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CITY ITEMS.

ROBERT L. RAMSAY, LOCAL EDITOR.

We are glad to learn that Miss Alice Brown, who was reported very ill last week, is improving.

Mr. C. G. Vele is in Hickory in the interest of an insurance company. He will go from there to Statesville.

Miss Louise Wilson, of Morganton, passed through the city last week, returning from a visit to friends in Charlotte.

Miss Katie Smith, of Gaston, returned home Wednesday, after a long and pleasant visit to relatives and friends in this city.

It was reported on the streets here Monday that Col. J. S. Fisher, of Concord had made an assignment. Col. Fisher was thought to be worth \$40,000 or \$50,000.

In the last issue of the HERALD we stated there were 30 new lock-boxes added to our handsome post-office. Instead of 30 it is 90, which occupy the whole of the old style delivery boxes.

We are glad to see work improving at the railroad shops. Nearly all the hands that were thrown out of employment in December last have been reinstated. Business is improving generally in this line.

There have been two cases of paralysis in our county lately. Mr. John L. Silliman and Miss Christie Howard. We learn that Mr. Silliman is able to be up again, but Miss Howard is still in a critical condition.

Mr. E. B. Jones, who has been connected with the W. N. C. R. R. for several months, resigned his position last week and left for Knoxville, where he will travel for one of the leading wholesale houses of that place.

A party of young people enjoyed quite a pleasant candy-pulling at Mrs. H. A. Bernhardt's on Friday evening last. The thanks of all present are due Misses Maud Bernhardt, Annie Crawford, Mary Julian and Mamie Keen for the entertainment.

We are reliably informed that the freights are heavier on the W. N. C. R. R. than ever known before. Both men and engines have had to double, and still there are many cars blocked in the mountains. The authorities have ordered three new ten-wheel engines.

Col. Davis, the popular proprietor of the Boyden House, was visited by a large party of young people last Friday night, who intended storming the Colonel by having an old-fashioned candy stew, but owing to the general consent of the young people the amusements were turned into dancing.

A runaway horse caused a stir in the monotony of the streets Monday. The beast was driven by Mr. Isaac Fraley, and just as they turned the corner at Young & Boston's store, he tightened the reins, which threw the animal on its side and Mr. Fraley on the opposite pavement. No serious damage was done.

The alarm of fire startled many of our citizens on Wednesday evening last. It originated in a dwelling house on Lee street, nearly opposite to Mr. John G. Heilig's livery stable. A lamp near a bed exploded, and the entire bed was soon in flames. It was thrown in the street and stamped out, however, before any serious damage was done.

Mr. M. S. Brown has returned from his trip North to get an experienced tailor, and not to buy goods, as we stated last week. He will have three or four persons employed in the tailoring establishment and more will be added if the work increases, which undoubtedly will be the case. Mr. Brown will go North next month to buy his spring stock.

E. C. B. Hambley, of London, the well-known favorably known young lawyer, has been around town shaking with old friends. Mr. H., since he left here, went with our Will G. Ramsey to Africa, thence in the interest of a London concern to India. With others, we are glad to see our young friend, whom the best of India and sun of Egypt has only improved.

Go to Klutz & Reedman's for good Flour, Meal, Corn, Beans, Lard and Ham. Fresh lot of French Prunes, Kidney and Butter Beans, Oat-Meal, Grits, Hominy, Buckwheat Flour, Maple Syrup, Fancy Potatoes and New Orleans Molasses and many other good things to eat. Big lot of Choice Orchard Grass and Clover seed, also new supply of eating and planting potatoes, all at very lowest prices.

Samuel James, the 17-year-old son of Mr. W. L. James of this place, was killed by a slide of earth in a cut near Gash's Creek, on the W. N. C. R. R. last Thursday morning. Sam was acting as flagman in the cut when the fatal slide occurred. A little boy who stood on the opposite bank called his attention to some small gravel which had fallen, and just as he looked up the earth came down upon him. When he was taken out it was found that his neck and back was broken, and that his death had been instantaneous. Sam was well known here, and leaves many friends besides his family who mourn their loss of so bright and congenial a companion. The remains were brought down Thursday night, and the funeral services were conducted by Rev. Mr. Byrd on Sunday evening last, after which the body was taken to the Salisbury cemetery for interment.

The finest Shenandoah Valley Roller Mills Flour can be bought at J. D. McNeely's from a pound to a car load. Those who desire to have good bread buy no other kind.

Mrs. W. G. McNeely Dead.

It is with heartfelt sorrow and sincere sympathy for the grief-stricken family that we have to record the death of Mrs. W. G. McNeely, which occurred last Monday at 8 o'clock p. m.

Miss M. A. Hunt, her maiden name, was born August 12, 1837, in Yadkin county, and was married in November, 1854, to William McCay, of this county, who died a few years after the marriage. They had one daughter, Anna, who married Mr. S. P. Lord, of our town. Mrs. Lord died ten years ago.

December 12, 1861, Mrs. McCay married Mr. W. G. McNeely. They had four children—Miss Fanny, Hunt, who died young, Tam C., and Robt. W.

All who knew Mrs. McNeely loved her for her universal kindness, her Christian charity and her noble unselfishness. The Episcopal church mourns the loss of one of its most devoted and true members. The funeral took place on Wednesday afternoon at 5 o'clock from St. Luke's church.

One of Rowan's Best Citizens Gone.

Mr. Henry Bost died last Monday night at 9 o'clock at his home near South River. Mr. Bost was born in Cabarrus county in the year 1840, and was, consequently, 47 years of age. He received his education at Trinity College. In 1861, when 21 years of age, he followed the call of Confederacy and entered as private Gen. Barringer's company, the First N. C. Cavalry, Company F., and he stayed by his colors to the bitter end. For gallantry and bravery he was promoted to Captain; his old comrades are unanimous in saying that he was a brave soldier, a fearless cavalryman and a kind gentleman. During the war he came to Rowan on furlough and married Miss Fraley, a daughter of Jake Fraley, who had moved into Rowan from Iredell. Mr. Bost leaves a wife and nine children—three daughters and six sons.

Mr. Bost was a vestryman in St. Andrew's Episcopal Church, and represented St. Andrew's Church at the Diocesan Convention.

In 1878 Mr. B. was elected to the Legislature from Rowan county. In Mr. Bost Rowan loses one of her best farmers, the Episcopal Church one of her most devoted and unselfish members.

A thorough gentleman, a progressive business man, a kind father and husband and a true Christian, his death will be felt by everybody. The bereaved family have our most sincere sympathies.

The funeral took place last Wednesday, at 11 o'clock a. m., from St. Andrew's Episcopal Church.

Building and Loan.

The books are now open for subscription to the Third Series. Sign the Constitution and pay an entrance fee of twenty-five cents on each share you want. Your 1st installment will be due March 5th. The book to be signed will be left at Mr. Klutz's drug store. The Secretary will give receipts for entrance fees at any time. The certificates of membership and pass-books will not be issued until March 5th.

LOOK ON THIS AND ON THIS: Assets of Association January 1st, \$8,338.14. Feb. 1st, \$9,595.24. Undivided profits Jan. 1st, \$162.81; Feb. 1st, \$247.41. The assets Feb. 1st consist of loans, \$9,250.00, and money in bank, \$345.24.

There is a reserve fund that will pay all expenses for this half year. The undivided profits amount to 344 cents on each share of the 1st Series, which, added to the profits declared in September, i. e., 18 cents, make total profits on stock in that Series to Feb. 1st, 524 cents on each share. Stock in the Second Series of course will have its due share of profits.

The books have just been audited and the monthly statement found correct.

Group, whooping cough, sore throat, sudden cold, and the lung troubles peculiar to children, are easily controlled by promptly administering Ayer's Cherry Pectoral. This remedy is safe to take and certain in its action.

DO NOT ALLOW WORMS TO cheat your children out of their living. Shrove's Indian Vermifuge will destroy these miserable pests, and give the little fellows new armor for the battle of life.

More Industries Needed.

Everybody agrees that we need more factories and industries of all kinds to keep the boom Salisbury at present enjoys in motion. The citizens must combine to establish new industries in our midst and to give all the encouragement possible to them. The best way to do this will be to have some kind of an organization of citizens. Committees ought to be appointed to look into the several branches of industry and to do what is possible to invite skilled labor, new capital and otherwise explore channels of trade and developments. We suggest that we can manufacture the following products successfully and satisfactorily: Buggies and wagons, leather, spokes and handles, castings, cigars, plug tobacco, snuff, cigarettes, furniture, saddles and harness, brooms, mattresses, granite monuments, millstones, woolen and cotton goods, boots and shoes, candy, canned goods, etc., etc.

Appalachian (Cogging) Mine. Has commenced operations again with great activity. A large mill house is in course of erection, and the plant will be supplied with the best and latest improved machinery, with a capacity of 100 tons per day and provision made for increasing the amount. A large amount of ore is now on the dump—free millings quartz. The pump will be placed shortly, and miners are driving on the first level, while the main shaft will be carried down to a second level. There will be a superintendent's residence, dwellings for the miners and surface hands, and all necessary buildings required. We understand the contract for lumber, alone is over \$40,000. Success to the Appalachian.

Search of a Wife. We hear of a queer courtship from Mount Pleasant, Cabarrus county. Our informant tells us as follows: "Mr. — was here to-day, and is Miss —'s brother. He is deaf and dumb. He came to the door and rang the bell. You cannot imagine what his business was. He inquired after Miss — and gave them to understand that he wanted to marry her. He said that he heard she was going to marry some one in Georgia, and that she had as well marry him. His business was to hunt a wife and that Miss — would do as well as anyone.

When the father gave him to understand that Miss — had to go to school yet, he asked if next year would not do as well. When told then that Miss — could not be had at any time, the deaf and dumb man inquired whether he could not get another pretty girl around here. It was with the greatest difficulty that Mr. — rid himself of the impatient lover.

MARRIED. In this county, January 27th, 1887, by T. M. Kerns, Esq., at the residence of Harshy Pape, Mr. Jefferson D. Shoe, of Cabarrus, and Miss Lizzie A. Page, of Rowan.

In Greenville, S. C., at the home of Mrs. M. A. Keipatrick, aunt of the bride, Wednesday, January 26th, by Rev. Ellison Capers, Chas. D. Vernon, of Greensboro, N. C., to Emma Robertson, grand-daughter of the late Judge H. P. Robertson, of Georgia, and niece of ex-Senator W. D. Tuttle, also of Georgia.

TRIBUTE OF RESPECT. WHEREAS, God in His all-wise Providence has seen fit to remove from earth the son of our worthy brother, W. L. James. Be it Resolved, That the heartfelt sympathies of Local Assembly 6656 be, and is hereby extended to our brother and his family in their bereavement. Be it further Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be sent to the family, a copy furnished to the HERALD for publication, and a copy spread upon the minutes of this Assembly.

J. W. L. BROWN, M. W., A. M. GOODMAN, R. S., January 29, 1887.

At a meeting Feb. 1st, the following was adopted and ordered printed in town papers and a copy sent to the family: KNIGHT OF HONOR LODGE 775, SALISBURY, N. C., Feb. 1, 1887. WHEREAS, In view of the loss we have sustained by the decease of our friend and brother, H. C. Bost, and of the still heavier loss sustained by those who were nearest and dearest to him, therefore be it Resolved, That it is but a just tribute to the memory of the departed to say, that regretting his removal from our midst we mourn for one who was, in every way, worthy of our respect and regard.

Resolved, That the sincerely condole with the family of the deceased on the dispensation with which it has pleased Divine Providence to afflict them, and commend them for consolation to Him who orders all things for the best, and whose chastisements are meant in mercy.

Resolved, That this heartfelt testimonial of our sympathy and sorrow be forwarded to the family of our deceased brother, H. C. Bost, by our Secretary, T. B. BEATTY, G. A. KLUTZ, C. F. ATWELL.

Good Results in Every Case D. A. Bradford, wholesale paper dealer of Chattanooga, Tenn., writes that he was seriously afflicted with a severe cold that settled on his lungs; had tried many remedies without benefit. Being induced to try Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, did so and was entirely cured by use of a few bottles. Since which time he has used it in his family for all Coughs and Colds with best results. This is the experience of thousands whose lives have been saved by this Wonderful Discovery.

Trial bottles free at Klutz's Drug Store. HOUSE AND LOT FOR SALE. I offer for sale my House and Lot in Brooklyn. The lot is 69x230 feet. The House contains six rooms, also hot water garden, good well and other conveniences. This place is situated between Shaver and Long Sts., fronting on Bank. For further information apply to O. H. BARBER.

Select English and Classical School for Boys. Session opened January 11th, and will close June 3rd (5 months). For terms and other particulars apply to J. M. HILL, Principal. Salisbury, N. C.

MINING NOTES.

Egbert C. B. Hambley is here in the interest of a London company, looking for mineral properties.

We see from our exchanges that Col. Fred H. Stith is making large outputs from his manganese mine in Shenandoah county, Va.

Morris Mountain Mine. This mine—or rather a prospect for a mine—is, we understand, sold to a Mr. Mason, of New York, for \$50,000. If this is true, and Mr. Mason can see \$200,000 worth of ore in sight, then he has a bargain; if not, it is plainly seen that he will not pan out the above value. This property is in Montgomery county, and near the village of El Dorado. The country rock is talose and clay slates, interlaminated by thin seams of quartz which contain more or less free gold; also a thin coating of gold is found on the fractures of the slates, and where the shrinkage is greater the fissures are filled in with small bunches of free gold; these are in irregular patches. The gold contained is contemporaneous with the slates themselves, and is analogous to the slates. Beds of this kind that occur in several portions of the State, when the strata is not distorted by intrusions of trap dikes, can be relied on to a known depth, but beyond that the ore changes to the refractory ones, and only by practical field work can the above be ascertained. To a novice this seems peculiar. We hope the Morris Mountain Mine will continue to yield as depth is increased.

LADIES! THE MOST FASHIONABLE DRESS-MAKING ESTABLISHMENT. In the City is two doors below the Court House. The latest Fashion Plates are always on hand. CUTTING AND FITTING are specialties. Satisfaction is guaranteed to our patrons. MISS M. C. TAAFFE. 16.3m.

W. L. DOUGLAS'S \$3.00 SHOE. BEST TANNERY CALF. For Sale by M. S. BROWN.

HARRIS, Family Grocer, Richmond on an average ROLLER MILLS FLOUR and also CONFECTIONERY, TOYS, CIGARS, TOBACCO, TEAS and COFFEE, SUGAR, SPICES, CANNED GOODS. —EVERYTHING FRESH—

An End to Bone Scraping. Edward Shepherd, of Harrisburg, Ill., says: "Having received so much relief from Electric Bitters, I feel it my duty to let suffering humanity know it. Have had a running sore on my leg for eight years; my doctors told me I would have to have the bone scraped or leg amputated. I used, instead, three bottles of Electric Bitters and seven boxes Bucklen's Arnica Salve, and my leg is now sound and well."

NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION. The undersigned, doing business under the firm name and style of Patterson & Corriher, is this day dissolved by mutual consent. In this dissolution we take our leave to extend our sincere and grateful thanks for the liberal and generous patronage that has been extended to us during our business engagement. All persons indebted to us by note or account are requested to make immediate settlement. I. FRANK PATTERSON, JOHN C. CORRIHER.

NOTICE OF CO-PARTNERSHIP. The undersigned having formed a Partnership under the firm name of Patterson & Patterson, would respectfully solicit the patronage of a generous public, and promise the same care and attention that have been extended to all who have dealt with the old firm. I. FRANK PATTERSON, E. SMITH PATTERSON, China Grove, N. C., Feb. 1, 1887.

A FINE CHANCE FOR INVESTMENT

SALISBURY, N. C. I will sell at public sale on the 22nd of February, 1887, some of the most valuable Real Estate, consisting of Town Lots or Building Sites, also for Manufacturing Sites, Trunk Farms, &c., which can be had in the State—Salisbury being the central or great point of interest on the line of the Railroad recently surveyed from Smithville, N. C. to Bristol, Tenn., opening up a great trunk line from Chicago (the New York of the West) to the South, which Railroad has already got stock taken by the counties along the line to the amount of over one million of dollars, and is to be completed within two years, as per contract with the counties subscribing.

This Railroad crossing the great Richmond & Danville connection at Salisbury, N. C., a point located in the heart of the great Grain, Cotton, Tobacco, Mining and Lumber section of the State, Salisbury must in the near future be one of the most business places in the State, it having made wonderful improvements in the last 12 or 18 months—tobacco factories, warehouses, other manufacturing, residences, &c., amounting to over one hundred thousand dollars.

The above property will be sold on the following terms—One-third cash; one-third in twelve months. Bonds bearing interest at 8 per cent and title reserved until last payment is made. Persons desiring to pay all cash can have a discount on the deferred payments.

The above consists of the following: 30 or 40 building sites, adjoining the town of Salisbury, N. C., near the residence of J. S. McCubbin, Jas. R. Crawford, Mrs. Dr. Mary, and others. On West Fulton, Jackson, and Main Streets. Also the residence I now occupy—brick house with 10 rooms 18 feet square, two basements rooms, two other brick buildings 16x22, brick dairy 10x12, three wells of water, barns, and other improvements; 4-acre orchard in good bearing, 8, 10 or 15 acres with the above suit purchasers. Also 10 or 15 lots containing from 10 to 75 acres, lying on the N. C. R. R., well suited for manufacturing and other purposes.

I will take pleasure in showing the property to all persons wishing to examine it. I have the property mapped or plotted, so that it can all be seen together. All persons desiring information about the above property are referred to Messrs. J. S. McCubbin, M. L. Holmes, Luke Blackmer, Theo. F. Klutz, or J. M. Haden. S. R. HARRISON. 16.3m.

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—EVERYTHING FRESH—

I am receiving crackers in fresh lots every week, consequently have no old stock. I am making a specialty of this line and can supply the wholesale trade. My new goods are arriving daily, and are being offered as cheap as any in the city. I want to supply all the families with first class goods at a reasonable cost. All goods delivered to any part of the city free of cost. Try me once. 12m.

MRS. W. R. BARKER - MISS MAGGIE FUNCK, of Baltimore, Md.

FASHIONABLE DRESS-MAKING. It is, with pleasure, we announce to the ladies of Salisbury and vicinity, that we have opened our DRESS-MAKING ESTABLISHMENT, and are ready for business.

Our Miss Funck comes from BALTIMORE, and uses none but the very latest modes. We guarantee satisfaction. Give us a trial order. MRS. W. R. BARKER, MISS M. FUNCK, Cor. Main and Fisher Streets, 16.3m. SALISBURY, N. C.

Go To BURKE & JOHNSON'S Pure Apple Vinegar! AND FURNITURE REPAIRING.

Also a full line of GROCERIES AND COUNTRY PRODUCE always on hand. 11m.

FOR COMPOSTING USE ONLY

ROYSER'S HIGH GRADE Acid Phosphate! Sold by J. D. GASKILL.

PRICES have been reduced, and the indications now are that my sales of these goods will even exceed last season. CALL AT ONCE, or write and make your engagement. 47:1m

COMPOSTING! Navassa Acid, Pacific Dis. Bones, Stono Acid, "L. & R." Acid. ROYSER'S HIGH GRADE ACID PHOSPHATES.

German Kainit, Lime Phosphate AND AGRICULTURAL LIME. All at less prices than ever offered before. Special inducements to parties, or clubs, wanting to buy in car load lots, delivered either at this depot, China Grove or Third Creek. Money saved by seeing me before purchasing elsewhere. 17:2m J. ALLEN BROWN.

Salisbury Racket C. O. D. Store. Facts, Facts, Facts!

Table with 4 columns: Item, Quantity, Price, and Notes. Items include 95 piece dinner sets, 127 Tulip decoration, 127 Blue Daisy dinner set, 127 Wild Rose, 127 Gold Band W. G. dinner set, 127 Brown German China Tea Set, 127 French, 127 Opaque, 56 Individual 2 Bottle Wire Castors, 56 All Glass Colored 3 Bottle Knives and Forks per set, 56 A No. 1 Steel Bread Knife, 56 Wire plates, Majolico, 56 Hand Painted.

Glass Crockery and Tin in Endless Variety, at Unapproachable Figures. IN THE DEPARTMENT OF NOTIONS, CLOTHING, HATS & SHOES, we have a line of Clichers Values that to see is but to buy. A lot of Hamburg Edgings received this week, for the prices we sell them tell they are bargains bought by the wide-awake and ever-ready Cash. Remember the warning and don't wait for to-morrow for the many bargains you need. 15.1y

JOHN BROOKFIELD, Ag't.

TREMENDOUS REDUCTION. MERONEY & BRO'S.

In order to reduce our Stock, we will sell for the next sixty days a great many goods at and below cost.

Great Reduction in Ladies and Gents Underwear. We have a lot of odds and ends of Shoes which we will sell at 50 CTS. ON A \$1.00.

JEANS AND CASIMERES. We will sell very low. We have a big stock and want to reduce it. CALL and SEE THE BARGAINS.

MERONEY & BRO. Administrator's Notice. DR. E. F. SNEAD Physician and Surgeon, SALISBURY, N. C.

Having qualified as administrator of John D. Sigmund, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against the estate of the deceased to present them to the undersigned or before the 28th day of January, 1888.

T. J. McCONNELL, Administrator of J. D. Sigmund's Estate. Dated, 22 January, 1887. 17-9t

Most respectfully offers his professional services to the public. Office in Maj. Cole's Iron Front Building. Residence, Corner Main and Horsh Streets. 12 t