

The Franklin Press.

FRANKLIN, N. C., MAY 31, 1905.

Office in Higgins Block, East Main St.

Population.

Franklin, 335
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,
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Will practice in the courts of this State & the Federal Courts. Collections 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.

For Sale—Real Estate.

I have a long list of very desirable property for sale in and near Franklin, improved and unimproved, vacant lots, building sites either for business or residence.

R. H. JARRETT,
Real Estate & Insurance.

NEWS BRIEFS.

Willis P. Collins, proprietor of the Atlantic Hotel at Morehead City, died suddenly last Wednesday night. He was formerly cashier and bookkeeper of the Asheville Citizen.

Nan Patterson has closed a contract to go on the stage soon and will be paid \$1800 per week for several weeks. Her engagement is for two years, but after a few weeks as public curiosity lessens her wages will be scaled down in proportion.

Dr. E. C. Register, of Charlotte, was elected president of the North Carolina Medical Association at Greensboro last week. The next meeting will be held in Charlotte.

CASTORIA.
The Southern railway officials moved into their offices in the new railway station at Asheville last week. The old station is being torn down, and sheds will be erected to the edge of the tracks as soon as possible.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY
Take LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25¢.

Will Franks, Will Carpenter, Silas Dean and Buren Bird went to Highlands Monday. They are embarking in the picture enlarging business as agents. They are under the instruction of Mr. F. M. Bray who has worked in this and surrounding counties some time past. THE PRESS wishes the boys success.

A tourist party composed of Messrs. J. G. Stikelather, of Asheville, Charles Quinlan and David S. Guder, of Waynesville, and C. Brewster Chappell, of New York, was in town Friday evening. They were returning from a fishing trip to upper Nantahala. They reported a pretty fair catch notwithstanding the weather was unfavorable.

News has reached here that John Liner, late of this county, a few days ago, killed a man named Matt Snyder, formerly of Jackson county, by cutting his throat in the State of Washington. Liner made his escape. It is true this is sad news for Liner's father's family living in Smith's Bridge township in this county, as well as for Snyder's relatives in Jackson.

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SLOAN BROTHERS

We are always looking out for the Best in Everything for our customers, and have just bought a big line of the famous "Kant-be-beat" Clothing, which is conceded by the entire trade to be the best, and most up-to-date line of clothing on the market. It is equal in style, fit and quality to the best Tailor made clothing.

We have also secured the agency for the famous "Queen Quality" shoes for women. These shoes combine the three essentials necessary to a perfect woman's shoe, viz: Comfort, Durability and Style. Their reputation is World-wide, and every woman knows when she has on a pair of "Queen Quality" she has the best that money will buy. We also have a full line of shoes of all kinds for men, women and children, the best to be had for the money.

Our line of Dry Goods & Notions is equal if not superior to any in town, and we will always take pleasure in showing you what we have. Our constant aim is to please our customers, and our ability to do this is demonstrated by an increase of nearly 50 per cent. in our business over the same period last year.

Respectfully,
Sloan Bros.
FRANKLIN, N. C.

DRIFT TOY

Many people drifting to...

Toral Snap Shots.

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

Last week was a very dull week in the business line.

Sam L. Kelly left Saturday on a trip to Webster and Waynesville.

E. G. Harding, of Bristol, Tenn. was here Friday and Saturday on business.

Mrs. W. C. Allman is on a visit of two or three weeks in Georgia and Alabama.

Thursday was a cold, cloudy, disagreeable day, making fires necessary for comfort.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Jarrett went to Asheville Thursday on a visit to relatives and friends.

Mrs. Lee Crawford, who has been quite sick for a month past, we are glad to learn is improving.

Miss May Belle Ashe has gone to South Carolina on an extended visit to her brother Oscar and family.

Mrs. M. L. Knight, of Sylva, came over Friday to spend a few days visiting relatives in and near Franklin.

Miss Margaret Rogers visited her aunt, Mrs. M. C. Allen, at Forsyth, Ga., returning home Wednesday.

I buy any kind of Land if cheap, or take lease. Address Mr. Charles, 433 East, 15 Street, 4th floor, Norfolk.

E. K. Campbell received a new thirty dollar graphophone Friday evening and there is music in the air since its arrival.

Hon. Kope Elias and wife, of Franklin, spent a few days here this week on their farm at Governor's Island.—Bryson City Appalachianian.

Misses Olive Patton and Hester Penland have returned from school at Gainesville, Ga., to spend the summer vacation with their parents at home.

The town council is having a sidewalk built from near the public well in front of the court house to the new furniture factory, alongside of Jas. P. Angel's saddle and harness shop.

Rev. T. E. Wineoff and two friends who came here last week with a view to going to Nantahala on a fishing trip, did not go owing to the rains and cool weather. They left for home Thursday.

Miss Rebecca Smith and Martha Boston left yesterday morning for Mr. R. J. Roane's in Cherokee county. Miss Rebecca will attend the Young Harris College during the coming year.

The American yacht Atlantic won the ocean race and the Kaiser's cup, crossing the finish line at 9:18 Monday night.

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Blood poison creeps up towards the heart, causing death. J. E. Stearns, Belle Plaine, Minn., writes that a friend dreadfully injured his hand, which swelled up like blood poisoning. Buckle's Arnica Salve drew out the poison, healed the wound, and saved his life. Best in the world for burns and sores. 25¢ at Smith's drug store.

Blockade liquor continues to be brought to town. It would be an easy matter if some of those found under the influence of the stuff were jerked up and made to tell from whom they get it. Under an act of the last legislature it can be done.

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Old papers—2 pounds for a nickel—for sale at this office.

We had an early morning thunder shower yesterday morning.

J. A. Munday is having a cabin built on his lot at the old brickyard near the branch.

WANTED: Locust stakes. Call for further particulars.
W. A. CURTIS.

Mr. H. Lee, of Paducah, Ky., was registered at Hotel Jarrett Monday and yesterday.

A communication under the title of "Scaly" was received a little too late for this week's issue, but will appear next week.

Workmen are busy penciling the Stallcup Furniture factory building, giving it the appearance of being a handsome brick building.

Lane Dalton, of Cowee, says he has eight children, and five of them were born in February. He wants to know who can beat that record.

George Gness, Luther Hauser and Jerry Love, with their teams, left Monday for Topton, N. C., to engage in hauling lumber for some time to come.

Mr. R. D. Bates, of Dillard, Ga., was in town yesterday. He reports the railroad hands as moving dirt from the Dillard's, about two miles from the N. C. line.

Through the Summer the Library will be open 5 o'clock, Wednesday and Saturday afternoons.

ELIZABETH NORWOOD,
Librarian.

A number of the young men have formed a string band, and have rented a room over the Press office in which to practice, and they are taking up a collection to buy instruments and employ an instructor.

Mr. G. G. Tillery, of Mars Hill, N. C., is on a visit to his sister, Mrs. Marion Love, of near Franklin, and gave THE PRESS office a short call Monday evening.

Franklin is nearly destitute of lawyers this week. Of our dozen legal lights only Wint Horn and Tom Johnston are on tap. The others are attending Webster court.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Couch, of Charleston, W. Va., registered at Hotel Jarrett Monday. Mr. Couch is interested in some mica mines that are being worked in this county.

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Hens.

Hens are funny things: They will always run the wrong way when trying to escape danger. She will creep under the barn floor or under the pig pen to "hide her nest" and then cackle loud enough to arouse the neighborhood. She will take up with almost any sort of a rooster, and she will run to him when he does a little scratching, and calls for her; yet she knows from long experience that by the time she gets there he will gobble up everything in sight, and strut about in a lordly manner. And then try to stop an old "scrub" from setting—you may take the box away and she will set on the ground. She doesn't care whether she has eggs under her or not; potatoes, bolts or an old nest egg would will satisfy her. But the old hen is all right, she is creating quite a stir amongst all classes of people, and without her product there would be no egg-nog or Christmas cake.—Ex.

M. H. Roop, representing the Beck & Gregg Hardware Company, of Atlanta and Savannah, Ga., was in town yesterday with a fine line of samples.

Saved by Dynamite.
Sometimes, a flaming oily is saved by dynamiting a space that the fire can't cross. Sometimes, a cough hangs on so long, you feel as if nothing but dynamite would cure it. Z. T. Gray, of Calhoun, Ga., writes: "My wife had a very aggravated cough, which kept her awake nights. Two physicians could not help her; so she took Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, which eased her cough, gave her sleep, and finally cured her." Strictly scientific cure for bronchitis and LaGrippe. At Frank T. Smith's drug store, price 50¢ and \$1.00; guaranteed. Trial bottle free.

Colored Church Festival.

THE PRESS has been requested to state that a festival was held by the colored people at the Sugarfork church on last Friday night to raise funds to help purchase a bell for the A. M. E. Zion church at that place. The services were opened by singing a hymn and prayer by Charles Scruggs. The table was prepared by a committee composed of the following: A. B. Angel, Mrs. Jennie England, Misses Lou Vanhook, J. R. Scruggs, Eliza Scruggs, Nannette Gibson, Mrs. Angeline Scruggs and Charlie Scruggs. Everything was carried on in good order and nice behavior prevailed. Meals were served as fast as the committee could attend to that duty. The amount of cash realized was \$7.25. The committee thanks the people for their patronage and good behavior.

The bill of fare was as follows:
Biscuit and Chicken,
Peaches and Cake,
Lemonade and Candy.

Barbecue.

Extensive preparations are being made for a Masonic barbecue and general jollification meeting in Clayton, Ga., on the 4th of July next. The Tallulah Falls Railway has the matter in charge, and every effort will be made to make the occasion one to be enjoyed by all who attend.

Bad Negro Captured by Two Boys.

(Gazette-News.)
Nat Crump, the negro charged with an attempt to assassinate H. Clay Grubb of Rowan county this week, and for whose capture there was a reward of \$500 for him alive or \$250 dead, was taken this morning about 2 o'clock close to Mud Cut, between Black Mountain and Old Fort. The capture of the negro outlaw was effected by two boys Leonard Lytle and Walter Porter, aged 19 years, after a desperate battle and after Crump had been shot a number of times and it is believed fatally wounded. After shooting him to pieces the captors carried Crump to the Mud Cut siding where he was placed aboard the helper and taken to Old Fort. News from here this morning was to the effect that the negro is badly injured and that there is little chance for his recovery.

Public Sale.

I will sell at the residence of the late C. C. Smith, on Tuesday, June 6th, 1905, the personal property belonging to the estate, such as cows, horse, buggy, farming implements, &c.

T. R. GRAY, Guardian
of Rebecca Smith.
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PRESCRIPTION DRUGGIST

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ADMINISTRATION NOTICE.

Having qualified as Administrator of the estate of J. A. De-weese, deceased, this is to notify all persons having claims against the said estate to exhibit them to the undersigned on or before the 24th day of April, 1906, or this notice will be plead in bar of the same. Those indebted to the estate will please make prompt settlement. This April 24, 1905.
J. F. TIPPETZ,
Administrator.

Stallcup Furniture Co.,
FRANKLIN, N. C.

Furniture, made and repaired, and kept for sale. Coffins, caskets, and undertaking goods of all kinds furnished promptly on demand. Terms tight and reasonable.

Munday Brick Block
Undertaking Rooms Up Stairs.

For any additional information relative to the above occasions call on or address the undersigned, No. 80 Patton Ave., Asheville, N. C.
J. H. Wood, Dist. Pass.
Agt., Southern Ry. Co.

ENTRY NO. 14557.

R. F. Henry and R. D. F. Henry enter and claim 100 acres of land in Mitchell Township, Macon County, N. C., on the waters of Watauga and Rabbit creeks, adjoining the lands of N. J. Corbin, W. T. Potts, A. I. Young and others and as the case may be. Entered May 29th, 1905.
This May 31, 1905.
R. F. HENRY,
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