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In the test suit brought by a Raleigh merchant against the city relative to an ordinance prohibiting signs on the streets, the city won. The Mayor ordered the signs to come down at once.

Your Local Paper.

An exchange drawing the following contrast between the local paper and the foreign city paper, makes the point in favor of the former, as a matter of fact. It says:

You may be able to get a large city paper filled with murders, cock fights, scandal cases, etc., for less money than you pay for your local paper, but these city papers never advertise your community and make the property more valuable. They do not help along your schools, churches and public enterprises; they do not publish your home news; they say nothing good of you, your town, or your neighborhood; they take no interest in you. A good newspaper is as much of an advantage to a town or county as are good schools. Stand by your home paper, it will stand by you, and is ever on the lookout for your interest.

Dies of Hydrophobia.

Asheville, N. C., September 28.—Dollie May Landreth, the 18-month old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. P. Landreth, died this afternoon from the effects of what is thought by the doctors to have been a genuine case of hydrophobia. About a month ago, while the child was playing in the hall a bull dog ran through the house with Willie Landreth, her nine-year-old brother. Dollie fell down and began to scream. Upon this the dog sprang upon her and lacerated one of her cheeks badly, and bit her severely on the other cheek. Last Monday the child began to show symptoms similar to those observable in a slight cold and not until last evening did nervous and convulsive conditions manifest themselves sufficiently to render the theory of hydrophobia tenable. Since that time, up to the moment of death, convulsions recurred with heart-rending frequency.

Youngest Railway President.

Mr. Henry Clark Bridges, of Tarboro, president of the East Carolina Railway, was in the city yesterday and called at the Railway Commission office. Mr. Bridges is the youngest president of a railway in the world. Although not more than twenty-five years of age, he is at the head of a railroad that has seven miles of track in operation and has three hundred hands at work on the construction of a twenty-five mile extension. The East Carolina is being constructed from Tarboro to Snow Hill, and a large force is now engaged at work on the road. In a few weeks the extension will reach Macesfield, which is twelve miles from Tarboro.

Regular trains will be put on the road today for the first time and a schedule observed. This was President Bridges' business here yesterday.—Raleigh Post.

Advertising in the Right Way.

To advertise profitably is to advertise judiciously. In the first place, it is essential to select a first class newspaper in which to describe a store and its goods. An advertising authority says: "Using a leading publication in a place economies effort and expenditure." Then the method and scope of advertising are to be considered. The business announcements should be such as to at once attract the notice of the public. They must impart information in pithy yet comprehensive statements which will satisfy the reader and bring out the exclamation: "Now, that's just what I am after!" A store advertised in that manner will get patrons, and those patrons will advertise the store.—Philadelphia Record.

Wins a Stove.

Sometime ago Higgs & Taff offered a Junior Buck Range to the little girl who would bring them the largest list of words made out of the letters contained in "Buck's stoves and ranges." Miss Lillian Burch, little daughter of Foreman W. F. Burch, of THE REFLECTOR, took the prize. She had 8,665 words. The next closest contestant was Miss Myrtle Warren, who had 6,245.

Special Rates.

Annual Convention North Carolina Daughters of the Confederacy, Henderson, N. C. Oct. On account of the above occasion the A. C. L. will sell round trip tickets from Greenville to Henderson \$1.50 and to Kingston to Henderson \$3.80. Tickets will be sold Oct. 10th, 11th, final limit 16th.

Services at Ayden.

Rev. C. W. Howard pastor of the Christian church assisted by Rev. J. J. Harper, of Smithfield, began a meeting at C. C. College, Ayden, Monday night. Both are able preachers and will interest the public if they will go out to hear the service at 11 o'clock A. M. and at 7:45 P. M.

F. M. F. A.

The Pitt County Branch of the Farmers Mutual Fire Insurance Association of North Carolina, held its annual election here on Monday. Mr. J. S. Harris was elected President and Mr. J. L. Little was elected Secretary and Treasurer. Mr. R. R. Cotton, who has been President for four years, declined re-election at this meeting. This Association has nearly half a million dollars insurance in this county.

Takes charge of the Church.

Rev. J. N. Booth began his pastorate of the Memorial Baptist church on Sunday, and preached excellent sermons both morning and evening. He announced that on next Sunday he would continue a series of services that would continue all the week following.

Not the Work.

In reality it is not so much the kind of service a man or woman does that entitles him or her to respect, as the spirit and manner in which it is done. Visitors to Boston, for instance, are shown the grave at the corner of Boston Common of the originator of the Juvenile soup. Kings have been known to treat with distinguished courtesy a chef who could prepare dishes as a rare art. The essential condition is excellence. Thomas Carlyle might well have his head as he looked at the massive bridge his ancestor had built, and doubt whether he had in his own chosen field of work done anything so creditable.

Why should not some philanthropist endow a college of domestic science, a course in which, after completing her studies at Vassar or Wellesley or Smith, should be regarded as necessary to the rounded education of every girl who expects to be a queen in the kingdom of home? The first condition of securing excellence is that those seeking it should themselves know wherein true excellence consists. If the Chicago Domestic Science Association succeeds in making known to its members and others that the secret of many of the housekeeper's woes is her own lack of clear, definite knowledge of housework economies, its work will not be in vain.—Chicago News.

OVER THE COUNTRY.

Late official advices from Samoa indicate an entirely pacific state of affairs there. The cruiser Prairie will carry the United States Government exhibit to the Paris Exposition. The Attorney General has dispatched a special agent to Louisiana to make an inquiry into the recent killing of the five Italians at Tulaluh. Ex Senator Harlan, the only survivor of Lincoln's Cabinet, is dying at Mount Pleasant, Iowa. Senator James K. Jones, of Arkansas, chairman of the Democratic National Committee, sailed Saturday from England for home.

WINTERVILLE DEPARTMENT.

NEWSY HAPPENINGS AND BUSINESS NOTES.

WINTERVILLE, Oct. 4, '99. Mrs. Smith is in town visiting her children and friends. Mrs. G. E. Jackson and mother stopping in town this week to attend the meeting.

Winterville Cigar Co., shipped out more goods last month than ever before in that length of time. A. G. Cox is paying 15 cents per bushel for cotton seed now, and expects to keep on paying highest market price.

For anything in the millinery line see Mary F. Hardy & Co. The chances are that you will get suited without going any further.

B. F. Manning & Co. keep potatoes at the changes in the cotton market, and are in position to pay you the best possible price at all times.

School opened Monday with bright prospects. There are quite a number of boarding students, and they are expected to keep coming in. Board here being so cheap is very much in favor of our school. If you are interested in getting a town lot or a nice little farm close by, see or write A. G. Cox. He offers to sell either large or small lots. Sites will be given for any worthy enterprising business.

CONDITION AND NECESSITY.

Of course your necessities depend on your condition. If your condition is such that you need any goods in our line, or any general shop or blacksmith work done, you know where we are, and stand ready to serve you at all times. Our specialty at this time is wagons and carts.

A. G. Cox Mfg. Co.

Our preacher Mr. Booth could not be with us last night as he had to go back to Greenville, but has given us two of his plain sermons as our people ever listened to. We expect him the remainder of this week, and hope that much good may be accomplished by this meeting.

PARMELE ITEMS.

Personal and Other Notes.

PARMELE, N. C., Sept. 30, 1899. Mrs. Albert Jones and three children, Miss Mamie Toppin and Joe Johnson, of Williamston, spent last Sunday here visiting friends and relatives. Mrs. Maggie Winery and children, of Robersonville, are visiting Mrs. Dr. Ricks this week. Miss Alice Walters, of Plymouth, is visiting Mrs. W. J. Smith. C. R. Speight, who has been very sick, is out again.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Z. White left here last week for Jacksonville, N. C., where they will spend some time with Mrs. White's people.

Robt. H. Mitchell, of Edenton, has accepted a clerkship with White & Co. The Presbyterian church presents a beautiful appearance in its new dress of paint. Mr. Daniel Gibb deserves much credit for his excellent taste in the selection of the colors with which the church is trimmed.

Miss Marietta Peyton, of Ohio, has returned, after spending several weeks with Mrs. P. L. Goslin, of this place.

Rev. L. Jackson left last Monday for his old home near Morehead City.

Constable Glisson is having the street put in good order now. The A. C. L. pump at this point is broken down which is giving trains lots of bother. The P. E. L. Co. is supplying the locomotives with water from their reservoir, through a small hose. This consumes a long time to fill up a tender.

J. H. Saunders went to Rocky Mount today. Rev. Mr. Harper, of Smithfield, N. C., preached here last Sunday in the Presbyterian church.

Get your Childs and Pears, Malaga and Night Sweats with Robert's Tan-Less Chili Tonic at 50c per bottle. Pleasant to take. Money refunded if it fails to restore appetite, purify the blood and make you well. None other as good. Manufactured by Robert's Drug Co., Seattle, Va. and sold and guaranteed at the drug stores of Bryan, Warren and Reed.

WAKE FOREST LECTUR.

October 3rd, 1899.

The total registration up to date is two hundred and forty eight, being twenty-one more than were enrolled this date last year. Seventy-two counties and six States are represented.

The good preparation of the new students indicates the progressive work at the academies. The faculty strongly favors good preparation.

There is general rejoicing at the excellent opening of our sister college at Raleigh. Several young ladies from this place have entered that college. The proximity of Wake Forest enables a young man to go out to see his sister.

The Students Christian Association is very active now. It meets every Monday evening and every student is urged to join.

The College pastor, J. W. Lynch, preaches a sweet, simple Gospel. He is not a theologian, nor a philosopher, but a gospel preacher.

The professors are visiting many of the associations. They divide them up so that no single professor is often absent.

President Taylor delivers an address at the installation of Dr. E. Y. Mullin as President of the Southern Theological Seminary.

The law class sent up seventeen men to the Supreme Court, fifteen of whom received license. This is the largest law class in the history of the new school.

The debate between Trinity and this college is to be conducted at Raleigh on Thanksgiving. The query is "Should Senators be elected by the popular vote?" Wake Forest has the negative. Arrangements are being made for the preliminary debate.

Tennis is very popular and a number of new courts are being constructed in the campus.

The first meeting of the Wake Forest Historical Society was held last week. Mr. Walter White, of Edenton, read a paper on the famous Edenton tea party. Mr. Harry Trantham on the Buford massacre, Mr. Joe Adams on Wm. L. Vance, and Mr. Nye reviewed the work of the Hague Conference. Quite a number of coins and old newspapers were presented to the Historical Society by Mr. T. A. Grady, of Kingston.

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