

THE ARGUS

DAILY AND WEEKLY.

LODGE DIRECTORY.

Neuse Lodge No. 6, I. O. F., meets every Tuesday evening, at 7:30 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.

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

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

THE WEATHER.

For North Carolina.
Fair tonight and Thursday, warmer.

OUR LOCAL OPTIC.

The Sunshine Club will meet Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock in the Baptist Sunday school room.

Owing to work being done in St. Paul church, there will be no prayer meeting held there tonight.

Miss Fannie Massey and Mrs. Pernicia Rose, of Princeton, are in the city the guests of Mrs. G. W. Brown.

Miss Anabel Borden, who has been visiting relatives in Richmond, returned home this afternoon.

Mrs. Thomas Farley, who has been visiting relatives returned to her home yesterday afternoon in Princeton.

Mrs. M. O. Humphrey left this morning for New York to spend Thanksgiving and a few days with her son Mr. Leon B. Humphrey.

THE ARGUS will observe its long established custom and take holiday tomorrow, consequently there will be no issue of the paper until Friday afternoon.

Mrs. F. K. Borden, Mrs. J. L. Borden and Mrs. Arnold Borden, who have been on a pleasure trip to New York for ten days are at home again.

Davis & West's colored Minstrels will have the boards of the Messenger Opera House tonight. They arrived this afternoon from Wilson, where they played last night.

Thank giving services in the Presbyterian church tomorrow, Thanksgiving Day, at 11 a. m. A cordial welcome to all. Collection for the Orphanage at Barium Springs, N. C.

Master Earl Rivenbark returned home this afternoon. His father Mr. C. J. Rivenbark, for personal reasons, had him to stop school about three weeks ago, since that time he has been visiting relatives in Raleigh.

Bishop H. C. Morrison, who is to preach at St. Paul church next Sunday, is expected to arrive in the city on the noon train Friday, from Raleigh. While he is in the city he is to be the guest of Rev. F. D. Swindell, pastor of St. Paul church.

As St. Paul church will not be ready for use tomorrow, the congregation will hold Thanksgiving service in the Primitive Baptist church tomorrow at 11 a. m., the leaders of that church having kindly consented to its use. To many of the congregation it will doubtless prove a pleasure to worship again in their former church home.

The following marriage licenses have been issued in Wayne county for the past week. White—L. H. Anderson to Nettie J. Mathis, Walter Best to Gertrude Farmer, Jno. B. Brocker to Tempe Best, Frank Edmundson to Lizzie Sausis, J. H. Parker to Mary Bell. Colored—Wm. Bailey to Fannie Cox, Willie Hill to Hattie Taylor, Aaron Sloan to Callie Floyd.

That is a ringing letter for Goldsboro's development Mayor Peterson publishes to day in reply to the enquiry of our correspondent "Progress" in yesterday's issue. It is in fine spirit and breathes the slogan of "we go forward" in every line. The Mayor requests us to ask the committee to meet at the City Hall next Monday evening at 7:30 o'clock. Let every member of the committee be present.

The Thank-giving offerings by the Graded School children were distributed among the poor this afternoon from the school building instead of the Opera House as heretofore. The Ladies Benevolent Society took charge of the dona-

tions, which comprised clothing and other useful household articles, including the necessities of life, and directed the distribution among those deserving charity. These annual Thanksgiving offerings by the pupils of the Graded School have suffering and want and make glad the hearts of poor people, while at the same time teaching the school children the lesson of charity, the greatest of all Christian virtues.

Goldsboro Foot Ball team, accompanied by Mr. W. O. Gattis as manager, will leave tomorrow morning at 7 o'clock for Newbern, where they will play the team in that town tomorrow. The boys would like to carry as many Goldsboro people as possible. The fare for the round trip is only \$2.60, provided tickets are purchased in conjunction with the team. They will return tomorrow night.

Thanksgiving services at the Second Baptist church tomorrow at 7:15 p. m. will be conducted by Rev. J. W. Rose. This service will conclude Mr. Rose's pastorate in this city, who has served as pastor of the Second Baptist church for four years. During which time he has greatly endeared himself not only to his own flock, but to the public, who are loath to give him up. Mr. Rose has accepted work in Martin county, and will leave for his new field about the middle of December.

THE MAYOR MAKES ANSWER

EDITOR ARGUS:—In answer to the enquiry of "Progress" in yesterday's issue, will say that there is no disposition to delay the good intention of our people to provide some substantial improvements in our city. I issued a written call for one meeting, several of the committee desired the meeting deferred, another meeting was suggested and two members could not attend, hence we have waited for some of the committee to thoroughly investigate the matter, as they desired to act intelligently about it.

After mature reflection, and considering the matter in all its bearings, I believe that with an additional levy of 10 cents on the hundred dollars and the amount saved in water rent, electrical lights, rents, &c., counting a liberal amount for running expenses, that the city can safely issue bonds to the amount of one hundred thousand dollars, pay the interest and provide for the sinking fund and own our water works, electric lights, city quarters, firemen quarters, &c. This small addition of ten cents on the hundred dollars will not be felt much by any one man, and will be a movement that will put Goldsboro well to the front, it will give us advantages that we ought to possess. It will place us in the column of other progressive cities. Our people are waking up now. Men of means in our midst are investing in manufacturing enterprises that are going to be a great blessing to the community, they ought to be encouraged.

The whole tax with these bonds issued would make our tax less than that which is paid by some cities in this State. We are paying a small town tax and expecting modern city improvements. Three years ago the city's auditing debt of the city had gradually increased to near ten thousand dollars, the running expenses and improvements since have prevented the reduction of this amount much, and we are handicapped to do such things as we see need to be done and which the people expect to be done.

In this day of progress let every man put his shoulder to the wheel and no man place a stumbling block in the way. There is a bright future for Goldsboro if we do our duty now. When the people have understood this, as I believe they will, let there be a judicious investment of these bonds, and an economical expenditure of every dollar.

The committee will be consulted as to the earliest meeting that suits their convenience.

Respectfully,
J. E. PETERSON,
Mayor.

CANCER

Sufferers from this horrible malady nearly always inherit it—not necessarily from the parents, but may be from some remote ancestor, for Cancer often runs through several generations. This deadly poison may lay dormant in the blood for years, or until you reach middle life, then the first little sore or ulcer makes its appearance—or a swollen gland in the breast, or some other part of the body, gives the first warning.

To cure Cancer thoroughly and permanently all the poisonous virus must be eliminated from the blood—every vestige of it driven out. This S. S. S. does, and is the only medicine that can reach deep-seated, obstinate blood troubles like this. When all the poison has been forced out of the system the Cancer heals, and the disease never returns.

Cancer begins often in a small way, as the following letter from Mrs. Shirer shows: A small pimple came on my jaw about an inch below the ear on the left side of my face. It gave me no pain or inconvenience, and I should have forgotten about it had it not begun to inflame and itch. It would bleed a little, then scab over, but would not heal. This continued for some time, when my jaw began to swell, becoming very painful. The cancer began to eat and spread, until it was as large as a half dollar when I heard of S. S. S. and determined to give it a fair trial, and it was remarkable what a wonderful effect it had from the very beginning; the sore began to heal and after taking a few bottles disappeared entirely. This was two years ago; there are still no signs of the Cancer, and my general health continues good.—Mrs. R. Shirer, La Plata, Mo.

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