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New Advertisements. Meeting of Stockholders of North State Iron and Transportation Company—William Brandreth, Secretary.

CITY ITEMS.

A walnut tree in Cherokee county sold recently for \$525. Communications from Miranda, and Bilesville are crowded out this week.

It is surprising—the number of people that have moved to town of late. Dr. Deems will lecture Thursday night, the 25th inst., in the opera house at Charlotte, N. C.

We publish this week the lumber market, which is becoming an important item in our city. Crawford & Co. have an order for 300 pounds of beef every week, to be sent to Greensboro.

Say! Have you counted up the new enterprises that have been organized in the past few months? A brilliant comet in the southwestern part of the heavens is predicted for late in July or early in August.

Our Sheriff is so good-natured that people are apt to impose on him by not paying taxes at once. Ye delinquent ones come up.

Mine host of the Mount Vernon Hotel, is beautifying his grounds by flower beds, neat little fences and other attractions.

Coming with the warm days and dusty streets, is the new enterprise by Mr. Luther Julian. A street sprinkler; oh, how refreshing.

Sales were good on Monday and Tuesday at the warehouses. Large amounts of tobacco on the market. A little dull on Wednesday on account of dryness.

In one of our Western exchanges is the advertisement of Hop Lee, a Chinese laundry man, in which he says "washing done heap high tone at my wash house."

Parties desiring loans from the Building and Loan Association will please file their title papers with T. C. Linn, the attorney, and save delay.

A gentleman who has counted them up, says there are 211 lines of business represented by drummers, and that at least three of every line visit Salisbury twice a year.

Several of John Heilig's horses have the pneumonia. Reports say man and beast in several parts of the State are suffering—mules not heard from yet.

We regret that we could not publish this week the sketch written by Rev. Wm. Stoudenmire on the late Benjamin F. Fraley. It was handed in after we had the paper full.

The McAdoo House in Greensboro has changed hands and is now presided over by Hall & Martin. Mr. Ed. F. Hall is well known here as a "safe-man" and Knight of Pythias.

The tobacco exchange proprietors have been in the habit of paying ferriage on all wagons bringing tobacco to town from over the river. "The jig is up," as some of our honest countrymen would haul a load of flour with a few pounds of the yellow leaf on top and make claim ferriage against the warehouse.

An affectionate couple with a young baby amused the boys on the street one day this week by feeding each other candy "dog fashion," carrying one another with strokes on the cheek and finally going into one of the groceries and taking whiskey straight, out of the same glass. This is rural affection in its crude state.

Mr. S. Spain, who lately purchased the Achenbach plantation about one mile from town, has sold off to Mr. Frank Breathed, of Virginia, 103 acres, upon which that gentleman will erect dwellings, barns, out-houses, etc., and cultivate a first class farm. Welcome, Mr. Breathed.

Our jail is not empty. So-called Crazy Bill, the fire fiend, Harrison Jones, the fire fiend's assistant, and Franklin Gaston, the woman's terror; all colored black, in the skin and heart are there.

Rev. J. M. Shaver, who for some time has resided at Palmersville, in Stanly county, has removed his family to his farm in Rowan.

The citizens of Blackmer and Steele township will be surprised to notice in our next issue some offers made them by that enterprising merchant J. Rowan Davis.

Charlotte Evening Chronicle. "Good Evening" is the greeting words with which the Charlotte Evening Chronicle makes its initial bow on March 22nd. The Chronicle adds to Charlotte another lively daily newspaper, teeming with the doings of those intellectual and go ahead citizens. It is a credit to the editor and a valuable advertisement for Charlotte.

Suicide. Elias Misenheimer was found some days ago hanging to a tree in a grave yard near Concord. For some unknown reason he had concluded to take his life in this sad manner. It is presumed he was insane, yet he had the name of being a steady, industrious young man.

Ashville's Big Criminal Suit. The State against W. H. and Frank Jones, his son, which has been in court over 13 days, is about to be summed up. The Jones, father and son, are accused of murdering the Joyce family by burning them up in their own house some time last fall. Ten lawyers will plead, beg and bore the Judge and jury for the next day or so.

Personal. Mrs. Sam'l Scott, of Mebanesville, is visiting Mrs. D. A. Davis. Senator Zeb Vance passed through Salisbury en route for Washington on Tuesday night.

We regret to state that our friend, J. J. Newman, is reported very sick at his home, the Dutch Creek mine. The well and favorably known Mr. Jake Wallace, formerly of Statesville but now of New York City, was in our town on Friday last.

J. P. Moore left on Monday night for Washington, D. C., on business of a private nature. Mrs. J. P. Moore has gone to Asheville for a short stay.

Hon. S. J. Pemberton, Stanly county's intellectual giant, made us a pleasant call on Monday. He says he receives many weekly papers but that the HERALD is ahead of any of them.

Mrs. S. C. Noble and family, who for some time has been the guest of Mr. Andrew Murphy, in this place, is now visiting Dr. Laab, at Walnut Cove, in Stokes county.

J. D. Gaskill, M. S. Brown and Victor Wallace, have all returned from New York where they have purchased their Spring goods. Look out for fine displays in the next 10 days.

Mr. J. H. Stewart, of Mocksville, has taken up his residence with us. He is an experienced tobaccoist, and will be connected with the new factory. Coming from Davie Co., signifies that he is "all right."

Col. Jones, of the firm of Tyson & Jones, carriage manufacturers, is in the city. This is a home industry, and one that is paying well. Smith & Ritchie are their agents at this place, and report that these goods give great satisfaction.

The New Tobacco Factory. Another event in the tobacco history of Salisbury is recorded this week, from the fact that the ground is broken and operations have begun for the erection of a factory, facing on Council street, on the lot behind the Banner warehouse. The building is to be a frame one, with brick basement, 40x80 feet; two stories high. It is to be completed by May 15th. The contract is awarded to our fellow-townsmen, Mr. J. D. Small. This enterprise is the work of the Salisbury Manufacturing and Building Association. The building up of this part of town is due to the liberality, energy and push of Messrs. Thomason & Swink. They are pushing farmers, and when we can induce a few more such men to move to town and enter into business it will add to the prosperity of the place. With all our tobacco factories in blast things will be lively and money plenty this year.

Mr. W. H. Rice, a native of this county, but late of Mississippi and New York, with Mr. R. H. Foard, will manufacture tobacco in the building as soon as completed.

Cake-Walk. Last Friday night the residence of Col. T. H. Sumner was aglow with light and merriment, the occasion being a supper and cake walk. No particular event prompted the festivity, suffice it to say that the Colonel's ever-overflowing hospitality was being gratified. "The cake" was to be given one-half to the finest single lady walker, and the other half to the couple pedestrianizing in a manner to create admiration. The first was awarded that bright and vivacious young lady, Miss Sallie McKenzie. Miss Lottie Mock and Mr. Earnest Shober taking the other half of "the cake," Mrs. Chas. McKenzie and Mrs. Shober acting as judges. "Ye old cake walk" is a good thing and great fun, is the conclusion of all participants.

Real Estate. We propose soon to issue a map of Salisbury, in which we will show by numbers, lots put in our agency for sale. This map will be sent to all parts of the United States with a full description of Salisbury and its growth, advantages, etc. We are going to advertise this town, and believe we can find many people who will buy lots in a town where they see something is being done to push it. Some of our citizens saw a map of a town supposed to exist in Florida. They bought lots; yes, blocks.

Rape. It is seldom we are called upon to record such a horrible crime as the one perpetrated by a negro named Franklin Gaston, at the county poor house on Sunday last, on the person of Miss Jerome Shepard, an inmate of the house. She had stepped to the woods a few hundred yards from the house when the negro, who was watching her, followed, and there did the heinous deed. Miss Sheppard is a woman of about thirty, and the daughter of John Sheppard, a cripple, of Morgan township, this county. At the present writing the negro is in jail, after having a hearing before Squire Bringle.

Lost.—Gold ring with four diamonds and sapphire in setting in centre. A liberal reward will be paid by returning to M. L. ANEX.

Railroad Notes. E. K. Bryan, formerly engaged at the freight depot in Asheville, has been transferred to the freight office at this place.

In accordance with many inquiries we publish this week schedule of time on which the trains leave Hickory for Lenoir and return.

Owing to the increase of business, Engineer Owens with his shifting engine has been removed from Danville to this place, where he is kept busy all day.

The Webster Herald says the Murphy division has now seven telegraphic stations as follows: Pigeon River, Waynesville, Sylva, Webster Station, Charleston, Nantahala and Jarrets.

The R. & D. R. Co. are constructing a fine iron bridge at the Yadkin River crossing, six miles from this city. It replaces the wooden structure, and is a great improvement.

Nearly every engineer on the roads running into Salisbury are members of the united brotherhood of locomotive engineers. As a general thing they are all good hearted men and never see a brother or his family want for anything.

Two Railroads are now rapidly approaching Murphy. One is a broad gauge, the Western North Carolina, from the north and east, now running to the south, eight miles from the town, and a narrow gauge road, the Marietta and North Georgia, from the south, which is completed and running to Ellijay, Ga., forty four miles distant. This interval is all graded except about one mile. Both roads are being pushed vigorously, and within the next few months are expected to meet at Murphy; and in the opinion of many this town will remain the terminus of both roads for some time.—Murphy Bulletin.

MINING NOTES.

William F. Buckley, Esq., of New York, proprietor of Dunn's Mountain mine near this place, is here on a visit to his property.

Mr. John Saunders of the Steele mine in Montgomery county, was in the city last week for the purpose of purchasing goods for a store near the mine.

Twenty-five tons of rich gold-ore concentrates arrived from the St. Catherine mine on Monday for treatment at the chlorination works in this place.

Capt. James Robinson of Charlotte, is the superintendent of the newly organized gold mining company known as the "Mikado." They will operate in Mecklenburg county. The mine is owned by northern capitalists.

Miners throughout the State will be grieved to learn that William Lillycrop, formerly a Gold Hill miner, but at present residing in Charlotte, is losing his eye sight. He has been employed at Gold Hill, Crowell mine, Hoover Hill and at the mines near this city and Charlotte, where he is known as a good worker.

Many of the mining fraternity will remember Mr. E. A. Albee who was connected with the mines near Thomasville some year or so ago. He has just returned to Boston, Mass., from Mexico, where he has been representing the Wiswell Improved Ore Pulverizer and Amalgamator. This mill seems to be especially adapted to the working of our low grade soft ores, and we hope soon to see it in operation at one of our many mines of that character. Mr. Albee will shortly visit our mines.

Vein Mountain Mine. It is reported by a gentleman from New York that he has seen some very rich results from the Vein Mountain gold mine, in McDowell county. At any rate they are making gold at the mine, and everything is reported as being very satisfactory.

The St. Catherine Mine, situated near Charlotte, and are operating a ten stamp mill, and Frue concentrators on sulphuret ore from the 300 foot level. It has been in a prosperous condition for the past three years. They are shipping their concentrates to the Chlorination works at this place.

Uwharrie Mining Company. This mine is situated near Lassies Mill in Randolph county. Capt. John Prim, the veteran mining captain of Silver Hill is superintending, writes us March 16th. "I am well pleased with the HERALD, and enclose subscription. As regards the mine, we are now engaged in putting up house for hoisting engine, and think to soon erect a stamp mill and several buildings. We have quite a flattering prospect for a big gold mine."

Gold Hill in Operation Again. We have seen a letter addressed to Mr. M. L. Holmes dated London, England, in which the writer says on the 13th of March the following staff will sail from England to take charge of Gold Hill mines: Capt. William Nance, underground manager and agent; Capt. H. Julian bookkeeper and reduction officer; John Harris, carpenter; Richard Weeks, blacksmith. These are looked for daily and good times will once more live in the Hill. We are happy to state that Mr. A. C. Mauney will be retained in charge of the store supply department, where he will attend to the purchase of wood, timber, and all other necessary supplies for the mine.

Bless Mine in Stanley County. We are pleased to make note of the specimens added to our cabinet from this mine. Thirty-one pieces of quartz with gold in every one of them from the size of pin heads to peas. The five stamp mill is doing well as should be expected from such ore as this. One of the owners, Mr. Joy, writes that most of the specimens were found near where the four pound nugget was picked up some years ago. There is no doubt, with a systematic mode of working, whereby the surface could be washed, saving the quartz, but what this mine would pay largely. As it is has been a steady producer since it was discovered over thirty years ago. The writer remembers of one small run of seven tons yielding over \$500. One good feature is the freshness and cleanness of the gold, as not one speck of sulphuret has ever been discovered in the ore.

Mrs. Robt Vance Dead. Mrs. Harriet Malone Vance is dead, and Gen. Robt. B. Vance is a widower. This was Saturday's sad record. The remains have been taken to Asheville where they rest. The Senator has returned to Washington in answer to urgent appeals in the interest of his State and country. "His bosom may bleed but his cheek must be dry."

Tobacco Factories. As building has a veritable good sized healthy boom in our town, we cannot help thinking that if someone would build a number of good sized tobacco factories, that they would not have to wait long for a renter. Some of our enterprising citizens agreed last week to build one, and before the factory is commenced, the building is rented. Who will be next.

The Boyden House.

This well-known and comfortable hotel, situated on Main street, has again changed hands and is now under the careful management of Boyden & Sullivan—Mr. John Boyden, Jr., and Mr. A. M. Sullivan. John is a young man and calculated to make a success of the business, as his manners are affable and he is ever ready to please. Mr. Sullivan has many friends throughout this and Davie county who should patronize him. "New brooms sweep clean." One secret of hotel-keeping is always keep new.

MARRIED. At Amity Hill, Iredell county, N. C., March 18th, 1886, by Rev. Geo. B. Wetmore, Mr. John R. Keen to Miss Laura Euphemia, daughter of the late Joseph A. Lipe, Esq.

At Hickory on the 17th inst., by Rev. Mr. Cobb, Mr. Alexander Dunbar Potts to Miss S. E. Bruner.

DIED. Moses Alexander Locke, eldest son of the late Wm. Locke, of this place, died at the residence of the late Mr. Peter Hairston, Sauratown, March 1st, 1886.

Wiley Russell, age about 40 years, died at Russell mine, in Montgomery county, Wednesday morning, March 17th, 1886, of Pneumonia. He was a well known and respected citizen of that county.

David Trexler in Concord at the age of 77 years 6 months. He was buried from the Lutheran Church at this place in the Lutheran graveyard. The deceased was an old citizen of Salisbury and has many relatives and friends here who will mourn his loss.

Mrs. Martha Susan, wife of Mr. Henry Hudson, of Rowan county, died at her home, March 21st, 1886, aged 51 years, 11 months, 21 days. She joined the Methodist church at the age of 16 years, and died in the faith. She was buried from Union church, and many friends and relatives testified by their presence their affection and her worth. May her husband and children follow her example, and meet her at last.

Time Table—Chester and Lenoir Railroad. No 20 Leaves Lenoir 12 A M Arrives Hickory 1 40 P M No 19 Leaves Hickory 4 05 P M Arrives Lenoir 5 55 "

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TOBACCO MARKET. REPORTED BY JOHN SHEPPARD.

Table with columns for tobacco types (Common, Medium, Fine, Leaf, Good, Medium, Fine, Fine Fancy) and prices per bushel or hundred.

PRODUCE MARKET. CORRECTED BY V. WALLACE.

Table with columns for produce items (Corn Meal, Family Flour, Peas, Corn, Oats, Wheat, Rye, Sweet Potatoes, Irish Potatoes, Onions, Eggs, Butter, Chickens, Cotton, Beans, Rags, Sassafras Oil, Pennycroft) and prices.

LUMBER MARKET. CORRECTED WEEKLY BY J. R. KEEN.

Table with columns for lumber items (Pine, Framing Clear, one inch sheeting, weather boarding, ceiling, green, dry, heart, fencing, white oak, car timbers, clear, framing posts, Poplar, Walnut, Shingles, hand made fine, machines) and prices.

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BUERBAUM & EAMES. SALISBURY, N. C. March 17th, 1886.

The annual meeting of Stockholders of the North State Iron and Transportation Company, will be held at the New York Office of the Company, No. 146 Broadway, Room 508, on Wednesday, April 21st, 1886, at 12 o'clock, noon, for the Election of Trustees.

WILLIAM BRANDRETH, Secretary. COUGHENOUR & SHAVER.

ICE! SUMMER and WINTER.

Theo. F. Klutz, Com'r. Salisbury, N. C., March 1st, 1886, 21st

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NOTE—I am always on the market for the purchase of Fat Cattle and Country Produce.