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A STATEMENT OF THE FINANCES OF UNION COUNTY FOR THE FISCAL YEAR COMMENCING THE 1st MONDAY IN SEPTEMBER, 1876, AND ENDING THE 1st MONDAY IN SEPTEMBER, 1877.

STATEMENT "A."

Showing the amount of County Claims audited and allowed by the Board of County Commissioners for Union County for the said fiscal year:

Table listing various county claims and their amounts, including items like 'R. R. Austin, tax paid by way of error on Diamond gold mine for 5 years, \$15 00' and 'W. C. Wolfe, for printing notices, 10 00'.

Table listing various county claims and their amounts, including items like 'Registering voters, \$9 54' and 'C. N. Simpson, con. for serving 6 Road orders, 2 40'.

Table listing various county claims and their amounts, including items like 'Judge on writ of Habeas Corpus &c., \$21 85' and 'S. L. Forbis, for making coffin, for Jno. Temples, a pauper, 2 50'.

Table listing various county claims and their amounts, including items like 'work in putting abutments to McCall Bridge, \$2 50' and 'Abel Helms, J. P. Holding Inquisition of Lunacy in case Dossy Williams, 1 00'.

Table listing various county claims and their amounts, including items like 'Thomas Perry col, \$11 20' and 'Barrett Perry col, 11 20'.

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THE OHIO ELECTION.

The democrats have gained a brilliant victory in Ohio, says the Raleigh News. The full State ticket is elected, and a democratic majority on joint ballot insured in the Legislature.

Ohio first joined the republicans in 1836, when it gave Fremont 17,000 majority over Buchanan; and up to 1873, the democrats continued in a decided minority; in that year, Governor Allen was elected by 817 majority.

It is of the utmost importance to the public welfare that Ohio should be carried by the Republicans in a decided majority. Every Republican in the State should sink minor considerations, throw of his lethargy and go to the polls.

Although an unusual amount of lethargy prevailed on both sides during the canvass, yet the importance of the election was not underrated. It was conceded on all sides that a Democratic victory would foreshadow success to our ticket in 1880.

Washington Letter.

THE SPEAKERSHIP—LATEST DEVELOPMENTS—COMBINATION TO DEFEAT RANDALL—OTHER ITEMS.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. 9th, 1877. The organization of the House is the talk of the town. All the candidates are now on the grounds, and the canvassing which, up to this time, has been unusually dull, may now be expected to become lively.

Since my last letter, in which was stated the relative strength of the different aspirants for office under the House, little has occurred to change the estimate then given. It was then foreshadowed that the opposition to Randall, who is the leading candidate was gathering strength.

The uncertainty upon whom the combination will pitch puts a cloud on all conjecture concerning the minor offices. The stock of Adams for clerk, has risen a few degrees this week, but still the friends of Caldwell say he has the lead.

The French government on Monday detained all packets of English and Belgian newspapers arriving at the Paris railway stations. A special despatch from Geneva says: "A severe earthquake shock was experienced here on Monday morning. Some buildings were cracked, but the damage was slight."

Crop Reports.

GALVESTON, Oct. 6.—The cotton Exchange crop report is as follows: The character of the weather since September first has been favorable in 51 counties, and unfavorable in 7. The effect of the weather has been good in 54 counties, bad in 7. There has been no additional damage to crop by worms since the last report.

SAVANNAH, Oct. 9.—In Georgia there have been ninety-three replies from fifty-five counties. In the early part of the month the weather was dry and warm and the balance rainy, with a heavy wind storm for three days—18th, 19th and 20th ult. In the southwest portion of the State a wet season caused in some sections a new growth, but it is too late for any benefit to be derived therefrom.

Twenty-five replies from 13 counties in Florida say the first part of the month was dry and favorable; for the last 15 days incessant rains accompanied by high winds, preventing the gathering of crops. Much has been eaten out and destroyed, and the quality of that open and remaining in the fields is much injured.

EDUCATION IN THE SOUTH—THE PEABODY FUND.—New York, Oct. 3.—The board of trustees of the Peabody educational fund began its annual session at the Fifth Avenue Hotel to-day.

NONFOLK, Oct. 9.—Cotton Exchange report of the condition of the cotton crop. Thirty replies from eighteen counties in North Carolina and Virginia. All the replies report the weather during September very rainy and stormy to the injury of the plant.

LONDON, Oct. 9, 1877.—Later reports from the Indian famine districts than the last from the Viceroy show a considerable general rainfall on the 6th inst., which it is believed will save Behar, the Punjab Rajpootana and the northwest provinces from all dangers of a failure of the autumn crops.

From all parts of Virginia and eastern North Carolina come reports of damage caused by the heavy rains which occurred during the middle of past week.

Notes from the State.—The Triumph of the Democracy in Ohio is very complete. They have elected their candidate for Governor by probably 29,000 majority. This secures a United States Senator. So Stanley Matthews may prepare for retirement. Iowa has gone Republican by some 37,000, as was expected.

According to the Clerk's roll of the next House of Representatives the Democrats have 153, and the Republicans 139 members. Two members are omitted, one Democrat from Missouri and one Republican from Colorado. The three seats claimed by Republicans from Louisiana and Florida have been given to the Democrats.

Statistics of Presbyterianism.—The largest Presbyterian congregation in the Synod of North Carolina is that of Steel Creek church Mecklenburg county, which has a membership of 371.

Gen. Miles has at last accomplished what Howard could never have done. He has compelled Chief Joseph and the Nez Perces to surrender as prisoners of war. This was accomplished by pluck, daring and perseverance. He made a very rapid march, struck the wily Indians, engaged them heavily at once, and then, after being kept under fire for three days, brought the Indians to terms.

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PURE DRUGS AT LOW PRICES. ENGLISH & ASHCRAFT, PROPRIETORS. People's Drug Store, MONROE, N. C.

Have in store a full Fresh Stock of Pure Drugs, which, being bought at low prices, can be, and will be, sold Low for Cash. Call and see them whenever you need anything in the DRUG LINE.

Old stand, East side of the Public Square. Oct. 6, 1877.—18-11.

FARMS FOR RENT FOR 1878. I DESIRE to rent, for the next year, two Farms. One in Providence has 50 acres of land, half of it is good, fresh land, all suited for cotton and grain.

The other lies seven miles West of Monroe; has 85 acres cleared land, most of which is fresh. Has a country dwelling and out-houses, good water and orchard, also three tenant houses. Will furnish fertilizers where lands need it, if reuter desires.

B. S. TRAYWICK. Oct. 2, 77.—18-3t.

Only Bilious, says the debilitated victim of sick headache, pain in the right side, constipation of the bowels, and hypochondria. Are these troubles, then? No; unchecked they lead to mental disease. And yet as surely as dawn dispels the darkness, Dr. J. C. Ayer's Serravallo's Sarsaparilla will remove them. Try it.

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GRACE'S SALVE. WORK FOR ALL. In their own localities, canvassing for the medicine, visit, (sent) Weekly and Monthly. Gargle, Paper in the World, with MAMMOTH CHRONOS Free. Address P. O. WILMINGTON, Augusta, Maine.

Oil of Sassafras. Of prime quality, bought in any quantity, for cash or on credit. Free of brokerage, commissions, or storage expense, by DODGE & OLCOTT, IMPORTERS AND EXPORTERS OF DRUGS, ESSENTIAL OILS, &c. 33 WILLIAM ST., NEW YORK.

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As Others See Them: A letter received from a gentleman, who recently visited Charlotte, contains the following in reference to our house, and we submit it to our patrons as an evidence of our ability to make all our promises good.

"The house of WITTKOWSKY & RINTELS seems to me, as a wholesale establishment, to stand pre-eminent in being able to supply such goods, and on as favorable terms to merchants as can be secured south of Baltimore. I reached this conclusion after a careful examination of their immense stock, and a personal interview with Mr. Wittkowsky."

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IN WHOLESALE WE ARE READY TO DUPLICATE ANY BILL, no matter where bought. In RETAIL we present the most complete assortment of the LATEST NOVELTIES ever offered in Charlotte.

To give the reader some conception of the immensity of our stock, we cite as follows: 125 CASES PRINTS—about 6,000 pieces. 30 CASES BLEACHED GOODS—about 1,000 pieces. 20 BALES FLANNELS & LINSEYS about 900 pieces. 30 CASES JEANS & CASSIMERES, about 500 pieces. CLOTHING, \$25,000—about 3,000 suits. 600 CASES SHOES—about 24,000 pairs. 150 CASES HATS—about 900 dozen.

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THOMASVILLE FEMALE COLLEGE. DAVIDSON CO., N. C. THE TWENTY-FIRST ANNUAL SESSION begins the last Wednesday in August.

That this School presents superior educational advantages is fully proved by its steadily increasing patronage the last three years. Some of these advantages are its peculiarly quiet and healthful location, the habitual enthusiasm in study in its pupils, careful attention to their manners, morals, health and comfort, a full corps of tried and earnest teachers, an extensive and carefully arranged course of study, diplomas for selected students, and for an English course, suited to pupils limited in time or means, one for the fall course, and especially greatly reduced rates.

NEW GOODS. NEW GOODS. Spring & Summer, 1877. A nice lot of Ladies' & Men's Hats, for Summer wear. Call and see them at T. D. WINCHESTER & CO'S.

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MONROE High School, MONROE, N. C. J. D. HODGINS, A.M., Principal. W. J. SCROGGS, A.M., Assistant in Male Department. Mrs. M. L. STEVENS, Assistant in Female Department. Mrs. W. J. SCROGGS, Instructor in Music.

The next Session begins Aug. 13th. Expenses per Session of 20 weeks: Tuition in Spelling, Reading and Writing, \$8 00; in Primary English, including English Grammar, Arithmetic and Geography, \$12 00 to \$16 00; in Higher Mathematics and in Languages, each, \$5 00; incidental fee, \$2 00; Board, \$9 00 to \$10 00 per month. For Catalogue containing full particulars, address the Principal, July 5th, 77—5-1f.

H. M. Houston & Co., NOW HAVE IN STORE A NEW AND COMPLETE STOCK OF WINTER GOODS At Prices to Suit the Times.

OUR STOCK OF LADIES' HATS, ARE BOTH STYLISH CHEAP AND VERY PRETTY. We also have a Large Line of DRESS GOODS. CLOTHS, CASSIMERES AND JEANS.

FOR WINTER WEAR AN ATTRACTIVE STOCK OF SHOES AND HATS, AT PRICES TO SUIT THE TIMES. H. M. HOUSTON & CO. Nov. 13-1876-24-1f.

LOOK HERE. I HAVE A GOOD HOUSE AND LOT in Monroe that I offer for Sale or Rent. The House is two story and contains five rooms, conveniently arranged, and is on a nice lot, situated convenient to the business part of the town. Possession given at any time. J. J. HASTY. Sept. 6, 77—14-1f.

Carolina Central Railway Company CHANGE OF SCHEDULE. WILMINGTON, N. C., Oct. 5th, 1877. SCHEDULE ON AND AFTER FRIDAY, THE 5th INST., Trains will run over this road as follows: PASSENGER, MAIL AND EXPRESS. Leave Wilmington at 5:55 A. M. Arrive at Monroe at 6:17 P. M. Arrive at Charlotte at 8:00 P. M. Leave Charlotte at 7:45 A. M. Leave Monroe at 9:23 A. M. Arrive at Wilmington at 9:45 P. M.

LOCAL FREIGHT—THE WEEKLY. Leave Wilmington, Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays at 7:25 P. M. Arrive at Monroe at 8:21 A. M. Arrive at Charlotte at 11:12 A. M. Leave Charlotte at 8:02 P. M. Arrive at Monroe at 9:45 P. M. Leave Wilmington at 12:45 P. M.

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Ayer's Hair Vigor, For restoring Gray Hair to its natural Vitality and Color.



A dressing which is at once a greener, healthy, and effectual for preserving the hair. Faded or gray hair is soon restored to its original color with the gloss and freshness of youth. Thin hair is thickened, falling hair checked, and baldness often, though not always, cured by its use. Nothing can restore the hair where the follicles are destroyed, or the glands atrophied and decayed. But such as remain can be saved for usefulness by this application. Instead of fouling the hair with a pasty sediment, it will keep it clean and vigorous. Its occasional use will prevent the hair from turning gray or falling off, and consequently prevent baldness. Free from those deleterious substances which make some preparations dangerous and injurious to the hair, the Vigor can be used with safety, but not harm it. If wanted merely for a HAIR DRESSING, nothing else can be found so desirable. Containing neither oil nor dye, it does not soil white cambric, and yet lasts long on the hair, giving it a rich, glossy lustre and a grateful perfume.

Prepared by Dr. J. C. Ayer & Co., Lowell, Mass. NOTICE. Circumstances are such that, after the 20th of this month, I can practice Medicine no longer. Those who owe me for services rendered are respectfully requested to make as early payments as possible. Thanking my many friends and patrons for past patronage, I am Very Respectfully, Dr. E. HUNTLEY. Sept. 11, 77—15-3t.

REMINGTON Breech-Loading Double-Barrelled GUN. The best ever offered the American sport-man, combining all the most desirable features of the best imported, together with some valuable improvements not found in any other Top Lever, Snap Action, Centre Fire. For sale by the trade everywhere. Manufactured by E. REMINGTON & SONS, 281 and 283 Broadway, New York, N. Y. Box 3994. Army, Illinois, N. Y. Cut this out and send for Illustrated Catalogue and Treatise on Rifle Shooting. 19-2m.

Weight, 8 1/2 to 8 3/4 pounds; length of barrel, 28 and 30 in. 10 and 12 gauge. Price, Steel barrels, \$45; Tin barrels, \$60; Laminated barrels, \$75; Damascus barrels, \$85.

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Our Churches To-morrow.

METHODIST.—Preaching every Sabbath by Rev. O. J. Bruner, Pastor, at 11 A. M., and 7 P. M. Sabbath School, 9 A. M.

LOCAL AND STATE.

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HATS AND BONNETS.—Mrs. J. W. Rudge. STOVES AND TINWARE.—J. W. Rudge. NEW GOODS.—Townsend & Hanford.

Excursion Rates to the State Fair via Hamlet have been placed at \$5.00 for the round trip.

We publish on our outside this week a full statement of our county finances for the last twelve months.

ALEX CARTER, who was to have been hanged at Rockingham, Richmond county, Friday, has been reprieved until the 16th of November.

The directors of the Georgia State Road have elected Gen. Wm. McKea general manager of the road, in addition to his present position of superintendent.

CORRESPONDENTS STAND IN THEIR OWN SHOES.—While we give a place in our columns this week to the communication of "X," yet we don't, by any means, endorse all of his views.

The avenue leading to an early grave have often been opened by a cough or cold. Thousands have been cured and by Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup.

PROF. BAILEY, the Dancing Master, advertises in this issue that he will begin a Dancing School in the Old Fellows Hall on Monday night the 22nd inst.

MR. Wm. M. WALDEN is making preparations to move West, and advertises a large sale of real and personal property to take place at his residence on the 15th of November.

We understand that quite an interesting revival has been going on for a week or two in connection with the Young Men's Prayer Meeting, at Pleasant Grove. Several conversions have been made.

ASSOCIATE EDITOR.—Mr. Burwell W. Baker's Salutory as Associate Editor of the Union Express appears in the last issue of that paper. We wish him success in his new avocation, and extend our hand with a hearty good will.

PERSONAL.—We were favored with calls this week from Messrs. W. J. Yates, of the Democrat, and Conklin of the Raleigh News, who were attending our court in the interest of their respective journals.

THE Magnolia Record, that used to be, is no more—that is, known no more under that name. It has been removed to Wilmington and its publication renewed there by its former editor and proprietor, Rev. J. N. Stallings, under the name of the Wilmington Democrat.

MORE ABOUT THAT CORN.—Mr. J. S. Miller told us the other day that he would have, during the Winter, a lot of that prolific corn seed for sale at the stores of Messrs. J. E. Stack and J. R. Winchester, so that all may have a chance to try it. He says the corn is about two months earlier than common corn, instead of one month, as formerly stated.

"A STRICH IN TIME SAVES NINE."—Disease in various forms is superinduced by the existence of worms in children and adults. Shiner's Indian Vermifuge will destroy and expel them, thus removing the cause, saving both life and money.

NATIVE WHITE RABBITS.—Mr. R. G. Blythe reports the finding of a native white rabbit, with pink eyes, in the woods in the Pleasant Grove neighborhood. These animals are quite plenty in some countries, but we have never heard of them being in the woods in a wild state in this section.

"EAT TO LIVE AND LIVE TO EAT."—Such is the heading of a poster circulated on our streets last Monday by Bruner, the Proprietor of a new first-class Restaurant. We gave him a call and were well fed on good things, and judging from the crowd of customers thronging around, we imagine he is running a popular "sheebang." Give him a call.

STOP! READ THIS.—I will sell one of the most desirable residences in Monroe at astonishingly low figures. The house is a two-story dwelling, finished and painted both inside and outside. I will give a GREAT BARGAIN. "I mean business." Try me and be convinced. Call at once on J. H. WALSH, or "BARNY" WILLIAMS, Real Estate Ag't and Auctioneer. Sept. 23, '77.—16-1f.

SEMI-ANNUAL OPENING.—Messrs. Townsend & Handford announce in a neat card, their semi-annual opening to take place on next Thursday. This firm have just received the largest stock of ladies and misses' hats and trimmings and milliner's goods generally, ever brought to this market.

WOOD WANTED.—We want to buy 50 cords of Oak and Pine Wood, delivered within two miles of Monroe Call at once. H. B. SHUTE & CO. Oct. 6, '77.—18-1f.

NEW POST OFFICES.—After a great deal of trouble we have just succeeded in getting two more new Post Offices established in this county, one near Austin's mill, called Long's Store, with John I. Long as Postmaster, the other a few miles Northwest of there, near Love's Level, with Jas. L. Love Postmaster. These new offices will supply a section of the county that has been entirely destitute of mails heretofore, and they will prove to be of great convenience.

WHAT other preparations fail to do, Hall's Hair Renewer surely accomplishes. It renews the hair and especially restores its color when gray and faded. As a dressing it is unsurpassed, making the hair moist, soft and glossy. The most economical preparation ever offered, its effects remain a long time, and those who have once made a trial of it will never use any other.—Advertiser and Union, Fredonia, N. Y.

NOT WELL PRINTED.—A portion of our last issue was not as well printed as usual, owing to the damp, rainy days on which the work was done. We have good printers, nearly new type and a splendid press, and usually get out a very neat and well printed paper, but our ink and rollers will get out of sorts sometimes, in unfavorable weather, and refuse to work properly. So if you ever get a poorly printed paper from our office (which we intend shall not be often hereafter) you may rest assured the fault does not lie with our material or workmen, but with the state of the weather.

THE STEWART HOUSE.—We dined with nine host, Brown of the Stewart House, on last Wednesday, and although we were prepared to find matters in general in connection with this House in first rate style, yet our expectations were far surpassed. Brown knows how to keep a good Hotel, and we are glad to learn that he is meeting with splendid success. Other rooms are now being prepared for his use, and when completed he will be fully prepared for any emergency.

A STEP IN THE RIGHT DIRECTION.—Messrs. E. A. Armfield and John Shute, having an idea of improving their stock, ordered and received, last week, from Tennessee, some fine specimens of Cotswold sheep and Berkshire hogs. The larger of the sheep (male) will weigh 175 lbs., and is about a year old. The fleeces clipped from the ewe last May measured 12 inches. It is generally conceded by stock raisers that the Berkshires are among the best, if not the very best, hogs, and the pigs received by these gentlemen are fine specimens indeed. We hope to see other farmers follow their example, and bring about a reform in the system of stock raising in this county. The wool from the common sheep at one clipping will not average more than 2 or perhaps 2 1/2 lbs. per head, while that from the Merino or Cotswold will average 8 lbs., and be of a much better quality, and the mutton is also better.

REVIVALS.—Interesting meetings have just closed at Lilesville and Shady Grove, Methodist Churches—sixteen converts having joined the former and several the latter church. Five who made "profession" at Lilesville did not connect themselves with the church. The ministers in charge Revs. Pepper and Groom, were assisted by Presiding Elder Nelson, and Revs. Guthrie of Rockingham, Guinn of Wadesboro, and Bobbitt of Monroe; all alternating between the two points. Of course there was much able preaching. At Shiloh we hear of a revival also, but cannot now learn the particulars.—P. D. Herald

Superior Court.

The Fall Term of our Superior Court met at ten o'clock on Monday morning, the 8th, His Honor, Augustus S. Seymour, presiding, and Solicitor S. J. Pemberton representing the State. At the ringing of the bell on Monday morning the crowd was unusually large, probably larger than was ever in attendance here on a Monday of Court.

The charge to the Grand Jury was nothing beyond the ordinary, but was considered by all to be a good, sound, legal talk, and made a fair impression for the Judge to start with; though it was said to be, by those who have heard him before, not a fair specimen, as His Honor was laboring under the disadvantage arising from a slight affection of the throat. But while the charge was short it was to the point, and clearly pointed out the duties of the Grand Jury,—except he didn't say quite enough about our miserable public roads. The public roads are said to be the test or sign of the civilization of a people; if we were tried by that test the verdict would read, "Not the highest grade of civilization."

The crowd in town during the whole week was very large, and was quiet and orderly.

The lawyers in attendance from abroad have been Messrs. T. S. Ashe, R. T. Bennett, A. J. Dargan, W. L. T. Prince and S. T. Ashe, of Wadesboro, and J. H. Wilson, of Charlotte, with the Solicitor, S. J. Pemberton, of Albemarle; while the local bar was represented by C. M. T. McCauley, T. D. McCauley, Adams & Payne, Covington & Vann, Rufus P. Davis, N. S. Poe, (a recent addition,) R. Rogers Cyrus Q. Lemmond and W. H. Simpson.

The Criminal Docket numbered 131 cases, of which about 81 were new cases found by the present Grand Jury; none of much importance, except that against Sam'l Alexander for the murder of Jefferson Dunn, last January. He was arrested and brought to Monroe on last Thursday night. The case was taken before the Grand Jury on Friday, and a true bill of murder was returned. He was arraigned for trial on Saturday, and plead by his counsel, Messrs. Covington & Vann, "Not Guilty." His trial was set for next Thursday, and a special venire of 100 jurors was ordered to be summoned. Messrs. Ashe & Bennet, J. H. Wilson, Adams & Payne, A. J. Dargan and R. P. Davis will assist the Solicitor in the prosecution. A number of cases of suspended judgments were very soon disposed of. A few cases of settling the paternal line of ancestry of some "Babes of the woods," which generally, after the thorough examination by the jury, was left in greater doubt and uncertainty than ever, took up considerable time of the Court.

The following parties will shortly take a trip to Raleigh: Randall Allen, col., convicted of larceny, and sentenced to one year in the penitentiary; Peter Manns, col., larceny, three yrs; Daniel Helms, col., assault with intent to commit rape, ten years. This last case is an instance of speedy justice, as the crime was only committed on the 6th inst., his victim being a little girl only eight years old. Three or four parties were sentenced to short imprisonment in county jail for violent assaults, &c.; Hall Houston, col., not yet sentenced.

The Criminal Docket was finished on Thursday, having cleared it of from fifty to seventy-five cases.

The Civil Docket, which was reached on Friday morning, numbers ninety-five cases—none of very great importance, but a few that may be long and tedious, if tried, and we shall not be surprised if we find the business of the Court unfinished on Saturday night of the last week.

Thus endeth the first week of Court.

Quarterly Meeting Appointments.

CHARLOTTE DISTRICT—4TH ROUND IN PART.—Wadesboro Station, Oct. 6th and 7th.

Stanly Circuit, Oct. 13th and 14th. South Charlotte Circuit, at Zion, Oct. 18th.

Monroe Circuit, at Prospect, Oct. 20th and 21st.

Wadesboro Circuit, at Bethel, Oct. 27th and 28th.

Albemarle Circuit, at Albemarle, Oct. 31st.

Mt. Pleasant Circuit, at G old Hill Nov. 2nd.

Concord Station, Nov. 5th.

Monroe Station, Nov. 10th and 11th.

Pineville Circuit, Nov. 10th and 11th.

Pleasant Grove Circuit, at Rehoboth, Nov. 14th.

Lilesville Circuit, Nov. 17th and 18th.

Ansonville Circuit, Nov. 20th and 21st.

Charlotte, Tryon Street and Calvary Mission.

W. H. BOMBRY, P. E.

[For the Enquirer.] Dancing School.

We are glad to see that Prof. Bailey will be with us again. He will be here for the purpose of getting up a Dancing School, and tells us his prospects are very flattering. We think there is nothing more beneficial to the physical health of young people than attending a good Dancing School, such as taught by Prof. Bailey. It gives them good exercise, learns them to be graceful, and they are enabled to pass pleasantly many long Winter evenings that might otherwise be devoted to some amusement from which they could derive no benefit. Although our joints have long since grown stiff by age and our pedestals are unflinched to Terpsichorean staves, yet we like to look upon the merry dance and see the young people enjoying themselves. The days of old foggyism are past; a new era has dawned; people no longer listen to the doctrine of fifty years ago, when it was thought a crime to attend a dance or see a circus, but look at things from a more common sense point of view.

If more was said about lying, cheating or our neighbors, stealing and salary grabs, and less about dancing and going to circuses, the state of society would be in a much better condition.

MARRIED.

In Goose Creek Township, on 11th Sept., by J. Trull, Esq., Mr. W. L. Diggers to Miss Mary A. Little.

In Lane's Creek Township, on 20th Sept., by T. W. Griffin, Esq., Mr. Alvin D. Godwin, to Miss Martha A. Stegall.

In Goose Creek Township, by Rev. E. David, Mr. Michael Polk to Miss Mary Ann Baucum.

In Goose Creek Township, on 2nd September, by Thos. H. Benton, Esq., Mr. James Philman to Miss Eliza J. Huneycutt.

In New Salem Township, 2nd Sept. by W. A. Austin, Esq., Mr. Jas. W. Baker to Miss Eliza Braswell, of Anson.

DIED.

In this county, Sandy Ridge Township, on the 11th inst., Mrs. Elizabeth Howard, wife of James Howard; aged 74 years.

In Monroe Township, Sept. 27th, Eli Preslar; aged 29 years.

We ask our friends that, if any body dies, gets married, steals anything commits any murder, an unusual crop raised, and many other items of interest that may occur in their neighborhoods, to send the news to us and do not wait for us to find it out by instinct. Assist in making your home paper interesting, not only to yourselves, but to others. If every one would contribute a little, a great deal of interesting matter could be realized herefrom.

IS YOUR LIFE WORTH 10 CENTS?—Sickness prevails everywhere, and everybody complains of some disease during their. When sick, the object is to get well; now to say plainly that no person in this world that is suffering with Dyspepsia, Liver Complaint and its effects, such as Indigestion, Costiveness, Sick Headache, Sour Stomach, Heart Burn, palpitation of the Heart, Depressed Spirits, Biliousness, etc., can take GREEK'S AUGUST FLOWER without getting relief and cure. If you doubt this, go to your Druggist ENGLISH & ASHCRAFT and get a Sample Bottle for 10 cents and try. Regular size 75 cents. Two doses will relieve you.

SICKLY children may be Restored to health and beauty by the use of ten cents' worth of Shiner's Indian Vermifuge. Do not let your children be dragged to the grave by worms.

A New Lot of Home Shuttle Sewing Machines have just been received at this office. Call and buy one; they will please you. July 6th, 1877

MONROE MARKET.

CORRECTED WEEKLY BY B. D. Heath & Co.

COTTON, @ lb. 9 a 10 1/2

Bacon, " 8 a 10

Lard, " 12 1/2 a 15

Butter, " 20 a 25

Cheese, " 15 a 20

Pork, " 8 a 8 1/2

Beef, " 5 a 7

Beeswax, " 25 a 30

Tallow, " 6 a 6 1/2

Rice, " 8 a 10

Coffee, " 20 a 25

Sugar, " 11 a 15

S. Potatoes, @ bu. 50 a 60

New Advertisements.

FOR THE LATEST Fall and Winter Styles OF LADIES' MISSES' and CHILDREN'S Hats and Bonnets,

GO TO Mrs. J. W. Rudge, Next door to J. D. Stewart's Clothing Store.

A new stock of Hats and Trimmings for the Fall and Winter trade, just received. Trimming done at shortest notice.

Dyeing, Bleaching and Retrimming old Hats and Bonnets a Specialty. Fine Dresses cut and made in the latest styles. Be sure and give her a call before buying elsewhere. Oct. 12th, 1877.—19-1f.



This Man Says:—FOR—STOVES & TIN-WARE,

Of the best quality and at the lowest prices, go to J. W. RUDGE, MONROE, N. C. Oct. 12, 1877.—19-1f.

Townsend & Hanford,

TRADE STREET, - MONROE, N. C. The attention of the trade is invited to a well selected Stock of

GENERAL DRY GOODS, DRESS GOODS, WHITE GOODS,

Shawls, Notions, AND HOSIERY.

ALSO FINE GROCERIES, CONFECTIONERIES, CIGARS, TOBACCO, &c.

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We have just received 300 Ladies' Hats, of the latest Fall and Winter styles, a beautiful assortment of Silks, Velvets, Plushes, Ribbons, Flowers, Plumes and Feathers; also Ladies' Fancy Silk Scarfs, Handkerchiefs, Collarettes, Cuffs and Corders, &c., &c.

We are confident we have the finest assortment ever brought to Monroe, and will be sold at prices that defy all competition.

We respectfully solicit a share of the public patronage. TOWNSEND & HANFORD. Oct. 12, '77.—19-1f.

STEWART HOUSE, MONROE, N. C.

T. M. BROWN, Proprietor.

This House, formerly known as the Central Hotel, is now thoroughly renovated and newly furnished for the perfect comfort of the public, and the Proprietor hopes, by his constant personal attention, to make it second, in style and comfort, to no House in the State. The table will always be supplied with the best the market affords, polite and attentive servants always in attendance. Regular board can be obtained at reasonable rates. The omnibus in connection with this House meets all the trains. The patronage of the public is solicited.

T. M. BROWN, Proprietor. Sept. 14, '77.—15-1f.

FASHIONABLE DANCING SCHOOL At Odd Fellow's Hall. (Over Austin & Co.'s Store.) MONROE, N. C.

MR. J. H. BAILEY Would inform the citizens of Monroe and vicinity that he is now forming Classes to teach all the

Fashionable Dances of the Day, -INCLUDING- Waltzing, Polkas, Scottische, Varsouviana, Mazurka, Polka Mazurka, Redowa; The Danish, Gallopade, The Lancers, Quadrilles, The Colledoniens, Polka Quadrilles, &c., &c. -ALSO-

Fancy Dances for Children, -INCLUDING-

The "May Pole" Dance, English Morris Dance, Highland Fling, Sailor's Hornpipe, Village Hornpipe; and many other beautiful Dances for Parlor and Home Amusement.

The Glide Walks and Other Round Dances Taught in Six Lessons: The Class for Ladies and Juveniles will be on Tuesdays and Wednesdays at 8 o'clock p. m. Classes for Gentlemen will meet on Mondays and Tuesdays at 8 o'clock p. m.

Soiree Every Tues. Night. The first meeting of the Ladies and Juveniles will be on Tuesday, Oct. 23d, at 3 p. m. The first meeting of the Gentlemen will be on Monday, Oct. 22d, at 8 p. m.

TERMS: Adult Class for Gentlemen, \$5 for Twelve Lessons, (including four Soirees,) one half in advance. Ladies Class, \$5 for Twelve Lessons. Mr. Bailey proposes to teach all the Ball Room Dances in one session. Oct. 13, 1877.—18-1f.

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H. B. SHUTE. W. O. STARNES. ANOTHER NEW RINKLE.

WE DESIRE to inform our friends and the public that in connection with our stock of GROCERIES we have now in store a full line of DRY GOODS

-AND- NOTIONS, BOOTS, SHOES, -AND- HATS,

for the FALL and WINTER TRADE, and we are determined not to be UNDERSOLED. We also buy COTTON, and pay the highest market prices. COUNTRY PRODUCE taken in exchange for goods. CALL AND SEE US. H. B. Shute & Co., Next door to Corner Drug Store. Oct. 1, '77.—17-6m.

PIANOS

Magnificent \$650 Rosewood Piano—\$175, fine Rosewood Upright Piano (little used) cost \$800—only \$125, must be sold. Parlor Organ, 2 stops \$45; 3 stops \$65; 12 stops only \$75. Nearly new 4 set Reed 12 stop, Sub Bass and Octavo Coupler Organ, cost over \$350, only \$55. Lowest Prices ever offered sent on 15 days test trial. You ask why I offer so cheap? reply Read Times. Result sales over 1,000,000 annually. Ware commandeered by monopolists. Beware anonymous Circulars. Write for explanation. Battle raging. Full Particulars free. Address Daniel F. Beauty, Washington, New Jersey.

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MONROE, N. C. Sept. 29th, 1877.

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We offer great inducements to cash customers. Don't fail to see us before you buy. A. H. CROWELL & SON, Depot Street. Sept. 7th-1877-14-1f.

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PERMANENT DEBT OF UNION COUNTY.
Amount Bonds issued in favor of the W. C. & R. R. Co., one half due July 1st, 1878, and the other half due July 1st, 1879, which are still due and unpaid, \$42,800.
I, C. N. SIMPSON, Clerk of the Board of County Commissioners, certify that the above statement in relation to the levy of taxes is true, and that concerning the permanent debt is true to the best of my knowledge.
This, Sept. 6th, 1877.
C. N. SIMPSON,
Clerk Board of Com.

Farm and Household.

Ask Questions of Your Soil.

What a wonderful help it would be to every cultivator if he could say to this soil and that one, "tell me what you are made up of—what is lacking in your composition to make a good crop of this or that kind," and the soil should answer: "I lack potash," or "I lack phosphoric acid," or "I lack lime," etc. With such answers we could go right to work and supply the deficient element or elements. Now it is guess work.

We put on the stable manure, and as that generally contains all kinds of needed elements, it produces good results. Yet in doing this we often add a great deal that is not needed, as soils usually lack only one or two elements. In the older States we need or could very profitably use much more manure than can be obtained. Now comes the all-important question: What shall we use—what will be the cheapest and best paying fertilizer? Formerly agricultural chemists proposed to analyze our soils, and tell us what was lacking; but they know that in the present state of agriculture that this is not practicable. The fertilizer manufacturers come along and tell us, each in turn, that this article is just the thing we need. We try this one, and then that one, and at a great deal of expense, sometimes with good results, and sometimes quite otherwise. In the former case we go on and buy and use more. A neighbor having a different soil follows our example, fails, and is disgusted, not to say discouraged. If we fail in our first trials we too are disgusted, and pronounce all artificial fertilizers and agricultural science itself a humbug. But even when we succeed, we are not sure that we have got the best or cheapest fertilizer. Something else might have furnished our soil with just what we wanted at half the cost.

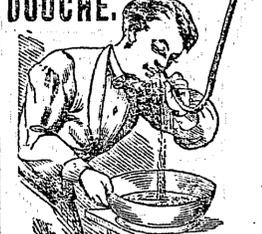
Now, the best way to get at the root of the matter is, not to go into costly experiments, buying by the ton or score of tons, a fertilizer highly recommended, but to put few simple questions to our fields in the form of experiments that any ordinary cultivator can carry on at small costs, which if made carefully will afford a large amount of useful information. In an average field, lay off a few long plots. Across these plots plant or sow some leading crops, and watch carefully the effects upon each of the different fertilizers. A single trial of a season will give a great deal of information, while repeated trials will be of still greater value. Thus ascertaining what will pay best, we can in the future buy and use largely just that fertilizing element, and only that one, of only those which are needed. If potash is the thing we shall not have to buy and pay for a lot of other things, to get what we want. The chemist can tell us accurately what is in this or that fertilizer, and whether we get what we pay for, or intended to. The cultivators who make these experiments—who thus ask direct questions of the soil—will be the most successful, and they should begin at once.

Subsoiling.

Several advantages grow out of breaking land very deep, or what is generally called subsoiling. The roots are enabled to penetrate much deeper in quest of food, a greater amount of atmospheric air (and consequently nitrogen and carbonic acid) are held in the soil; for as the plow presses on, the atmosphere presses in to every interspace behind it, and a soil well broken twelve inches deep will have twice as much of these valuable gases as that only broken six inches. Besides, it causes heavy rains to sink rapidly, preventing too much water from injuring plants, and at the same time saves rolling lands from washing into such ugly gullies as so often disfigure our hill-sides. Again, subsoiling lands is a great

prevention to drouth, by holding in store a better supply of hygroscopic and capillary waters, enabling the latter to move more freely through a deeper and more porous soil.
In 1873 we instituted a practical test of the advantage of subsoiling land for both corn and cotton. For the latter we planted one-fourth of an acre, subsoiling 12 inches deep, 3 feet wide, using at the rate of 300 lbs. of ammoniated phosphate. It produced at the rate of 1,220 lbs. per acre. The same amount not subsoiled, by its side, produced 1,012. The first paid for the fertilizer and made a clear profit of \$16.38 per acre. The first made a clear profit of \$7.03.
Subsoiling land for corn was tested as follows: One-half acre was planted and cultivated precisely the same way, with a small amount ammoniated superphosphate applied in each hill. The corn was planted in rows six feet wide by three in the drill; one-fourth acre was subsoiled 12 inches deep just previous to planting. The subsoiled plant produced at the rate of 19.70 bushels to the acre. That not subsoiled, 17.34 bushels. The overplus of corn made, about paid for the extra labor. A dry year it would double have paid more.—*Scientific Agriculture.*

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A Noted Divine says
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READ WHAT HE SAYS:
Dr. TUTT—Dear Sir: For ten years I have been a martyr to Dyspepsia, Constipation, and Piles. Last spring your pills were recommended to me; I used them (not with little faith), I can say a well man, have good appetite, digestion perfect, regular stools, and I have gained ten pounds in weight. They are worth their weight in gold.
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