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We had two good showers of rain last week and the other Friday.

There is [illegible] there are a [illegible] name is forthcoming our fate.

They say that [illegible] one is incensed [illegible] when he looks [illegible] nonably dressed [illegible]

A revenue of [illegible] impose a tax on female legislation should [illegible] would soon be a great [illegible]

It is said that the [illegible] 760,000,000,000 nine [illegible] That is almost as far [illegible] Grady or John [illegible] of Lenoir county.

The steamer Kinston carried a crowd picnicing to Belvidere Saturday last Wednesday. Everybody went even the nationals had mag-nificent Kinston took steerage passage.

J. G. Haynes and James Watkins, well to do farmers, living in Woodington township, Lenoir county, died last week of pneumonia. They were in the prime of life, and their deaths were unlooked for.

The town government is now fully organized, with I. A. Mewborne, sr., as mayor, Ben Smith constable, and W. T. Hart night policeman. The new mayor says he intends to see "how the cat jumps" for the next twelve months.

Dr. H. D. Harper united in matrimony with Miss Georgie W. Sutton and Miss Nannie B. Taylor, at the residence of her father, Mr. G. G. Taylor, in Woodington township, on the 11th instant. No cards, no cake, no minister's fee. The world was sad, but the garden was a wild.

Our new chief magistrate had three cases before him last Monday morning, the same having been turned over by his "illustrious predecessor." Our military mayor, at this time, being in good humor with all Kinston, suspended judgment on payment of costs. The boys know how to "set 'em up" and go easy.

It is said that one of our candidates for sheriff is dropping in the church contribution plate holy nickels. The Lord, we are told, loves the cheerful giver, and this contributor, besides what he saves in this world by getting off at four uncurrent money, will probably claim the reversion the Lord has promised the cheerful giver.

Learn a trade, young man. It will give you a solid foundation on which to begin life. You may as well attempt to erect a house on sandy soil without foundations as to build a career without some practical knowledge. It is a fact that there are nearly as many young men in the penitentiaries of this country learning trades as there are outside of them.

The Kinston Base Ball Club and the La Grange Club contested last Saturday, at La Grange, for the championship. The former got badly beaten—15 to 4. The Kinston Club gracefully yielded to the La Grange Club in the matter of being soldier and base ball. Monday can fan [illegible] the La Grange crowd on a tin horn and [illegible] serenade.

The people of this country are on the [illegible] about education. The great English critic, John Ruskin, has made a fierce attack on the proposition to educate everybody. "Children," he says, should learn neither reading nor writing, for there are very few people in the world who do any good by it. Whatever foolish people read does them harm, and nothing can prevent this for fool attracts folly as decayed meat attracts flies."

None of the candidates for sheriff exactly suit our "old campaigner," Lewis Grady. He has just nominated himself for sheriff and will call upon the people of the county like Davy Crockett, with a jug of whiskey on one shoulder and a box of tobacco on the other. With these trappings, if he was also "darned ugly," having shaved off Burnside, he might become a formidable candidate.

The unterrified Democracy had a big rollification last Tuesday night over the election. Col. Moses and the commissioners jubilated and frank they loved it. This election [illegible] by our Democratic friends [illegible] of national importance be- [illegible] they do there are now but [illegible] in the Democratic ladder, [illegible] and Tilden—a continuance that shall "eclipse the gay [illegible] nations."

The Reformed Minist, E. S. Laughinghouse, [illegible] old road engine last Friday [illegible] and steamed up and down [illegible] to the infinite astonishment [illegible] citizens. A countryman, [illegible] great faith in the possibilities [illegible] new mayor, seeing the strange [illegible] exultingly exclaimed "Uncle's run [illegible] knew Col. Moses would soon put [illegible] ahead of all other North Carolina towns—running street cars before [illegible] mayor a week.

Kinston College Commencement [illegible] Tuesday, June 3d, and closes Thursday, June 5th, 1884. Commencement week of this institution has always been a gala week in Kinston, drawing out everybody from the country as well as from the town. The exercises are always pleasing and instructive, and strike deeply into the popular heart. T. B. Kingsbury, Esq., of the Washington *Star*, delivers the annual address at 11 o'clock, Thursday June 5th, and the public may prepare for a rich treat of interest and instruction.

The ladies of the Episcopal church held a most enjoyable strawberry festival at Kinston [illegible] Friday evenings. The delicious strawberries, and [illegible] profusely abounded as [illegible] ever, as they always [illegible] sions. Seventy-nine [illegible] ized for the benefit [illegible] occasion was rendered especially pleasant and interesting by the [illegible] graceful assistance given by Miss Blount of Beaufort and Miss Mary Smallwood of New Berne.

A pair of $75 Maltese [illegible] from Boston, Massachusetts, through Kinston last [illegible] signed to Anthony [illegible] Hill, N. C. Pink Hillers are famous for [illegible] goats, Plymouth Rocks, Pekin ducks, Italian geese and Maltese cats. They look like, in the matter of fowls, Pink Hillers are somewhat [illegible] if not rankey. Fifteen [illegible] Boston sale. It is said [illegible] at now that the Massachusetts people earnestly seek to [illegible] with North Carolina [illegible] paying customers.

Matches [illegible] manufactured and are [illegible] next to be annihilated [illegible] that repulsing and [illegible] about which [illegible] know of [illegible] the matches [illegible] the [illegible] the [illegible] that the people would marry [illegible] grow [illegible] wine [illegible] new [illegible] and [illegible] Moses were [illegible] Thursday [illegible] before Judge [illegible] ceration of [illegible]

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Special Inducements.

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The first brick in the new school building was laid Tuesday by Miss Laura Sutton, she being the youngest female pupil in the school.

Pamlico Superior court convenes next week, Judge Gudger presiding. Our man C. C. Taylor will be on hand prepared to receipt for the JOURNAL.

Mr. H. J. Bozick advertises in this issue a fountain beer. Those who have tried it bear testimony to its purity and its beneficence as a healthy beverage.

The railroad hands have commenced ballasting the track passing through the town, and [illegible] what remains of them will be taken up as [illegible] possible.

Kinston College commencement will [illegible] on June 3rd, 4th and 5th at Lofton's Academy. Italian string band [illegible]

Dr. W. [illegible] Mr. [illegible] his monthly appointment here Sunday morning [illegible] Sunday night. Next Sunday morning [illegible] Sunday night.

Archibald [illegible] Kinston [illegible] Mr. Troy Sutton [illegible] the [illegible] Sanks, we found the [illegible] Bank in excellent [illegible] [illegible] the question of the [illegible] a prize [illegible] Many [illegible] experiments have proven the [illegible] to be an excellent fertilizer.

Mrs. Nancy Casay was [illegible] the third time, before a jury last Thursday, on [illegible] mental condition. Jury No. [illegible] she was not insane; jury No. [illegible] was insane, and jury No. [illegible] she is not insane. She now [illegible] care of her property which has been [illegible] care of a guardian for some time.

Old wine in new bottles [illegible] means of F. V. Fields" acknowledged by W. Rouse [illegible]. Not being [illegible] to [illegible] what we were at a loss to [illegible] not remember Paul said: [illegible] Take now a little wine for thy stomach's sake, and thine oft infirmities." We infirm and use the wine [illegible] it is an excellent quality. Try it.

Sheriff Davis was here [illegible] on official business, and [illegible] ing after future political prospects. He says he is carrying a new and [illegible] which, novel campaign [illegible] Holy Scriptures which [illegible] townsman, R. B. Kinsey, [illegible] of the campaign" jugs and [illegible] kins recommended it. [illegible] sheriff has come to the [illegible] Testament; his opponent [illegible] to their interests.

We were shown a few days ago, a Spanish silver quarters of the dates 1709, 1775 and 1792 and a 64 cent piece of the date of 1749. Attached to these was a six shell which together with the coins have been in the family of William Isler, of Jones county, for six generations, the coins and shell having been in the possession of Mrs. B. A. Sasser of Sand Hill township, Jones county, when I. Worth [illegible] township.

The *Baptist Record* has its back up over the action of the Trustees of the Hookerton Graded School in [illegible] the [illegible] for [illegible] there were [illegible] and [illegible] right [illegible] struct [illegible] and citizens of that community [illegible] the church and [illegible] them of the privilege [illegible] or was this not [illegible] matter. [illegible] or recognize any such [illegible] this matter.

Though comparatively few teachers were present at the Lenoir County Teachers Association held Saturday in the Collegiate Institute building, the meeting was a very pleasant and agreeable one. An essay on [illegible] ness committee were [illegible] porting subjects [illegible] the next meeting. [illegible]

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