The Commonwealth. THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 6, 19,0

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"Get The Pick" Is good advice in anything; and so the first selections from our Mammoth Stock of Goods will be the best. We propose to treat all our customers with the best considerations possible, and so wish all to have a chance at the first

Yours to serve,

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TRAMP KILLED.—Persons at Halifax Monday said that a tramp was killed by a train at Weldon Monday morning.

PRISONERS IN JAIL .- It was learned at the court house Monday that there are 43 prisoners in jail awaiting trial at the October term of criminal court.

Rev. J. E. Underwood, presidng elder, will preach in the Methodist Morrisette Bros. church here next Sunday and will hold Quarterly Conference Monday morn-

LITTLETON FEMALE COLLEGE advertised in this paper begins its 18th annual session September 19th. The past session was by very much the most successful in the history of the

SAYS WILL HAVE A PEANUT FACTO-RY.-Solicitor W. E. Daniel, of Wel- in town this week. don, said at Halifax Monday that Weldon will have a peanut factory. What is the matter with Scotland Neck? Something like that was slated for us some time ago, but we have heard very little about it recently.

FEMALE ACADEMY OPENED .- VIDE Hill Female Academy opened its fall session Tuesday. All the teachers were in their places, and Principal Bagley says the opening fully came up to his expectations. There are others to enter yet, and the principal would like to have all as early as possible, so that classes can start together.

THE WELL SHELTERED .- The people of Halifax have put a very nice and suitable shelter over the new well in the court yard at Halifax. The well is a great convenience to the public. Everybody can get a good cool drink of water when he pleases and water his horse likewise. THE COMMONWEALTH interested in the contest, but does not yet regret urging the commissioners to make the well, notwithstand cerns for the most part the ing the county is a little hard up now and then.

#### Death Of Mr. James S. Darden.

At his home in Scotland Neck, at 6 p. m. August 29th, after a wasting illness of several weeks from malarial fever, Mr. James S. Darden departed from this life to enter into rest. Having declared his faith in his merciful Savior, he was baptized, and received into the Episcopal church a little while before his death. "Him that cometh to me I will in no wise wise cast out." Thus speaks the Lord

Mr. Darden was born in Plymouth, Washington Co., N. C., the 22nd of August, 1859, and he spent many to teach. years of his youth and early manhood on a farm and in the loving care of his mother and sisters; and in that noble service made himself the "victor over all that tyranny or fortune can inflict.'

Mr. Darden has left two brothers and three sisters; a wife and two little children; and a goodly number of sympathizing friends, who lament their loss, but the grief of his wife can find

no expression in words. He was interred in the Episcopal cemetery with the comforting rites of the Episcopal church, Aug. 30th at about 6 p. m. in the presence of a large

Life has for us many painful surprises and bereavments, and we know not their approach, it is often so stealthy, till we put ourselves in the grasp of the swift inexorable current of the river of time, whose waves sweep over us, and bear away our hearts' treasures into that mysterious silence from whence they return no more. And our consolation must be that in a little while, we too, shall enter that realm, to see and to know the things that now

number of his sorrowing friends.

## Letter TO Mrs. M. A. Shields.

G. W. P.

SCOTLAND NECK N. C.

are hidden from us.

Dear Madam :-- If we have the honor of numbering you among the people who have used the L. & M. Paint we feel certain that you will have told your neighbors of its good qual-

Tell them and tell them again, for fear they'll forget. Where you need here visiting friends and relatives, who 10 gallons of any other paint to paint a house, 6 gallons of L. & M. Paint mixed with 4 gallons of Linseed Oil lead. Add cost of paint and oil and A. Brantley. He is prepared to do it see how cheaply you've bought 10 gal lons of paint.

Place us under futher obligations by requesting them to go to Messrs. E. T Whitehead & Co. Yours Sincerely,

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Halifax Water Analyzed.

The water from the new well in the court house yard in Halifax shows the following analysis by the North Carolina Department of Agriculture at Ral-

Solid matter in solution per gallon 10.60 Hardness Equivalent to calcium Chlorine Free ammonia Albuminoid ammonia Nitrogen as Nitrates

Nitrites none. Good, pure water.

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STITUTES. THE GENUINE BOTTLE PERRY DAVIS & SON,

### "LAST OF THE MOHICANS."

AST SUMMER OF THE 19TH CENTURY PASSES AWAY-FOLKS OF THE DAY.

Mr. Claude Kitchin went to Raleigh Wednesday.

Mr. Clarence Riddick is clerking for

Miss Mattie Cotten has returned from Baltimore. Mr. Thos. McGee, of Goldsboro, wa

in town last week. Miss Margaret Bowers is visiting friends in Enfield.

Miss Blanche Lawrence is visiting friends in Winton. Mr. T. W. Fenner, of Halifax, was

Miss Debbie Walston, of Coneto, was in town Thursday.

Mr. C. P. Simmons, of Rocky Mount was in town last week.

Mrs. C. A. Camp and mother are in Parmele visiting friends. Mrs. J. C. Mullen, of Tillery, came

Monday to visit relatives. Miss Maude Edwards is keeping

books for Morrisette Bros. Mr. and Mrs. Richard Kinion came up from Greenville Friday.

Miss Emily Sawyer is home from a visit to friends in Williamston.

Mr. J. D. Bloushall, of Raleigh spent two days here last week.

Mr. G. S. White left Monday for northern markets to purchase goods. Mrs. W. H. White left Friday for New York to purchase tall millinery.

Mesdames Wilson Allsbrook and R. J. Madry went to Gaston Wednesday. Mr. H. A. Pope, of Littleton spent a

day or two in the community last week Miss Hattie Bell spent a few days last week visiting friends in Boykin,

Mr. L. T. Allsbrook was home from Richmond last week visiting his par-

Tuesday to visit his brother, Mr. R. L. man, Grace and Eva Pope, Hulda Mr. O. K. Taylor. For awhile they re-

Mr. W. L. Harrell and little daugh. ter, of Hamilton, spent a day in town Miss Sallie Collins Smith left Tues-

day for Atlanta, Ga., where she goes Miss Alethia Marks has accepted a

position as saleslady for Mess. White Col. A. L. Smith, of Charlotte, was

in town last week shaking hands with Miss Emma Vaughan returned to Whitakers Thursday after visiting her

parents here. Miss Lucy Glover, of Northampton county, is here visiting her sister, Mrs.

. B. Vaughan. Miss May Howard returned to her home in Speed Friday after a visit to

Miss Alma Speed. accepted a position in Mr. O. A. Snipes' tonsorial parlors.

Rev. O. Ryder is home from the western part of the state where he spent his yaction.

Dr. J. R. Pope and daughter, Miss Ruth, left Wednesday for Baltimore and Niagara Falls.

Dr. B. L. Long was up from Hamilton a day last week. His friends were

pleased to see him. Mr. and Mrs. Offie Thorne and Miss Sarah Fountain, of Rocky Mount, are

here visiting relatives. Mrs. A. M. Riddick left Monday for New York and other northern points

to purchase millinery. Miss Kate Fenner, of Baltimore, is

are pleased to see her. Mrs. Howard Wiswall, of Beaufort

will do the work better than white county, came Friday to visit the family of Mr. J. A. Perry. Mr. Robert Gray returned to Wil-

liamston Tuesday to resume his studies in Prof. Wilson's school. Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Taylor, of Rocky

Mount, were over Friday attending the funeral of Mrs. O. K. Taylor. Miss Melissa Congleton returned to

visit to Miss Eva Pritchard. Mr. and Mrs. K. C. Taylor, of Nash county, were here last week attending

the funeral of Mrs. O. K. Taylor.

Mrs. L. L. Draughan, of Edgecombe county, passed through Friday on her way to Greenville to visit relatives.

Mrs. Hyman returned to her home in Hamilton Friday after a visit to her daughter, Mrs. W. F. Butterworth. Miss Mable Rasberry returned Fri-

Miss Rosalind Rountree returned to her home in Greenville Friday after visiting Miss Annie Kitchin a few

The One Day Gold Gure.

Hon. W. W. Kitchin and family eft Monday for their home in Roxboro after a visit to Mr. Kitchin's parents

Mr. G. Hoffman returned Monday from a visit to Rocky Mount. Mr. Hoffman went over to Rocky Mount

Mrs. W. H. Scott and daughter, Miss Effie, of Richmond, came Friday to visit their relatives in town and com

Miss Pearl Jenkins returned Friday rom Warrenton and resumes her position as art teacher in Vine Hill Female Academy. Miss Emma Hancock, of Lewiston,

She went to Weldon Monday to visit Mrs. S. D. Hancock. meeting at Mullens Friday night. things in case she should die.

was here last week visiting friends

and one or two additions to the church. Miss Mattie Whitehurst returned to her home in Tarboro Saturday. She was accompanied by Miss Louise Haskett, who is on a return to her home in Southport.

Messrs. Stewart Hall, Gilbert Smith, Emerson Weeks, and Eddie Dunn left Monday, and Mr. W. L. L. Hall Tuesday for Raleigh where they enter the A. & M. College.

Dr. J. D. Hutham, of Henderson, for to conduct the burnal service. preached in the Baptist church Sunday night. His acdience was large and the people gladly greeted him as old the Episcopal cemetery, where the pastor of the church.

Mr. Walter Smith returned to hi home in Brooklyn Saturday after visit ing his parents. Walter has many friends here who wish him much success in the "city of churches."

Rey. W. A. Ayers, of Bethel, was in own a day last week. Mr. Ayers has for some time been pastor of Bethel Baptist church but now has accepted the pastorate of the Hertford Baptist

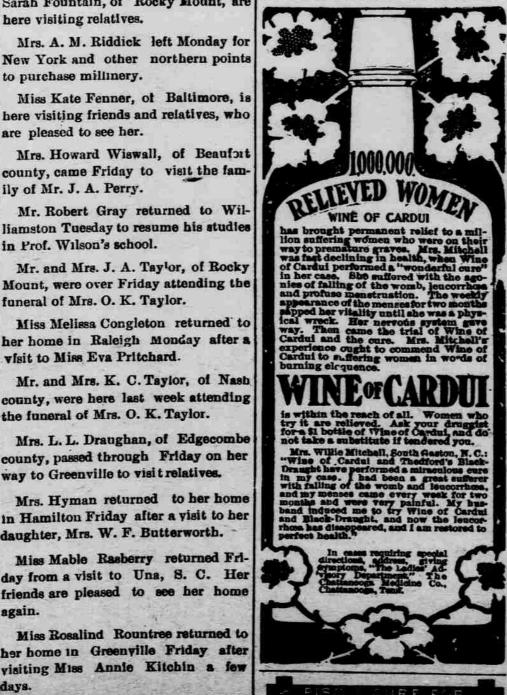
Josey and Minnie Lewis.

Miss Patton, cf Nova Scotia, Can., came Saturday to visit Miss Sadie Perry a day before going to Raleigh to re- with five children, all living, the sume her position as teacher in the youngest being two years old. Of her Monday accompanied by Miss Sadie husband and children, mother and eis-Perry who also has gone to take her ter, Mrs. R. C. Josey. position in the same institution.

Rev. J. S. Corpening, of Washington, N. C., addressed the Baptist Young People's Union last Friday night on the study of the Bible. His address was finished with fine thought, well delivered and greatly enjoyed by his audience. He is one of the leading and is doing a good work.

Rev. M. L. Kesler, wife and children came over from Rocky Mount Tuesday. to many of the people. The members faithful wife, a fond and tender mother, of his church and the people of the she has passed up to her glorious re-Mr. R. L. Charles, of Old Point, has town generally give Mr. and Mrs. Kesler a warm welcome and wish them great success and much joy in the work | which can never be filled as she filled upon which they enter.

Rev. C. J. F. Anderson, who has been elected by the Foreign Mission Board of the Southern Baptist convention to go as a missionary to Rome, Italy, preached in the Baptist church here last Sunday morning. His sermon was on missions, and was greatly enjoyed by the congregation. Mr. Anderson is is gladdened by the coming of one for a young man of talent and will do a great work in Italy. He preached in the afternoon at Mullens.



Death of Mrs. O. K. Taylor.

It is seldom that any community so saddened as was Scotland Neck last Thursday when the shocking news came that Mrs. O.K. Taylor was dead. She left her home here 16th of August and went to Wilson for special treatment. She remainded there two weeks and on Wednesday, August 29, she underwent a serious operation from which she died Thursday night August 30th.

Her husband went over to Wilson with his little son, Bruce, Tuesday, the day before the operation, and found Mrs. Taylor in fairly good spirits. Her physicians were hopeful of a successfu operation and so was she, but she seemed to have some borebodings of death Rev. B. Craig, of Tarboro, closed his and gave instructions about certain

There were several professions of faith Thursday Mrs. W. A. Dunn was telgraphed for and went to the bedside of her dying coustn. Her husband and two of her children, Neda and Bruce, and Mrs. Dunn were with her in her last hours.

> The body was brought home Friday morning at 9 o'clock and remained in the parlor until 5:30 in the after-Dr. Hufham of Henderson, who

> baptized her into the Baptist church here some years ago, was telegraphed A 5:30 o'clock the long procession moved slowly from the residence to

body was laid to rest near the grave of her father, the late D. Edmondson. Dr. Hufham read the Scriptures, Rev. O. Ryder, pastor of the Methodist church here, offered prayer; and while the grave was being filled friends sang 'How firm a Foundation," and as the sun was setting the new-made mound was literally covered with sweet

beautiful flowers as a token

of the warm affection in which the deeased was held by all. Mrs. Minnie Taylor was born June The following young ladies left Tues- 24th, 1867, was the second daughter day for Raleigh to attend the Baptist of D. Edmondson and Mary Edmondsided in Whitakers, Mr. Taylor's old home, but later come to live in Scot- "Greater Weldon and a flourishing a matter of time when she must die. land Neck. The marriage was blessed Baptist Female University. She left immediate family Mrs. Taylor left her

She was young and beautiful and was the embodiment of womanly loveliness. She was highly accomplished and her life was one unbroken charm of a noble christian womanhood. She and her christian character and exam- sible; if not possible for you, then in ple were a blessing to her own family young men in the Baptist ministry, and to the community in which she

and admirers away from Scotland Neck, Mr. Kesler is the new pastor of the and in her home community all who Baptist church here and is well known knew her loved her. A lovely daughter, ward, and leaves a vacancy in the home, the church and the community it. In all her broad acquaintance there was no one to say ought against her; but she was well beloved by all from her childhood, as a young lady, a bride, a mother, a neighbor and a

In Ler death earth is robbed of one of its brightest and best, but heaven whom the house of "many mansions"

THE COMMONWEALTH joins in heartfelt sympathy for all who are so sorely

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CATARRH OF THE PELVIC ORGANS.

Mrs. Eliza Wike says: "I would be in writes: "About two years ago I had die my grave now if it had not been for your ease of the kid-God-sent remedy, Pe-ru-na. Everybody

seven years past that I was cured." Mrs. Sarah Gallitz, of Luton, Ia., also writes: "I was suffering with the change of life. I had spells of flowing every fined to the bed. two or three weeks, which would leave I had given up me nearly dead. I had given up hope of all hope of ever being cured, when I heard of Dr. Hart- being well again. man's remedies and began to use them. I commenced

credit to Pe-ru-na." are suffering with pelvic catarrh know you for your advice and I am glad I can that this is the case. Their trouble say that I am well now.

The Reason Why So Many Women Are Sick. tarrh of the organs peculiar to women or pelvic organs, and cure themselves with

Pe-ru-na, how much unnecessary sufferng would be saved. Mrs. Karolina Suter, 2138 Vine street Cincinnati, O., says: "Two years ago I fell on the ice. At first I did not think that I had hurt myself; but several months after I felt pains in the abdomen. and a little later my menses failed to appear. I wrote to you in regard to it, hearing that you cured female troubles, and followed your directions. I took Pe-ru-na and Man-a-lin. I now have

the best of health. Mrs. Marie Hanson, of Niebull, Wis.

says I am looking so much better. No I was in a weak, doctor could help me as Pe-ru-na did. I nervous con diwas a broken-down woman. It is now | tion and began to have dreadful palpitation of the

I am entirely cured, and give all the taking Pe-ru-na. I found relief when I had taken the first bottle. Now I have But comparatively few women who taken seven bottles of Pe-ru-na. I thank

is called dyspepsia, heart trouble, female Dr. Hartman has written a book weakness, weak lungs, nervous debility; especially for women. It treats of female indeed, almost the whole category of catarrh in all its different phases and medical terms has been applied to ca- stages. It contains common sense talks tarrh of some organ of the female on subjects which should interest every anatomy. If these women could only realize that their trouble is probably ca-

# Vine Hill Male Academy

Fall Term Sept. 12. TERMS MODERATE

FOR INFORMATION ADDRESS

8-9-1m

Roanoke Rapids."

D. M. PRINCE, SCOTLAND NECK, N. C.

New Papers.

The Weldon Leader is a new exchange on our table. It is published of Miss Lucy Burgess, aged 20 years, took Female University: Misses Maggie son, the mother still surviying. On in Weldon by Maj. T. L. Emry as pro- its flight at her home on Eighth street. Mr. I. M. Hardy, of Goldsboro, came Shields, Estelle Johnson, Cottie Pitt- April 12th, 1887, she was married to prietor and Mr. W. B. Green as editor.

> Ennis' Weekly, published in Raleigh | in the spring. by Mr. P. C. Ennis, is on our table. It shows a good make-up and is a reada- church and was a good, quiet christble paper.

DOES IT PAY TO BUY CHEAP? A cheap remedy for couge and colds is all right, but you want something that will relieve and cure the more severe and dangerous results of throat and laid to rest, Rev. J. S. Crutchfield had been a consistent member of the and lung troubles. What shall you do? reading the Scriptures and Dr. J. D. Baptist church for a number of years Go to a warmer climate? Yes, if poseither case take the only remedy that has been introduced in all civilized countries with success in severe throat timely death. and lung troubles, "Boschee's German Mrs. Taylor numbered many friends Syrup." It not only heals and stimulates the tissues to destroy the germ disease, but allays inflammation, causes easy expectoration, gives a good night's rest, and cures the patient Try one bottle. Recommended man. years by all druggists 1n the world For sale by E. T. Whitehead & Co.

Druggist.

Tax Collectors Appointed. The county commissioners Monday appointed the following tax collectors

by townships: Brinkleyville-B. E. Bobbitt. Butterwood-John Harvey. Conoconara-C. W. Dunn. Enfield-J. B. Hunter. Faucetts-J. Frank Cullom. Halifax-Ira G. Shaw. Lattleton-T. J. Miles. Palmyra-R. H. White. Roseneath-R. H. White.

Scotland Neck C. W. Dunn,

Weldon-J. B. Brickell.

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Jurors For Crimnal Court.

The following jurors were drawn Monday for Crimnal count which will open Monday, Oct, 1st.

J. F. Davis, R. E. L. Gunter, W. C. Daniel, O. T. Britt, G. W. Bryan, C. E. Bishop, R. L. Alston, James Glasgow Henry Jenkins, P. Lynn, Jack Standsburg, A. P. McDaniel, H. P. Robertson, C, A. Camp, Curtis Hardy, W. B. Jeb Allsbrook, J. R. Holliday, W. W. Wiggins, S. O. Purvis, M. J. Carr, J C. C. Peace, W. T. Clark, A. M. Clay, 9-6-tf P. N. Stainback, W. H. Shearin.

For Infants and Children. The Kind You Have Always Bought

Death Of Miss Lucy Burgess. On Sunday night, Sept. 2, the spirit

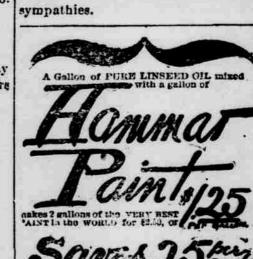
For some days she had been very ill with typhoid fever and her people and a lively sheet. Its mission is for friends who saw her knew it was only She, with her mother, brother and

sister, moved here from near Whitakers She was a member of the Baptist

The remains were taken from the residence at 5:30 o'clock Monday and followed by a large concourse of friends were carried to the Baptist cemetery Hutham offering prayer for the allwise and providential father to comfort

those bereaved by this seemingly un-Truly she was cut down in the full bloom of young womanhood, but God had other courts for her to adorn, and in the language of Job we should say "The Lord gave and the Lord bath

taken away." THE COMMONWEALTH extends its



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Scotland Neck.

TO THE DEAF.

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