# Person County Courier.

JOHN A. NOELL, Editor.

ROXBORO, N. C. June 23, 1887.


**RELIGIOUS SERVICES.**

METHODIST.

1st Sunday—Mt. Zion and Allensville at 11 o'clock A. M.; Webb's Chapel 3 P. M.
2nd Sunday—Roxboro and Mt. Tirzah at 11 o'clock A. M.; Roxboro 7 o'clock P. M.
3rd Sunday—Bailey's and Trinity at 11 o'clock A. M.; Hebron 3 o'clock P. M.
4th Sunday—Providence and Oak Grove at 11 o'clock A. M.; Long's Chapel at 3 o'clock P. M.
5th Sunday—Two days meeting at Webb's Chapel and Hebron.
Roxboro—Prayer Meeting every Wednesday night.

At each of the following places we will preach Saturday at 11 o'clock A. M. before the regular Sunday morning appointment: Mt. Zion, Allensville, Mt. Tirzah, Trinity, Bailey's, Oak Grove and Providence.

M. H. HOYLE, P. C.
M. T. BEST, JUNIOR.

BAPTIST.

Ephesus—1st Sunday, and Saturday before.
Mill Creek and Lea Bethel—2nd Sunday, (Rev. J. H. Vernon, assisting alternatively at these two places on this Sunday.)
Roxboro—3rd Sunday at 11 o'clock A. M., and at 7 o'clock P. M.
Clement—4th Sunday and Saturday before.
Roxboro—Prayer Meeting every Thursday night.

J. H. LAMBERTH, PASTOR.

Red Mountain—1st Sunday and Saturday before.
Antioch—2nd Sunday and Saturday before.
Berry's Grove—3rd Sunday at 11 o'clock a. m.
Caldwell—3rd Sunday night at 7 o'clock.
Cross Roads, Halifax county, Va.—4th Sunday and Saturday before.

J. A. BEAM, PASTOR.

—Warm.

—We need rain.

—Ice is now in demand.

—A new barber in town.

—How's this for hot weather?

—Tobacco is beginning to spread the hill,

—A match game of base ball here to-morrow.

—Such weather makes a fellow feel right lazy.

—The weather for the past week has been quite warm.

—Mr. D. S. Parker, of Long's X Roads, called to see us last Saturday.

—The Person Circuit Sunday School Convention will be held at Mt. Zion on the 16th of July.

—Miss Fannie Fuller who has been spending about two weeks in Danville, Va., returned last week.

—Messrs. W. T., J. L. and Clem Critcher and D. M. Andrews went to Oxford last Saturday to the hanging.

—Miss Ida Lansdell and Mrs. C. A. Jordan, of Durham, are here this week visiting relatives and numerous friends.

—Roxboro is on a boom. The sound of the hammer, the carpenters saw and the brick layers voice are constantly heard.

—Who's President of the lazy club? A meeting should be called. In front of the court house some evening should be the time and place.

—Misses Sallie and Evie Street, of Mill Creek, brightened our sanctum last Thursday evening to view the mysterious workings of a printer's shop.

—If you have friends visiting you or any of your family visiting other places please inform us, as it is impossible for us to find out when all are visiting.

—We see in the *Tobacco Plant* that Person county took off the largest check at the Globe and Banner Warehouses in Durham week before last. Hurrah for old Person.

—Abert Taborn the negro hanged at Oxford last Saturday said that he was innocent of the crime with which he was charged, and that he was ready to die. They all say that.

—Miss Ella Moore, the beautiful daughter of Rev. Mr. Moore, of Saxapahaw, Alamance county, is visiting Miss Cattie Newman, near Leasburg and will spend a month or two with her.

—The Teachers Assembly is in session at Morehead City this week. There will be run an excursion from Morehead to Washington City at an enormous low price for the pleasure of teachers.

—Col. C. S. Winstead, Mr. John W. Williams, and Misses Annie Carter, Mary Hester and Eugenia Bradsher are attending the Teacher's Assembly at Morehead. A delightful trip we wish we could.

—We have received the premium list of the 27th annual fair of the North Carolina State Agricultural Society, a description of which we will publish in our next issue. The fair opens Oct. 18th and holds four days.

—Mr. W. A. Woody called last week and renewed his subscription. "Buck," by which name he is well known, is an energetic young merchant at Mill Creek, and he says despite the hard times trade is quite brisk with him.

—We learn that some young ladies in the western portion of this county saved all the spools they could and sent them to Milton by an old darkey who offered them for sale. This old darkey says he never intends to place any more spools on the market. He was laughed at so.

—The fourth of July will soon be here.

—The size of the soda fountain is often heard.

—Miss Bettie Anderson, of Cedar Grove, is visiting Mrs. A. R. Foushee.

—Mr. June Smith, of Granville, called to see us Tuesday evening. He is here visiting friends and relatives.

—There is nothing more pleasant to the taste these warm days than an ice cold milk shake at C. A. Daniel's. Try one; also his excellent soda water.

—Mr. G. M. Yancey, of Collier, called to see us last Thursday and subscribed to the COURIER. Mat, in this, set a good example and we wish several of our young men would follow.

—The prospect of the Roxboro Academy for the ensuing term seem to be brightening. Let every body who is interested in the cause of education see Prof. Tillett and learn the terms, and enter his children. See new advertisement on first page.

—The town charter and ordinances have been printed and in the hands of the town constable, Mr. C. E. Pugh, and can be had by any one wishing them at the small price of twenty-five cents a copy. Every citizen of the town should have a copy.

—We have been shown a music book as a premium given Master Willie L. Foushee by his accomplished music teacher, Miss Mollie Jordan. The book is a beautiful one, handsomely and elegantly bound. Miss Mollie is an excellent teacher in music and well knows how to appreciate the rapid advancement of her pupils.

—The building committee of the jail met in the court house last Monday for the purpose of receiving plans and bids for the new jail. There was three bidders. John D. Fred, of Macon, Ga., was the lowest bidder. The bids were made on the jail including everything, a turn key job. It was let at $5,475. Mr. C. W. Brown has the contract to do the brick work, and will begin operations in a few days.

—The last issue of the *Winston Sentinel* contained the farewell notice of Mr. Edward Oldham, who has edited that paper the past four years with such wonderful success, and also the greeting of Mr. Vernon W. Long, who has taken the management of the *Sentinel*. Mr. Long recently graduated at Chapel Hill and we bespeak for him a bright future in journalism. Here is our ☞ for your success brother Long.

—Last Saturday there was a match game of base ball between the "Cherry Hill" nine, of this county and the "Country Boys," of Virginia, on the grounds of the latter. Good feeling prevailed throughout the game, the "Country Boys" and spectators treating the visiting club with all due courtesy. After the game was over the young ladies of the vicinity treated the clubs with a large freezer of nice ice cream. Such is old Virginia's hospitality. The score stood 41 to 31 in favor of the "Cherry Hill" boys.

**Hurt by Accident.**

The Charlotte *Chronicle* contains the following relative to Rev. T. A. Boone and lady, which will be much regretted by their many friends in this county:

Parties from Lincoln county who were in the city yesterday, informed a *Chronicle* reporter that Mrs. Boone, wife of Rev. T. A. Boone, of Denver, was very seriously crippled one day this week by a buggy accident. Mr. and Mrs. Boone were driving through the country, when their buggy suddenly collapse and threw them to the ground, with the result above mentioned. Mr. Boone was not injured.

**'Tis Sweet.**

'Tis sweet after toiling through the day to recline at night on your downy couch and fall gentle into the arms of nature's sweet restorer, balmy sleep.

'Tis sweet when you have wronged an neighbor and pardon is asked, to be freely forgiven.

'Tis sweet at early morn to hear the carols of the feathered songsters of the air.

'Tis sweet when fortune frowns upon you and you are almost ready to give up the battle of life, to have a friend to lift you out of the slough of despond, and place you on a pinacle of safety causing you to joyously exclaim "Richard is himself again."

'Tis sweet to receive the counsel of good and wise men, and sweeter still to profit thereby.

'Tis sweet I trow when a young man and maiden fair agree to glide down the river of life harmoniously together.

'Tis sweet to a youth who has wandered far from home, and in forbidden paths to return repentant and find a cordial welcome under the paternal roof.

And methinks 'twill be sweet beyond compare when life's fitful fever is over, and we go hence, to receive the welcome plaudit "well done" from him who dwells within the beautiful gate, and where the rose can never fade from the cheek and the light of life can never die out of the eye.

RAMBLER.

*Winstead, N. C., June 19th 1887.*

**Mill Creek.**

Last Sunday morning by 9 o'clock people were arriving from every direction at Mill Creek to attend the union of the neighboring Sunday Schools in various modes of travel, such as wagons, carriages, buggies, horse back and on foot, and by 11 o'clock there was on the ground at least 600 people.

About the first words uttered by each after arriving were, "Whew, how hot!"

The house would not begin to hold half the crowd, though every one seemed to be enjoying the occasion hugely, especially the young people. Those of the beautiful young ladies, for which Person county is noted, that failed to secure seats in church were seated in a buggy or carriage full of beaming and pleasant smiles with a gay and festive beau by her side. They, of course, were passing time away pleasantly.

The exercises were interesting, perfect and everything went on smoothly. The congregation was attentive and quiet.

The following is the programme.

Opened by singing.
Prayer by Rev. J. H. Lamberth.
Address of welcome by Mr. Thos. H. Street.
Singing.
Speech by Dr. John A. Geoghegan.
Singing.
Speech by Mr. Chas. T. Willson.
Singing.
Speech by Mr. R. C. Pugh.
Singing.
Speech by Mr. H. A. Foushee.
Singing.
Speech by Rev. J. H. Lamberth.
Collection: $24.

Thus closed the morning exercises and all repaired to the grove and sumptuously feasted on cakes, pies, cold biscuit and fried chicken. No better dinner was ever spread before any people.

EVENING EXERCISES.

Opened by singing.
Prayer by Mr. B. F. Gentry.
Sermon—by Rev. J. H. Lamberth—to the children.

The singing was very good and the speeches were short, well pointed and able. It was quite a pleasant time for both children and old people.

About 3 o'clock we pulled reins for Roxboro and with the exception of a few jolts and jars, for which you can imagine would be the result of riding in a two horse wagon over a rocky road, we reached here safe, sound, happy and well "shook up."

**Melange of Dots.**

It is said that Col. W. H. Sparks, of New Orleans, is author of the ancient and well known song, "Rossum the Beau," and it was first sung by his friend, Mr. Cox, who was a celebrated vocalist during the twenties. Col. Sparks is still living, and is now three score, ten and five years old. He wrote the song in 1826. John Rossum, a school teacher of note, inspired the lines.

It is said that on one occasion Daniel Webster, one of the trio of America's greatest Statesmen, sat at table amid a coterie of intellectual giants. A lively conversation ensued for a short time, when the following query was propounded to Mr. Webster by one of his friends. Mr. Webster, what has been the chief concern of your life? Dropping his head a moment, the giant Statesman replied, "My chief concern has been, my accountability to my Maker." Profound silence reigned for a few moments amid the brilliant party, ere conversation was resumed. Daniel Webster! We doubtless will never see thy like again.

It is said that a man can, by close attention to his own business, and the assertion is generally believed by a majority of mankind, and not interfere with that of his neighbor, nine times out of ten, acquire a competency in this sunny land of ours.

It is said by Marion F. Tupper that the blossoms of the heart once blighted buddeth not again.

It is said by ——— that the blossoms of the heart once blighted bud again but not so vigorously as at first.

It is said that a man who is wedded to the flowing bowl, will, if he persists in his satanic way for a series of years ere long sink into neglect and oblivion—die without the solace of pity or sorrow—and enter the grave, unwept, unhonored and unsung.

PHILANDER.

*Olive Hill, N. C., June 20th 1887.*

A fresh lot of groceries arrived at Pass & Clayton's.

**Tired and Languid Women.**

How many women are there of whom these words are true: "They feel languid and tired, hardly able to bear their weight on their feet, the bloom all gone from their cheeks, irratable and cross without meaning to be, nerves all upset, worried with the children, fretted over little things, a burden to themselves, and yet with no acute disease." What a pity it is. But a few bottles of Parker's Tonic will drive all this away, and relieve the troubles peculiar to their sex.

**Proceedings of Jail Building Committee.**

Pursuant to a special call the building committee heretofore appointed by the magistrates of said county met in the court house at 12 m. Present, J. A. Long, chairman, W. T. Noell, D. W. K. Richmond, T. H. Street, J. J. Brooks, G. A. Rogers, W. M. Falkner, W. P. Yancey and W. A. Blalock. After lengthy debate between the competitors for the building, to-wit: Col. John D. Fred, of Macon, Ga, C. W. Brown, Esq., of Hillsboro, N. C., and Mr. O'Briant, of Durham, N. C., the chair then declared the committee ready to receive bids according to plan 226 and specifications accompanying, said plan as exhibited by Col. John D Fred. After an intermission of two hours the above named gentlemen, contractors, returned with their sealed bids. On thorough examination the committee found that Col. John D. Fred had made and was in fact declared the lowest bidder for the erection of said building according to the plan 226 and according to the specifications to be and remain in the office of Board of County Commissioners. Thereupon his bid was accepted and the contract signed by the parties of the first and second part, for the sum $5,475. The said house to be erected on the old jail lot and in the corner of the new street to run across said lot and the street running west from the court house by the old jail and warehouse and to front the main street. J. A. Long, J. S. Merritt and S. P. Satterfield were constituted a committee to carry said contract into execution. There being no further business the board adjourned.

J. A. LONG, Chairman.
S. P. SATTERFIELD, Secretary.

**Long's X Roads Items.**

Watermelons and musk melons now in bloom.

Friend ———who has planted 350 hill of melons requests me to say to the readers of the COURIER that all who are competing for the premium in the melon line had better be looking to their laurels, as he is confident he will raise a watermelon during this season, if propitious showers attend us, that will tip the beam at fifty pounds.

Wheat harvest is nearly over and ten thousand thanks to Him who has taught us the more excellent way, for a bountiful yield.

On Sunday the 19th inst. you humble correspondent attended divine service at Lea's Chapel. The beloved pastor, Rev. L. L. Nash, gave the Sunday School a very excellent and interesting talk, and on the conclusion of which, he preached a very impressive sermon to an attentive congregation. His subject was, "The more excellent way of a Christian," his text being the 12th chapter, 31st verse 5th Corinthians.

We are all highly elated with the idea of a Railroad through our county in the near future, the consolidation has taken place, and that business is meant by powers that be:

Hip, hip, hurrah, hurrah, we cry,
We'll have a Railroad bye and bye.

PHINEAS.

*Long's X Roads, N. C., June 20th 1887.*

**Tribute of Respect.**

The brethren and sisters composing Mill Creek church wish to add to what Bethel and Olive Branch churches have said about the decease of their beloved pastor, Rev. John E. Montague,

*Resolved* 1. We believe God has removed him to a higher sphere of christian activity.

2. That in his departure, we feel that a good man has gone to his heavenly inheritance.

3. As children of God we humbly submit to the dealings of our Heavenly Father.

4. As our earthly union with him was sweet, we patiently await our heavenly meeting, hoping it may be sweeter.

MILL CREEK CHURCH.

**DIED.**

At her home last Monday morning June 20th, Mrs. Mary A. Wrenn, aged 55 years. She leaves seven children, five sons and two daughters, to mourn her departure. The neighborhood has lost a good neighbor and Mill Creek church a pure member. We recommend her virtues to all, as worthy of imitation, as she imitated Jesus.

PASTOR.

We regret to hear of the death of Mrs. Harvey Rountree who died last Saturday after a few days of intense suffering. She was buried at Little River church last Sunday evening. She has followed her husband who died about two years ago. One daughter is left alone to mourn her great loss.

Mrs. Thos. Wilkerson died last Sun- evening of consumption in her 35th year. Weep not, grieved ones, she has only been transplanted in the region of blissfulness where all sorrows and troubles are forever banished.

At the home of his father, Mr. J. L. Brooks, near Hester's Store, on the 14th inst., Mr. John L. Brooks died in his 18th year of typhoid fever, after a sickness of only two weeks. Just entering the gate of manhood and usefulness; loved, honored and respected by all thrown in his presence; a mere youth, it may be said, of rare intellect and cultured talents, a dutiful, loving and noble son; has passed away with no jolts of dreaded apprehension, and without one jar of ill fore-boding; smoothly, peacefully and triumphantly entered the tunnel of death without one incoming murmur, to await the reward treasured in heaven for him there. He died in full accord with the christian's hope. The bereaved parents, brother, and sisters have our deepest and sincerest heartfelt sympathy.

Mrs. Nancy Yancey, the venerable mother of Messrs. E. B. and P. H. Yancey died at the residence of the former last Sunday night. Her funeral took place at the Baptist church here Monday evening. Rev. J. M. Luck delivered a touching discourse and from her life of christian zeal and good works drew lessons of comfort and instruction. The family have the sympathy of the community in their bereavement.

The above is taken from the "Halifax Record" of the 17th inst. Mrs. Yancey was a native of this county and in her 84th year, but for sometime had been living in South Boston. She has many friends and relatives in this county to mourn her death and their irreparable loss. Truly she was a good woman, a thoroughly consecrated christian, and her death, or rather be it said her glorious translation from this life to the land of pure magnificence, was a splendid triumph of christianity over the terrors of the grave, revealing in all of its glorious lustre the beauty, the comfort, the blessedness and the raptuous wealth of the religion of Jesus.

## OBITUARY.

"Leaves have their time to fall
And flowers to fade at the north winds breath;
But thou hast all seasons for thine own, Oh! death."

There is a vacant chair in the house of our friend and neighbor, Thos. E. Wilkerson. Mrs. Mollie Wilkerson his beloved wife passed calmly away from the scenes of earth about 10:30 P. M. on the 19th inst. She died of that dread disease, consumption. She was about 35 years old, joined the Methodist church in Orange county in early life, and lived a consistent and christian life. When the sun had dipped low in the western horizon she called her dear husband and precious children to her bedside, bade them a final adieu after commending their spirits to Him who gave it. One of Mrs. Wilkerson's intimate friends informed the writer, that the deceased expressed herself as being fully prepared for an exchange of worlds. Her friends mourn not as those without hope for they confidently believe that her freed spirit has been borne ere this by a convoy of angels to Heaven, there to bask in the sun light of God and the Lamb forever.

AMICUS.

## BUSINESS LOCALS.

James W. Brandon, of Milton, has opened a Tonsorial Hall in the old Merritt & Co. cigar factory, where he is prepared to do work in the latest style and at reasonable prices. Satisfaction guaranteed. Only first class instruments used.

Mr. G o. Woody, of Person county, is with the Eagle Warehouse South Boston where he is enabled to guarantee his old friends the highest prices for tobacco. Try the Eagle with a load. 5 5 4t

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Prohibition does not prohibit—no matter what interested parties may say. You can buy the best and the cheapest of J. L. Stone, dealer in Sewing Machines, Furniture and Musical Instruments.

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apl 28 3 m.

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## NOTICE.

Having qualified as executor of the last will and testament of Matthew Brooks, dec'd, I hereby give notice to all persons indebted to said estate to make payment immediately, and persons having claims will present them within the time prescribed by law or this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery.

W. G. BRADSHER, Ex'r.
June 12th 1887.

## Notice

The following amount of fines collected from the Magistrates of Person county, from March 1st, to June 1st, 1887.

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| March 19th, 1887, John F. Woody, Esq. State vs. Francis Tally, | $ 3 00 |
| April 11th, 1887, H. H. Nichols, Esq. State vs Nutt and James, | 50 |
| April 11th, 1887, Wm. Blalock, Esq. State vs W. O Pearce, | 1 00 |
| April 11th, 1887, W. T. Noell, Esq. State vs Meadows and Carrington, | 2 00 |
| " " Thos. P. Day, | 1 00 |
| " " O. J. Kennedy, | 65 |
| " " Marion Kennedy, | 65 |
| " " Walker Cottran, | 65 |
| April 25th, 1887, H. H. Nichols, Esq. State vs. W. P. Satterfield, | 1 00 |
| April 25th, 1887, B. R. Yarbro, Esq, State vs Thos. Jacobs, | 5 00 |
| May 2nd, 1887, G. A. Jones, Esq, State vs E. C. Jacobs, | 1 50 |
| May 2nd, 1887, W. F. Timberlake, Esq, State vs S. S. Beasley, | 2 00 |
| May 2nd, 1887, G. G. Moore, Esq, State vs W. W. McCauless, | 2 00 |
| May 4th, 1887, E. N. Wilkerson, Esq, State vs Wm. Collins, | 5 00 |
| May 24th, 1887, S. A. Barnett, Esq. State vs C. C. Lawson, | 1 00 |
| Total amount reported, | $ 25 00 |

5-9-4t S. B. WINSTEAD, Treasurer.


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## Notice.

By an order of the Superior court I will offer for sale on Saturday the 9th of July, at the court house door in Roxboro, a certain tract of land, known as the James Bradsher Tract, in Bushy Fork township, containing 38 acres, more or less. Terms: $75 cash, balance six months credit with bond and security, with interest from date. Title retained until full purchase money is paid. This May 16th, 1887.

5 19 4t D. W. BRADSHER, Comm'r.

## Land Sale Notice.

By virtue of an order of the Superior Court the undersigned will sell at public auction at the court house door in Roxboro on the first Monday July 1887 a certain lot of land in Person county adjoining the lands of Mrs. Mattie Rhen, James Rhen, David Hicks and others. Terms one half cash, balance in six months at 8 per cent. Title retained until payment of purchase money in full. This the 9th of May 1887.

JAMES RHEU.
Lunsford, attorney. 5 12 4t.


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In spite of its more or less complicated character, the Judge's Grand World Contest, just ended has proven a great success. By it Judge Ins enlisted over 400 energetic, spirited and intelligent workers for the Grant Fund, has materially swelled the total previously received through the Grant Monument Committee by the contribution of a good sized check, and has in addition divided $600 among eight successful and happy puzzle workers, as a reward for their labor and ingenuity. Judge now inaugurates a second contest of an even more popular character than the first—a contest in which every school child can engage and stand an equal chance with older competitors.

Every person who, in conformance with governing rules, sends to the Judge Grant Fund, on or before June 15th, 1887 (12 o'clock noon), 50 cents and the names of the eleven most popular living men in America will be entitled to participate in the contest. The money thus received will be appropriated as follows:

Twenty five cents will be at once credited to the Grant Fund.

The remaining twenty five cents, after defraying the legitimate expenses of advertising will be placed in a common fund to be divided equally among the six competitors having the fullest list of the most popular people as indicated by a majority of all the lists sent in. The new contest is, in fact, based upon the principles of an election, each competitive paper virtually acting in the nature of a ballot, and the six lists containing the greatest number of the eleven names shown to be the most popular by a majority of all the lists will be the successful prize papers.

The magnitude of the prizes will depend on the amount of money received, or in other words on the number of competitors. The names and contributions of competitors will be acknowledged and the progress of the fund shown from week to week in Judges Governing rules in this week's Judge, or circulars mail on receipt of postage. Requests for copies of paper must be accompanies by ten cents. Address,

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