REMNANTS.

record.

Mrs. W. A. Williams and children are at Winston.

Mr. Gilbert Upchurch, father of constable John R. Upchurch, was stricken by paralysis this morning at his home near Morrisville.

The finance committee of the state farmer's alliance met here today Sen ator Butler, J. M. Mewborns and A. F. Hileman are its members.

Capt. Coke's condition is unchanged, It is said that he has bilious fever and bronchitis, and that typhoid fever did not develop.

Preston Shaw, colored, was brought

to jail today from St. Matthew's township, for stealing meat from Mrs. Chappell. The Goldsboro Argus was sold ves-

terday by the receiver and bought by

W. H. Smith and J. B. Edgerton for

only \$625. Mr. M. M. Smith has made quite a success of his southern law book exchange here and has sold or exchanged books in every county in the state.

A Hebrew merchant on South Wilmington street today had a "ecrap" with a butcher. The latter has a blask eye as a souvenir of the meeting.

The representative of the Covenant building and loan association is here for a day or two looking into the shortage of its local representative.

Messrs, Brown, Walker and Mitch ell of the revenue office went to Johnston county today to spend a restful Sunday with Mr. Powell.

The weather is "short" on heat several hundred degrees, and must catch up. Thus comes the prediction of a hot August and September.

The museum of autiquities and war relies, begun by the state antiquarian society, grows slowly. This society has not held a meeting in many months.

Mrs. Hoge, widow of the eminent preacher, Rev. Dr. William J. Hoge and mother of Rev. Peyton H. Hoge. died at Wilmington Thursday and was buried at Richmond, Va., today.

A prominent democrat says that whereas last year the populists had the republicans "by the throat," the conditions are now precisely reversed and the republicans will dictate.

Maria Richardson, the colored cook who was sent to jail yesterday afternoon for stealing provisions from the Mansion house on East Hargett street, was today released, as she has two children so small as to unable to help themselves. Her bond is \$50.

THE WEATHER.

The heat today broke the week's The Predictions and the Conditions Local and General.

For North Carolina: Fair, preceded by showers on the coast this af-Local forecast for Raleigh and vi-

cinity: Sunday fair and warm with conditions favorable for a thunderstorm in the afternoon.

Local data for 24 hours ending 8 s. m: Maximum temperature 90, minimum temperature 73, rainfall

The storm yesterday central over Dakota and Minnesota has moved eastward to the lake region, but seems to be filling up rapidly. There is a slight trough of low pressure from the lakes southeast to Texas. The pressure is high over the south Atlautic states, and is rising in the northwest. The temperature has falien ten degrees at stations in the extreme northwest and is nearly stationary elsewhere. Scattered showers occurred at fifteen stations, with thunderstorms at Augusta, Charlotte, Charleston, Norfolk, New Orteans, Knoxville, Fort Smith, Nashville, and Omaha. The weather is clear this morning along the entire Atlantic coast, in the Ohio valley and in the northwest elsewhere partly cloudy to cloudy.

Pilot Mill News.

At the Pilot mills 300 new spindles and 10 looms have just been added, oringing the number up to 3,000 spindies and 155 looms.

Caught a Robber with Hounds.

CHATTANOOGA, Tenn., August 9 .- J. Chomas Madison, a young white man, robbed the postoffice at Rigsdale, near here, last night, and stole \$200 worth of stamps. Patrolman Phipps set out after him with bloodhounds, and tracked him to Graysville, Ga,, thirty miles below here, and captured the riminal. He has just returned to the city with his prisoner.

In the state during the present year work has begin or arrangements made for it to begin on fourteen new cotton mills, and at over sixteen other cotton mills there is an enlargement

Appropos of the statement that not ling voted the democratic ticket last year. James H. Young, editor of the Gazette, says only 50 negroes voted the democratic ticket in this city.

Deviled crabs at Dughi's.

Dughi last night filled a fine order for ices, from Chapell Hill.

Have you an "eye open" for bargains, if not, why not? It is your privilige, the same as other folks. See what we can do for you.

INVENTORY

Having taken stock, we shall endeavor to turn all summer goods into cash. We are determined to carry nothing over to another season, hence not very particular as to prices. The goods must be sold. Some of the

Choicest Cullings
From the largest markets of the dry good world are, with us. We
refer to the beautiful figured and striped JAPONETTES, ORGAN-DIES and PLIS-FS and lovely White Goods. The prices were a little too high for these stringent times. Not so now; a deeper cut in prices have been made. The supply is limited; they will not last long; no more to be had at these prices; if you want any, come early. The best go first. Our entire stock of

Ladies', Mases' and Children's Oxford Ties at Reduced Prices

SILK SHIRT WAISTS

The Derby, Justine and Stanley Waists, all washable, at put-down prices. Eton Frots and Chemisettes, haif price. Our loss, your gain; buy now and save something.



OFFER THIS WEEK

beginning of the tea season one pound of rhoicest

BLEND PURE

an. 3 like Granuisted Sugar for 50c. JESSE G. BALL

STATE NEWS.

TEMSOF ALL KINDS FROM ALL PARTS.

The North Carolina Happenings Briefly Collated.

The Masonic pienic at Arbemarle cleared \$125,00 for the Oxford asylum. J. W. Durham, who was hurt in the railroad accident at Haw River latt Tuesday, is getting on very well.

The governor has ordered a special term of court for Franklin county, to begin September 30th, and continue for two weeks. Judge Boykin will preside, and only civil cases will be

The killing of M Fillmore Cain, by the hands of his brother, Marshall C Cain, both residents of Davie county, Standard reporter learns was justifiable. It was the third time the shooting brother was attacked by his brother with a large anife.

The trial of Arthur Tuttle for the murder of policeman Vickers in Winston last May began yesterday. Policeman Dean, deputy sheriff Frank Martin, Dr. D. N. Dalton and coroner Linville gave damaging evidence against the prisoner.

As an evidence of the wonderful business revival a cotton mill man tells the Landmark that orders placed now for cotton machinery cannot be filled before next February. And the price of machinery is advancing, too. spindles having recently advanced 25

Pritchard, the brakeman of the freight train wrecked at Haw River. arrived at Durham yesterday. He says he had not run away nor sttempted to concest his whereabouts and that he did not have anything to "run away" for. He is suspended pending the investigation.

The health of the children of the Barium Springs orphans' home is remarkable. Our Fatherless Ones, the orphanage paper, says they have had but one visit from a physician in a year and that the infirmary, which was completed more than a year ago, has yet to receive its first patient.

In Davie county two little boys of over 5 per cent of the colored people D. L. Beck were playing when one grown young again. Up to a year became angry and threw a pocket knife at his brother, with the little blade open, which stuck into his leg just above the knee, severing an artery. A physician attended the wounded boy, it became necessary to amputate the limb. The boy died.

It is said by the Record that it was exactly three three years to a day since the frightful wreck at Bostian bridge near Statesville when the accident happened at Haw River bridge. By the way this is the first wreck on the N. C. division since 1895. Ten years immunity is first rate.

The Beaufort Herald says Rev. Dr. Swindell, Mrs Swindell and Mrs., C. P. Dey were subject to a strange experience Tuesday. During an electric storm they experienced the tingling sensations of persons undergoing a shock from an electric battery. These lasted half an hour, and passed away without leaving any sense of discom-

HOLMES' CASTLE HORRORS

Another Mode of Killing Victims Discovered.

Chicago, Aug. 9 .- The pick of a workman in the Holmes' "castle" uncovered a strange construction last night, which carries more terrible suggestions of the conspirator's work. In the closet room on the second floor. where Holmes used to sleep, there is a gas pipe running over the floor. Where the pieces meet the wall they turn down into the floor, and beneath the boards is a cut-off. The pipe runs directly to the windowless room where it is believed Mrs Conner was murdered.

The cut-off is believed to be one of Holmes' instruments of death Sitting in his room he could turn on the current that would fill the dark sleeping apartment with deadly gas, asphyxiating the occupants. The cut off was a secret It was reached simply by lifting a board in the closet.

HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY

Its Next Meeting to be Held at Greensboro

August 21st and 23ud are days set spart for a general convention and social experience meeting of the horticulturists and flourists of the state. All interested in fruit or flower culture are invited to attend. No premioms are offered this year, but specimens of not-worthy and especially new varieties of fruits and flowers are desired for exhibition. These will be examined by qualified committees pof the societies and if found worthy will be awarded certificates of merit. Reduced hotel rates, \$1 50 per day, will be given and the railroads entering Greensboro will give the usual special round trip rates. Eminent speakers are expe-ted to be present and papers will be read by ladies and genlemen from different parts of the

A Sharp Trick Didn't Work Some of the Winston firemen who same back from the tournament tell the Record of a trick tried by the Newbern company, which has a patent boiler used for quick steaming, enabling them to fire up in about 2:20 They have won all these contests every year. This year they didn't enter Wilmington's city council refused to let an engine leave there unless Newbern would send over one to take its place To induce Wilmington to bring a steamer the Newbern firemen said that they would fit the Silsby quick steaming boiler into the Wilmington engine, show her engineer how to work it and they ould easily scoop in the \$100 prize. And so the boiler was put in and the engineer trained but somehow he was afraid of the thing-for they say it is daugerous and requires fine care to keep her from blowing up-and lost the prize after all, Greensboro's engine, with no tricks or devices, easily walking off with the \$100.

THE ELIXIR OF LIFE.

At the Age of 90 Mr. Goff Renew: His Youth and May Live 90 Years More.

At the age of 90 George W. Goff, who lives near Punta Gorda, Fla., has ago Mr. Goff was blind, partially deaf and bald and had been so for many years. About that time, however, he suddenly recovered his eyesight and hearing, and his hair began to grow. Now Mr. Goff hears and sees as well as he ever did, and his head is covered with a growth of black hair. As his eyesight strengthened and his hair grew a mar'ed change occurred in Mr. Goff's physiesl condition, and from being a decrepit man, hardly able to walk, he became as strong and active as a youth of 20 years. The wrinkles on his skin disappeared, and he now looks fresh and youthful.

The case has puzzled the physicians They say the man is entirely reju venated and may live 90 years longer. They assert that the old tissues have been replaced by new, and that physcally Mr. Goff is not more than 20 years old. So youthful did Mr. Goff feel that last week he married a handsome young girl. To look at the couple one would never suspect that there was any difference in their ages, although the groom is 70 years older than his bride.

Mr. Goff was born in Georgia in 1805 He fought in the Indian war under Andrew Jackson and remembers Old Hickory well. He also was in the Mexican and civil wars and was wounded at the battle of Benna Vista.

A sad accident occurred at Smithfield, Davie county. Pink and Snow Beck, aged nine and six years respectively, sons of a farmer, were playing with a knife, when the older threw it at the younger, striking him in the leg and severing an artery. The boy died the next day.

Bannas at Dughi's. You need not ask the price. It is only ten cents a dozen.

Lawns, organdies, dotted swiss, snmmer silks, etc., at cost till closed out. See the table of swiss goods we

Woolleott & Son.

DOT AND: DASH.

PICKED UP IN RALEIGH AND VICINITY.

The Happenings of a Day Told in Little Space.

There are now thirteen persons in

Mrs. James McKimmon and children are at Fayetteville on a visit.

Mrs. R. O. Burton and children are at Roaring Gap.

The Edgecombe Guards of Tarboro are now in camp at Ocracoke.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Gress of Raligh are at Charlotte.

The great annual Masonic picnic was held at Mocksville yesterday.

Mrs Murray and daughter Miss Nellie left this morning for Cleveland

The Atlantic hot-l at Morehead City has closed. The season was by no means successful. Mrs O. A. Smith and daughters

went to Creedmoor, Granville county, Mrs. Thomas H. Briggs and daugh-

ter Miss Elizabeth left this morning for a visit to friends in Oxford.

Mr. T. H. Murray arrived today from Connolly's Springs and will leave in a day or two for Cleveland Springs. Editor Womble of the Press, who has been sick with fever several days, is convalescing.

Prof. Massey speaks at Darlington, S C., next Tuesday, to the county agricultural society.

Mr. H. C. Brown, clerk of the railway commission, left today for the west, for a week's pleasure trip.

Miss Ella Thompson has returned from Salisbury and Miss Beulah Thompson from Charlotte where they have been visiting friends.

Rev. J L Cunninggim will preach at the the Christian church tomorrow at 11 a. m. The public is cordially in-

Dr. Eugene Daniel will speak to men in the parlor of the Y. M. C. A. Sunday afternoon at 5 o'clock. Every man cordially invited.

Died, at 1 o'clock this afternoon at the residence of his grand father, Mr. F. M. Straughan, James Plummer Straughan, aged 6 months.

The weather bureau has nearly every day this week predicted a thunderstorm, but in a most aggravating way the aforesaid storm has failed to There will this year be no August

races at the state fair grounds. The 15th had been fixed as the date. Some of the horses entered are out of con-Mr. Walter H. Page, who establish-

ed the State Chroniele here, lately retired from the editorship of the Fo rum, is now on the staff of the New York Herald. As to the rates to the Atlanta expo-

sition it is decided to adopt the lowest proposition, which is a cent a mile, tickets to be sold every ten days only, for the month of September only.

Owing to the absence of the pastor, Rev. J N. Cole, there will be no services at Edenton street Methodist church tomorrow, either morning or evening

"Jock," Mr. B. V. Denton's pet monkey, died at 9:28 o'clock this morn ing, aged 8 years, 7 months and 2 days. He was widely known and greatly esteemed, and a year ago his feats on the tight wire were daily attractions on Fayetteville street. 'Jock' was fond of "soft" drinks, claret being his " weakness,"

An old colored woman at Salisbury saw some rabbits cross a street and go up the front entrance of the Price memorial church, whereuponishe became frightened and slarmed that portion of the town, claiming that she was bewitched. Last night a number of people, with the old woman in the lead, and armed with guns and sticks, kept watch until after midnight, stating that if they caught or killed the witches they would burn them. The rabbits are white ones, and belong to some children in that part of the city. sDeviled crabe at Dughi's.

NO REASON

why any one should .

THERMOMETER

that is not accurate.

The only reason we can think of that a stock of

Tested Thermometers

has never been kept in the city. We have bought a good stock of accurate ones and sell at reasonable

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THE BEST NICKEL CIGAR IN RAL-

RIGH, FOR SALE BY J. Hal Bobbitt, Thos. Pescud, Yarboro House, Robt. 3impson, John U. Smith, Carroll & Harris, W. H. King & Co., Sam T Smith, Wm. Simpson, A Dughi, JOHN Y. MACRAE, O. G. KING, H. L. LOWRY, BARBEE & POPE, A. V EMERY.

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Cherout Co.

Sales.

WE WISH TO CLEAR UP ALLOUR SPECIAL VAL-UE TABLES THIS WESK. AS WE ARE REALLY ANXIOUS TO BEGIN THE WORK OF RENOVATING OUR STORE ROOMS.

WE HOPE OUR PEOPLE WILL BE INTERESTED this week in these SALES FUR A LIKE OP-PORTUNITY CANNOT OC-CUR AGAIN.

W.H. & R.S.TUCKER & CO

Old claret wine, 3 years old, none netter, for only 50 ets per gallon. Purity guaranteed. Send for sample, ED. V. DENTON.

Refrigerators, Water Coolers, Water Filters, a

Tooth Brushes

Are a household necessity. We have them at all prices and of all qualities Our 25 cent brush does not lose Hiers & Regres, Prescription druggists.

This Week, We offer our entire stock of slippers and Oxfords at cost. All kinds need a pair get the now dispurs \$2.00, Oxfords \$1.55.

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Will Not Be Re-Sold. The firm name and good will of Alfred Williams & to will not be resold on August 21st, as the same was purchased by me Angust 7th of daywood & Pittman, tristees, ander terms of sale. E. G. HARRELL.