

The Commonwealth

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WHAT ABOUT IT?

THE COMMONWEALTH has not heard anything about the railroad recently. We feel like it is time to stir up the pure minds of the projectors of that enterprise again.

HARNETT COUNTY PEOPLE.

It may not be of special interest to our readers generally, but Harnett being the native county of the editor of THE COMMONWEALTH, somehow we feel a special pleasure in reprinting the following from the editorial page of the News and Observer about those good people:

END OF THE BOER WAR.

At last the Boer war is ended. So the announcements say, and the civilized world will be glad. For more than a year and a half the war has been continued at a fearful loss of life both of the British and the Boers.

WAKE FOREST COMMENCEMENT.

The commencement at Wake Forest last week was quite a pleasant occasion. Everything passed off easily and well. The board of trustees took steps to enlarge the work of the college by opening a medical department; and other influences were set to work to increase the usefulness of the institution.

A 25 CENT DOCTOR

and an absolutely reliable one at that, ready at all times to cure you of your aches and pains. A wonderful family physician is DR. WORTHINGTON'S REMEDY, one that has the largest practice of any doctor in the world.

WORDS FITLY SAID.

THE COMMONWEALTH has felt special interest in the edited and success of Hon. Claude Kitchin from the great convention that nominated him in 1890.

CHAIRMAN SIMMONS' CALL.

State Chairman, Senator F. M. Simmons, has issued the following call for the Democratic State Convention: "To the Democratic Voters of North Carolina:

FIRE IN ROCKY MOUNT.

There was quite a destructive fire in Rocky Mount Monday night which consumed four residences on Franklin street. One building was occupied by Prof. C. W. Wilson, one by Mr. G. H. Daniel, one by Mr. Allen and the other by Mr. Bolton.



Uncle Sam's Mail Service

requires physical and mental ability of a high degree to withstand its hard labors. The high tension to which the nervous system is constantly subjected, has a depressing effect, and soon headache, back-ache, neuralgia, rheumatism, sciatica, etc., develop in severe form.



HOUSEWORK

Too much housework wrecks women's nerves. And the constant care of children, day and night, is often too trying for even a strong woman.

WINE OF CARDUI

is doing this for thousands of American women to-day. It cured Mrs. Jones and that is why she writes this frank letter: "I am so glad that your Wine of Cardui is helping me. I am feeling better than I have felt for years."

MRS. RAGSDALE DEAD.

The Greenville Reflector tells of the death of Mrs. W. H. Ragdale which occurred at her home in that town Sunday. She was 40 years old and leaves a husband and five children.

IS YELLOW POISON

in your blood? Physicians call it malarial germ. It can be seen changing red blood yellow under microscope. It works day and night. First, it turns your complexion yellow. Chilly, aching sensations creep down your backbone. You feel weak and worthless.

DO YOU GET UP WITH A LAME BACK?

Kidney Trouble Makes You Miserable. Almost everybody who reads the newspapers is sure to know of the wonderful cures made by Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the great kidney, liver and bladder remedy.

Notice! Notice!

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Having qualified as executors of Mary P. Edmondson, all persons having claims against her estate are notified to present them to us on or before the 10th day of May, 1902.

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The semi-Weekly Journal, of Atlanta is an up-to-date, eight page, seven column paper. We will send you THE COMMONWEALTH and the Semi-Weekly Journal one year for \$1.75 and give you The Southern Cultivator.

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CALL ON DAY & HEDGES For First Class livery service. Stables open all the time and good teams always ready.

Why Suffer With Your Eyes

EYES When perhaps a properly fitted pair of Glasses AND will give you instant relief! EXAMINED I have successfully fitted for the worst forms of defective vision and can assist you. I furnish only one grade of Lenses HIGH! -THE BEST.

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Do you find stock raising as profitable as it should be? If not the fault is your own. Call on your merchants, Mess Futtrell-Hardy Hdw. Co. Scotland Neck, N. C. Ask Them For a Booklet published by the American Stock Food Co., of Fremont, Ohio. They Are Free.

Passing - Winds

Don't Tell It. But we wish the public to know that we have a New and Large Assortment of SPRING - GOODS

LATEST WEAVES

in Black Goods for Skirts. Some Special Attractions For The Ladies. Don't miss them. WHITE & PAULL, Scotland Neck, N. C.

It is Difficult

To prepare a SATISFACTORY Breakfast without Good Flour, Lard and Butter. We Have the BEST of these goods that can Be Had, and why need accept anything not so good, when the Very Best costs only a trifle more, and is Always Satisfactory?

These have JUST ARRIVED

N. C. Roe Herrings, Old Glory Syrup in two and four quart buckets, Orange Syrup, New Orleans and Porto Rico Molasses in barrels and jugs to put it in, lot of nice Lamps, Glass, Crockery and tinware, see our Buggy Whips before you buy, big lot of Shirts, Drawers and Pants at low down prices, full stock of groceries all the time.

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It will chop

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It sets them Cold. It does the work in a few Minutes. It keeps the dish of wheels just right. It does the work perfect. It is a Wonderful Improvement over the old Method.

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