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CITY ITEMS.

Dry. Court next week. 'How many fish did you catch?' There is talk of a Savings Bank. Capt. John Ramsay has a book printed in 1819 by the great grandfather of our present sheriff Krider. We note with pleasure the recovery of Lottie, daughter of Alex. Peeler, who has been dangerously ill for six weeks. Mr. W. Smithdeal sold last Tuesday eleven buggies, and he didn't think that he had done a big day's work either. John W. Kerr, in going home last Monday night, fell over a rock on the sidewalk, the fall causing a rupture of the ligamentum patellae. We are under obligations to Prof. S. G. Atkins for a copy of the journal of the fourth annual meeting of the N. C. State Teachers association. We call attention to the fact that Master Felix Luck is connected with this office, and will act as collector. Pay him when he calls on you. Mr. Falconer and Davidson have purchased the lots offered for sale by the Methodist church near the property of Wm. Horah. They will at once erect two dwellings. Every Saturday for the past 20 years old Uncle Mose Lord and his wheelbarrow of ginger pop have been seen at the corner of Main and Innis streets. There have been erected in that part of Salisbury known as Brooklyn, 23 new residences, in the last three years. If it goes on in that way, the South ward will deserve the name the Great South Ward. Easter Monday was celebrated in grand style. Buggies and other turnouts whirled through the streets all day long. Fishing, as usual, was the general employment. We have to see the first fish that was brought in. The Smithsonian Institute at Washington has written Maj. Cole for a lot of his Indian relics, which he has kindly sent them, thereby showing his appreciation and readiness for the advancement of science. The Boston Star Concert Company will be here on the night of May 11th. A musical treat that will be patronized by every cultured person. Show your appreciation of the compliment paid our city by their visit. Capt. John Ramsay, who is building Meroney's hotel at Inard Mineral Springs, says it will be completed by June 1st and open for the reception of guests a few days after. This will be a popular resort. Robt. Crawford, better known as 'Bob,' has sent his dog Scout to E. L. Height, a well-known trainer in Farmingdale, New Jersey, for the purpose of having him trained to enter the field trials at High Point this fall. 'Old Lute' is the name we have given the bull frog - sent us anonymously some time ago. He still lives and is well satisfied with his quarters in the HERALD water bucket. We have taken the liberty of naming him after the supposed donor. The dwelling of Mr. Kintchen Stokes, near Stokes Ferry, in Davidson county, was consumed by fire on Saturday last. Sparks falling from the chimney onto the roof did it. Loss, \$1,200. No insurance. Our country friends should all be insured. J. Lee Crowell, a young student at Chapel Hill, has distinguished himself as an orator, having taken the gold medal. He is the son of T. J. Crowell, of Stanly county. We are pleased to congratulate his parents and the good old county of Stanly on the production of such genius. We have seldom seen an exhibition of physical strength superior to that of John Miller, who last Monday shouldered a bale of cotton at J. D. Gaskill's platform, walked with it across the road and back to the platform. John is spare built and does not seem to weigh over 140 pounds. J. M. Haden is doing a live thing in the real estate line. He advertises in fifty New England papers that are read by over 700,000 people. How can Salisbury be better advertised? Who will do it better than your real estate agents? If you have property and want to sell it, put it in their hands. The Milledgeville cotton mill has received nine carloads of machinery, which they are hauling from Thomasville to their mill on the Yadkin river. The people of Montgomery Co., have Hon. Saml. Pemberton and John Smotherly to thank for this great enterprise that will enrich their county.

Mr. Chas. A. Krause has painted a picture of the prison, wherein the Federal prisoners were confined during the late war. Everybody familiar with the prison says it is excellent and true in its details. This picture will be on exhibition at Kluttz's drug store for a few days.

The Easter festivities at the different churches were something very pretty and entertaining. Mr. Fletcher Bobbitt, one of our bright, young men, distinguished himself as an orator, at the Methodist. Other proceedings were commendable, yet we have no space this week to devote to them.

The Farmers of the western part of our county will have a meeting next Friday at Rice's store, Woodleaf, to discuss the general welfare of the farmers. We would submit to them the fact that the Knights of Labor have organized in Salisbury, and that it would be worthy of consideration whether or not it would be advantageous to them to join them.

A man that don't advertise will never make a success of his business. The great success of patent medicine is due to their advertising. So it is with every business. Try it. Don't be so narrow-minded as not to see the fact that when you advertise you help yourself and your town paper at the same time, which in turn goes out into the world and advertises your country.

Do you think real estate is going to decrease in value? No, it will increase in value. Cheap horse for sale. Apply at this office.

Shot, but not killed. A peculiar and amusing incident occurred at a festival held by the fashionable colored society of this town at Meroney's Hall on Monday last. On this festive occasion several of the belles and beaux of the best colored circles in Salisbury figured on the dramatic boards. As might be expected at this season of the year when love is in the air, the subject of the play was the tender passion, and its accompanying passions of jealousy, rage, despair and death to slow music. At a given moment the leading lady was required to reduce her hated rival and her faithless swain to the condition of being fit subjects for the cheerful graveyard by means of the deadly revolver. To the surprise and consternation of the colored belles and beaux, the lethal weapon proved to have been loaded with ball instead of blank cartridge, and loud and bloody murder was nearly the result. We are happy to say, the wound being in the head causes no anxiety to an admiring circle of relatives and friends, though we shudder to think of the consequences had the shin bone been affected.

Don't fail to see Smithdeal & Ritchie when you want to buy an Osborne or Champion Mowing Machine or Reaper, Horse Hay-rakes, Double and Single plows. They will sell you Machinery cheaper than you can buy anywhere in the State.

Fine white Virginia Roller mill Flour 25 cts. cheaper, per sack, than at any other place in the city at J. D. McNeely's.

Jones - Brown. Mr. Hugh M. Jones was married last Tuesday night at half past seven o'clock, at the residence of the bride's mother, Mrs. J. D. Brown, to Miss Mary Elizabeth Brown, Dr. J. Rumpfle officiating. A great many friends witnessed the marriage. Immediately after the ceremony the happy couple took the train North, followed by the good wishes of everybody and especially the editors of the HERALD.

If you want a straw hat call at M. S. Brown's.

A. C. Harris has just received a fine fresh lot of French Candies, Oranges, Lemons, Banana's, etc.

All This Week. Revival meetings will be conducted at the Baptist church by Rev. F. J. Tuttle, assisted by Rev. Mr. Hoard, of Third Creek. They are well attended and promise to increase the number of Christians of that faith.

Smithdeal & Ritchie have the largest stock of Buggies in the State. They will sell you a top Buggy for \$50. Call and see them.

Fresh, delicious Fruit, in the way of Oranges, Lemons, Banana's and apples at A. Parker's.

Bargains in Straw Hats at M. S. Brown's.

Personal. J. D. Stewart has gone North. Prof. Tiernan was in town last Tuesday.

The ever jovial Capt. Grace Haliburton is visiting friends here.

J. M. Hill, the able teacher of South River academy, spent Easter with us.

Miss Rebecca Schenk, daughter of Judge D. Schenk of Greensboro, is visiting Mrs. Chas. Price.

Miss Fanny Neely has returned from a visit to Mrs. Alexander, Charlotte, N. C.

John Berry Watson, who is so well and favorably known here, has located in Statesville, where he is in the mattress making business. Has just received an order for 140, and is in this place looking for shucks.

Railroad Notes. Robt. Palmer has taken a situation at the car shops. The Western road has done a commendable act in putting first class passenger coaches on the Murphy Division. Now that the R. & D. R. R. Co. has absolute control of the Virginia Midland, we know that road will be put in first class order. When ever the south bound trains are late the fault is always reported 'Had to wait for the Midland which was behind time.' When this link is in first class shape trains will keep better time.

Some of the Richmond papers have it that Col. A. B. Andrews will not long hold position of President of the W. N. C. R. K. It will be hard to find a more competent officer. There is an uneasy feeling that other important officials will be changed.

Says the Johnson City (Tenn.) Comet: Col. Thos E. Matson will start for Marion, N. C., to commence the survey of the proposed line of road from Marion to Johnson City. The North Carolina end of the road is nearly completed to Marion, and there is a well grounded hope that the road will yet be pushed to this point.

Fine, fresh mess mackerel just received at A. Parker's.

Prohibition Notes. Richmond, Va., voted the 'wet' ticket last Monday by 5,000 majority, Lynchburg by 1,500.

The business men of Richmond met last Friday in mass meeting and adopted resolutions against the prohibition of the sale of liquor. Last Saturday the verbal argument between a 'pro' and an 'anti,' in Charlotte, not being conclusive they tried the last resort of an American citizen, viz., the fist. Result, increase of Charlotte's municipal assets \$30.00.

Editor Bierne and Rev. Dr. Hawthorn indulge in some very complimentary language. As always, the consequences are that neither has bettered himself, but both have lowered the estimation they were held in by their fellow-citizens.

Sweet, Golden Medal Cider, always on ice at A. Parker's.

Buy your straw hats at M. S. Brown's.

Labor Notes. Knights of Labor organization was effected in Greensboro on the 21st.

J. R. Ray, State organizer for the Knights of Labor, organized a large assembly in Winston on Thursday night, April 22nd.

Durham Recorder: This morning thirty-five hands in the big factory of Capt. E. S. Parrish, struck for higher wages. Some of the hands admitted that their wages were high enough, but that the less skilled hands did not receive as much as they did. We regret this action for we have always thought that our manufacturers paid liberal wages to all of their employees. In fact there are a number of young ladies receiving from our manufacturers from \$20 to \$40 per month for their services. We learn from Mr. J. R. Ray, Esq., State Organizer, that this strike was not authorized by the Knights of Labor.

Mr. John R. Ray, State organizer of the Knights of Labor, arrived in Charlotte yesterday, and organized a branch of the order in this city. The meeting was held in the Odd Fellows' hall, and the session was a lengthy one, the adjournment not taking place until a very few minutes before midnight. The attendees, representing all classes of trades, the organization was perfected and full list of officers, numbering fourteen, was elected, with Mr. George Newcomb master workman, the chief officer of the order. (Charlotte Observer.)

J. R. Ray, State organizer, of Knights of Labor arrived here last Saturday from Winston, where he had organized a lodge. He is a quiet unpretentious gentleman, whose heart and head is in the great work he has undertaken. He started the Yadkin Assembly here with over thirty charter members, and the following officers: W. L. James Master Workman, J. L. Brown Worthy Foreman, F. H. Cushing Recording Secretary, J. R. Keen Financial Secretary, A. W. Northern Treasurer. The weekly meetings of the Assembly will be held every Friday over Kluttz' drug store.

Attention H. & L. Co. No. 1. All the members are hereby notified to attend the Annual Meeting of said Company, as the decision of officers will then take place. Remember the date, Tuesday, May 4th, 1886.

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A CHILD TOSSING IN ITS SLEEP indicates worms. An army of them are at work eating the child's away. One dose of Shiner's Indian Vermifuge will destroy them and save its life.

MINING NOTES. Fabulous reports as to the first clean up at the Christian mine are afloat. Gibson Cress, who lives a few miles from town, exhibited a ten dwt. nugget on Saturday, which was found in his yard. Report says at the Sam Christian mine they made 22,000 penny weights of gold in a run of 27 consecutive days. At the Bilesville mine, owned by Crowell and Ivy, they cut a three foot vein last week and took out 78 penny weights of gold in one day. Col. John Cotton, of Montgomery county, was in town on Saturday with a fine lot of gold dust and nuggets which he disposed of at the bank. Messrs. Townsend and Mumphel, of Penn., are opening the property adjoining Gold Hill. If satisfactory they will erect a mill, etc. The Chlorination Works, situated near this place is looking for a carload of concentrates from a mine in Georgia. These works have done great good to our town and is the salvation for the mines having sulphureted ores. We are pleased to enter on our subscription list the name of Mr. Walter Tregollas, of London, England, who has done so much to bring out our mining interests in that country. He is connected with the Gold Hill mines, and believes in the fruitfulness of our minerals. Every one interested in mining in this State should help support a paper that aids in calling attention to this great industry. There is no other branch of business that will make money so plentiful as mining. Therefore let every man who is interested show his willingness to help promote the industry by taking the HERALD. An industry that brings to your State thousands of dollars and gives employment to thousands of men.

Baker Mine. Col. Calvin J. Cowles, late assayer in charge of the mint at Charlotte, has leased the Baker mine near Morganton. It is a quartz vein carrying a small percent of galena, assaying about \$10 in gold and 15 ounces in silver to the ton. The mine was discovered some years ago by the gold in the surface dirt. It is hoped soon that the 40 foot shaft will be watered and operations begin.

Information Wanted. There are at least ten different parties in Harrisburg, Penn., writing to this place for information regarding mining property. We are pleased to see this, and have only one piece of advice to offer, and that is that they should come and see for themselves or send a competent expert. So far these Harrisburg people have purchased and are operating the Marion Bullion Company's mine in McDowell county and the Rudisil, near Charlotte.

Concentrator. The inventor of the Bradford Concentrator called at our office on Friday on his way to the Russell mine in Montgomery county. He has made a study of concentration and has erected several plants all of which have proved successful, one of which was the Reimer mine plant costing over \$20,000 and was consumed by fire some time ago. He substantiates his knowledge and faith by agreeing to erect his concentrator without cost to anyone, but himself and taking as his compensation what it saves. Giving the owners of the mill at which he may be operating the privilege of purchasing if they see proper.

The Vein Mountain Mine. A few days ago we had a very pleasant call from Capt. Gaden, the superintendent of the mine. He informs us that his company have acquired about 6,000 acres of land in McDowell county, and that at present they are engaged in hydraulic mining with two two inch nozzles, saving the gold in the surface in the sluice boxes and collecting the quartz which is milled on their ten stamps. The ore is abundant and of good quality, although the richness of the mine is in the alluvial or float gold found in hydraulic mining. Some seven or eight of these nuggets were laid on our desk for admiration. They are very beautiful, sprang into all sorts of shapes and giving every evidence of being found near their source, so that at any time we may be called upon to report the discovery of a rich vein. They employ about 60 hands and are in a prosperous condition which fact is due in part to the skill of Capt. Gaden, who is in love with his profession and his mine.

Parker Mine. This property has been a producer for years past, and as near as can be ascertained over \$400,000 in gold is the product. It belongs to that class of mines known as re-deposited quartz. That is, the quartz veins have been moved from their original position and by disintegration and eruption have been broken up until now they present only the beds of quartz that lead to the vein in place. These beds of quartz are full of gold, free as is ever known in nature. Nuggets weighing six and four pounds down to dust have been found. At present what is known as the Biles position of this mine is being worked by Messrs. Ivy, Harris and Crowell. They have a bed opened from which they are taking ore that yields \$20 to the ton, while at times they come onto a few pounds of specimens that yield as much. Strange to say, there has never been any machinery on the mine, all the rich ore having been hauled to other mills for treatment, while most of the gold has been obtained by washing the quartz in a rocker and saving what precious metal broke from it. There are several hundred tons of this quartz ready for reduction now on the surface.

Gold Hill. Everything at this mine looks in order. A new water tank is being built, cord wood hauled in and ore is being milled from the 600 foot level in the Randolph shaft. It is reported that Capt. Nance has made a careful examination of his first mill run tailings and found that the gold from the sulphureted vein can not be saved by free milling process. He is quick to find out and is calculated to make a success of his work. About 75 hands are employed. There are some miners here out of employment. When the twenty stamps are in operation more help will be taken on. Capt. Nance has made a valuable and very practicable addition to the twenty stamp mill in the way of automatic feeds that supply the ore into the mortar with the aid of a small stream of water. This is an English company with an office in London. Their stock is divided into 85,000 shares at \$1 per share.

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Men's Spring Suits, 6, 8, 10, 12, 15, and \$18. Men's Spring Suits, Silk and Satin Lined Throughout, 20, 22, 25, 28 and \$30. Men's Business Suits, 6, 8, 10, 13, 15, 18 and \$20. Men's Dress Suits, 18, 20, 25 and \$30. Men's Prince Albert Coats and Vests, 12, 15, 18, 20 and \$25. Men's Trousers, 2.50, 3.50, 4.50, 6, 7, 8, 9 and \$10.

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PRODUCE MARKET. CORRECTED BY V. WALLACE. Corn Meal, per bushel, 50 a 60. Family Flour, by sack, 2 00 a 2 70. Peas, per bushel, 50. Corn, 50. Oats, 50. Wheat, 1 10. Rye, 80. Wheat Bran, per bushel, 25. Sweet Potatoes, 50. Irish, 70. Onions, 50. Eggs, per dozen, 10. Butter, per pound, (scarce) 25. Chickens, 20 a 25. Cotton, good middling, 10 00. Beeswax, 15. Hops, 15 a 30. Sassafras Oil, 14. Pennyroyal, 50.

LUMBER MARKET. CORRECTED WEEKLY BY J. R. KEEN. Pine, Framing, \$ 1 00. One inch sheeting, 65 a 75c. Weather boarding 6x1, 1 00. Ceiling, 1x6, green, 1 00. 6x2, dry, 1 15 a 1 25. 6x2, green, 1 00. 6x2, dry, 1 15. Flooring 6x10 dry clear, 1 25. 6x10 green, 1 00. Heart, tanning, 1 1 1/2 a 1 50. White oak, cut timbers, clear, 1 25. Framing posts, 1 25. Poplar, 1 00 a 1 25. Walnut, 1 50 a 3 00. Shingles, handmade fine, 2 50 a 3 50. Machine, 3 00.

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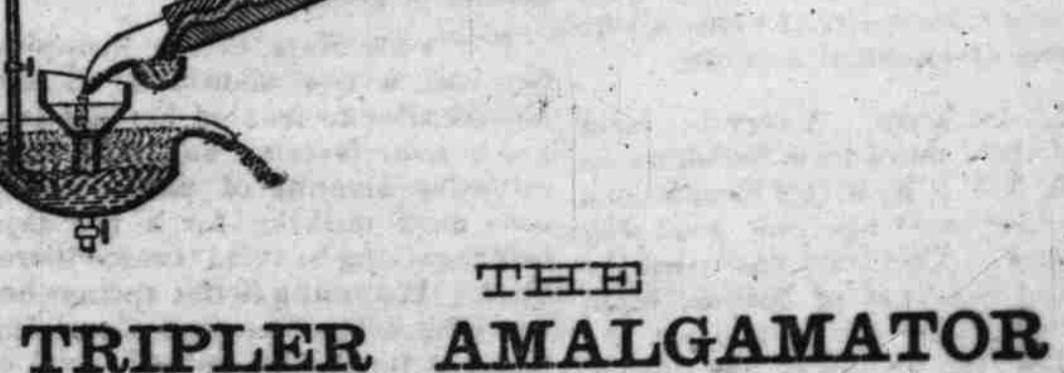
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