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THURSDAY, JUNE 29, 1893.

PUBLISHER'S NOTICE.

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LOCAL ADVERTISEMENTS.—1 cent a word for each insertion

Charges for local advertising due weekly

Rules adopted by the N. C. Press Association April 27, 1893.

The sum of not less than five cents per line will be charged for "cards of thanks," "resolutions of respect" and "obituary poetry"; also for obituary notices other than those which the editor himself shall give as a matter of news.

Notices of church and society and all other entertainments from which revenue is to be derived will be charged for at the rate of five cents a line.

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Fairbank's Copco Bath Soap at
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Nice lot of black eyed peas at
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I will supply the town with ice this season at a low price. With a good ice house at Stillwell hotel, I am prepared to fill all orders promptly. I solicit the patronage of the public.
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J. L. KITCHIN & CO.
Having rented the Scotland Neck Merchant Mill, will give prompt attention to grinding Corn, Wheat, Sawing, Planing and Ginning Cotton.
Scotland Neck, N. C. April 5, 189.

Notice,
The School Committee of District No (Scotland Neck Township) will meet in my office on the 8th day of July. All applicants for positions as teachers will file their applications then, and all patrons of the schools will please appear then and consult with the committee as to best time open the school, &c.
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Fifty cents is a small doctor bill, but that is all it will cost you to cure an ordinary case of rheumatism if you use Chamberlain's Pain Balm. Try it and you will be surprised at the prompt relief it affords. The first application will quiet the pain. 50 cent bottles for sale by E. T. Whitehead & Co.

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NEWSY 'GRAPHS.

HERE AND ELSEWHERE—WISE AND OTHERWISE

The wheelmen of the town took a turn to Palmyra and back last Saturday afternoon.

AN EPIDEMIC OF DYSENTERY.—News comes that there is an epidemic of dysentery around Rich Square. Several persons have died of the disease in that section.

HALF TIME.—Mr. A. E. Pope of Spring Hill remarked a few days ago that he had not worked more than half the time this season, by reason of the rain.

HEALTHFULNESS.—The physicians here say this has been the healthiest year, so far, that there has been in a long time. Our town is usually healthy, but it has been unusually so this year.

LIGHTNING MEN.—There is a four year old child in town, who calls a man, smoking a cigar at night, a lightning man. We see the analogy, and doubtless the child did.

GROWN CHILDREN.—We saw the other night an eight year old boy and a ten year old one going to call on some girls. We were struck with the marvelous progress of the age; because when we were that age, we were afraid to go.

DIED.—Mr. W. H. Coman, of Rich Square, died last Friday. He was a young man and well known here. His mother and sisters live in Scotland Neck and but a few days ago he made fair for long life. He died of dysentery, which is epidemic in that community.

COMING TO TOWN.—We hear of several families who intend coming to town soon to get the advantage of the good schools of the place. Let us make room for them some how. We want as many good citizens as can come. We will give a hearty welcome to all.

ICE FAMINE.—Something of a famine in the ice line has been raging for a day or two. While it may be no fault of the ice dealers, still it is very inconvenient to those who have become so accustomed to that luxury that they almost look upon it as a necessity.

USE LIME.—There can be no wiser precaution against disease from now until frost than to keep the premises well cleaned and well limed. Every person ought to keep a barrel of lime off the premises and occasionally sprinkle it around the damp places about the yard and under the house.

104 YEARS.—Mr. P. E. Smith last week surveyed some land for Judge Clark that had not been surveyed in 104 years. When he finished the survey he came out within 10 feet of the traditional corner. Pretty good following a line which was made 104 years ago.

NEW INDUSTRIES.—It is true that the financial situation is somewhat critical now; but we think that some new enterprises could be commenced for Scotland Neck. The more enterprises there are the less we will feel the stringency of money matters. During the summer is a good time to talk it up. Who will start?

CIGARETTE FRIENDS.—We noticed that in the Lizzie Borden trial, the evidence of two young men was distrusted because they were the slaves of the cigarette habit. That shows the way the wind of popular favor is blowing. We believe the time is coming when the tobacco habit among boys will be looked upon as disgraceful. We have as few of that class in town as anywhere in the state.

CHICKENS KILLED BY LIGHTNING.—One day last week while a thunder cloud was passing, lightning struck in Mr. E. K. Hassell's poultry yard near his house and killed 8 chickens. Mr. Hassell's family were all out but came in before the chickens were cold. The lightning struck a post near where the chickens had gone to roost, and some of the chickens were slightly singed.

THE CROPS.—The crops up to ten or fifteen days ago looked very promising but the heavy rains caused so much delay in work that the neglect of work and the added disadvantage of the grass, have injured them very much. While the crops have lost some already, with good weather and proper seasons the prospect is still fair. But no reasonable estimate can be made this early in the year.

THE UNIVERSITY.—The rapid and wholesome growth of the University is a matter for State pride and rejoicing. In two years the student roll has grown from 198 to 316. $20,000 worth of repairs is being made on the buildings this summer; water works, baths, etc, are being supplied. The scholarship of the institution is being recognized everywhere as equal to that of the leading Universities, and soon we shall have in North Carolina the great Southern University. See advertisement.

Big lot of five cent Lorns at
J. D. Ray's.

Ladies' Slippers and Low Cut Shoes must go.
N. B. Josey.

Pallor, languidness, and the appearance of ill health being no longer fashionable among ladies, Ayer's Sarsaparilla is more largely resorted to as a tonic alterative, nervine, stomachic, and builder-up of the system generally. This is as it should be. Ayer's is the best.

REV. R. R. DAY.—Rev. M. Day's sermons in the Baptist church Sunday were well received. He will fill pastor Vann's pulpit every Sunday until August and conduct the Wednesday night prayer meetings.

MAJ. EMRY'S FIRST BLOOM.—The Weldon correspondent to the Richmond Dispatch June 26th says: "The first cotton bloom of the season was handed your correspondent by Maj. T. L. Emry. The bloom is two days earlier than the earliest ever known in this section before."

FEW PRESCRIPTIONS.—Messrs. E. T. Whitehead & Co., our clever druggists, say that they have never seen a June in which they filled so few prescriptions as they have during this month. This is an indication that the health of the town and community is unusually good.

Sunday-school Meeting.

Mr. W. C. Whitaker of Enfield, will be in Scotland Neck, Monday night July 3rd to hold a meeting looking to the organization of Scotland Neck township Sunday-school association. All Sunday-school workers are requested to attend and the general public invited. Meeting will be held perhaps in Temperance Hall.

A Literary Sensation.

"Uncle Tom's Cabin" has certainly "broke loose"! The copyright on this most famous of American novels, by Mrs. Stowe, has recently expired, which frees its publication from the monopoly of the high-priced publishers, and though in anticipation of this fact they have greatly reduced its price, now that it is really "unchained" the consequences are something surprising. John B. Alden, Publisher, of New York, issues several editions, selling them only direct (not through agents or book sellers) one in good type, paper covers, for 5 cents, sent post paid, or the same bound in cloth for 10 cents with postage 7 cents extra; also an excellent large type edition, on fine paper, handsomely bound in cloth for the price of 25 cents, postage 10 cents. Surely a copy of "Uncle Tom's Cabin" will soon be found in every house where it is not already. Mr. Alden sends a 32-page pamphlet describing many of his publications free, or a catalogue of 128 pages of choice books, a veritable "literary gold mine" for book-lovers, for 2 cents. Address JOHN B. ALDEN, Publisher, 57 Rose St., New York.

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The teachers are selected with the very greatest care—each being selected for the special work which she can best do. The following noted schools are represented in the Faculty: Wake Forest College, N. C., the Sauveur School of Languages of the North, the Western Seminary of Ohio, one of the Brooklyn Schools of Physical Culture—all of these in Literary Department. In charge of the Music Department is a pupil of the Royal Conservatory of Berlin, Germany, while the vocal teacher received her training in a celebrated Philadelphia Conservatory. The Art Department will be in charge of an accomplished North Carolina Artist who is just completing a very extended course in the great Cooper Union Art School, of N. Y., and under the best masters of the city.

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Strong Endorsement.

AULANDER, N. C., May 24th, 1893.

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My beloved wife, who died April 9th 1893 also carried a policy in the Union Central; and while no earthly thing can take her place with me or any amount of money amend for my loss in her death, I freely give my endorsement to the company in which she was insured, and which promptly paid the claim.

The proofs of my wife's death were sent to the State agent at Raleigh May 8. They were forwarded and reached the home office in Cincinnati, I learned, May 11th, and the check which came to me in payment of the claim was drawn May 18. I receipted for it May 24th, and can safely say that I have implicit faith in the company, and know from personal experience that it is as prompt in payment of claims as any company in the land.

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PERSONALS.

Mr. R. L. Harris went to Goldsboro to rest and recuperate.

Mr. C. T. Currie of Tillery was here Tuesday.

Mr. R. H. Smith went to Raleigh Monday.

Mr. C. A. Whitehead came up from Greenville Saturday.

Mr. J. C. Pittman spent some days here last week.

Mr. Harry Kitchin returned to Portsmouth Monday.

Mrs. Dr. W. R. Wood went to Raleigh Monday.

Rev. W. J. Smith has gone to Northampton county for a few days.

Rev. W. J. Smith went to Raleigh Monday to attend the Episcopal convention.

Mr. E. F. Easly, travelling agent for the News & Observer, was in town last week.

Miss Sallie Baker of Florida, who has been visiting relatives here left Monday.

Miss Mary Herbert Smith has been in Raleigh several days visiting relatives and friends.

Mr. G. W. Bryan went to Rocky Point Saturday on a visit to relatives.

Miss Emma Austin of Tarboro is visiting the family of Mr. B. D. Gray. She rides a bicycle very gracefully.

Dr. Fries and Mr. Milnar, of the North Carolina Lumber Co, at Tillery, were in town Sunday.

Mr. J. C. Caddell, travelling agent for the Biblical Recorder, spent Tuesday in town.

Mr. Taylor, manager of the Kinston knitting mills, was in town Tuesday.

Mr. W. W. Kitchin and wife of Roxboro have been among the visitors at Morehead City this week.

Mrs. Dr. C. C. Christian of Virginia is on a visit to her father's family. Her friends are glad to greet her.

Mr. Ira Shaw of Old Sparta, Edgecombe county, has been here on a visit several days to his father's family.

Mr. W. H. Day, of Murfreesboro, spent Sunday and Monday here visiting the family of Dr. McDowell.

It has been remarked that Judge Walter Clark, of the Supreme Court will give the lectures in the law department at Wake Forest.

Rev. Mr. Day from Wake Forest preached in the Baptist church Sunday morning and night. He will supply for pastor Vann until August.

Mr. James Branch, who has been suffering with his eye very much for several days, went to Richmond Monday to see Dr. White.

Dr. F. W. Whitehead who recently graduated in medicine in Baltimore, has located in Scotland Neck and has an office with Dr. W. O. McDowell.

Prof. Joseph Kinsey, president of the King's Female Seminary at La Grange, spent a day in town, last week. He is one of the livest educators in the State.

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On Wednesday, July 12th, 1893, at Smith's Saw Mill, near Knight's Township No 3, Edgecombe county, I will sell at public auction for cash to the highest bidder, one Saw Mill, Engine and Boiler, and other personal property used with said mill.

This sale is made by virtue of a decree of the Superior court of Halifax county, in the case of C. T. Lawrence vs S. W. Smith.

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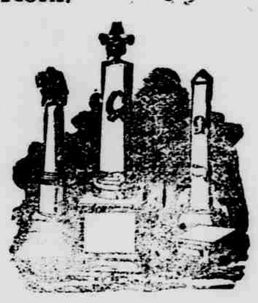

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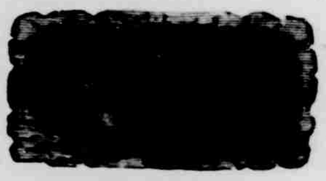

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