

SALEM NEWS.

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SALEM ADVERTISEMENTS.

R. H. CARPER,

COLLEGE AVENUE, SALEM, Va.

Steam Fitters, Water and Gas Plumbers,

Dealers in Iron, Lead and Terra Cotta Piping, Pumping Machinery, Pumps, Rubber Hose and Packing. Steam Fitting a Specialty. Get our estimates before contracting. Jan 23-17

Darst, Smith & Co.,

UNION ST., SALEM, VA.

Dealers in COAL, LIME, CEMENT, BALED HAY, ROYAL PATENT FLOUR, OATS, CORN, CHOP AND CRUSHED FEED. Agents for Pocahontas Coal. Jan 23-17

Camden Iron Works,

ALABAMA STREET, SALEM, VA.

Manufactures Ornamental and Architectural Castings, Iron Fencing, Cresting, Iron Fronts, Miners' Cars, etc. Full line of hardware at store, corner Main and Colorado streets. Jan 26-17r O. D. OAKLEY, Propr.

D. C. STOVER,

TIN AND COPPER SMITH,

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All kinds of Ranges, Cooking and Heating Stoves for sale. Tin Roofing, Spouting and Guttering and Copper Work contracted for. Prices low. Satisfaction guaranteed. 3 5 17r

WANTED.

First-class mattress makers. None but best need apply. Address. J. B. RICHARDSON & SON. 3 5-17r Salem, Va.

FLOWERS AND PLANTS.

My wagon will be at the Roanoke market every other morning, with choice plants. Parties having lawns to plant would do well to get my prices on bedding plants, as I can save you money on all foliage plants. J. SHARTZEL, Florist, Salem, Va. River Side Flower Gardens. 3 4 17r

PROFESSIONAL.

J. ERNEST WALKER,

Insurance, Real Estate and Collecting. Room Dillard & Fersinger building, College Avenue. 7-5 17r

W. M. MONTGOMERY,

ATTORNEY-AT-LAW, WEST WING COURTHOUSE, SALEM, VA.

AN ELEPHANT RUNS AMUCK.

Duchess Escapes and Takes Possession of Chicago's Streets. CHICAGO, Oct. 19.—Duchess, the big elephant in Lincoln Park, while being taken to her winter quarters, escaped from her keeper, rushed out through the streets, tearing up sidewalks, twisting in pieces iron fences, breaking heavy doors, tossing about wagons, frightening men and children and playing sad havoc with flower beds. It was two hours before a wagon load of police could effect her capture. During her freedom Duchess killed a horse attached to a milk wagon and smashed the vehicle.

Sickness Among Children.

ESPECIALLY infants, is prevalent at all times, but is largely avoided by giving proper nourishment and wholesome food. The most successful and reliable is the Gail Borden "Eagle" Brand Condensed Milk. Your grocer and druggist keep it.

Death of Major Tallafiero.

RICHMOND, Va., Oct. 19.—Major Hay B. Tallafiero died at his residence, No. 5 North Sixth street, last night at 1 o'clock of congestion of the brain. He was sick a few hours only and attended to business as usual yesterday. He was of the firm of H. B. Tallafiero & Co., well known commission merchants. During the war he was major and commissary in Pickett's division. A general meeting of the Richmond grain and cotton exchange was held at noon to take action on Major Tallafiero's death and suitable resolutions were adopted.

Why Don't You Stop Coughing?

COUGHING before the entire mucous membrane lining the air passages leading to the lungs becomes inflamed, as it surely will be from a cough neglected? There is but one remedy that gives instant relief and cures quickly. Dr. Hale's Household Cough Cure cures every kind of cough, from a simple cold to incipient consumption. 25 and 50c. bottles at Massie & Martin's drug store, corner of Commerce street and Salem Avenue.

Ben D. Hill,

DRUGGIST, of Lexington, Ky., says that Dr. Hale's Household remedies (consisting of Dr. Hale's Household Cough Cure, Dr. Hale's Household Ointment and Dr. Hale's Household Tea) are the best-sellers he has ever had in his store. This is owing to the great merit of those popular remedies. They invariably give great satisfaction, save many doctors' bills and work wonderful cures. Everybody should use them. 25 and 50c. sizes at Massie & Martin's drug store, corner of Commerce street and Salem Avenue.

Dr. Hale's Household Tea

IS THE great blood purifier and nerve tonic. It acts upon all the secretions of the system, enabling the liver and kidneys to perform their proper functions, giving tone and strength in the nervous system—a certain cure for dyspepsia. Two months' treatment for 50c. Get a free sample at Massie & Martin's drug store, corner of Commerce street and Salem Avenue.

Many Persons are broken down from overwork or household cares.

Brown's Iron Bitters Rebuilds the system, aids digestion, removes excess of bile, and cures malaria. Get the genuine.

THE TIMES KODAK.

Items of News Gathered Around Town.

Miss Gertrude Darrow, of St. Mary's Parish, La., arrived Tuesday at the Salem Female Seminary, which now has sixty pupils and the promise of several more.

A. L. Hannah, who has been spending the summer in Salem, has gone on a trip through the Southwest.

J. W. Marshall, Jr., son of "Cyclone Jim," has entered Roanoke College for the ensuing year.

The long porch in front of the Critz building has been torn down to make room for one that is sater and more ornamental.

Workmen were engaged yesterday underpinning Senay's bar-room with brick.

P. A. Coverstone is making every preparation this week so as to commence the erection of the superintendent's residence of the Baptist Orphanage next Monday.

Cashier Ruthrauff, of the Farmers' National Bank, was confined to his home by sickness yesterday.

An old colored man was in town yesterday inquiring for "de two gemmans wot killed dem three turkeys ob mine Monday," meaning Major Chandler and W. C. Peel, who mistook them for wild birds.

Ann Carroll, a white girl aged about fifteen or sixteen, was arrested yesterday by Constable Floyd at her home in Dry Hollow, about nine miles west of Salem, and brought to town, where she was lodged in jail. This morning she will appear before Justice Webber to answer the charge of stealing a calf from Wheeler C. Deacon, who has a farm in the neighborhood of her home.

The officials of the Roanoke and Salem dummy will sell commutation tickets for those who live in Salem and work in Roanoke at \$9 for the month.

Roanoke county court was occupied yesterday morning in trying the case of James Miles, colored, charged with stealing a cow and a yearling last spring from a farmer on Back creek and bringing them to town, where he sold them to the butcher. The following jury was chosen: W. J. Hayne, J. N. Merchant, J. T. Littrell, E. L. Carter, E. H. Marshall, L. M. Harlowe, L. W. Spies, E. M. Fitzgerald, J. T. Goodwin, W. R. Burdette, John Burks and W. E. Bowen. Several witnesses were heard and speeches were made by Major Ballard, for the commonwealth and M. G. McClung for the defense, after which the jury retired and later brought in a verdict of guilty, fixing his punishment at eighteen days in the county jail and \$20 fine.

THE Lester piano has a rich full and sympathetic tone and a light elastic touch. Fully warranted five years; factory prices and easy payments guaranteed by Hobbie Music Company, sole dealers, 157 Salem Avenue.

A FALSE PUBLICATION.

Stephen A. Douglas Was Never Assaulted in Selma, Ala.

SELMA, Ala., Oct. 19.—[Special]—An article recently appeared in the National Economist, signed by R. F. McCullough, of Jackson, Miss., stating that Stephen A. Douglas, when making his canvass through the South in 1860, was assaulted in Selma, Ala., with eggs while speaking, one of the eggs striking Mrs. Douglas. Great indignation prevails in Selma and other Alabama cities, and the mayor of this city publishes the following card: "The article of one R. F. McCullough, of Jackson, Miss., published recently in the National Economist, in regard to the treatment of Stephen A. Douglass in 1860, while in Selma, Ala., is so basely false as to demand some defense of the character of Selma, although the language of the author stamps him as a liar and defamer, unworthy the notice of her citizens. "Douglass was received in Selma in 1860 with an ovation rarely given to men of any political party or literary attainments, while his beautiful wife was taken in charge by the ladies of Selma and treated with queenly courtesy. To hear Douglass people came on excursion trains from the surrounding country. Maj. A. M. Folkes, now a resident of Selma, riding in a box car thirty or forty miles for that privilege. "General Edmund W. Pettus, Messrs. T. A. Hall, R. J. Davison, John K. Goodwin, Jas. H. Holley, R. H. Baker, W. P. Welsh, John Fellows, Jno. A. Schaf, A. M. Foulkes and others now living in Selma will testify to the grand reception given Douglass; they will also testify that Douglass spoke from an improvised stand and not from a steam boat. No such stigma rests upon Selma. The mutterings of malcontents, like McCullough, unknown to Selma, unknown to the South, unknown to the world, will never be able to place a stigma upon the name of John T. Morgan, whom Selma delights to honor and whose high character, lofty statesmanship and noble manhood is but the type of the people he serves. (Signed) H. H. STEWART, Mayor."

Consumption, Rheumatism,

DYSPEPSIA, catarrh, malaria, cancer, tumor and all blood and toxic diseases are caused by microbes who produce fermentation of the blood and tissues. Riddam's Microbe Killer stops fermentation, thus giving nature a chance to cure. Fifty page book free, giving history of microbes and Microbe Killer. Johnson & Johnson, agents.

Stevenson's Letter of Acceptance.

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., Oct. 19.—[Special]—General Stevenson to-day when asked when he would give his letter of acceptance to the public answered: "I am now very much engaged with my canvass in the South and will not give out the letter until I reach my home in Illinois."

THE greatest bargains ever before offered in tea, dinner and table sets—our own importation. The E. H. Stewart Furniture Company.

THE TIMES, 10 minutes. Bidelinger's, 501 Jeff'n

FOR THE FALL TRADE.

The Largest Stock of House-Furnishing Goods in the State,

Consisting of Furniture of all kinds and grades at prices that defy competition. Also a full line of

CARPETS, MATTINGS, RUGS, ART SQUARES, CURTAINS, Etc.

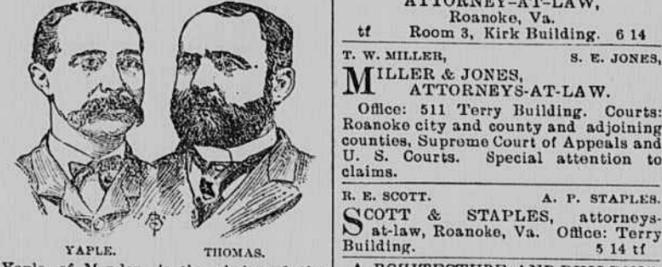
Our stock of China and Queensware is larger and more varied than ever. Most of these are of our own importation, and will be sold at surprisingly low prices. Remember that "a dollar saved is a dollar made," and you will find it to your interest to give us a call before making any purchases in our line

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DOCTOR AND LAWYER.

Two Representatives of Learned Professions Are Rival Candidates. In the Fourth Michigan district a doctor and a lawyer are the contestants for congressional honors. The Republicans selected as their standard bearer Dr. Henry F. Thomas, of Allegan, and George L.

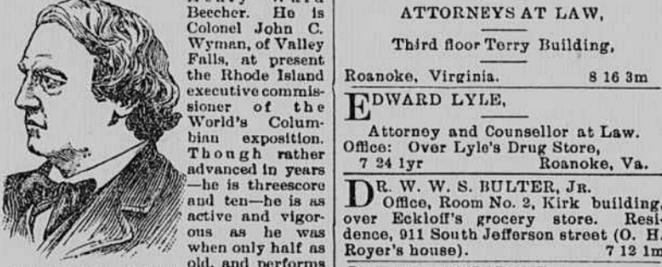


YAPLE. THOMAS. Yaple, of Mendon, is the choice of the Democrats and People's party. Both were born in Michigan—Dr. Thomas in Jackson county forty-eight years ago, and Yaple in St. Joseph county, the county in which he still lives, in 1851. Dr. Thomas was educated in the seminary at Richland, Kalamazoo county, and took a finishing course in Albion college, and then went to the war, enlisting as a private in Company D, Seventh Michigan cavalry, and serving in the Army of the Potomac under General Custer. He returned in 1865 and studied medicine at the state university. He first practiced at Constantine, St. Joseph county, but moved to Allegan a year later, where he has since lived. He was elected to the state legislature in 1873, has been chairman of the county committee and always been an active worker in the Republican cause.

Mr. Yaple was a student in the Northwestern university at Evanston, Ill., and upon graduating in 1871 studied law, and at the age of twenty-one was admitted to the bar. He laid aside his books to engage in farming for six years, and then resumed practice. In the early Greenback days he became deeply interested in the tariff and finance questions and took the stump for Cooper. Later, in the campaign of 1880, the Greenback candidate for congress withdrew, and Yaple's name was substituted on the ticket. He did all he could under the circumstances, but of course was defeated, with Julius Cesar Burrows and O. W. Powers running against him. Two years later the Democrats and Greenbackers combined on Yaple, and in that campaign Mr. Burrows received the surprise of his life by being defeated by the young man, whom in one of his speeches, he referred to as "the boy from Mendon." In 1884 he again ran for congress against Burrows, but was defeated. In 1886 he was the Democrat-Greenback candidate for governor, and was defeated by Cyrus G. Luce. He was the choice of the Democratic members of the legislature for United States senator in 1887, but the Democrats were greatly in the minority. In 1888 he was one of the delegates at large to the Democratic national convention, and two years later he made a fourth run for congress against Julius Cesar Burrows, but was defeated by a plurality of 303. He is now making his fifth canvass.

HE LOOKS LIKE BEECHER.

Colonel John C. Wyman, Rhode Island's World's Fair Commissioner. There is a Rhode Island man who bears a marked facial resemblance to the late Henry Ward Beecher. He is Colonel John C. Wyman, of Valley Falls, at present the Rhode Island executive commissioner of the World's Columbian exposition. Though rather advanced in years—he is threescore and ten—he is as active and vigorous as when only half as old, and performs the duties of his office in a most enthusiastic manner. If "Little Rhody" doesn't make a big showing at the fair it will not be his fault. Colonel Wyman has had an interesting career. He went to the war in May, 1862, as captain of company A, Thirty-second regiment, Massachusetts infantry, as at that time he was a resident of the Bay State. In the September following he was appointed provost marshal of Alexandria, Va., which position he held until the spring of 1863, when he was placed in charge of the supply department of the Army of the Potomac, and later assigned to a responsible position in the United States military railway service. He was one of the military escort which accompanied the remains of President Lincoln from Washington to Springfield, Ill., and in May, 1865, resigned to become connected with the Rensselaer Iron and Steel company, of Troy, N. Y. He has lived in Rhode Island since 1882. Not even Chauncey M. Depew surpasses him as a story teller, and he is in great demand as an after dinner speaker.



The colonel has been a frequent visitor to New York city, where, while Mr. Beecher was living, he was often mistaken for the great preacher.

Great Britain's Lighthouses.

Great Britain and Ireland are well provided with lighthouses, so well in fact that the number of cases of vessels going ashore is very small, when the rocky nature of the coast is considered. To be exact, there is a lighthouse to every fourteen miles of coast in England, to every thirty-four miles in Ireland and to every thirty miles in Scotland.

REASONS

Why You Should Advertise in

THE ROANOKE TIMES.

CIRCULATION.

It has the largest circulation of any daily in Virginia west of Richmond.

SIZE.

It is the largest daily in Virginia—eight pages, forty-eight columns.

NUMBER OF ADVERTISEMENTS.

It prints a larger number of advertisements than any daily south of the Potomac and east of the Mississippi, three only excepted.

PATRONAGE.

It prints a larger number of advertisements than any other daily printed in a city of 25,000 inhabitants in America.

A CHALLENGE.

It challenges comparison with any daily in America printed in a city of 25,000.

THE BIG FOUR.

Coal, Iron, Timber, Blue Grass.

REASONS

Why You Do Not Advertise in THE ROANOKE TIMES:

BECAUSE you don't know that Southwest Virginia has within ten years grown 200,000 in population and received

EIGHTY MILLION DOLLARS

of foreign capital.

BECAUSE you don't know that THE TIMES is the representative organ of that population and that capital.

BECAUSE you don't know that this new population presents the most fertile advertising field in America.

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Because you don't know that THE TIMES is the representative organ of Southwest Virginia.

Because you don't know that THE TIMES is the best paper in Virginia, outside of Richmond.