

THE ARGUS

DAILY AND WEEKLY.

LODGE DIRECTORY.

Neuse Lodge No. 6, I. O. O. F., meets every Tuesday evening, at 8:00 o'clock, in Odd Fellows Hall—Cordial welcome to visitors.

Wayne Lodge No. 112, A. F. & A. M., meets 1st and 3rd Monday evenings, 7:30 o'clock, in Odd Fellows Hall. Visiting brothers heartily welcomed.

Ruffin Lodge No. 6, K. of P., meets every Friday evening, 8:00 o'clock in Odd Fellows Hall. Knightly welcome to visitors.

Goldboro Council No. 39, Jr. O. U. M., meets every Wednesday evening, 8:00 o'clock, in Odd Fellows Hall. Cordial welcome to all visiting brethren.

THE WEATHER.

FOR GOLDSBORO AND VICINITY:
Fair, warmer to-night on Tuesday, warm wave.

WEATHER CONDITIONS.
The morning map indicates that the sky was clear throughout the path of the total eclipse, only a few cirrus clouds having been reported. Cloudy weather existed on both the south and north sides of the track. Rain occurred over Florida and in the Ohio Valley and Lake region. The temperature is rising in the Mississippi and also in the extreme northwest. A maximum of 94 degree occurred at Bismarck Sunday.

OUR LOCAL OPTIC.

Goldboro and Vicinity History in Brief
Epitome of Sayings and Deeds, Wise and Otherwise, Run Down and Run in by Omnipresent Ubiquitous, Local "Grand Rounds."

Truckers are shipping beans today.

At Goldboro the Eclipse was on time to the minute.

There are plenty of fine strawberries still on the market.

Miss Mildred Dortch went up to Raleigh this afternoon to visit relatives.

Mrs. Dr. Chas. W. Grainger is at home again from visiting relatives in Raleigh.

County politicians have lost none of their warmth on account of the cool weather.

Mrs. C. H. Moore has gone to Jackson Springs to spend a few weeks for her health.

Rev. A. B. Crumpler will preach in the Pentecostal Holiness church to-night.

Miss Mary Harvey, of Kinston, who has been visiting Miss Mabel Borden, returned home this afternoon.

In about two weeks early peaches will be ripe. The crop in this section is abundant. The apple crop is short.

Col. A. M. Waddell and Capt. W. R. Kenar, of Wilmington, were in the city to-day between trains on their way to the Confederate Reunion at Louisville, Ky.

Mr. Jos. Rosenthal and sister Mrs. Henry Weil and Mr. Lionel Weil went up to Rocky Mount this morning on the early train to view the eclipse.

The fire department responded to an alarm at 3:45 from box 91, caused by a small fire in a frame house belonging to Mr. John M. Grantham and occupied by colored people.

While toying with a pistol yesterday young Albert Clark shot himself through the fleshy part of his leg below the knee. No serious results are anticipated from the wound other than to keep him at home for a few days.

A telegram this morning to his uncle Mr. J. R. Higgins announced that Mr. Dock Chamberlain left Memphis last night with the remains of his brother Ed, and would arrive in Goldsboro to-morrow at 12:30 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Painter, Miss Ethel and Mr. Orrin, went up to Rocky Mount on the early train this morning to view the eclipse in its totality, and left on the afternoon train from that point for their home in Baltimore.

The members of Ruffin Lodge, Knights of Pythias, are ordered to assemble in their Castle Hall to-morrow at 12 o'clock to attend the funeral of their late brother E. M. Chamberlain, whose re-

mains will arrive on the Southern Railway at 12:30 o'clock.

Smoked glass was greatly in evidence this morning. All sorts of folks, little and big, old and young, white and black, were going about with smoked glass, every few minutes taking a look at old Sol to find out if after all he would veil his face for awhile.

On Thursday evening of this week the ladies of the First Baptist church will hold an entertainment in their Sunday School room for the purpose of raising funds for painting the parsonage. An admission of 10 cents will be charged and refreshments will be served free.

Mrs. M. J. Best and sister Miss Cora Thompson went up to Greensboro to-day to attend the Commencement exercises of Greensboro Female College, where Miss Minnie Best graduates. Her father, Mr. M. J. Best, will go up to-morrow to be present at her graduation.

At St. Paul Methodist church yesterday Dr. F. D. Swindell, the pastor, preached to the children. It was "Children's Day." In place of the regular choir, a choir of boys and girls from the Sunday School did the singing, and they sang well, too. Dr. Swindell preached a fine sermon—good for old and young alike.

The valuable L. Edwards property on East Centre street was sold to-day at auction under mortgage to Dr. J. S. and Mr. K. E. B. Zell, the amount involved in the transaction being \$5,218.31. This sale with several others was made through Mr. Ed. L. Edmundson, the real estate dealer, who is known as the "hustler."

There is no doubt that the tobacco crop in Wayne and surrounding counties will be very short. There has been great difficulty in getting a stand, and plants for replanting could not be had. Well, it really does not make much difference to many of our people, for they are disgusted with the raising of tobacco. With the price at the will and pleasure of one single and solitary trust, the farmers work themselves almost to death to raise a crop of tobacco and the tobacco trust pays for the tobacco just what it pleases.

The eclipse was so near total here as to give full expression to the corona and render visible the stars. The spectacle was truly marvelous and the effect thrilling and awe-inspiring. Chickens crowded at the approaching darkness, animals sought shelter as for the night, the birds huddled together in the trees and pigeons on the roofs, while the shadows cast by the foliage of the trees upon the ground took on a delicate tracery as of ferns. Altogether it was a sight not often seen more than once in a lifetime, and this fact added to the impressiveness of the effect.

It is with sincerest regret that the ARGUS chronicles the death of little Maria, the sweet 8 year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Grant, which occurred at their home in Snow Hill yesterday morning. She was their only child and the idol of their hearts.

Their grief, we know, is fathomless and the future devoid of interest and the horizon of their lives dark and cheerless. But as the lengthening days lead them nearer and yet nearer to when they shall come to "fall on sleep," they will realize that the hope of meeting their sweet child above, where she is now forever safe with God, will soothe the sorrow from their now aching hearts and fill them with joy beyond price. This is the experience of those whose faith looks up to Him who said, "Suffer little children to come unto me and forbid them not, for of such is the Kingdom of Heaven."

FOR REGISTER.

The undersigned hereby announces himself a candidate before the coming county Democratic convention for the nomination for Register of Deeds of Wayne county, and solicits the aid of his friends throughout the county in his desire to secure this nomination, promising that if nominated and elected I shall give my personal and constant attention and service in discharging the duties of the office.

My section of the county deserves the recognition at the hands of the party, and I feel that in aspiring to this nomination I will have the kindly offices and energetic support of those who are my neighbors.

JOHN B. HOOKS.
Fremont, N. C., May 25, 1900

RHEUMATISM

Is due to an acid poison which gains access to the blood through failure of the proper organs to carry off and keep the system clear of all morbid, effete matter. This poison through the general circulation is deposited in the joints, muscles and nerves, causing the most intense pain.



Rheumatism may attack with such suddenness and severity as to make within a few days a healthy, active person helpless and bed-ridden with distorted limbs and shattered nerves; or it may be slow in developing, with slight wandering pains, just severe enough to make one feel uncomfortable; the tendency in such cases is to grow worse, and finally become chronic.

Rheumatism is Strictly a Blood Disease,

and no liniment or other external treatment can reach the trouble. Neither do the preparations of potash and mercury, and the various mineral salts, which the doctors always prescribe, cure Rheumatism, but ruin the digestion and break down the constitution.

A remedy which builds up the general health and at the same time rids the system of the poison is the only safe and certain cure for Rheumatism. S. S. S., made of roots, herbs and barks of wonderful solvent, purifying properties, attacks the disease in the right way, and in the right place—the blood—and quickly neutralizes the acid and dissolves all poisonous deposits, stimulates and reinforces the overworked, worn-out organs, and clears the system of all unhealthy accumulations. S. S. S. cures permanently and thoroughly, and keeps the blood in a pure, healthy state.

At 120 South Broadway, Indianapolis, Ind., for eighteen months was so terribly afflicted with Rheumatism, he was unable to feed or dress himself. Doctors said his case was hopeless. He had the thirty-second degree of Rheumatism, and he has never had a Rheumatic pain since. This was five years ago.

We will send free our special book on Rheumatism, which should be in the hands of every sufferer from this torturing disease. Our physicians have made blood and skin diseases a specialty, and will give you any information or advice wanted, so write them fully and freely about your case. We make no charge whatever for this service. Address, SWIFT SPECIFIC CO., Atlanta, Ga.



Address, SWIFT SPECIFIC CO., Atlanta, Ga.



NEW IDEA PATTERN

Sheets containing PATTERNS FOR JUNE are now here and can be had for the asking. Below are three very attractive patterns appearing this month:

Medium size requires 3 1-4 yards of material 32 inches wide for medium size, 5 1-2 yards of ribbon and 3 3-4 yards of edging.

2253—MISSES' COSTUME.

Medium size requires 10 yards of 32 inch material 1 2 yard of all over and 5 yards of lace edging.

2256—Ladies' Wrapper.

In these "New Idea Patterns" no allowance is made for seams, thus enabling you to provide for these as you like, which is as satisfactory a way and more economical than the usual method.

We ask you to make a trial of this well-known pattern. If the directions on each pattern is followed your satisfaction is assured, and you save from 15 to 25 cents on every pattern.

Every dress maker calling at our store this month and requesting a copy will receive a copy of the "New Idea Fashion Review" gratis. This is published quarterly and contains cuts of every pattern made by the company.

We shall distribute the monthly sheets beginning with the June number.

H. Weil & Bros.

Dalmatian or Persian

Insect Powder

Sure death to Flies

We guarantee this powder to be a superior article, freshly ground and strictly pure. 50c per oz. in 10c per lb.

Tanglefoot Fly Paper, Black Flag Powder, Powder Guns, etc.

JENKINS & FARRIES, Druggists and Sewing Machine Dealers.

Walnut Street, opp. Mayor's Office

HICKS' CAPUDINE CURES RHEUMATISM, GOUT, GRAVEL, NEURALGIA, SCIATICA, MIGRAINE, BRUISES, SWELLINGS, AND ALL AFFECTIONS OF THE BLOOD.

15, 25 and 50 cts. at Druggists.

A Taste For Music!

Should always be cultivated. No one thing does more to develop the mind or give a more valuable accomplishment than the study of music. One should have one of the

STIEFF PIANOS

for this purpose, as they are highly prized by all who possess them. They are the best instruments to buy, because of their price, because of their musical quality, because of their thorough construction, all of which points, coupled with their handsome cases, make them unrivaled instruments for the home. Instruments of other makes at prices to suit the most economical. Large stock of Second-hand Pianos always on hand. Tuning, repairing. Catalogue cheerfully given or mailed on application.

Charles M. Steiff, 321 N. Liberty St. Baltimore.

Timely Hints!

This is the season when you need reliable time—either in your pocket or in your house.

Time to time yourself and your employees—to get to work at the right time and quit at the right time, if you want your meals or time.

No time like the present to supply yourself with a good time piece in clock or watch.

Fine Umbrellas in silver handles. Engraved free.

Cut Glass. Gold Clock Sets. Silver Tableware. Beautiful Carving Sets. Summer Jewelry and Novelties

SILVER WHITE For cleaning Silver. For sale in 10c.

Our Serges

are here

at

Your Prices.

Fast colors.

Call and see them.

A. A. Joseph

GOLDSBORO'S LEADING CLOTHIER.

Open Evenings till 8 P. M. Saturday's till 10:30.

House Heat'n!

We can put you in a Hot Water Boiler, Hot Air Furnace, Fire Place Heaters and Ranges ever brought to this place. Can furnish you many new and useful cooking utensils. A full line of Sewing Machines and oil and supplies. Bath room fixtures and specialties.

Sanitary Plumbers, Tin and Slate Roofers, Near Court House, TOBACCO FLUES.

The Jno. Slaughter Co.

Good Enough



for anybody isn't good enough for us, when it comes to Soda Water. We want every one of our customers to really feel that the soda they get here is BETTER than the best that other stores are capable of producing.

You who have tried them know this is so. We know that it is so; but there are those who do not know it, and this is an appeal to all those who have not already done so, to come and partake of "a good thing." Come to the fountain and be refreshed.

A Rambler, (not the ARGUS Rambler, but the one who is a Rambler) declared: "It's a pleasure to ride at Rocky Mount, because they treat you so nice and besides they serve the best soda in town." "Yes," remarked the other, "and they have the best soda at the Fountain. Do you know Mr. Chamberlain and Mr. J. J. J. that they are real nice looking. Let's go around and get two for Uncle Sam." We invite you all to come. We will endeavor to make it pleasant for you.

M. E. Robinson & Bro.,

The Money's Worth Druggists.

Good News to the Public!

The greatest SPECIAL SALE that was ever known before will take place MONDAY, TUESDAY and WEDNESDAY, May 28th, 29th and 30th, at JOSEPH EDWARDS'.

Goods Will Be Slaughtered

at astonishingly low prices to the public. When you see the prices of my goods you will think that I am the Champion of Low Prices sure enough.

Joseph Edwards.

M. E. Gastex & Co.

The Ladies' Cash Dry Goods Store.

Have just received

50 Dozen Fans

from VANTINES. Every kind of fan and every price fan, to fill any moderate want. All prices from 1 cent to \$1.75.

Parasols and Umbrellas,

In black and colors. We bought early and are enabled to give better values for your money than other merchants. See our special mercerized, 26-inch steel rod, fancy handle, umbrella at \$1.00.

A beautiful and elaborate line of new neck linings for ladies.

Black Pully belts with fancy and plain rings, 50c.

New supply of those cheap Vests at three for 25 cents and two for 25 cents.

Gastex & Co

THE LADIES' CASH DRY GOODS STORE.

RHEUMACIDE

CURES

RHEUMATISM

To Stay Cured.

All Druggists.

Price \$1.

The People Appreciate A GOOD THING:

As the many gratifying testimonials received almost daily in praise of WILLIAMS D. D. as a Hair Tonic and Dandruff Destroyer testifies to. Try it to-day. It sells on its merits, and is guaranteed to do the work.

50c. at M. E. ROBINSON & BRO'S The Money's Worth Druggists.