

**The Franklin Press.**

FRANKLIN, N. C., JAN. 18, 1905.  
Office in Higgins Block, East Main St.

**Population.**

Franklin, ..... 885  
Macon County, ..... 12,104  
North Carolina, ..... 1,891,992

**Professional Cards.**

**T. J. JOHNSTON,**  
ATTORNEY-AT-LAW,  
FRANKLIN, N. C.

Careful attention to all business.

**ROBERTSON & BENBOW,**

**Lawyers,**

FRANKLIN, MACON COUNTY, N. C.  
Will practice in the courts of this State  
& the Federal Courts. Collec-  
tions a Specialty

**JONES & JOHNSTON,**

ATTORNEYS AT LAW.  
General Law Practice—Collections.  
Notary Public.

Office Over the Bank of Franklin,  
Franklin, N. C.

**SAM L. KELLY,**

Attorney at Law & Notary  
Public.

Investigation of Land Titles and Collections Made a  
Specialty.

Office in Love Brick Building, Franklin, N. C.

**J. FRANK RAY,**

ATTORNEY-AT-LAW.

Practices in all the courts.

Rooms Over E. H. FRANKS' Store.

**R. D. SISK,**

ATTORNEY AT LAW,

Rooms in Love Brick Building.

FRANKLIN, N. C.

**A. A. HOWE,**

THE BARBER,

FRANKLIN, N. C.

**A NEW YEAR GREETING.**

*In looking back over the past year we find that our business has been very satisfactory, and we wish to thank our friends and customers for the liberal patronage they have given us, and to ask a continuance of the same; and we promise to try to serve you so as to make it to your interest as well as ours for you to trade with us. Wishing you, one and all, a happy and prosperous year, we are very truly yours,*

Sloan Bros.

**Local Snap Shots.**

Business Locals, per line, 10 cents for each insertion.

J. S. Trotter went to Asheville yesterday.

The mercury went down to 10° last Monday morning.

Mrs. Lee Crawford has been quite sick during the past week.

The Scout reports smallpox at Murphy, Andrews and Hanging Dog in Cherokee county.

Mr. T. J. Woodard, of Swain county, has been here several days under treatment by Dr. Lyle.

The town is full of sudge. If you don't know what that is, ask some gentleman from Bosting.

The Cowee Locals were crowded out last week on account of our pail being full and overflowing.

C. L. Hubbard, Atlanta, Ga., A. Dotson and A. Burton, of Clayton, Ga., registered at Hotel Jarrett Friday.

Messrs. A. G. Dillard, L. C. Garland and — Clark, of Rabun county, Ga., were here Friday on business.

Sol McKinney, the fat and funny drummer, was here Saturday, making his presence known to our merchants.

The Cherokee Scout says: "It is reported here that the tannic acid works at Andrews has shut down indefinitely."

THE PRESS and SOUTHERN AGRICULTURIST, both one year for \$1.25. Call at this office for sample copies of Agriculturist.

account of heavy

C. M. Tuthill, of Brooklyn, N. Y., was in town last Wednesday.

A new girl came to the home of Rev. F. L. Townsend Monday night. All doing well.

Mr. J. C. Endicott, Dwight, Va. has been here some time past under treatment by Dr. Lyle, and is improving in health.

**Wonderful Nerve.**

Is displayed by many a man enduring pains of accidental Cuts, Wounds, Bruises, Burns, Scalds, Sore feet or stiff joints. But there's no need for it. Bucklen's Arnica Salve will kill the pain and cure the trouble. It's the best Salve on earth for Piles, too. 25c. at Smith's, Druggist.

**Death of R. V. Grindstaff.**

Mr. R. V. Grindstaff, a merchant who resided 3 1/2 miles from town on the Dillsboro road, died at 4 o'clock Sunday morning and was buried on Watauga Monday by the Independent Order of Odd Fellows. He had been ill some time previous to death with a complication of diseases, principally with an abscess of the liver.

**A Very Close Call.**

"I stuck to my engine, although every joint ached and every nerve was racked with pain," writes C. W. Bellamy, a locomotive fireman, of Burlington, Iowa. "I was weak and pale, without any appetite and all run down. As I was about to give up, I got a bottle of Electric Bitters, and, after taking it, I felt a new strength."

**Special Notices.**

Notices in this column five cents per line for each issue. In regular local columns, ten cents per line for each issue. Seven words make about a line.

Rev. Irl R. Hicks' almanacs 30 cents at this office.

At Wright & Robinson's you can buy Roller Mill flour at 80 cts. Pride of Jackson 80¢. Dillsboro Best 85¢.

Wright & Robinson has just received a fresh line of canned goods, Tomatoes, Corn, &c. and all the California fruits.

Just received, a lot of hog powders—will fatten and keep off cholera, at FRANK T. SMITH'S. 1-25

You have got my stuff. Be manly and pay as you promised. I'll shell your camp till you do it. 1-25. W. R. STALLCUP.

Those who have pictures of relatives and friends enlarged can have their pictures framed at half of the price charged by the picture man by bringing them to me. 1-25. W. R. STALLCUP.

**Watches and Jewelry Repaired.**

Watches and clocks cleaned, from 50 cents to 75 cents each; crystals fitted from 20 to 30 cents each; watch and clock mainsprings fitted 50 to 75 cents; watch and clock hairsprings fitted, 40 to 60 cents; Jewels fitted, 25 to 60 cents. Repairing watches, clocks and jewelry. Work warranted. Franks' store, Jeweler.



**SORE LUNGS**

When your lungs are sore and inflamed from coughing, is the time when the germs of PNEUMONIA, PLEURISY and CONSUMPTION find lodgment and multiply.

**FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR**

stops the cough, heals and strengthens the lungs. It contains no harsh expectorants that strain and irritate the lungs, or opiates that cause constipation, a condition that retards recovery from a cold. FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR is a safe and never failing remedy for all throat and lung troubles.

**The Doctors Said He Had Consumption—A Marvelous Cure.**  
L. M. Ruggles, Reasener, Iowa, writes: "The doctors said I had consumption and I got no better until I used FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR. It helped me right from the start and stopped the spitting of blood and the pain in my lungs and today I am sound and well."

Three sizes—25c, 50c, \$1.00. The 50-cent size contains two and one-half times as much as the small size and the \$1.00 bottle almost six times as much. REFUSE SUBSTITUTES.

**SOLD AND RECOMMENDED BY FRANK T. SMITH**

**J. D. Cobb & Co. HARDWARE.**

We want your trade.

*Farmers, Wagonmakers, Mechanics, Housekeepers, and all kinds of people are invited to call in and inspect our goods. Something to suit everybody of every kind of occupation.*

*Cook Stoves, Household and Kitchen Hardware, Builders' Materials, Mechanics' Tools, Farming Implements, and all kinds of Staple Hardware.*

*All Goods sold at living prices.*

Speed them from here.

**HOTEL JARRETT BUILDING. PRICES OF GOODS VERY REASONABLE.**

**STATEMENT OF CONDITION OF The Bank of Franklin, Franklin, N. C.**

AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS JAN. 11, 1905.

RESOURCES		LIABILITIES	
Loans and Discounts	\$4524.21	Capital stock paid in	\$10000.00
Overdrafts	10.03	Surplus	1000.00
N. C. State Bonds, 4 per cent.	1000.00	Undivided Profits less Expenses	2035.57
Premium on Bonds	25.00	Individual d-pos. subject to check	5122.25
Furniture and Fixtures	1431.32	Cashier's checks outstanding	91.37
Cash on hand and in Banks	10091.57		
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$24322.27</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>\$24322.27</b>

Commenced Business July 1, 1903.

I, J. G. Siler, Cashier of The Bank of Franklin, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, to the best of my knowledge and belief.  
J. G. SILER, Cashier.  
Sworn to and subscribed before me this 17th day of Jan 1905.  
LEE CRAWFORD, C. S. C.

Correct—Attest:  
GEO. A. JONES,  
JOHN C. WRIGHT,  
F. S. JOHNSTON, } Directors.

**H. G. TROTTER, Merchant, FRANKLIN, N. C.**

*I am selling off my line of General Merchandise giving good bargains, and during the sale will make a specialty of Hardware, such as of this immediate section. I will pay down which will give my customers better bar-*

**NOTICE OF SALE The "Redgeton" SEWING MACHINE.**