry weather and the ravages of the fly. Refreshing showers fell here last Saturday and Sunday. Rain was much needed to bring up stands of cotton which had failed to come in many places.

We are requested to announce that the funerals of Mrs. D. A. and Mrs. D. C. Bruton will be preached at New Hope church (Steeles township) the 3rd Sunday in May at 11 o'clock, by Rev. W. H. Townsend. The Colorado potato bug is putting in his licks promiscuously in the garden world hereabouts. Somebody recommends Paris green to kill 'em. We are in favor of killing 'em, if it takes a buzz-saw to do it.

Rev. J. T. Gibbs, Presiding Elder for the Fayetteville District, N. C. Conference, preached at the Methodist church last Sunday night. He has made a favorable impression in this community both as a preacher and a Presiding Elder. The seventh annual session of the North Carolina Teachers' Assembly will be held in the Assembly Building at Morehead City from June 17th to July 1st. We acknowledge the receipt of an honorary membership and an invitation to be present.

With favorable weather a few days longer the Roberdel mill will be ready to resume operations, as the big stone dam will be completed. Mr. R. L. Steele, president, has superintended the laying of every stone, which fact is a guarantee of the work being well done. The second annual convention of the Young Men's Christian Association for the Wilmington (5th) district will be held in Fayetteville, N. C., May 29th to June 1st, inclusive. The Associations throughout the district are requested to elect their delegates and forward their names to Dr. J. W. McNeill, chairman of the entertainment committee.

We have received a copy of the Advance, published at Basic City, Va., J. H. Lindsay, Eq., editor and proprietor. The paper shows the work of a master hand in its get-up. We congratulate the old secretary of our State Press Association, formerly editor of the Kernersville News, at the curer in prospect for him in his new home. He deserves and will achieve success, we doubt not. Take the Rocket.

The Democrats regard their triumph over the straight Republican ticket in Monday's election as a good day's work. All honor to the colored voters who had the magnanimity, in spite of the pressure brought to bear by their former party friends, to assert and exercise their choice like other freemen.

Mrs. O. H. Dockery, after a day and night passed with friends here, left on Tuesday morning last for Raleigh where her daughter is at school. Thence she will go to Wake Forest to be joined by her son, a student of the college, who will accompany her to Newport News, whence she will sail for Brazil, expecting to reach Rio de Janeiro within 30 days. Bon voyage!

It is strange that a negro cannot vote the Democratic ticket without incurring the hatred of all his fellows. A few of them voted the Democratic ticket here Monday, and all day Tuesday they were picked upon by the other negroes until, in a case or two, forbearance became frazzled at the edges and rows ensued. It is a pity that such is the case.

Dr. McHenry, of the Rockingham Drug Co., is not able to supply the local demand for his superior chewing gum, the basis of which is the common Southern sweetgum. He is now taking steps to procure proper machinery for its manufacture by wholesale, and expects soon to be ready to supply the home and foreign demand, from both of which he gets decided encouragement in his truly meritorious enterprise.

Died, in this town on Friday morning, 2nd inst., of consumption, Mr. Robert F. Watson, aged 32 years. He was the son of the late John Watson, Esq., of this county, and a brother of our enterprising merchant, H. C. Watson. He numbered as friends all of his acquaintances. So gentle was his nature that his popularity as citizen, neighbor or companion was assured in the community. His walk and conversation among his fellows was noteworthy for exceptional propriety. Best of all, he lived and died in the christian faith. He was buried at the old home place, four miles northeast of town, Dr. M. L. Wood performing the funeral services.

The second quarterly conference for Rockingham Station Methodist church was held at the parsonage on Monday night last, Rev. J. T. Gibbs, P. E. presiding. After transacting the usual business pertaining to the work of the Station, delegates were elected to attend the District Conference at Sanford, N. C., embracing the fourth Sunday in July. Delegates elect as follows: W. I. Everett, S. G. Covington, Dr. J. M. Stansill, H. C. Wall, and the following alternates: J. S. Ledbetter, J. W. Leak, W. T. Covington, John R. Holt.

The following is the jury list for the June term of the Superior Court, to convene June 2nd: James I. McCallum, John G. McCaskill, B. F. Lowdermilk, Hugh A. Currie, A. F. McNeill, Thos. H. Russell, John W. Smith, J. A. Hutchinson, Wm. Zachary, Seth Andrews, H. C. Watson, J. C. Terry, C. W. Black, T. J. Wooten, Duncan McPherson, Thos. H. Flowers, John G. Wilkinson, D. H. Boerworth, Nelson McAskill, W. J. Whitaker, M. M. Chance, Samuel Jones, A. F. Bizzell, Jacob Lampley, S. B. Carter, Murdoch McCormac, J. A. Livingston, J. Hampton Covington, John W. McLean, W. W. Ellerbe, Jr., John R. Holt, T. B. Pace, Wm. L. Steele, Arch Lytch, D. D. Gibson, C. C. Covington.

A Regular Traveler. Dr. J. S. Barb, traveling salesman for the Fayetteville District, N. C. Conference, preached at the Methodist church last Sunday night. He has made a favorable impression in this community both as a preacher and a Presiding Elder. The seventh annual session of the North Carolina Teachers' Assembly will be held in the Assembly Building at Morehead City from June 17th to July 1st. We acknowledge the receipt of an honorary membership and an invitation to be present.

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The town officers elected here Monday are pledged to internal improvements. Last year pretty much the same board had charge. Although they were hampered with a considerable debt, they made improvements in the town that will remain as monuments to their public spirit and enterprise long after they have "joined the majority." This year there will be from all sources—licences, property and poll taxes, fines, etc.—an income sufficiently large to make more improvements of a permanent character. The town is picking up. A disposition is shown among the citizens to build and improve such as has never been seen before. There has never been a time in all the hundred years of Rockingham's history when her future was so full of promise. A little public money properly spent will have a great deal to do with realizing the promise of the future. Our new Commissioners are good men. They have al-

ready shown that they have the good of the town at heart, by their management of the town affairs the past year. Let there be no retrogression, gentlemen. Having put your hands to the plow, do not look back. Do not get sleepy-headed and rest on your oars. Continue in the progressive spirit. Rockingham will be a city yet.

The election here Monday passed off quietly. Both sides worked hard. Good feeling prevailed and everything was pleasant and peaceable. The vote was as follows: DEMOCRATIC TICKET. For Mayor—T. C. Guthrie—118. For Commissioners—W. I. Everett, 127; H. S. Ledbetter, 123; J. P. Leak, 122; Dr. J. M. Covington, 111; D. Gay, 109. REPUBLICAN TICKET. For Mayor—D. M. Morrison—90. For Commissioners—J. M. Smith, 100; C. Sandford, 94; H. C. Dockery, 91; John G. Terry, 90; W. F. Long, 85. As will be seen the Democrats made a clean sweep. The whole ticket was elected by an average majority of about 26. This result is peculiarly gratifying. It is the first time in the history of town politics that a square party fight has been made. The Democrats of late years had nominated a straight ticket. The Republicans have been in the habit of dodging the issue. They have gotten up "Down Town" and "Citizens'" tickets. This time it was an out and out Republican ticket composed of some of the leading Republicans in this town and county. This fact enhances the victory, though the town would have done well to have gotten the board of "city fathers" elected Monday, under any circumstances.

Mrs. Eliza Biggs departed this life on the 3rd of April, 1890, at the residence of her son, Mr. Frank T. Biggs, at Darlington, S. C. Sister Biggs was 67 years of age. She joined the M. E. Church when a girl and lived a consistent member up to the time of her death. She was the mother of a number of children, some of whom preceded her, we trust, to the land of rest and were waiting and watching at the beautiful gates for her. She has four sons living, all of whom, according to her desires, she lived to see grown and married. They were all present with her when she died. It is said of her that she was never known to lie down at night without asking the protection of a kind Providence to guard her and hers through the dark shades of night. How nice to lie and sleep under the protecting power of an All-wise Providence. Well, to sum it all up in a few words, she was an agreeable companion, a kind, loving and affectionate mother, and a true christian. "A precious one is his gone, A voice we loved is still, A place is vacant in our home Which never can be filled." "God in his wisdom has recalled The boon his love had given, And though the body moulders here, The soul is safe in heaven."—W. T. R.

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Homicide in Richmond County. We have received particulars of a distressing homicide which took place in Richmond county last Thursday. W. P. Story and James Swarenig are brothers-in-law and tenants on the plantation of Mr. J. T. LeGrand, in Richmond county. Last Thursday afternoon they quarreled about some trivial matter, and Story pulled off his coat, rolled up his sleeves and approached Swarenig with the expressed determination of whipping him. Swarenig gave back until he was to a smart hand maul which he picked up and hurled at Story, hitting him upon the head, inflicting a wound which proved fatal about 9 o'clock next day. We learn that Swarenig has not been arrested, but it is understood that he will give himself up and stand his trial at the next term of Richmond Superior Court.—Wadesboro Messenger.

Swarenig has given himself up and is now in jail at this place. The Sewing Machine and Music House of our town is fast gaining the confidence and good will of our people. They carry Pianos, Organs, small Instruments, Strings and sheet music. Also Sewing Machines and Needles, Oil, Parts, &c. Prices low and terms easy. Give us a call when you come to town. For prices and terms address J. A. Wright & Bro., Rockingham.

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We learned yesterday of a very painful accident that befell Ulus a son of Mr. Baxter Jordan, of this place, last Thursday. Ulus had sprained his ankle and, having had the injured ankle bandaged with spirits of turpentine, was sitting near the fire when by some means the bandage became ignited, and before it could be torn off or the fire put out his foot and leg up nearly as far as the knee was terribly burned.—Troy Vidette.

This is to certify that after taking two jugs of Microbe Killer I was cured of a severe attack of bronchitis and nasal catarrh. Indeed the Microbe Killer does more than is claimed for it, and I cheerfully recommend it to suffering humanity. T. J. NARAMORE, D. D. S., 306 Cedar St., Nashville, Tenn. For sale by Dr. W. M. Fowlkes & Co.

Resolved, 1. That in the death of Dr. P. W. Stansill this Quarterly Conference has lost one of its most faithful, purest, and most useful members, and while we mourn his loss we would most devoutly bless the name of the Head of the Church for so long sparing him to the church and to the world, and that we will ever cherish his memory and imitate his bright example. 2. That we deeply sympathize with the bereaved widow and children, and other loved ones, of our departed brother. 3. That a copy of this preamble and resolutions be furnished the bereaved family and that they be spread upon the minutes of this Conference; and also that they be published in THE ROCKINGHAM ROCKET.

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Everybody should subscribe for the Rockingham Rocket.

A CARD. To WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

The report was circulated here last Monday that I had joined the Republican party and voted the Republican ticket. The party who circulated that report lied willfully, maliciously and knowingly. The party or parties who hung crapes upon my office door Monday night are a set of low down, dirty cowards who would steel and lie, and would have me out if not afraid of being caught in the act, or would rob me on the highway if not afraid to attempt it. These are my sentiments, and whose don't like them can help themselves. L. WEILL.

ROCKINGHAM MARKET. CORRECTED WEEKLY BY W. I. EVERETT, DEALER IN GENERAL MERCHANDISE.

COUNTRY PRODUCE is quoted at buying prices. COTTON—Middling, 104; Good Middling, 104; BACON—Sides, per lb., 7@8; Shoulders, 6@8; Hams, 12@15; BEESWAX, 16@18; EGGS, per dozen, 15@20; FLOUR—Country, per sack, 2.25@3.00; Northern, 2.50@3.00; Patent, 3@3.75; GRAIN—Corn, per bushel, 65@80; Oats, 50—65; Peas, 75—100; HIDES—Dry, per lb., 8@10; Green, 4@6; SALT, per sack, 1.00—1.15.

New Advertisements. AT COST!

Great Reduction! I am closing up the business of G. E. Wishart, and in order to do so in as short time as possible, I am closing out goods at COST! Those wanting bargains can now avail themselves of the opportunity. Mrs. G. E. Wishart.

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NORTH CAROLINA, IN SUPERIOR COURT, RICHMOND COUNTY. A. C. Shaw, Administrator, of Thos. J. Huntley, deceased, Plaintiff Against Martha M. Huntley, William Huntley, Susan Huntley, Robert Huntley, Cleveland Huntley, A. R. Morrison, Nancy Morrison, Isabelle Morrison, Mary Morrison, Catherine McFayden, Daniel McLean and wife Flora McLean, M. R. Morrison and wife Melissa Morrison, W. I. Everett, H. C. Wall, H. S. Ledbetter and R. A. Johnson, partners, trading under the firm name of Everett, Wall & Co., Defendants. To Martha M. Huntley, William Huntley, Susan Huntley, Robert Huntley, Cleveland Huntley, heirs at law of Thos. J. Huntley, deceased: This is a proceeding to sell real estate of Thos. J. Huntley, deceased, to pay his debts and the costs of administration. You are required to appear before me at my office in Rockingham, in aforesaid county, on Saturday the 14th day of June 1890 and answer or demur to the complaint which has been filed in this office. This May 6th, 1890. Z. F. LONG, Clerk Superior Court.

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