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E. J. HALE, Jr., General Business Manager.

Please Take Notice.

A copy of this issue will be sent to each of our subscribers to the Weekly. Those who wish to substitute the daily for the weekly edition will receive credit on the daily for such advance payments as they have made on the weekly. Kindly let us know.

Weather Predictions.

Rain to-night. Tuesday, fair and colder.

WANTED.—4 lively boys to carry papers. Apply at once, at this office.

Death this morning in Bennettsville.

Mr. W. D. Rowe, a prominent merchant of Bennettsville, was found dead in front of his house this morning. Heart failure was the cause of death.

A Good "Sign of the Times."

One of the handsomest buildings in town is the one occupied by Pemberton's Book and Music Store and the Carolina Club and owned by Mr. Herbert Lutterloh. Mr. Lutterloh has purchased considerable valuable property here lately and all has undergone improvements. It is a good sign of the coming "times" when a man of Mr. Lutterloh's business ability is found purchasing, and paying good prices for property.

Escaped from the Sheriff.

Hector Ray, colored, charged with an assault with an intent to kill, was arraigned before 'Squire Overby and bound over to court. He was turned over to the Sheriff who kept him in his office while some one went up town to arrange for a bond. Several persons, meanwhile, came into the Sheriff's office and he, being alone, had to wait on them. When the visitors left the Sheriff looked around and he was alone. The man must have walked out as the others walked in. It is said that Ray could tell all about the burning of the Flea Hill fence, which is now creating such a disturbance. Since the foregoing was put in print, Ray has surrendered and given bond.

A Little Premature.

The Sanford Express of Thursday says: The Consolidated Lumber Company of Philadelphia, of which John Y. Gossler is President, has purchased between 18,000 and 20,000 acres of land lying on the Cape Fear and Yadkin Valley, including Spout Springs station and extending to Manchester. These lands are on the same range as Southern Pines. Mr. Emil Linburg, a well know colonist of New York, expects to have located on these lands 1,500 families during the year.

In an interview with an OBSERVER reporter Mr. Gossler said that negotiations were pending for the sale of the Consolidated Lumber Company's property at Spout Springs but that the arrangement had not been concluded. Mr. Gossler had but little doubt though that the deal would be made.

THREATENED WAR IN FLEA HILL.

To-morrow we will publish a full account of the serious state of affairs in Flea Hill Township, growing out of the burning of over 8 miles of the fencing which was about to be erected around Flat Swamp, which embraces some 20,000 or 25,000 acres. The fence was to be built under authority of the legislature. A number of persons living in the Flat Swamp district opposed it. Hence the trouble. It is feared bloodshed may result.

The following were registered at the Hotel LaFayette Saturday and Sunday:

F. R. McCulloch, Atlanta; G. H. Smith, Wilmington; D. M. Hodges, Charlotte; W. H. Gilbert, Wilmington; J. S. Furbess, Wilson; W. K. Parker, Cumberland; H. V. Brower, New York; Miss J. Williams, Asheville; A. E. Bullard, Nashville, Ga.; A. B. Pearsall, R. F. Devane, G. H. Hall, Red Springs; Dr. J. E. Caveness, Jas. H. Johnson, Hope Mills; W. C. Mann, N. Y.; H. C. Hales, Carthage; R. T. Draughon, S. C.; J. N. Brand, J. A. Crews, Wilmington; A. W. Faulkner, Cumberland; R. L. Prempert, Louisville, Ky.; N. G. Wade, S. C.; S. P. Adams, Wilmington; G. W. Britt, Wilmington.

Death of Colonel Shaw.

Col. Duncan Shaw died at his residence in 71st, 9 miles West of Fayetteville, at 3:10 o'clock, yesterday morning.

Col. Shaw has been for many years one of the most prominent citizens of Cumberland. He was born in 1815 and was consequently in his eighty-first year. He represented the county repeatedly in the General assembly, and for many years was, we believe, chairman of the old Court of Common Pleas and Quarter Sessions.

He was a man of unusually good common sense and of strong character. He was a Democrat of the strictest sect, never wavering in his allegiance to the party, or, what was of more consequence, to its principles.

He leaves seven children. Congressman Shaw is his eldest son. Mrs. Colin McRae, of this city, is a daughter. The funeral took place from Galatia Church at 2 o'clock this afternoon and was attended by a host of friends, many from this city as well as the country.

Death of a Venerable Lady.

It is with sorrow that we notice the death of Mrs. Maria Beasley. Her death occurred at the residence of her son, Mr. Frank Beasley, Saturday morning at 6 o'clock. Mrs. Beasley was born in Cumberland county 76 years ago. Her maiden name was Holmes. She leaves three children, Mr. Frank Beasley and Mrs. A. Garrason, of this city, and Mrs. Jas. A. Taylor, of Dunn, all of whom were with her during her last hours. Her funeral took place from the Baptist Church, Rev. Mr. Thomas officiating, Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock and was attended by a large number of friends. Her remains were laid by the side of her husband, Rev. J. M. Beasley, in the old cemetery. To the bereaved friends we extend our deepest sympathies.

The following were the pall-bearers: Messrs. A. B. Williams, B. G. Hollingsworth, B. R. Taylor, Chas. Kennedy, Jas. Graham and J. T. Winburn.

Death of a Fayettevillian at Portsmouth.

Mr. K. H. Cole, for twelve years a section master on the C. F. & Y. V. Railroad, with residence in this city, died at Portsmouth, Va. early Saturday morning. His body was brought to this city and the funeral took place from the Methodist Church. Mr. Cole leaves a widow and one married daughter. Mrs. Cole has been living with Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Sloan since her husband has been working at Portsmouth, and her many friends here deeply sympathize with her. The deceased was a member of the Maxton Lodge of Knights of Pythias and had \$2,000 insurance in the Endowment Rank.

Cumberland County Fruit Growers' Association.

The fruit growers and truckers of this county met Saturday and formed the above association. Mr. Andrew Broadfoot was elected President, Mr. Weldon Huske, Vice-President, and Mr. S. H. Strange Secretary and Treasurer. The Executive Committee is composed of Messrs. Thos. Fizzell, S. H. Strange and W. D. Smith.

The object of the association is to promote the interests of truckers and fruit growers in this county and protect them from being swindled by northern brokers, and to secure cheap rates of transportation. All those wishing to join are requested to apply to the Secretary.

People and their Movements.

Mr. Nash Bunting spent Sunday in the city.

Mr. W. J. McDiarmid, of Spout Springs, is in town.

Mr. Jackson Prior arrived in the city yesterday.

Miss Martha C. Brown is visiting friends in Bennettsville, S. C.

We hope that Mr. Ed. Daniel will soon be well of rheumatism.

We are glad to learn that Mr. Sinclair's daughter is a trifle better.

Mrs. Jno. E. Elliott, of Little River, was in town shopping this morning.

Mr. J. A. Crews, Jr., of Wilson, has returned to enter Col. Drewry's School.

Dr. H. W. Lilly returned yesterday from a business visit to New York and Boston.

Mr. Jonathan Evans, Jr., who has been very ill with pneumonia, is better, we are glad to learn.

Mrs. Weedon has returned from a visit to Sanford, and is accompanied by Miss McIver, of that place.

Mr. J. J. Crowell and Mr. Howell are attending court at Clinton in connection with the recent Express robbery.

Miss Bessie and Master Cecil Smith have made a pleasant visit of two weeks to their aunt, Mrs. Ledbetter, at Ecclesford.

Mrs. Chas. Cain, we are sorry to learn, is still in very bad health and it is feared that she will have to be taken to Baltimore for treatment.

Mrs. R. O. Whitaker is visiting her father, Dr. Hussey, at Clinton. Her little daughter Emma, who was so seriously burned recently, is being treated by Dr. Hussey.

ON THE WING.

Dame rumor has it that an electric light plant is the next thing the city is to have through the agency of H. D. C. Mr. Richards of the Water Works Company.

What about the malicious smashing of windows in the stores?—almost a nightly occurrence. An example made of a single offender would deter others.

The copious showers of rain last night were most grateful.

Let us all pull together and build up for Fayetteville a Daily worthy of the good old town, with its new blood and old.

"When will the robins nest again?" we wonder. None have been seen around here this winter. Usually at this season the woods resound with the chirping red-breasts and the bang! bang! of the small boy's gun. Shades of young Nimrods! Wouldn't a resurrection be startling?

Four marriage licenses were granted Saturday by the Register of Deeds, one white and three colored.

The price of cotton is now 2.49 cents dearer than last year, 0.17 cents dearer than in 1894, and 1.35 cents cheaper than in 1893 for March contracts.

THE MARKETS.

(BY TELEGRAPH)
New York Cotton Market.

Spots, &c.	Opening.	Highest.	Lowest.	Closing.
March,	8.02	8.02	7.95	7.96
May,	8.09	8.09	8.03	8.05

N. Y. Cotton.
Sales to-day, 103,100
Rec'd at all ports, 37,519
Market closed steady.

Chicago Wheat.
May, 67½ 68½ 66½ 68½

Liverpool Cotton.

The market for spots was quiet with prices steady at 4 19/32 at which figure it closed. Futures were quiet, too, with only a moderate demand. The opening price was 4-28-29, and the closing 4-30-31.

New York Stocks.

Am. Sugar Ref.	107½	107½	106	107½
Am. Tob. Co.	78	78½	77	78½
St. P. R. R.	72½	72½	71½	72½
Louisville & Nash.	46½	47	46½	46½

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Feb. 3, 1896. FRANK W. THORNTON.