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**Chronological Cycles and Eras.**

Dominical Letter .....	G	Julian Period .....	6613
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










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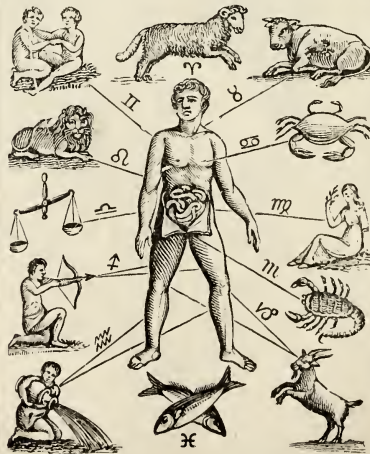
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**The Twelve Signs in the Zodiac.**

-  Aries or Ram.
-  Taurus or Bull.
-  Gemini or Twins.
-  Cancer or Crab.
-  Leo or Lion.
-  Virgo or Virgin.
-  Libra or Balance.
-  Scorpio or Scorpion.
-  Sagittarius, Bowman.
-  Capricornus, Goat.
-  Aquarius, Waterman.
-  Pisces or Fishes.



**Signs of the Planets.**

- ☉ Sun.
- ♂ Mars.
- ☾ Moon.
- ♃ Jupiter.
- ♀ Venus.
- ♄ Saturn.
- ♅ In conjunction.
- ☐ Quadrature.

**Moon’s Phases.**



To know where the sign is, find the day of the month, and against the day of the column marked Moon’s Signs, you have the sign or place of the moon, and then find the sign here.

**The Four Seasons.**

	D. H.		D. H.
Spring commences .....	March 20	8 p. m.	Autumn commences.....
Summer commences .....	June 21	4 p. m.	Winter commences .....
			Sept. 23 7 a. m.
			Dec. 23 1 a. m.

**Morning and Evening Stars.**

The Planet Venus (♀) begins as Evening Star and continues as such until July 8 h; then Morning Star to the end of the year.

The Planet Mars (♂) is Evening Star until January 16th; then Morning Star the rest of the year.

The Planet Jupiter (♃) will be Morning Star until May 27th, then Evening Star till December 14th, after which he is Morning Star to the end of the year.

The Planet Saturn (♄) is Morning Star until June 23d, after which it is Evening Star until December 29th, and then Morning Star the rest of the year.

**Eclipses in 1900.**

In the year 1900 there will be three Eclipses—two of the Sun and one of the Moon.

I. A total Eclipse of the Sun May 28th. This eclipse is generally visible in Western Europe, in Northern Africa, the North Atlantic and Arctic Oceans, Greenland, North America and the extreme northern part of South America. The path of total eclipse begins in Egypt, and passing over the Mediterranean Sea, crosses Spain and Portugal; thence across the Atlantic it enters North America at Norfolk, Va., and bearing to the Southwest, reaches the Gulf Coast near New Orleans; continuing its course; across the Gulf of Mexico and Mexico, it encounters the Pacific Ocean at a point near Cape Corrientes; visible elsewhere in regions mentioned as a partial eclipse. Begins in local mean time as follows; At Boston, 8.12 a. m.; New York 7.51 a. m.; Philadelphia, 7.46 a. m.; Washington, 7.37 a. m.; Charleston, 7.45 a. m.; New Orleans, 6.23 a. m.; Galveston, 6.2 a. m.; Pittsburgh, 7.26 a. m.; Cincinnati, 7.6 a. m., Chicago, 6.55 a. m.; Denver, 5.44 a. m.; Ends at Boston, 10.44 a. m.; New York, 10.22 a. m.; Philadelphia; 10.17 a. m.; Washington, 10.9 a. m.; Charleston, 9.56 a. m.; New Orleans, 9.5 a. m.; Galveston, 8.47 a. m. Pittsburgh, 9.58 a. m.; Cincinnati, 9.88 a. m.; Chicago, 9.28 a. m.; Denver, 8.16 a. m. Begins at Raleigh at 7.30 a. m. Ends at 9.59 a. m.

II. A partial Eclipse of the Moon June 12th; visible here, but quite small and unimportant.

III. An annular Eclipse of the Sun November 21st; not visible here. Visible to Sumatra, Borneo and some other East India Islands, Australia, Southern Africa and portions of the South Atlantic and Indian Oceans.

**Tides.**

Local time of high water can be found approximately for the following places by adding the corresponding intervals to the local time of the Moon's transit over the local meridian. The time of the next corresponding tide can be found approximately by adding 12 hours and 25 minutes to the tide already found. In this almanac the tides for Southport, N. C., are given in Standard Time, and have been derived from data furnished by the U. S. Coast and Geodetic Survey.

	H. M.		H. M.
Boston .....	11 27	New York .....	8 04
Sandy Hook .....	7 30	Old Point .....	8 44
Baltimore .....	6 29	Washington City .....	7 26
Richmond .....	4 30	Hatteras Inlet .....	7 04
Beaufort .....	7 21	Beaufort, S. C .....	7 58
Southport (changed from Smithville) .....	7 23	Wilmington .....	9 09
Charleston .....	7 20	Savannah .....	8 13

**HERSCHEL'S WEATHER TABLE.**

*For foretelling the Weather throughout all the Lunations of the Year, Forever.*

If the New Moon, First Quarter, Full Moon or Last Quarter happens	In Summer.	In Winter.
Between midnight and 2 o'clock	Fair	Frost unless wind Southwest.
" 2 and 4 morning	Cold and showers	Snow and stormy.
" 4 and 6 "	Rain	Rain.
" 6 and 8 "	Wind and rain	Stormy.
" 8 and 10 "	Changeable	Cold & rain if wind W; snow if E
" 10 and 12 "	Frequent showers	Cold and high wind.
" 12 and 2 afternoon	Very rainy	Snow and rain.
" 2 and 4 "	Changeable	Fair and mild.
" 4 and 6 "	Fair	Fair.
" 6 and 8 "	Fair if wind Northwest	Fair and frosty if wind N. or E.
" 8 and 10 "	Rainy if South or Southwest	Rain and snow if S. or S. W.
" 10 and midnight	Fair	Fair and frosty.

**Observations.**

1. The nearer the time of the Moon's change, first quarter, full and last quarter are to midnight, the fairer will be the weather during the next seven days.
2. The space for this calculation occupies from ten at night till two next morning.
3. The nearer midday or noon the phases of the moon happen, the more foul or wet weather may be expected during the next seven days.
4. The space for this calculation occupies from ten in the forenoon to two in the afternoon. These observations refer principally to the Summer, though they affect Spring and Autumn nearly in the same ratio.
5. The Moon's change first quarter, full and last quarter happening during six of the afternoon hours 1. e., from four to ten, may be followed by fair weather, but this is mostly dependent on the wind, as is noted in the table.

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**Cojectures of the Weather by Herschel's Table.**—1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, cold and rain; 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, frost unless wind S.W.; 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, snow and rain; 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, fair and frosty if wind N. or E.; 30, 31, rain and snow.

### A Bible Reading in Missions.

For as many as have sinned without law shall also perish without law. See Romans ii. 12.

For, lo, they that are far from thee shall perish. Psalm lxxiii. 27.

For the wages of sin is death; but the gift of God is eternal life through Jesus Christ our Lord. Romans vi. 23.

For God so loved the world, that he gave his only begotten Son, that whomsoever believeth in him should not perish, but have everlasting life. John iii. 16.

Neither is there salvation in any other: for there is none other name under heaven given among men, whereby we must be saved. Acts iv 12.

The Scripture can not be broken. See John x. 35.

For there is no difference between the Jew and Greek: for the same Lord over all is rich unto all that call upon him.

For whosoever shall call upon the name of the Lord shall be saved.

How then shall they call on him in whom they have not believed? and how shall they believe in him of whom they have not heard? and how shall they hear without a preacher?

And how shall they preach except they be sent? as it is written, How beautiful are the feet of them that preach the gospel of peace, and bring glad tidings of good things! Romans x. 12-15.

When I say unto the wicked, O wicked man, thou shalt surely die; if thou dost not speak to warn the wicked from his way, that wicked man shall die in his iniquity; but his blood will I require at thine hand. Ezekiel xxxiii. 8.

And I saw another angel fly in the midst of heaven, having the everlasting gospel to preach unto them that dwell on the earth, and to every nation, and kindred, and tongue, and people,

Saying with a loud voice, fear God, and give glory to him; for the hour of his judgment is come: and worship him that made heaven, and earth, and the sea, and the fountains of water. Rev. xiv. 6-7.

Let nothing make thee sad or fretful,  
Or too regretful;  
Be still.

What God hath ordered must be right;  
Then find in it thine own delight,  
My will.

## Garden Calendar for January.

Prepare hotbeds. Asparagus beds give heavy dressing with compost and salt. Radishes sow sparsely from time to time. Horseradish cuttings put out. Onions may still be planted, also Garlic and Shallots. Lettuce plants from fall sowing transplant. Spinach may be sown for early spring use. Onions hoe and all other hardy crops planted in autumn. Peas sow at intervals; some may be frosted, but try again. Turnips for early crop sow. Trees and Shrubbery may be transplanted and pruned. Early Flat Dutch Cabbage seed sow in hotbeds. Collect plenty of manure.

## Baptism and the Lord's Supper, not the Lord's Supper and Baptism.\*

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\* Written for the American Baptist Publication Society.

Solomon's temple had two monumental pillars—Jachin, "He shall establish," and Boaz, "In it is strength." In Zechariah's vision were two olive trees, on either side of the Golden Candlestick which stood beside the Lord of the whole earth.

In like manner Christ has left two monumental witnesses to testify concerning Himself. They are Baptism and the Lord's Supper. Both are witnesses of His death. Baptism, the first witness, testifies concerning His death, burial, and resurrection. The Lord's Supper, the second witness, takes up and continues the testimony showing forth the Lord's death till He come.

2. The churches of Christ, called also the churches of God, are the custodians of those two monumental witnesses. Unto them were the ordinances delivered. Each church for itself is responsible for the proper observance within itself of these witnessing ordinances according to the most conscientious conviction itself entertains.

In holding this principle all churches without distinction agree—Presbyterians, Congregationalists, Methodists, Episcopalians, and finally the Baptists.

3. There is an order to be observed in these two ordinances. Baptism goes first; the Lord's Supper follows.

Persons who become disciples must enter the church by the door; after they have entered by the door, they partake of the supper that is within the door. This order is in accord with reason, and is taught in the Word of God. It is not allowable to reverse it.

The children of Israel were first baptized into Moses; afterward they did all eat the same spiritual meat and did all drink the same spiritual drink. The disciples were

MOON'S PHASES.



	New Moon,	1 8 38 a.m.		Full Moon,	15 1 54 p.m.
	First Quarter,	8 0 26 a.m.		Last Quarter,	23 6 39 p.m.
				New Moon,	30 8 9 p.m.

Day of M'th.	Day of Week.	Sun rises.	Sun sets.	Sun slow.	Sun's decli-nation.	ASPECTS OF PLANETS AND N. C. CHRONOLOGY.	Moon's signs.	Moon rises or sets.	Moon south.	Tides at Southport.
						Dark of the Moon plant seed that fruit in the ground. Light of the Moon plant seed that fruit in the light.				
1	Mon	7 10 4	59 4 23	1		NEW YEAR'S DAY. Rain		sets.	0 11	7 40
2	Tue	7 10 5	0 4 22	55		⊕ in Perihelion.		6 21	1 10	8 30
3	We	7 10 5	1 5 22	50		♂ ♀ ☾. Moon in Perigee.		7 37	2 7	9 22
4	Thu	7 10 5	1 5 22	44		Penelope Eden died 1716.		8 52	3 1	10 15
5	Fri	7 10 5	2 6 22	37		Ch. Jus. R. M. Pearson d. 1878		10 5	3 53	11 11
6	Sat	7 10 5	3 6 22	30		⊕ PIPHANY.		11 13	4 44	morn

First Sunday.

Day's length 9 hours 54 minutes.

7	G.	7 10 5	4 6 22	23		Frost unless wind S. W.		morn	5 34	0 10
8	Mon	7 10 5	5 7 22	15		1st St'te Ho'se b'lt 1791		0 23	6 25	1 11
9	Tue	7 10 5	6 7 22	6		1st church in N. C. 1702.		1 32	7 17	2 15
10	We	7 10 5	6 8 21	57		1st print'g press N. C. 1749		2 38	8 10	3 17
11	Thu	7 9 5	7 8 21	48		First Gov. N. C. 1664.		3 42	9 4	4 19
12	Fri	7 9 5	8 8 21	39		Orange Co. formed 1751.		4 40	9 57	5 14
13	Sat	7 9 5	9 9 21	29		Fayetteville settled 1749.		5 33	10 49	6 5

Second Sunday.

Day's length 10 hours 1 minute.

14	G.	7 9 5	10 9 21	18		Gov. Burrington qual. 1724.] Snow and rain.		6 20	11 40	6 52
15	Mon	7 9 5	11 10 21	7				rises.	morn	7 36
16	Tue	7 9 5	12 10 20	56		♂ ♂ ☾.		6 9	0 27	8 15
17	We	7 8 5	13 10 20	44		Battle of Cowpens 1781.		7 8	1 12	8 51
18	Thu	7 8 5	14 11 20	32		Leg. in sess. at Halifax 1781.		8 6	1 55	9 26
19	Fri	7 8 5	15 11 20	20		♀ in Aph. Moon in Apogee		9 5	2 37	9 59
20	Sat	7 8 5	15 11 20	7		Northampton Co. f'md 1741		9 58	3 17	10 31

Third Sunday.

Day's length 10 hours 9 minutes.

21	G.	7 7 5	16 11 19	54		Ex-Gov. Thos. Bragg d. 1872		10 57	3 58	11 5
22	Mon	7 7 5	17 12 19	40		Pitt Co. formed 1760.		11 58	4 40	11 44
23	Tue	7 6 5	18 12 19	26		Fair and frosty.		morn	5 24	0 28
24	We	7 6 5	19 12 19	12		Burges'es met at Newb. 1773		1 0	6 11	1 20
25	Thu	7 5 5	20 12 18	57		Col. Tarlton died 1833.		2 2	7 1	2 20
26	Fri	7 4 5	21 13 18	42		♂ ♀ ☾. ♂ ♂ ☾.		3 5	7 55	3 29
27	Sat	7 3 5	22 13 18	27		Dr. Caldwell died 1835.		4 6	8 52	4 35

Fourth Sunday.

Day's length 10 hours 20 minutes.

28	G.	7 3 5	23 13 18	11		Gov. Nat. Rice d. 1753.		5 1	9 51	5 36
29	Mon	7 2 5	24 13 17	55		Jus. Taylor died 1829.		5 53	10 51	6 31
30	Tue	7 2 5	25 13 17	39		♂ ♀ ☾. Rain and snow		6 38	11 50	7 25
31	We	7 2 5	26 14 17	23		Moon in Peri. [if S. or S. W.]		sets	0 46	8 15

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**Conjectures of the Weather by Herschel's Table.**—1, 2, 3, 4, 5, rain and snow; 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, cold and high wind; 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, cold and rain if wind W.; 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, cold and high wind.

first baptized into Christ; afterward they partook of the bread and the wine. In our own day converts do not come to the Lord's table first and to baptism afterward. They are to be baptized first and then come to the Supper. This is the rule in all the denominations. Persons, though known to be converted, but not yet baptized, are not invited to the communion in any orderly church of any denomination. Baptism first, the Lord's Supper afterward.

4. Every church decides for itself what shall be considered baptism. Having so decided, it will require it as a prerequisite to membership and as a condition of access to the privileges of its own particular household of faith. In deciding thus for itself it is only exercising a right essential to its existence, the right to open and shut its own door and to retain control of its own latch-key. The right is exercised without reserve by Presbyterian, Congregational, Methodist, and Episcopal churches, and also by Baptist churches.

5. Of the five churches just named, four—Presbyterian, Congregational, Methodist, and Episcopalian—have decided for themselves that baptism may be administered by immersion, by pouring, or by sprinkling. Accordingly, if an applicant has received any one of these three, they consider he has entered the visible church by a recognized door, and removing the fence they will invite him to the Lord's Supper along with themselves. But if he has not been baptized in some one of these three ways they will decline to invite him.

He may appeal to the fact that he has been converted and is now recognized by themselves as a Christian, and that being such he should not be debarred access to his Lord's table. But they will not change their decision. They will say that even though he has become a Christian he must wait till he has been baptized, for the reason that the Lord's Supper is restricted to those who have been baptized, and that they practise invariably strict communion toward all converts alike till they have been baptized.

Or if the applicant is a stranger he may take a different stand. He may not consider it essential to confine himself to one of these three modes. There may be a fourth and a fifth and a sixth mode just as good. He may have had water pumped upon him or filtered upon

## Garden Calendar for February.

If not done last month, prepare heating materials for hotbeds; for which select situation protected by a fence or wall. Asparagus beds redress, grafting execute. Fruit trees and shrubbery transplant. Plant early Potatoes. Spinach sow, also Radishes, Carrots, Parsnips, Salsify, Beets. Cabbage plants from different sowings, transplant Lettuce plants, Peas plant—the extra early is the best. In hotbeds sow Cabbage, Tomato, Egg Plant, Lettuce, Radish, etc. Don't be deterred in your operations for fear of loss by change of temperature, but have at hand the means of protection against hard weather, or you will be behind your enterprising neighbor.

him, or he may believe only in spiritual baptism, in which water is not used at all, and may say that he has received one of these last three. He may contend that so long as he himself is satisfied with the new way, they ought to ask no questions, nor have any scruples; that not to allow him to set aside their prerequisite and substitute one of his own is both narrow and bigoted; and that it being the "Lord's table" they should throw it open to all comers, and leave each man to decide for himself the whole question, totally regardless of their teachings, their usage, and their conscientious convictions in the matter. Such reasoning would not move them a hair's breadth. Not so, they would say; it is true that it is the Lord's table, or so much of it as has been entrusted to their care and supervision. In this respect it is like one of many tables in a large hall. For the oversight of this particular one they are responsible to their Lord and Master. It is not for the applicant himself to settle the matter. They too must have a voice, and their voice is that pumping and filtering are not accepted by them as modes of baptism. Neither is "spiritual baptism," so called, sufficient. He will therefore be told without hesitation that the Lord's Supper is restricted to those who have been baptized in some one of the three ways recognized by them, and that they themselves practice close communion toward all until they are so baptized.

6. Baptist churches, on the other hand, hold firmly that scriptural baptism can be administered by immersion only, and that there is but one mode, and not three modes. In pursuance of exactly this same principle which influences the others, they maintain that the person coming to the Lord's table under their care must first be baptized, and that he must be baptized in accordance with usages accepted in their body. So then,



MOON'S PHASES.



☾ First Quarter, 6 11 9 a.m. ☾ Last Quarter, 22 11 30 a.m.  
 ☽ Full Moon, 14 8 36 a.m.

Day of M'th.	Day of Week	Sun rises.	Sun sets.	Sun slow.	Sun's declination.	ASPECTS OF PLANETS AND N. C. CHRONOLOGY.	Moon's signs.	Moon rises or sets.	Moon south.	Tides at Southport.
1	Thu	7 15	27 14	17 5	Gen Peter Forney d. 1834.	☽	7 45	1 41	9 6	
2	Fri	7 15	28 14	16 48	♂ ♀ ♄. PURIFICATION.	☽	8 54	2 35	9 57	
3	Sat	7 05	28 14	16 31	Stokes Co. formed 1789.	☽	10 8	3 27	10 51	

**First Sunday.** Day's length 10 hours 30 minutes.

4	G.	6 59	5 29	14 16	13 Hon. Asa Biggs b. 1811.	☽	11 20	4 20	11 49
5	Mon	6 58	5 30	14 15	55 ☾ Gold disc. N. C. 1790.	☽	morn	5 13	morn
6	Tue	6 58	5 31	14 15	37 ☾ Cold and high wind.	☽	0 29	6 6	0 49
7	We	6 57	5 32	14 15	18 Beaufort Co. formed 1741.	☽	1 34	7 0	1 51
8	Thu	6 56	5 33	14 14	59 Rev. T. H. Pritchard b. 1832	☽	2 35	7 54	2 56
9	Fri	6 55	5 34	14 14	40 ♂ ♄ ☽ superior.	☽	3 31	8 46	3 58
10	Sat	6 54	5 35	14 14	20 Pub. Instruction com. 1795.	☽	4 18	9 36	4 55

**Second Sunday.** Day's length 10 hours 43 minutes.

11	G.	6 53	5 36	14 14	1 Isaac Shelby born 1756.	☽	5 0	10 24	5 46
12	Mon	6 53	5 37	14 13	41 University opened 1795.	☽	5 37	11 10	6 31
13	Tue	6 52	5 38	14 13	21 ☽ Bladen Co. form'd 1734	☽	6 10	11 53	7 12
14	We	6 51	5 39	14 13	1 ☽ St. VALENTINE. Cold and	☽	rises.	morn	7 49
15	Thu	6 50	5 40	14 12	40 Moon in Apo. rain if wind W	☽	6 57	0 35	8 22
16	Fri	6 49	5 41	14 12	19 Trinity Col. chartered 1852	☽	7 50	1 16	8 54
17	Sat	6 48	5 42	14 11	58 Edenton named 1770.	☽	8 49	1 57	9 25

**Third Sunday.** Day's length 10 hours 56 minutes.

18	G.	6 47	5 43	14 11	37 Hon. R. T. Payne b. 1812.	☽	9 48	2 38	9 55
19	Mon	6 46	5 44	14 11	16 Gov. Tod R. Caldwell b. 1818	☽	10 48	3 21	10 30
20	Tue	6 45	5 45	14 10	55 Ashe Co. formed 1799.	☽	11 49	4 6	11 10
21	We	6 43	5 46	14 10	33 ☽ Rev R S Mason d. 1874	☽	morn	4 54	11 55
22	Thu	6 42	5 47	14 10	11 ☽ WASHINGTON'S BIRTHD	☽	0 50	5 45	0 50
23	Fri	6 41	5 48	14 9	49 ☽ Cold and high wind.	☽	1 50	6 38	1 54
24	Sat	6 40	5 48	13 9	27 ♂ ♃ ☽. ST. MATTHIAS	☽	2 48	7 35	3 5

**Fourth Sunday.** Day's length 11 hours 10 minutes.

25	G.	6 39	5 49	13 9	5 Col. Jos. McDowell b. 1758.	☽	3 38	8 32	4 15
26	Mon	6 38	5 50	13 8	43 Roanoke Nav. Co. inc. 1812	☽	4 25	9 30	5 18
27	Tue	6 37	5 51	13 8	20 SHROVE TUESDAY.	☽	5 6	10 27	6 15
28	We	6 36	5 52	13 7	57 ☽ ☽ ☽. ASH WEDNESDAY	☽	5 41	11 23	7 7

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**Conjectures of the Weather by Herschel's Table.**—1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, stormy; 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, frost unless wind S. W.; 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, snow and stormy; 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, frost unless wind S. W.; 30, changeable.

Baptist churches practice strict communion of exactly the same kind that other denominations do, and for exactly the same reasons and toward exactly the same persons—that is, toward those who, though they may be the best of Christians, are not yet, in their judgment, baptized in conformity to New Testament precept and example

7. To summarize briefly the points of agreement and disagreement :

All are agreed on the principle of restricted communion.

All are agreed in applying the principle to the same class of persons—those who, according to their standards, have not yet been baptized.

They differ as to what constitutes baptism. The one class will accept immersion, pouring, sprinkling, and they draw the line around those three.

The Baptists accept immersion, and they draw the line at that one.

With the others the testimonies of the two witnesses, the Baptism and the Lord's Supper, do not agree. With the Baptists they do agree.

Let the Word of God decide.

### Christian Baptism; the New Testament Teaching.

BY PROFESSOR W. R. CULLOM, OF WAKE FOREST COLLEGE.

It is with the earnest hope of helping some one that the following questions are suggested, with such answers as the New Testament clearly furnishes :

#### WHAT DID JESUS DO?

1. Did Jesus teach and practice such a thing as baptism when He was on earth? (1) In Matt. iii. 13-17, we have the account of His own baptism. In verse 16 we read, "And having been baptized, Jesus came up straightway from the water." (2) In Matt. xxviii. 19, we have His command to His apostles after His resurrection: "Go ye therefore and make disciples of all the nations, baptizing them into the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Ghost; teaching them to observe all things whatsoever I commanded you." (3) In Acts ii. 38, we see one of these apostles carrying out the command of his Master: "And Peter said unto them, repent ye and be baptized, every

### Garden Calendar for March.

Transplant hardy Lettuce, also Cabbage plants from winter beds, especially the large York. Fresh beds of Asparagns, Artichokes, Sea Kale, and Rhubarb and Strawberry set out; plant Peas, Potatoes, Onion Sets and early Corn; sow Cabbage, Carrot, Celery, Cucumber. Beets, Egg Plants, Leek, Lettuce, Mustard, Melons in hotbeds, Okra, Parsnip, Pumpkin, Pepper, at the close of the month. Radish, Salsify, Spinach, Turnips and Tomatoes sow in warm situation.

one of you, in the name of Jesus Christ unto the remission of your sins; and ye shall receive the gift of the Holy Ghost." (4) In the Epistles to the New Testament churches the members are addressed as if they had been baptized as a matter of course, *e. g.*, Rom. vi. 3-4, "All we who were baptized into Christ Jesus were baptized into his death. We were buried, therefore, with Him through baptism into death; that like as Christ was raised from the dead through the glory of the Father, so we also might walk in newness of life." (5) The same thing appears also from the uninterrupted practice of Christian churches from the days of Christ to the present day. Every church historian teaches this.

With these five plain simple facts before us, is it not clear that Jesus did practice Himself and enjoined upon His followers something which He called baptism?

#### THE HUMAN SIDE.

2. To whom does this apply? Or who ought to be baptized? (1) In the command of Jesus they were to become disciples before they were to be baptized. Matt. xxviii. 19. (2) In the practice of the apostles we have no account of any but believers being baptized. If we wish to learn what the apostles did, let us turn to the book of the Acts (or doings) of the apostles. Read Acts ii. 37-38; viii. 12; x. 47; xvi. 14-15; xvi. 29-34.

It would certainly be very rash to say that there were infants in Lydia's household, when the Bible does not say so. Furthermore, when we consider the fact that Lydia's home was in Thyatira, away over in Asia Minor, it is extremely improbable that she was a married woman at all, but, as Meyer suggests, her household consisted probably of women who assisted her in business. As to the jailor and his house, if there were children there they were large enough for Paul and Silas to speak the Word of the Lord to them (Acts xvi. 32), and to "rejoice greatly, having believed in God." Acts xvi. 34.

It is clear, then, that Christ intended this something which He called baptism for those who repent of their sins and humbly com-



MOON'S PHASES.



	D. H. M.		D. H. M.
New Moon,	1 6 11 a.m.	Full Moon,	16 2 58 a.m.
First Quarter,	8 0 20 a.m.	Last Quarter,	24 0 22 a.m.
		New Moon,	30 3 16 p.m.

Day of M'th.	Day of Week.	Sun rises.	Sun sets.	Sun slow.	Sun's decli- nation	ASPECTS OF PLANETS AND N. C. CHRONOLOGY.	Moon's signs.	Moon rises or sets.	Moon south.	Tides at Southport.
						Dark of the Moon plant seed that fruit in the ground. Light of the Moon plant seed that fruit in the light.				
1	Thu	6 34 5	55 13		7 35	Moon in Perigee.		sets.	0 18	7 58
2	Fri	6 32 5	56 12		7 12	$\delta$ $\eta$ $\zeta$ . <i>Stormy.</i>		7 42	1 13	8 47
3	Sat	6 30 5	57 12		6 49	$\Pi$ $\delta$ $\odot$ .		8 58	2 7	9 38

First Sunday. Day's length 11 hours 30 minutes.

4	G.	6 28 1	58 12		6 26	$\delta$ $\eta$ $\zeta$ . $\eta$ in Perihelion.		10 11	3 21	10 30
5	Mon	6 26 5	59 12		6 3	1st perma'nt settl. N.C. 1663		11 21	3 58	11 25
6	Tue	6 24 6	0 12		5 39	Elisha Battle died 1799.		morn	4 53	morn
7	We	6 23 6	1 11		5 16	Indig.m't'g Sal'b'y 1771		0 25	5 48	0 23
8	Thu	6 22 6	1 11		4 53	Frost unless wind S.W		1 24	6 42	1 25
9	Fri	6 20 6	2 11		4 29	1st Just. of Peace app. 1679		2 16	7 33	2 30
10	Sat	6 18 6	3 11		4 6	First R. R. in N. C. 1832.		3 0	8 22	3 32

Second Sunday. Day's length 11 hours 47 minutes.

11	G.	6 17 6	4 10		3 42	Sherman at Fay'ville 1865		3 39	9 8	4 30
12	Mon	6 16 6	5 10		3 19	Cabarrus Co. formed 1792		4 12	9 52	5 20
13	Tue	6 14 6	6 10		2 55	Raleigh Register est. 1799		4 41	10 34	6 5
14	We	6 13 6	6 9		2 32	$\eta$ sta. Moon in Apogee.		5 7	11 15	6 45
15	Thu	6 12 6	7 9		2 8	1st Leg. Albem'le 1666		5 31	11 56	7 19
16	Fri	6 11 6	8 9		1 44	Snow and stormy.		rises.	morn	7 50
17	Sat	6 9 6	9 9		1 20	ST. PATRICK. $\delta$ sta.		7 42	0 37	8 21

Third Sunday. Day's length 12 hours 2 minutes.

18	G.	6 8 6	10 8		0 57	$\eta$ in Perihelion.		8 42	1 20	8 52
19	Mon	6 6 6	11 8		0 33	Wake F. Col. found'd 1834		9 43	2 4	9 25
20	Tue	6 4 6	12 8		0 9	$\odot$ ent. $\eta$ . SPRING BEGINS		10 42	2 51	10 1
21	We	6 3 6	12 7		north	Meth'dist Cent. cel. at Ral'gh		11 41	3 40	10 44
22	Thu	6 2 6	13 7		0 38	$\delta$ $\eta$ $\zeta$ . $\delta$ $\eta$ $\zeta$ . [1876.		morn	4 32	11 33
23	Fri	6 0 6	14 7		1 2	Bat. of Kinston 1862		0 38	5 26	0 31
24	Sat	5 59 6	15 6		1 25	$\delta$ $\eta$ $\zeta$ inf. Frost.		1 30	6 22	1 39

Fourth Sunday. Day's length 12 hours 18 minutes.

25	G.	5 58 6	16 6		1 49	ANNUNCIATION. $\Pi$ $\eta$ $\odot$ .		2 17	7 17	2 50
26	Mon	5 57 6	17 6		2 12	Davidson Col. open'd 1837		3 0	8 13	3 59
27	Tue	5 55 6	18 6		2 36	$\zeta$ stationary.		3 36	9 7	5 0
28	We	5 53 6	19 5		2 19	Dep'tm't Agric. creat'd 1877		4 9	10 1	5 56
29	Thu	5 51 6	20 5		3 23	Moon in Perigee.		4 43	10 55	6 49
30	Fri	5 50 6	20 5		3 46	$\delta$ $\eta$ $\zeta$ . Changeable.		5 22	11 50	7 39
31	Sat	5 48 6	21 4		4 9	Cherokee Co. formed 1839.		sets.	0 45	8 28

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**Table.**—1, 2, 3, 4, 5, changeable; 6, 7, 8, 9, 11, 12, 13, changeable; 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, fair if wind N. W.; 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, changeable; 28, 29, 30, fair.

mit themselves to Him. If He intended it for others, neither His teachings nor the practice of the apostles give any account of it.

**WHAT IS BAPTISM?**

3. What is that something which Jesus called baptism, and practiced Himself, and enjoined upon all those who repent and believe in Him? (1) Let us try to get the exact meaning of the word for baptize. How can we do this? If I had never seen the word before and wanted to learn its meaning I should get the very best dictionary that I could find and consult it. But which is the best? Dr. Gross Alexander, Professor of New Testament Exegesis in Vanderbilt, the great Methodist University of the South, says, "The seventh edition of Liddell and Scott is the best Greek lexicon for general use. The very best New Testament lexicon is that of J. H. Thayer."

Here is the meaning of the word as given by Liddell and Scott (Episcopalians), page 274: "To dip in or under water; of snails, to sink or disable them; to draw wine by dipping the cup in the bowl."

Dr. Thayer, in his dictionary, page 94, defines and comments on the word as follows: "To dip repeatedly, to immerge, submerge (of vessels sunk); to cleanse by dipping or submerging. In the New Testament it is used particularly of the rite of sacred ablution, first instituted by John the Baptist, afterwards by Christ's command received by Christians and adjusted to the nature and contents of their religion, viz., an immersion in water, performed as the sign of the removal of sin, and administered to those who, impelled by a desire for salvation, sought admission to the benefits of the Messiah's kingdom."

If either of these lexicons know anything about sprinkling and pouring as the meaning of this word, they do not mention it. (2) Whatever the word may mean, if we substitute its meaning for the word itself in the Bible, it ought to give good sense. Read Mark i. 9: "Jesus came from Nazareth of Galilee, and was baptized of John in the Jordan. And straightway coming up out of the water," etc. Now substitute what is known as the three meanings of the word. "Jesus came from Nazareth of Galilee, and was sprinkled in the Jordan. And straightway coming up out of the water," etc. "Jesus came from Nazareth of Galilee, and

**Garden Calendar for April.**

If not done last month, plant Cabbage, Peas, Potatoes, Beets, Corn, Spinach, Mustard, Turnips, Cucumber, Squashes, Pumpkin, Radish, Tomato, Okra, Carrots, Parsnips, Celery, Salsify, Pepper, Lettuce, Egg Plant. Plants set out in February and March will require culture. Sow Leeks for winter use. Sow Drumhead, Flat Dutch and Drumhead Savoy Cabbage seed for plants to be set out in June. Beans may now be planted, drill Lettuce if intended to head; draw up earth to Potato vines. Turnips sowed last month should be hoed and thinned. Transplant spring sowed Cabbage and manure well if you expect fine heads. Citron and Watermelon plant. Small Onions set out in Autumn will now be fit for use. Asparagus is now in season; hoe beds to exterminate weeds. Additional root crops may now be sown. Transplant all kinds of perennial herbs. Remember to keep down the weeds.

was poured of John in the Jordan. And straightway coming up out of the water," etc. "Jesus came from Nazareth of Galilee and was immersed of John in the Jordan. And straightway coming up out of the water," etc.

Make the same substitution in the account of baptism as practiced by the apostles where we have any description of it at all, and see which one is the plain, simple meaning of the word, e. g. Acts viii. 35-39; Rom. vi. 3-5. (3) The same conclusion will be reached if we leave the Scriptures and consult the most thorough and able church historians of our enlightened nineteenth century. Professor Harnock (Lutheran), the foremost church historian of the century, says: "Baptism undoubtedly signifies immersion. No proof can be found that it signifies anything else in the New Testament and in the most ancient Christian literature."

Dr. Philip Schaff (Presbyterian) says of baptism in the apostolic period: "The usual form of baptism was immersion. This is inferred from the meaning of the word; from the analogy of John's baptism in the Jordan; from the apostles' comparison of the sacred rite with the miraculous passage of the Red Sea, with the escape of the ark from the flood, with a cleansing and refreshing bath, and with burial and resurrection; finally, from the general custom of the ancient church, which prevails in the East to this day." (History of the Christian Church, Vol. I., p. 468)

**THE OBJECT OF BAPTISM.**

4. What is the meaning of baptism any-



MOON'S PHASES.



D. H. M.

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☾ First Quarter, 6 3 41 p.m.

☾ Last Quarter, 22 9 19 a.m.

☾ Full Moon, 14 7 48 p.m.

☾ New Moon, 29 0 9 a.m.

Day of M <sup>th</sup> .	Day of Week	Sun rises.	Sun sets.	Sun slow.	Sun's declination.	ASPECTS OF PLANETS AND N. C. CHRONOLOGY.	Moon's signs.	Moon rises or sets.	Moon south.	Tides at Southport.
						Dark of the Moon plant seed that fruit in the ground.				
						Light of the Moon plant seed that fruit in the light.				

First Sunday.

Day's length 12 hours 35 minutes.

1	G.	5 47 6	22 4	4 3 3	ALL FOOL'S DAY.	☾	8 58	1 42	9 17
2	Mon	5 46 6	23 4	4 5 6	♂ ♀ ☾. ♀ in Perihelion.	☾	10 7	2 39	10 8
3	Tue	5 4 6	23 3	5 1 9	♂ ♀ ☽ Salem settled 1765	☾	11 11	3 37	11 0
4	We	5 42 6	24 3	5 4 2	Prov Cong. at Halifax 1776	☾	morn	4 33	11 56
5	Thu	5 41 6	25 3	6 4	1st St'te Leg. N'b'n 1787	☾	0 8	5 26	morn
6	Fri	5 39 6	26 3	6 27	☾ sta. <i>Changeable</i>	☾	0 55	6 17	0 54
7	Sat	5 38 6	27 2	6 50	D D & B Insti. Ral'gh 1847	☾	1 37	7 4	1 57

Second Sunday.

Day's length 12 hours 52 minutes.

8	G.	5 36 6	28 2	7 12	PALM SUNDAY.	☾	2 12	7 49	2 59
9	Mon	5 35 6	29 2	7 3	Chap'l Hill estab. 1793.	☾	2 43	8 32	3 56
10	Tue	5 34 6	29 1	7 57	St Mary's School estab. in	☾	3 10	9 13	4 47
11	We	5 33 6	30 1	8 19	Moon in Apo. [Ral'gh 1842	☾	3 34	9 54	5 31
12	Thu	5 31 6	31 1	8 41	1st mill erect. in N.C. 1710	☾	4 21	10 36	6 10
13	Fri	5 30 6	32 1	9 3	☾ GOOD FRIDAY. <i>Fair if</i>	☾	4 28	11 18	6 44
14	Sat	5 28 6	33 0	9 24	☾ h station'ry wind N.W	☾	rises.	morn	7 16

Third Sunday.

Day's length 13 hours 7 minutes.

15	G.	5 27 6	34 East	9 46	EASTER.	☾	7 35	0 2	7 49
16	Mon	5 25 6	34 East	10 7	Salem Fem. Col. estab 1802	☾	8 37	0 48	8 22
17	Tue	5 24 6	35 0	10 28	♂ in Aphelion.	☾	9 35	1 38	8 59
18	We	5 23 6	3 1	10 49	♂ ♀ ☾. ♂ ♂ ☾.	☾	0 33	2 29	9 39
19	Thu	5 22 6	37 1	11 10	Legist. at Hillsboro 1784.	☾	11 26	3 22	10 25
20	Fri	5 21 6	38 1	11 31	♂ ♀ ☾.	☾	morn	4 17	11 19
21	Sat	5 20 6	39 1	11 51	R & G. R. R. incorp. 1835	☾	0 13	5 11	0 20

Fourth Sunday.

Day's length 13 hours 22 minutes.

22	G.	5 18 6	40 1	12 12	☾ <i>Changeable</i>	☾	0 56	6 5	1 28
23	Mon	5 17 6	41 2	12 32	☾ ST. GEORGE.	☾	1 34	6 58	2 36
24	Tue	5 15 6	41 2	12 52	Orange Presbyt'ry org. 1770	☾	2 7	7 50	3 42
25	We	5 14 6	42 2	13 11	ST. MARK	☾	2 38	8 42	4 41
26	Thu	5 13 6	43 2	13 31	Moon in Perigee.	☾	3 17	9 35	5 38
27	Fri	5 12 6	43 2	3 50	♂ ♀ ☾. ♂ ♂ ☾.	☾	3 50	10 29	6 31
28	Sat	5 11 6	44 3	4 9	Gre's b'ro F'm. Col est. 1843	☾	4 25	11 24	7 20

Fifth Sunday.

Day's length 13 hours 35 minutes.

29	G.	5 10 6	45 3	14 28	☾ <i>Fair.</i> [1776.	☾	sets.	0 21	8 10
30	Mon	5 9 6	46 3	14 46	☾ 1st mail car. app. N. C.	☾	8 51	1 20	8 59

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way? What is it for? (1) Some say it cleanses from sin. But when I read such statements as we find in Heb. ix. 22: "Apart from shedding of blood there is no remission," and in I John i. 7: "The blood of Jesus, his Son, cleanseth us from all sin," it seems clear that baptism does not cleanse from sin at all. (2) Some say it takes the place of circumcision. But if so, why were those who had been circumcised, as Peter, Paul and the rest, required to be baptized? (3) Others say it is a mere symbolical ordinance. But a symbol must be based on some fact, else it can not be a symbol. When you ask, what does baptism symbolize? there is great confusion. Some one will say it symbolizes the pouring out of the Holy Spirit. But where is the Scripture for it? And if this be so, why not practice pouring and nothing else? Sprinkling, pouring and immersion certainly can not symbolize the same thing. (4) It is a symbolical ordinance, and symbolizes the very cap-stone of our Christian faith. Take the baptism of Jesus. He told John to "suffer it to be so now, for thus it becometh us to fulfill all righteousness." When did Jesus fulfill all righteousness? Certainly not when He was baptized in the Jordan; but all through His self-sacrificing life, in His death on the cross, and in His glorious resurrection. His baptism was but a symbol of that death, burial and resurrection. So now when the believer is baptized he gives the world, in this beautiful symbol, a picture of the plan of redemption by which he is saved. It is a symbol of the death, burial and resurrection of Jesus, and all that these great facts mean to his needy soul. This seems to be Paul's view of the matter when he says, "We were buried therefore with him through baptism into death; that like as Christ was raised from the dead through the glory of the Father, so we also might walk in newness of life." And again, "having been buried with him in baptism, wherein ye were also raised with him through faith in the working of God, who raised him from the dead."

Let us look to Jesus and to His inspired apostles for our information on the subject, and when we have decided what they teach, let it be ours to obey, regardless of what men may say. Better the approval of our own conscience and of Him who is Lord of the conscience than of all the universe beside.

Wake Forest, Sept. 1, 1899.

## Garden Calendar for May.

Attend the plantations of Cabbage, Cauliflower, etc.; hoe them frequently and draw earth to the stems; thin out early planting of Beets, Carrots, Parsnips and Salsify, and sow all kinds omitted last month. Transplant Cabbage, Beets, Lettuce, Tomato, Egg Plant from hotbeds to warm borders. Plant Beans, bush or bunch, for a succession; Lima, Carolina and other pole Beans, Cabbage plants, sow seed if not done last month, also Carrot, Cauliflower, Cucumber, Indian Corn crops which have failed first sowing. Repeat Melons, Mustard, Pepper, Peas, Potatoes, Pumpkin and Squash. Sow Cabbage for winter; corn plant for succession. Finish sowing all kinds of Aromatic, Pot. Sweet and Medicinal herbs.

## NORTH CAROLINA PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

The following is an analysis of the school statistics for the last fiscal year: "The State Superintendent of Public Instruction has completed the statistical portion of his report for this year. It shows that the receipts were as follows: State and county poll tax, \$303,313; general property special tax, \$433,836; special property tax under local acts, \$15,781, and poll tax, \$9,751; fines, forfeitures, etc., \$14,413; liquor license, \$71,122; other sources, \$56,275; total, \$896,531. The balance on hand last year was \$189,681. The disbursements were: For white school teachers, \$520,415; negroes, \$216,491; Croatan Indians, \$1,426; white school-houses, \$42,237; negro school houses, \$15,031; county superintendents, \$21,175; commissions to county treasurers, \$18,444; teachers' institutes, \$2,200; boards of education, \$6,477; city schools, \$46,356; other purposes, \$40,744; total disbursements, \$936,891; balance on hand \$165,655. The appropriation to the white schools is \$575,411, and to negro schools, \$226,894. The assessed value of white property is \$246,723,000, and of negro property, \$8,980,000. There are 181,548 white polls and 71,744 negro polls. The amount actually paid out for the schools by whites is \$522,808, and by negroes \$71,183. Of children of school age there are 403,787 whites, and of these there are enrolled 263,217, while the average attendance is 140,162. Of negro children there are 198,600, of whom 127,398 are enrolled, and the average attendance is 67,148. The average salary of white teachers is males, \$26.33 per month, females, \$23.65; negro teachers, males, \$22.53; females, \$19.70. The average length of school terms is for the whites a trifle over 14 weeks, and of negroes a little under 13 weeks. There yet remain 715 log school-houses in the State. It thus appears that of the white



MOON'S PHASES.



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☾ First Quarter, 6 8 25 a.m. ☾ Last Quarter, 21 3 17 p.m.  
 ☽ Full Moon, 14 10 23 a.m. ☽ New Moon, 28 9 36 a.m.

Day of M <sup>th</sup> .	Day of Week.	Sun rises.	Sun sets.	Sun fast.	Sun's decli- nation.	ASPECTS OF PLANETS AND N. C. CHRONOLOGY.	Moon's signs.	Moon rises or sets	Moon south <sup>h</sup> .	Tides at Southport.
						Dark of the Moon plant seed that fruit in the ground. Light of the Moon plant seed that fruit in the light.				
1	Tue	5 8	6 47	3 15	5	Gen. Jesse Speight d. 1847.	♋♌	9 53	2 18	9 47
2	We	5 7	6 48	3 15	23	♋ ♀ ☾. Fair.	♋♌	10 45	3 14	10 36
3	Thu	5 6	6 49	3 15	40	♋ ♀ ☽.	♋♌	11 30	4 7	11 27
4	Fri	5 5	6 49	3 15	58	Gen Assem. Wilm'g't'n 1765	♋♌	morn	4 57	morn
5	Sat	5 4	6 50	3 16	15	Cumberland Co. f'm'd 1754	♋♌	0 9	5 44	0 20

First Sunday. Day's length 13 hours 47 minutes.

6	G.	5 3	6 50	3 16	32	☾ Changeable. [1849.	♋♌	0 43	6 28	1 16
7	Mon	5 2	6 51	4 16	49	☾ Hon. Chas. Fisher died	♋♌	1 11	7 10	2 14
8	Tue	5 1	6 52	4 17	5	☾ Moon in Apogee.	♋♌	1 37	7 51	3 10
9	We	5 0	6 53	4 17	21	1st yellow fever in N.C. 1712	♋♌	2 3	8 32	4 0
10	Thu	4 59	6 54	4 17	37	CONFED MEMORIAL DAY.	♋♌	2 31	9 14	4 46
11	Fri	4 58	6 54	4 17	53	Hon. Geo. E. Badger d. 1866	♋♌	2 56	9 58	5 27
12	Sat	4 57	6 55	4 18	8	Gen. L. D. Wilson b 1789.	♋♌	3 24	10 44	6 5

Second Sunday. Day's length 14 hours 0 minutes.

13	G.	4 56	6 56	4 18	23	☽ Gov. Chas. Manly born	♋♌	3 56	11 32	6 41
14	Mon	4 55	6 57	4 18	38	☽ Frequent showers. [1796	♋♌	rises.	morn	7 18
15	Tue	4 54	6 58	4 18	52	♋ ♀ ☾. ♋ ☽ ☾.	♋♌	8 27	0 24	7 56
16	We	4 53	6 59	4 19	6	Battle of Alamance 1771.	♋♌	9 22	1 17	8 38
17	Thu	4 53	7 0	4 19	20	♋ ♀ ☾.	♋♌	10 13	2 12	9 23
18	Fri	4 52	7 1	4 19	33	New Inlet formed 1761.	♋♌	10 56	3	8 10 12
19	Sat	4 52	7 1	4 19	46	Strike of Ral. m'ch'nics 1873	♋♌	11 35	4	2 11 8

Third Sunday. Day's length 14 hours 11 minutes.

20	G.	4 51	7 2	4 19	59	☾ MECKL'BG INDEP. 1775	♋♌	morn	4 55	0 9
21	Mon	4 50	7 3	4 20	11	☾ Changeable. [1770.	♋♌	0 9	5 46	1 14
22	Tue	4 49	7 3	4 20	23	Gov. Tryon's Pal. N'wb'n fin.	♋♌	0 40	6 37	2 19
23	We	4 48	7 4	3 20	35	Meckl'n'b'g Resolut'ns 1775	♋♌	1 16	7 28	3 22
24	Thu	4 48	7 5	3 20	46	Moon in Perigee.	♋♌	1 47	8 19	4 23
25	Fri	4 48	7 5	3 20	57	Fort Johnson erected 1774.	♋♌	2 21	9 12	5 20
26	Sat	4 47	7 6	3 21	8	♋ ☽ ☾.	♋♌	2 58	10 7	6 14

Fourth Sunday. Day's length 14 hours 20 minutes.

27	G.	4 47	7 7	3 21	18	☽ Ex-Gov. Morehe'd d. '66	♋♌	3 4	11 4	7 4
28	Mon	4 46	7 8	3 21	28	☽ total ecl. vis. here.	♋♌	sets.	0 2	7 52
29	Tue	4 46	7 9	3 21	37	Haywood Co. f'd 1808. Chan.	♋♌	8 32	0 59	8 40
30	We	4 45	7 10	3 21	46	FEDERAL DEC. DAY. geable.	♋♌	9 22	1 55	9 26
31	Thu	4 45	7 11	3 21	55	♋ ♀ ☾. ♀ in Perihelion.	♋♌	10 5	2 47	10 11

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children seven-twentieths or a little over one-third attend school, while of the negroes almost precisely one-third attend. Taking the polls as a basis, the average wealth of the white man is \$1,359, and of a negro \$126. The negroes pay about \$1 each for schools; again taking the polls as a basis. The whites pay \$697,000 for schools, the negroes, \$71,183. In other words the negroes pay about one-seventh, while they are in proportion to the whites, according to polls, as 7 is to 18; in other words a little over one-third in numbers. The analysis of the report shows that the negroes own almost exactly one-twenty-seventh of the property in the State. It also shows that while the whites pay \$3 84 each for public schools, taking the number of polls returned as a basis, the negroes pay \$1. The value of public school property of whites is \$836,662; that of negroes \$267,148. There are 6,670 school-houses. There are 1,551 white and 872 negro teachers who attended county institutes last year. There are 5,414 white and 2,776 negro teachers; total 8 190. There are 5,443 white school districts and 5 172 schools, and 2,515 negro school districts and 2,395 schools.

When a holy thought lights suddenly upon you, which hath no connection with any antecedent business in your mind, receive it as a messenger from heaven, and the rather because it is a stranger. You know not but that you may entertain an angel—yea, even the Holy Spirit.—*Charnock.*

What a beautiful story that is of the godly Scotchman going with his Master's message into the midst of the prejudiced people, and learning in the French language at first only how to express these thoughts, "God loves you; I love you," and then walking the streets of Paris with outstretched hands and streaming eyes, repeating over these tender words, "God loves you; I love you," until the hearts of men were drawn unto him; and there commenced one of the mightiest movements of the triumph of the gospel of modern times.—*B. Fay Mills.*

"The poorest man I know of is the man who has nothing but money, nothing else in the world upon which to devote his ambition and thought."

## Garden Calendar for June.

Plant Kidney Beans, Peas, Pumpkin seed, Summer Radish, Beets; thin out the latter planted; sow Tomatoes for a succession; sow Beets and Carrots; transplant Cabbage, Celery and Cucumber; Melons and Squashes may be planted for a succession, also Corn. As herbs come into flower they should be cut and put in a shady place to dry. The chief labor of the garden had better be directed to what is already in growth.

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MOON'S PHASES.

D. H. M. D H M  
 ☾ First Quarter, 5 1 45 a.m. ☾ Last Quarter, 19 7 43 p.m.  
 ☽ Full Moon, 12 10 24 p.m. ☽ New Moon, 26 8 13 p.m.

Day of M'th.	Day of Week.	Sun rises.	Sun sets.	Sun fast.	Sun's declination.	ASPECTS OF PLANETS AND N. C. CHRONOLOGY.	Moon's signs.	Moon rises or s. i. s.	Moon south.	Tides at Southport.
						Dark of the Moon plant seed that fruit in the ground. Light of the Moon plant seed that fruit in the light.				
1	Fri	4 44	7 11	2 22	3 ♀	gr. brilliancy.	♋	10 41	3 36	10 56
2	Sat	4 44	7 11	2 22	11	Charlotte named 1763.	♋	11 12	4 22	11 41

First Sunday.

Day's length 14 hours 29 minutes.

3	G.	4 43	7 12	2 22	19	WHIT SUNDAY.	♋	11 38	5 5	morn
4	Mon	4 42	7 12	2 22	26	☾ Fair.	♋	morn	5 47	0 28
5	Tue	4 41	7 13	2 22	33	☾ Moon in Apogee.	♋	0 4	6 28	1 18
6	We	4 41	7 13	2 22	39	Hertford Co. formed 1757.	♋	0 33	7 9	2 8
7	Thu	4 41	7 14	1 22	45	Capitol at Ral. burned 1831	♋	0 58	7 52	2 58
8	Fri	4 41	7 14	1 22	51	C.C.R. R. incorporated 1855	♋	1 25	8 37	3 49
9	Sat	4 41	7 15	1 22	56	B'd Int.Impr'v'm't est.1825	♋	1 55	9 24	4 36

Second Sunday.

Day's length 14 hours 34 minutes.

10	G.	4 41	7 15	1 23	1	TRINITY SUNDAY.	♋	2 29	10 14	5 22
11	Mon	4 41	7 16	1 23	5	☾ Leonidas Polk d' 1812	♋	3 10	11 8	6 8
12	Tue	4 41	7 16	0 23	10	☾ ecl.vis. at Wash'gt'n	♋	rises.	morn	6 51
13	We	4 41	7 16	0 23	13	♂ ♀ ☾.	♋	8 7	0 3	7 36
14	Thu	4 41	7 17	slow	23	16 Davidson Col. chart'd 1838	♋	8 54	1 0	8 21
15	Fri	4 41	7 17	slow	23	19 ♀ stationary.	♋	9 35	1 56	9 10
16	Sat	4 41	7 17	0 23	21	Currituck Co. formed 1729	♋	10 11	2 50	10 0

Third Sunday.

Day's length 14 hours 37 minutes.

17	G.	4 41	7 18	1 23	23	Cape Fear Gazette est. 1764	♋	10 44	3 43	10 56
18	Mon	4 41	7 19	1 23	25	☾ Moon in Perigee.	♋	11 13	4 35	11 54
19	Tue	4 42	7 19	1 23	26	☾ Fair if wind N. W.	♋	11 51	5 25	0 56
20	We	4 42	7 19	1 23	27	Gen. H. T. Spruill d. 1874.	♋	morn	6 16	2 0
21	Thu	4 43	7 19	1 23	27	☾ enters ☽. SUMMER BEG.	♋	0 22	7 7	3 3
22	Fri	4 43	7 19	2 23	27	♂ ♀ ♀.	♋	0 57	8 0	4 5
23	Sat	4 43	7 19	2 23	26	Franklin Co. formed 1779.	♋	1 38	8 55	5 2

Fourth Sunday.

Day's length 14 hours 36 minutes.

24	G.	4 43	7 19	2 23	25	♂ ♀ ☾. St. JOHN BAPTIST.	♋	2 23	9 51	5 57
25	Mon	4 43	7 19	2 23	24	☾ Hon Jno. M. Moring d.	♋	3 14	10 48	6 48
26	Tue	4 44	7 19	2 23	22	☾ 1891. Rainy if wind S W	♋	4 10	11 44	7 35
27	We	4 44	7 20	3 23	20	Vance and Jar'vis nom. 1876	♋	sets.	0 37	8 20
28	Thu	4 44	7 20	3 23	18	♂ ♀ ☾.	♋	8 38	1 28	9 3
29	Fri	4 45	7 20	3 23	15	♂ ♀ ☾.	♋	9 12	2 15	9 44
30	Sat	4 45	7 20	3 23	11	Robeson Co. formed 1786.	♋	9 41	3 0	10 24

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## Garden Calendar for July.

Transplant Cabbage, Endive, Leeks, Pepper Plants, Cauliflower and Broccoli. Sow Carrots and Parsnips, if needed; sow Endive for early crop; a few Turnips may be sown; transplant Celery for early supply, and prepare trenches for the main crop. Spinach may be sown towards the last of the month, Irish Potatoes plant, Cucumbers for Pickles; plant Beans; sow Cabbage seed for Collards; sow Summer Radish in drills; sow Turnip-rooted Cabbage seed; cut Fennel, Mint, Parsley, Sweet Majoram, Thyme, Winter Savoy. Cut herbs for winter use as they come into flower.

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## Carry the Colors Forward.

At Gettysburg when Pickett's line made that memorable charge. Brigadier General Armistead had actually broken and passed the Federal lines, says a writer in *Cut Gems*, and thought the battle won, when he fell mortally wounded. The color-bearer saw him fall, and forgetting for the moment his own high commission, stopped to raise his fallen chief, but the dying soldier, remembering only the cause, waving him off, said sternly: "Carry the colors forward! Carry the colors forward!"

O men and women who charge the world's serried line of evil, remember that the cause you serve is greater than you.

What though I fall, stop not to bury me. Carry the colors forward! What though a seeming reverse comes to our advancing column, carry the colors forward! What though all hell should oppose, and every influence of the world and the flesh reinforce the man of sin, carry the colors forward!—*Ex.*





MOON'S PHASES.

	D. H. M.		D. H. M.
☾ First Quarter,	4 7 0 p.m.	☾ Last Quarter,	19 0 17 a.m.
☾ Full Moon,	12 8 8 a.m.	☾ New Moon,	26 8 29 a.m.

Day of Mth.	Day of Week	Sun rises.	Sun sets.	Sun slow.	Sun's declination.	ASPECTS OF PLANETS AND N. C. CHRONOLOGY.	Moon's signs.	Moon rises or sets.	Moon south.	Tides at Southport.	
						Dark of the Moon plant seed that fruit in the ground. Light of the Moon plant seed that fruit in the light.					

**First Sunday.** Day's length 14 hours 35 minutes.

1	G.	4 45 7 20	4 23 7	Gates Co. formed 1779.	☾	10 6 3 42 11 1
2	Mon	4 46 7 20	4 23 3	⊕ in Aphelion.	☾	10 36 4 24 11 40
3	Tue	4 47 7 20	4 22 59	☾ DOG DAYS BEGIN.	☾	11 1 5 5 morn
4	We	4 47 7 20	4 22 54	☾ INDEP. DAY. Fair	☾	11 26 5 47 0 19
5	Thu	4 48 7 19	4 22 48	Bank State N.C. incor. 1833.	☾	11 54 6 30 1 1
6	Fri	4 48 7 19	4 22 42	Judge H. A. Gilmer d. 1891	☾	morn 7 15 1 50
7	Sat	4 49 7 19	5 22 36	Negro insur. Pitt Co. 1775.	☾	0 25 8 4 2 44

**Second Sunday.** Day's length 14 hours 29 minutes.

8	G.	4 50 7 19	5 22 30	♂ ♃ ☾. ♂ ♀ ☉ interior.	☾	1 4 8 56 3 43
9	Mon	4 50 7 19	5 22 23	♃ in Aphelion.	☾	1 49 9 50 4 42
10	Tue	4 51 7 18	5 22 15	♃ ☾.	☾	2 39 10 47 5 37
11	We	4 52 7 18	5 22 7	☾ Changeable.	☾	3 40 11 44 6 28
12	Thu	4 52 7 18	5 21 59	N. C. Teach. Assn. org. 1878	☾	rises. morn 7 18
13	Fri	4 53 7 17	5 21 51	Meet'g of Regulators 1767.	☾	8 12 0 41 8 5
14	Sat	4 53 7 17	6 21 42	♃ in Aphelion.	☾	8 46 1 36 8 55

**Third Sunday.** Day's length 14 hours 22 minutes.

15	G.	4 54 7 16	6 21 33	Moon in Perigee.	☾	9 17 2 29 9 46
16	Mon	4 55 7 16	6 21 23	Dis. Swamp Canal inc. 1790	☾	9 54 3 21 10 40
17	Tue	4 55 7 15	6 21 13	♃ stationary.	☾	10 25 4 13 11 36
18	We	4 56 7 15	6 21 3	♃ Ex Gov. Jarvis b. 1836.	☾	11 0 5 4 0 36
19	Thu	4 57 7 14	6 20 52	☾ Fair	☾	11 39 5 57 1 39
20	Fri	4 57 7 13	6 20 41	1st toll gate in N. C. 1827.	☾	morn 6 51 2 43
21	Sat	4 58 7 13	6 20 30	Judge T. S. Ashe born 1812	☾	0 22 7 46 3 46

**Fourth Sunday.** Day's length 14 hours 13 minutes.

22	G.	4 59 7 12	6 20 18	♃ ☾.	☾	1 9 8 41 4 45
23	Mon	5 0 7 12	6 20 6	♀ in Aphelion.	☾	2 2 9 36 5 41
24	Tue	5 0 7 11	6 19 53	♃ ♀ ☾.	☾	3 0 10 30 6 31
25	We	5 1 7 11	6 19 41	♃ St. James.	☾	3 59 11 21 7 17
26	Thu	5 2 7 10	6 19 28	☾ Changeable.	☾	sets. 0 9 8 0
27	Fri	5 3 7 9	6 19 14	♃ ♀ ☾.	☾	7 42 0 55 8 39
28	Sat	5 3 7 8	6 19 0	Alfred Moore, Jr. died 1837	☾	8 9 1 38 9 15

**Fifth Sunday.** Day's length 14 hours 3 minutes.

29	G.	5 4 7 7	6 18 46	♃ stationary. ♀ stationary	☾	8 34 2 20 9 49
30	Mon	5 5 7 7	6 18 32	Wm. Penn died 1718.	☾	9 2 3 110 21
31	Tue	5 6 7 6	6 18 17	Moon in Apogee	☾	9 29 3 43 10 55

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## Garden Calendar for August.

Plant Peas and Beans; prepare ground for Turnips, Spinach, Shallots, and sow Cabbage seed to head in November. Large York and Early Dwarf and Flat Dutch are excellent varieties at this season. Sow Cullard seed, earth up Celery. Broccoli and Cauliflower sow, and transplant from an early sowing. Onion sets to stand winter. Carrots sow, Squash sow, Ruta Baga sow. Turnips for table use at intervals. Potatoes plant for winter use. Lettuce drill for heading, sow Lettuce for autumn use. Radishes sow from time to time. Beets may be sown for winter supply, but as the seed vegetate with difficulty at this season, repeat until successful; cut sage and other herbs, gather seed and prepare ground for late crops.

County; term expires 1901. E. C. Beddingfield, Wake County; term expires January, 1901. Salary \$2,000 each. Henry C. Brown, Surry County, Regular Clerk.

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						Dark of the Moon plant seed that fruit in the ground. Light of the Moon plant seed hat fruit in the light.				
1	We	5 6 7	4 6 18	2	♁ ♃ ☉.		♋	9 56	4 25	11 29
2	Thu	5 7 7	3 6 17	47	☾ Col. J. H. Wheeler b.		♋	10 25	5 9	morn
3	Fri	5 8 7	3 6 17	32	☾ Frequent showers. [1806		♋	11 0	5 55	0 8
4	Sat	5 9 7	2 6 17	16	Hon Jno. Stanly died 1834		♋	11 41	6 45	0 56

First Sunday. Day's length 13 hours 51 minutes.

5	G.	5 10 7	1 6 17	0	♁ ♃ ☉. ♁ ♃ ☾		♋	morn	7 37	1 55
6	Mon	5 11 7	1 6 16	43	Gov. John Owen born 1787.		♋	0 28	8 32	3 1
7	Tue	5 11 7	0 6 16	27	♁ ♃ ☉. [1774		♋	1 23	9 28	4 9
8	We	5 12 6	58 5 16	10	Safety Resol. Rowan Co. ad.		♋	2 25	10 25	5 11
9	Thu	5 13 6	56 5 15	53	☽ sta. DOG DAYS END.		♋	3 32	11 21	6 8
10	Fri	5 13 6	55 5 15	35	☽ Fair.		♋	rises.	morn	6 59
11	Sat	5 14 6	54 5 15	18			♋	7 16	0 17	7 49

Second Sunday. Day's length 13 hours 38 minutes.

12	G.	5 15 6	53 5 15	0	Moon in Perigee.		♋	7 53	1 11	8 39
13	Mon	5 16 6	52 5 14	42	Montgomery Co. f'md 1779		♋	8 27	2 5	9 29
14	Tue	5 17 6	51 5 14	23	♀ greatest brilliancy.		♋	9 2	2 58	10 20
15	We	5 18 6	50 4 14	5	Manteo baptized in 1587.		♋	9 39	3 52	11 16
16	Thu	5 19 6	49 4 13	46	☾ Hon. Nat. Boyden born		♋	10 22	4 46	0 15
17	Fri	5 19 6	48 4 13	26	☾ Wind and rain. [1796		♋	11 8	5 42	1 17
18	Sat	5 20 6	46 4 13	7	Gov. Tryon in Salisb'y 1768		♋	11 59	6 37	2 21

Third Sunday. Day's length 13 hours 24 minutes.

19	G.	5 21 6	45 4 12	48	Judge Walter Clark b. 1846		♋	morn	7 33	3 26
20	Mon	5 21 6	45 3 12	28	♁ ♃ ☉.		♋	0 54	8 26	4 27
21	Tue	5 22 6	43 3 12	8	♁ ♃ ☉.		♋	1 53	9 17	5 21
22	We	5 23 6	42 3 11	48	Hertford Co. C.H. b'rnt 1830		♋	2 52	10 6	6 11
23	Thu	5 24 6	40 3 11	28	☽ Brunswick Co. f'd 1764		♋	3 51	10 52	6 56
24	Fri	5 25 6	39 2 11	7	☽ St. Bartholomew. Fair.		♋	4 50	11 36	7 35
25	Sat	5 26 6	38 2 10	47	♁ ♃ ☉.		♋	sets.	0 18	8 11

Fourth Sunday. Day's length 13 hours 10 minutes.

26	G.	5 26 6	36 2 10	26	Bunco'be T'rnp'ke inc. 1824		♋	7 8	1 0	8 44
27	Mon	5 27 6	35 1 10	5	♀ in Perih. Moon in Apo.		♋	7 33	1 41	9 15
28	Tue	5 28 6	33 1 9	44	Tea forbidden in N.C. 1774		♋	7 59	2 23	9 45
29	We	5 28 6	32 1 9	23	Battle Fort Hatteras 1861.		♋	8 28	3 6	10 16
30	Thu	5 29 6	31 1 9	1	Cornwallis at Charl'te 1780		♋	9 0	3 51	10 52
31	Fri	5 30 6	30 0 8	40	Earthqu'ke thro' State 1886		♋	9 38	4 38	11 33

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The examiners are appointed by the Corporation Commission, and are as follows: Dr. Geo. F. Lucas, of Pender County; W. B. Shaw, of Vance County; Arthur E. Ran-

#### Garden Calendar for September.

The work in the garden is again commenced in earnest. Draw up earth to the pea vines and stick as they advance. It is not too late to plant Beans; transplant Cabbage sown last month. Early York and large York Cabbage may be sown; towards the end of this month sow Flat Dutch and Drum-head and Early Large Cabbage seed to come up in the spring, and to secure a good supply sow liberally; transplant Cauliflower and Broccoli; sow Turnips. Potatoes planted last month will require culture. Onions may be sown for a general crop, if buttons to plant are not on hand. Carrots sown will be fit for use in December. Spinach may be sown from time to time. Celery plants need tillage. Lettuce may be transplanted. Sow Radishes frequently.

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## Garden Calendar for October.

Beets planted last month cultivate. Cabbage transplant, also Cauliflower and Broccoli. Turneps hoe. Onions sown last month will be ready to transplant; small Bulb Onions set out. Spinach for winter use sow. Celery earth up in dry weather and transplant from the bed for further supplies, also Lettuce for spring use. Radishes sow as required; Asparagus beds dress; Strawberries transplant. Take up potatoes and other roots, secure them from wet and frost; collect Pumpkins and Winter Squashes, and expose them to the winds and air on a dry bench before they are stowed away.

sistant in Geology; James E. Latta, Ph. B., Assistant in Physics.

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MOON'S PHASES.

	D.	H.	M.		D.	H.	M.
First Quarter,	1	3	57 p.m.	Last Quarter,	15	4	37 a.m.
Full Moon,	8	8	4 a.m.	New Moon,	23	8	13 a.m.
				First Quarter,	31	3	3 a.m.

Day of M <sup>th</sup> .	Day of Week.	Sun rises.	Sun sets.	Sun last.	Sun's declination.	ASPECTS OF PLANETS AND N. C. CHRONOLOGY.		Moon's signs.	Moon rises or sets.	Moon south.	Tides at Southport.
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1 Mon	5 54	5 44	10	3 11		Rainy.			10 58	5 59	0 5
2 Tue	5 55	5 43	11	3 34		Lincoln Co. f <sup>md</sup> 1779.			morn 6 52	1 6	
3 We	5 56	5 41	11	3 57		Tuscarora War 1711.			0 1 7 46	2 17	
4 Thu	5 57	5 40	11	4 21		Col. Ed. Buncombe k 1777			1 11 8 39	3 26	
5 Fri	5 58	5 39	11	4 44		Jas. Iredell born 1750.			2 22 9 32	4 30	
6 Sat	5 59	5 38	12	5 7		Sampson Co. formed 1784.			3 36 10 26	5 27	

First Sunday. Day's length 11 hours 36 minutes.

7 G.	6 05	3 12	5 30		Bat. King's Mt'n 1780		4 45	11 2	6 20
8 Mon	6 15	3 12	5 53		M'on in Per. <i>Changeable</i>		rises. morn	7 11	
9 Tue	6 25	3 13	6 16		Regulators peti. Gov. Tryon		6 9 0 19	8 1	
10 We	6 35	3 13	6 38		g in Aphelion. [1768		6 56 1 17	8 51	
11 Thu	6 35	3 13	7 1		Hon. H. Seawell died 1835.		7 47 2 1	9 42	
12 Fri	6 45	2 13	7 24		Col. Julian S. Carr b. 1845.		8 41 3 16	10 35	
13 Sat	6 55	2 14	7 46		Salisbury laid off 1756.		9 40 4 13	11 30	

Second Sunday. Day's length 11 hours 21 minutes.

14 G.	6 6 5	2 14	8 9		Gov. Jno. Owen d. 1841		10 3	5 8	0 28
15 Mon	6 7 5	2 14	8 31		<i>Rain</i>		11 38	5 59	1 30
16 Tue	6 8 5	2 14	8 53		♂ ♀ ☾.		morn 6 47	2 33	
17 We	6 9 5	2 15	9 15		Gen. W. Draughan d. 1874.		0 38 7 33	3 33	
18 Thu	6 9 5	2 15	9 37		Lenoir Co. formed 1791.		1 37 8 16	4 28	
19 Fri	6 10 5	2 15	9 59		♂ ♀ ☾ ♂ ♀ ☾.		2 34 8 5	5 16	
20 Sat	6 11 5	2 15	10 20		Col David Outlaw d. 1868		3 31 9 39	5 58	

Third Sunday. Day's length 11 hours 5 minutes.

21 G.	6 12 5	1 15	10 42		Moon in Apogee.		4 25	10 20	6 34
22 Mon	6 13 5	1 15	11 3		Hon. A. Burwell b. 1839		5 25	11 3	7 7
23 Tue	6 14 5	1 16	11 24		<i>Changeable.</i>		6 24	11 47	7 39
24 We	6 15 5	1 16	11 45		McDowell Co. formed 1842		sets. 0 33	8 10	
25 Thu	6 1 5	1 16	12 6		♂ ♀ ☾.		6 19 1 21	8 44	
26 Fri	6 16 5	1 16	12 27		♂ ♀ ☾ ♂ ♀ ☾.		7 3 2 10	9 21	
27 Sat	6 17 5	1 16	12 47		Wm. Tryon Lt. Gov. 1764.		7 54 3 2	10 3	

Fourth Sunday. Day's length 10 hours 51 minutes.

28 G.	6 18 5	9 16	13 8		♂ ♀ ☾.		8 51	3 51	10 53
29 Mon	6 19 5	8 16	13 28		Sec. Wm Hill died 1857.		9 52	4 46	11 50
30 Tue	6 21 5	6 16	13 47		Guilford Co. f <sup>md</sup> 1770		10 57	5 38	morn
31 We	6 22 5	5 16	14 7		<i>Cold and showers.</i>		morn 6 29	0 54	

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This institution is located at Greensboro and is open to the girls and women of the State of the white race above sixteen years of age.

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#### Garden Calendar for November.

Cabbage may be taken up and laid in rows against a ridge, so as to form a square, compact, close-growing bed, the roots and stems buried up to the lower leaves of the cabbage; the beds may then be covered with straw, or a temporary shed erected over them. Beets dig and store. Carrots dig and store. Celery earth up finally. Onions in store examine. Turnips and Parsnips dig for convenient access. Now is a good time to transplant fruit and ornamental trees and shrubbery. Spring is generally a better time for transplanting evergreens.

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MOON'S PHASES.

		D. H. M.		D. H. M.
	Full Moon,	6 5 46 p.m.		New Moon, 22 2 3 a.m.
	Last Quarter,	13 9 23 p.m.		First Quarter, 29 0 21 p.m.

Day of M'th.	Day of Week.	Sun rises.	Sun sets.	Sun fast.	Sun's declination.	ASPECTS OF PLANETS AND N. C. CHRONOLOGY.	Moon's signs.	Moon rises or sets.	Moon south.	Tides at Southport.
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1	Thu	6 22 5	4 16 14	26	ALLS'TS DAY	<i>Cold &amp; showers</i>		0 5 7	21	2 0
2	Fri	6 23 5	4 16 14	45	Gen J.B. Gordon	born 1822		1 17 8	12	3 7
3	Sat	6 24 5	3 16 15	4	Presb.Syn.at Morg'ton	17 6		2 24 9	5	4 9

First Sunday. Day's length 10 hours 37 minutes.

4	G.	6 25 5	2 16 15	23	Hon. Jno. Branch	b. 1782		3 35 10	0 5 7
5	Mon	6 26 5	1 16 15	41	Moon in Perigee.			4 50 10	57 6 1
6	Tue	6 27 5	0 16 15	59		Fair. [1842		6 5 11	56 6 54
7	We	6 28 4	59 16	17	Rev. Wm. McPheeters	d.		rises	morn 7 45
8	Thu	6 28 4	58 16	35	Wm. White	died 1811.		6 26 0	57 8 35
9	Fri	6 29 4	57 16	52	☿ stationary.			7 25 1	57 9 23
10	Sat	6 30 4	56 16	17	9 Ex Gov. Casw. ll	died 1789.		8 27 2	55 10 15

Second Sunday. Day's length 10 hours 23 minutes.

11	G.	6 32 4	55 16	17	26 1st colored	Fair N. C. 1879		9 27 3	50 11 6
12	Mon	6 33 4	55 16	42	Hillsboro	laid off 1789		10 29 4	40 11 59
13	Tue	6 34 4	54 16	58		♀ in Perihelion. <i>Rain</i>		11 28 5	28 0 55
14	We	6 35 4	53 16	18	14 Wayne Co.	formed 1779		morn	6 12 1 53
15	Thu	6 36 4	53 15	30	Legislature at Newb'n	1792		0 27 6	55 2 49
16	Fri	6 37 4	52 15	45	Jones Co.	formed 1779.		1 24 7	36 3 44
17	Sat	6 38 4	51 15	0	Moon in Apogee.			2 18 8	18 4 32

Third Sunday. Day's length 10 hours 12 minutes.

18	G.	6 39 4	51 15	19	14 ☿ ♀ ☾.			3 16 9	0 5 16
19	Mon	6 40 4	50 15	28	N.C. acc'ted Fed. Const.	1789		4 14 9	43 5 55
20	Tue	6 41 4	50 14	9	42 ☿ ☽ inferior.			5 14 10	29 6 32
21	We	6 42 4	49 14	19	56 ☿ ☽ ☾.			6 11 11	16 7 8
22	Thu	6 43 4	49 14	20	9  ☽ ☾.	<i>Frost</i>		sets.	0 6 7 44
23	Fri	6 44 4	49 14	20	21 ☽ ♃ ☾.	☿ in Perihelion.		5 50 0	58 8 20
24	Sat	6 45 4	48 13	20	34 ☽ ♃ ☾.			6 46 1	50 9 2

Fourth Sunday. Day's length 10 hours 1 minute.

25	G.	6 46 4	47 13	20	46 Gov. Jno. W. Ellis	b. 1820.		7 46 2	43 9 49
26	Mon	6 47 4	47 13	20	57 Dan'l W. Courts	b. 1800.		8 50 3	35 10 40
27	Tue	6 48 4	46 12	21	8 Bank Cape Fear	inc 1804.		9 56 4	26 11 38
28	We	6 49 4	46 12	19		Gen. L. O'B. Branch b.		11 4 5	16 morn
29	Thu	6 50 4	46 12	30		<i>Rain or snow.</i> [1820		morn	6 6 0 39
30	Fri	6 51 4	46 11	21	39 ST. ANDREW			0 14 6	57 1 42

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**Conjectures of the Weather by Herschel's Table.**—1, 2, 3, 4, 5, rain or snow; 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, rain; 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, fair; 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, fair and frosty if wind N. or E.; 28, 29, 30, 31, rain or snow if wind S. or S. W.

### North Carolina Institution for the Deaf and Dumb and the Blind.

The North Carolina Institution for the Deaf and Dumb and the Blind is located at Raleigh.

**OFFICERS.**—John E. Ray, Principal, salary \$2,250; term expires 1902. Dr. Hubert Hayward, Physician, salary \$400; term expires 1901. Dr. M. D. Bowen, Physician Colored Department, salary \$360; term expires 1901. W. H. Rand, Seward, salary \$750; term expires 1901. W. H. Worth, Treasurer *ex officio*.

**BOARD OF DIRECTORS.**—B. F. Montague, President, term expires 1905. I. M. Proctor, term expires 1905; William Boylan, term expires 1905; B. K. Parin, term expires 1905; Hugh Merson, term expires 1903; J. A. Briggs, term expires 1901; C. B. Edwards, term expires 1905; Pulaski Cowper, term expires 1905; G. M. Bell, term expires 1905; W. N. Jones, term expires 1903; C. N. Allen, term expires 1901.

### North Carolina School for the Deaf and Dumb.

Located at Morganton, N. C.

**OFFICERS.**—E. M. K. Goodwin, M. A., Superintendent; George L. Phifer, Seward.

**BOARD OF DIRECTORS.**—M. L. Reed, President, Biltmore; Martin H. Holt, Oak Ridge; Sam'l Huffman, Morganton; N. B. Broughton, Raleigh; R. A. Guier, Charlotte; A. J. Dula, Old Fort; V. V. Richardson, Whiteville.

**TEACHERS.**—Oral Department—Mrs. Anna C. Hurd, Chief Instructor; Miss Eugenia Welsh, Miss Nannie McKay Fleming, Miss Carrie Stinson, Miss Daisy Young, Miss Matie Simms, and Miss Hester Reed. Manual Department—Mr. David R. Tillinghast, Mrs. Laura A. Winston, Mrs. Z. W. Haynes, Mr. John C. Miller, Miss Olivia B. Grimes, Mr. O. A. Betts, Mr. Edwin G. Hurd, Mrs. O. M. Hofstetter, Mr. H. McP. Holstetter, Teacher, and Foreman of Printing office. Mrs. O. A. Betts, Teacher of Art.

### Central Hospital, Raleigh, N. C.

Situated in the vicinity of Raleigh, and will accommodate 425 patients.

**OFFICERS.**—W. H. Worth, Treasurer *ex officio*; J. C. Bellamy, Edgecombe County, Keeper of Records, salary \$100.

**RESIDENT OFFICERS.**—Dr. George L. Kirby, Superintendent, salary \$2,800; term expires

### Garden Calendar for December.

Everything that needs protection should now be attended to. If the weather be open the ground may be plowed or trenched to receive the benefits of the winter frost. Compost prepare; dung prepare for hotbeds. Hotbeds attend to. Radish and Salad sow in frames, also Lettuce. Transplanting trees may still be done. Prune fruit trees, vines, etc. Transplant all hardy plants. Cabbage plants sown in October will be fit to put out. Sow Large York to head in January and February. Small Onions may still be planted. Earth up Celery in dry weather. Thin Spinach as you collect for daily use.

six years from April 15, 1899. Dr. C. F. Jenkins, 1st Assistant Physician, salary \$1,000; term expires two years from March 1, 1897. Dr. George Davis, 2d Assistant Physician, salary \$1,000; term expires two years from March 1, 1897. W. R. Crawford, Jr., Steward, salary \$1,000; term expires one year from March 1, 1899. Miss Minnie F. Whitaker, Matron, salary \$500; term expires one year from March 1, 1899.

**BOARD OF DIRECTORS.**—J. D. Biggs, Martin County; George B. Curtis, Halifax County; R. H. Speight, Edgecombe County; Dr. Jas. McKee, Wake County; Dr. R. H. Sencill, Northampton County; W. B. Fort, Wayne County; Frank Barnes, Wilson County; J. C. Bellamy, Nash County; John B. Broadfoot, Cumberland County.

Directors only receive actual expenses to and from their homes.

### The State Hospital, Morganton.

**BOARD OF DIRECTORS.**—J. G. Hall, Caldwell County, President; I. I. Davis, Esq., Burke County; Joseph P. Caldwell, Esq., Mecklenburg County; Jas. P. Sawyer, Buncombe County; J. R. Love, Jackson County; L. E. Whitener, Catawba County; S. A. White, Alamance County; C. H. Armfield, Iredell County; Joseph Jacobs, Forsyth County.

**OFFICERS.**—P. L. Murphy, M. D., Superintendent, salary \$2,800; Isaac M. Taylor, M. D., Assistant Physician, salary \$1,560; C. E. Ross, M. D., Assistant Physician, salary \$1,200; F. M. Scroggs, Steward, salary \$1,000; Mrs. C. A. Marsh, Matron, salary \$550.

No member of the Board of Directors or Executive Committee receive any compensation for their work, except traveling expenses.

### The State Hospital, Goldsboro.

J. F. Miller, M. D., Superintendent, salary \$3,000, furnished house and board of two horses and cows; W. W. Faison, M. D., As-





MOON'S PHASES.

	D. H. M.		D. H. M.
☉ Full Moon,	6 5 24 a.m.	☾ New Moon,	21 6 47 p.m
☾ Last Quarter,	13 5 28 p.m.	☽ First Quarter,	28 8 34 p.m

Day of M'th.	Day of Week.	Sun rises.	Sun sets.	Sun last.	Sun's declination.	ASPECTS OF PLANETS AND N. C. CHRONOLOGY.		Moon's signs.	Moon rises or sets.	Moon south.	Tides at Southport.
						Dark of the Moon p'ant seed hat fruit in the ground. Light of the Moon plant seed that fruit in the light.					
1	Sat	6 51	4 46	11 21	49	Far first made in N.C. 1704		♋	1 19	7 48	2 47
<b>First Sunday.</b>						<b>Day's length 9 hours 54 minutes.</b>					
2	G.	6 52	4 46	11 21	58	ADVENT SUNDAY.		♋	2 30	8 42	3 49
3	Mon	6 53	4 46	10 22	7	Moon in Perigee.		♋	3 42	9 39	4 49
4	Tue	6 54	4 46	10 22	15	Nath'l Macon born 1757.		♋	4 54	10 37	5 45
5	We	6 55	4 46	9 22	23	♄ ♃ ☾.		♋	6 2	11 38	6 38
6	Thu	6 56	4 46	9 22	30	☾ ♃ ☾. <i>Rain.</i>		♋	rises. morn		7 29
7	Fri	6 56	4 46	8 22	37	R & G. R. R. finished 1839.		♋	6 7	0 37	8 17
8	Sat	6 57	4 46	8 22	44	Stanly Co. formed 1841.		♋	7 9	1 34	9 5
<b>Second Sunday.</b>						<b>Day's length 9 hours 48 minutes.</b>					
9	G.	6 58	4 46	8 22	50	H B.Croom shipw'cd 1837		♋	8 13	2 28	9 52
10	Mon	6 59	4 46	7 22	56	Gen. Alf. Dockery died 1873		♋	9 14	3 19	10 39
11	Tue	7 0	4 46	7 23	1	Judges elec. by Legis. 1777.		♋	10 15	4 5	11 25
12	We	7 1	4 46	6 23	5	☾ ♃ ☾.		♋	11 14	4 50	0 14
13	Thu	7 2	4 46	6 23	10	☾ ♃ ☾. <i>Fair.</i>		♋	morn		5 32 1 3
14	Fri	7 2	4 47	5 23	13	♄ ♃ ☾. Halc. days begin,		♋	0 8	6 14	1 54
15	Sat	7 3	4 47	5 23	17	Moon in Apo. [last 7 days.]		♋	1 5	6 55	2 46
<b>Third Sunday.</b>						<b>Day's length 9 hours 43 minutes.</b>					
16	G.	7 4	4 47	4 23	20	N. C. R. R. completed 1856.		♋	2 3	7 38	3 38
17	Mon	7 4	4 47	4 23	22	Mitchell Co. formed 1861.		♋	3 2	8 23	4 28
18	Tue	7 5	4 48	3 23	24	Hon. W.N. Edwards d. 1873		♋	4 1	9 9	5 15
19	We	7 6	4 48	3 23	25	♄ ♀ ☾.		♋	4 59	9 58	5 58
20	Thu	7 7	4 48	2 23	26	♄ ♀ ☾.		♋	5 56	10 50	6 39
21	Fri	7 7	4 48	2 23	27	☾ ♃ ☾. <i>Fair and frosty</i>		♋	6 51	11 43	7 20
22	Sat	7 8	4 49	1 23	27	☾ ♃ ☾. WINTER BEGINS		♋	sets. 0 37		8 2
<b>Fourth Sunday.</b>						<b>Day's length 9 hours 42 minutes.</b>					
23	G.	7 8	4 50	1 23	27	B'k of Wilmingt'n org 1847		♋	6 40	1 30	8 46
24	Mon	7 8	4 50	1 23	26	Attack on Fort Fisher 1864		♋	7 47	2 23	9 34
25	Tue	7 9	4 51	1 23	24	CHRISTMAS DAY.		♋	8 57	3 14	10 26
26	We	7 9	4 52	1 23	22	Const. fo'md at Halif'x 1776		♋	10 6	4 4	11 22
27	Thu	7 10	4 52	1 23	20	☾ ♃ ☾. St. JOHN EVANGELIST.		♋	11 12	4 54	morn
28	Fri	7 10	4 52	2 23	17	☾ ♃ ☾. <i>Rain or snow</i>		♋	morn		5 41 0 21
29	Sat	7 10	4 54	2 23	14	♄ ♀ ☾.		♋	0 19	6 36	1 23
<b>Fifth Sunday.</b>						<b>Day's length 9 hours 43 minutes.</b>					
30	G.	7 11	4 54	3 23	10	♄ ♀ ♃. Moon in Perigee.		♋	1 30	7 30	2 27
31	Mon	7 11	4 55	3 23	6	Bat. of Murfreesboro 1862		♋	2 39	8 26	3 30

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sistant Physician, salary \$900, board for self, wife, three children and nurse and board of one horse; Daniel Reid, Steward, salary \$450, board of self and horse; Mrs. B. V. Smith, Matron, salary \$300, and board of self and child; W. J. Mathews, Engineer, salary \$720 per annum and board, and furnished house for family; Mrs. Victoria Bryan, Seamstress, salary \$150, and board of self and child; George Davis, Farmer, salary \$200 per annum and furnished house; A. A. Green, Watchman, salary \$250 per annum.

**BOARD OF DIRECTORS.**—Dr. Elisha Porter, President, Pender County; Dr. D. W. Bullock, New Hanover County; Dr. M. I. Tatum, Wayne County; Dr. Joseph E. Grimsley, Greene County; Dr. Albert Anderson (resigned), Wilson County; Major Joshua B. Hill, Wake County; Henry J. Faison, Duplin County; W. F. Rountree, Craven County; Shade L. Wooten, Lenoir County.

**EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE.**—W. F. Rountree, Chairman, Shade L. Wooten, Henry J. Faison.

#### Central Prison.

**OFFICERS.**—W. H. Day, Superintendent, salary \$2,500; F. B. Atendell, Manager and Purchasing Agent, salary \$1,200; W. W. Green, Warden, salary \$900; S. T. Pearson, Clerk and Bookkeeper, salary \$720; James McKee, Physician, salary \$500.

**BOARD OF DIRECTORS.**—E. L. Travis, Halifax; W. H. Osborn, Greensboro; W. C. Newland, Lenoir; A. B. Young, Concord; J. H. Weddington, Charlotte; J. T. Le Grande, Rockingham; J. W. Perry, Princeton; M. F. Morphew, Marion; J. L. Gwathney, Taylorsville; B. W. Bullard, Franklinton; L. M. Bryan, Marshall, B. H. Thompson, Idalia; J. C. Davis, Beaufort; Claudius Dockery, Rockingham; E. T. Clark, Weldon; R. R. Cotten, Falkland; A. Y. Sigmon, Hickory; Heenan Hughes, Graham; M. M. Peace, Henderson; J. W. Denmark, Raleigh. Salary \$4 per day and mileage.

**EXECUTIVE BOARD.**—E. L. Travis, Chairman, W. H. Osborn and W. C. Newland.

There are five farms cultivated by the convicts, under State authority, viz: Halifax farm and Northampton farm, near and below Weldon; the Caledonia farms, Nos. 1 and 2, near Tillery, Halifax County; the Castle Hayne farm, near Wilmington; the Anson County farm, near Wadesboro, and the Lyrius farm near Wilmington.

#### North Carolina Agricultural Society.

**OFFICERS.**—Chas. N. McNamee, of Buncombe County, President; Joseph E. Pogue, Secretary; Capt. C. B. Dens n, Assistant Secretary and Treasurer, Raleigh.

**VICE-PRESIDENTS.**—(Permanent)—Hon.

Kemp P. Battle, Orange County; Col. Benjamin S. Cameron and Col. Julian S. Carr, Durham County, and Col. John S. Cunningham, Person County.

**DISTRICT VICE-PRESIDENTS.**—First District, Dr. W. M. Capehart, Bertie; Second District, Dr. L. L. Staton, Edgecombe; Third District, Hon. W. J. Green, Cumberland; Fourth District, Major J. M. Crenshaw, Wake; Fifth District, L. Banks Holt, Alamance; Sixth District, W. A. Smith, Anson; Seventh District, E. B. C. H. mbley, Rowan; Eighth District, S. F. Paterson, Caldwell; Ninth District, G. F. W. ston, Buncombe.

Vice Presidents are *ex officio* members of the Executive Committee.

**Veterinary Surgeon.**—Dr. Thos. B. Carroll, Wilmington.

The salaries of the officers of the State Fair are not fixed. Fairs are held in October of each year at Raleigh.

#### Board of Medical Examiners, State of North Carolina.

Two members elected every two years by the Medical Fraternity. The members receive \$4 per day during the time of their sessions, and their traveling expenses to and from their place of meeting by the most direct route from their respective places of residence.

David T. Tayloe, M. D., President, Washington, N. C., Surgery; Thos. E. Anderson, M. D., Secretary, Statesville, N. C., Physiology; Kemp P. Battle, M. D., Raleigh, N. C., Chemistry; J. Howell Way, M. D., Waynesville, N. C., Anatomy; Albert Anderson, M. D., Wilson, N. C., Practice Obstetrics and Gynecology; W. H. H. Cobb, M. D., Goldsboro, N. C., Practice; E. C. Register, M. D., Charlotte, N. C., Materia Medica and Therapeutics.

#### North Carolina Board of Pharmacy.

No person, according to a act of legislature, is permitted to practice pharmacy in this State without being licensed by the Board of Pharmacy.

**BOARD OF PHARMACY.**—E. V. Zoeller, President, Tarboro; Wm. Simpson, Secretary, Raleigh; W. H. Weara, Charlotte; N. D. Feltz r, Concord; F. W. Hancock, Oxford.

#### North Carolina State Dental Society.

No person is permitted to practice Dentistry in this State without first being examined and licensed by the Board of Examiners of the Association.

**President.**—Dr. A. C. Liverman, Scotland Neck. **1st Vice President.**—Dr. E. J. Tucker, Roxboro. **2d Vice President.**—Dr. W. B. Rams y, Hickory. **Secretary.**—Dr. J. S. Spurgeone, Hillsboro. **E-sayist.**—Dr. F. S. Harris, Henderson.



**Board of Public Charities of North Carolina.**

Charles Duffy, M. D., Chairman, Craven County; term expires January 1, 1899. Wesley N. Jones, Wake County; term expires January 1, 1901. Wm. A. Blair, Forsyth County; term expires January 1, 1903. S. W. Reid, Mecklenburg County; term expires 1900. C. B. Denson, Wake County, Secretary. There are no salaries.

**Oxford Orphan Asylum.**

Located at Oxford, N. C. Established December, 1872, under the auspices of the Grand Lodge of Masons of North Carolina. It receives its support from an annual appropriation from the Grand Lodge, from the State by legislative enactment, and by donations from citizens. W. J. Hicks, Superintendent.

**BOARD OF DIRECTORS.**—G. Rosenthal, Secretary and Treasurer; J. M. Currin, Oxford; J. S. Carr, Durham; C. W. Toms, Durham; N. B. Broughton, Raleigh; J. N. Ramsey, Jackson; B. N. Duke, Durham; T. A. Green, New Bern.

**Odd Fellows Orphan Home.**

Located at Goldsboro. Maintained by the Odd Fellows of the State. Exclusively for the children of the fraternity. D. A. Coble, Superintendent; Charles Dewey, Secretary; C. B. Edwards, Treasurer.

**BOARD OF DIRECTORS.**—W. T. Dortch, Chairman; C. B. Edwards and C. F. Lumsden, Raleigh; N. Jacobi, Wilmington; W. D. Gaster, Fayetteville; W. A. J. Peacock, Goldsboro.

**N. C. Representatives in Congress.**

**SENATE.**—Jeter C. Pritchard, of Madison County; term expires March 4th, 1903. Marion Butler, of Sampson County; term expires March 4th, 1901.

**HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.**—1st District, John H. Small, Dem., Washington. 2d District, Geo. H. White (colored), Fusion, Tarboro. 3d District, Chas. R. Thomas, Dem., New Bern. 4th District, John W. Atwater, Ind., Rialto. 5th District, W. W. Kitchen, Dem., Roxboro. 6th District, John D. Bellamy, Dem., Wilmington. 7th District, Theodore F. Klutz, Dem., Salisbury. 8th District, R. Z. Linney, Rep., Taylorsville. 9th District, W. T. Crawford, Dem., Waynesville.

**United States Supreme Court.**

Chief Justice, Melville W. Fuller, \$10,500. There are eight Associate Justices, who each receive \$10,000 a year salary, as follows: Joseph McKenna, John Marshall Harlan, Horace Gray, David Josiah Brewer, Henry Billings Brown, George Shiras, Jr., Edward D. White, Rufus W. Peckham.

**U. S. Government Cabinet.**

Secretary of State, John Hay; Secretary of Treasury, Lyman J. Gage, of Illinois; Secretary of War, Elihu Root, of Michigan; Secretary of Navy, John D. Long, of Massachusetts; Postmaster-General, Charles Emory Smith, of Pennsylvania; Attorney-General, John W. Griggs, of New Jersey; Secretary of Interior, C. N. Bliss, of New York; Secretary of Agriculture, James Wilson, of Iowa.

**WHY IS NOT 1900 A LEAP YEAR.**—When the change was made from "old style" to "new style," by dropping eleven days out of the year, it was known that the exact length of the year was not 365½ days, but 365 days, five hours, forty-eight minutes and fifty seconds, and this difference of eleven minutes, ten seconds, was sought to be equalized by deciding that the years ending the centuries should not be leap years excepting when they were divisible by four hundred, as other leap years are those divisible by four, Thus 1900 is not a leap year, but the years 2000 and 2400 will be.

**WHEN DOES THE TWENTIETH CENTURY BEGIN?**—As a century in years, as in bicycle riding, begins at the beginning of No. 1, and is finished at the end of the hundredth year or mile, the Christian era began Jan. 1, in the year 1, and the first century ended Dec. 31, A. D. 100. The nineteenth century will end at 12 p. m. Dec. 31, 1900, and the twentieth century begins at the opening of January 1901.

**A BORN GROWLER.**—"Cotton crop a failure?"

"Oh, yes."

"Corn no good?"

"None 'tall!"

"Taters rotten?"

"Ever' one!"

"Cows gone dry?"

"Last one o' 'em!"

"Hogs kilt out?"

"Complete!"

"Well, has you got anything at all?"

"Yes—I've got the measles!"

**MATRIMONIAL QUESTION.**—A young man asked an old gentleman for his daughter in marriage. The answer was, go out into the orchard and bring in a parcel of apples. Gave me one-half of the whole number, and to the mother one-half of the balance, and half an apple over, and to the daughter one-half of the remainder, and half an apple over, and have one left for yourself without cutting an apple, then if she is willing you can have her. He solved the question. How many did he bring?

## North Carolina Court Calendar for 1900.

(Prepared for Turner's North Carolina Almanac by  
A. B. Andrews, Jr., Attorney at Law, Raleigh, N. C.)

## JUDGES.

Name.	District	Residence.
Geo. H. Brown, Jr.	First,	Washington
Henry R. Bryan,	Second,	Newbern.
E. W. Timberlake,	Third,	Louisburg
W. S. O'B. Robinson,	Fourth,	Goldboro.
Thos. J. Shaw,	Fifth,	Greensboro.
Oliver H. Allen,	Sixth,	Kinston
Thos. A. McNeill,	Seventh,	Lumberton.
A. L. Coble	Eighth,	Statesville
Henry R. Starbuck.	Ninth,	Winston.
Jacob W. Bowman,	Tenth,	Burnsville.
W. A. Hoke,	Eleventh,	Lincolnton.
Frederick Moore,	Twelfth,	Asheville.

## SOLICITORS.

Name.	District.	Residence.
Geo. W. Ward.	First,	Elizabeth City.
Walter E. Daniels,	Second,	Weldon
L. J. Moore,	Third,	Greenville.
Ed W. Pou,	Fourth,	Smithfield.
A. L. Brooks,	Fifth,	Greensboro
Rudolph Duffy,	Sixth,	Cathrine Lake
Colin M. McLean,	Seventh,	Elizabeth'wn.
Wiley Rush,	Eighth,	Ashboro
M. L. Mott,	Ninth,	Wilkesboro.
M. Harshaw,	Tenth,	Lenoir.
James M. Webb,	Eleventh,	Shelby.
Jas. W. Furgerson,	Twelfth,	Waynesville,

## FIRST DISTRICT.

*Spring Term*—Judge A. L. Coble.  
*Fall Term*—Judge T. A. McNeill.  
Beaufort—Feb. 19th (2), May 25th (2), Nov. 26th (2).  
Currituck—March 5th (1), Sept. 3d (1).  
Camden—March 12th (1), Sept. 10th (1).  
Pasquotank—March 19th (1), July 16th (1), Sept. 17th (1), Dec. 17th (1).  
Perquimans—March 26th (1), Sept. 24th (1).  
Chowan—April 2d (1), Oct. 1st (1).  
Gates—April 9th (1), Oct. 8th (1).  
Hertford—April 16th (1), Oct. 15th (1).  
Washington—April 23d (1), Oct. 22d (1).  
Tyrrell—April 30th (1), Oct. 29th (1).  
Dare—May 7th (1), Nov. 5th (1).  
Hyde—May 14th (1), Nov. 12th (1).  
Pamlico—May 21st (1), Nov. 19th (1).

## SECOND DISTRICT.

*Spring Term*—Judge H. R. Starbuck.  
*Fall Term*—Judge A. L. Coble.  
Craven—Jan. 29th (2), May 28th (2), Nov. 26th (2).  
Bertie—Feb. 19th (1), April 30th (2), Sept. 10th (1), Nov. 5th (1).  
Halifax—Feb. 5th (2), Nov. 19th (2).  
Warren—Feb. 19th (2), Sept. 17th (2).  
Northampton—April 2d (2), Oct. 22d (2).  
Edgecombe—April 16th (2), June 11th (2), Oct. 8th (2).

## THIRD DISTRICT.

*Spring Term*—Judge J. W. Bowman.  
*Fall Term*—Judge H. R. Starbuck  
Pitt—Jan. 8th (2), Feb. 5th (2), April 2d (2), Sept. 17th (2), Dec. 3d (2).  
Franklin—Jan. 22d (2), April 16th (2), Oct. 15th (2).  
Wilson—Feb. 5th (2), May 14th (1), Nov. 12th (2).  
Vance—Feb. 19th (2), May 21st (1), Oct. 2d (2).  
Martin—March 19th (2), Sept. 3d (2).  
Nash—April 30th (2), Nov. 19th (2).

## FOURTH DISTRICT.

*Spring Term*—Judge W. A. Hoke.  
*Fall Term*—Judge J. W. Bowman.  
Wake—Jan. 5th (2), Feb. 26th (2), \*March 26th (2), April 23d (2), July 9th (2), \*Sept. 24th (2), Oct. 22d (3).

Wayne—Jan. 22d (2), April 16th (1), Sept. 10th (2), Oct. 15th (1).

Harnett—Feb. 19th (1), Sept. 3d (1), Nov. 26th (2).  
Johnston—March 12th (2), August 27th (1), Nov. 12th (2).

## FIFTH DISTRICT.

*Spring Term*—Judge Fred Moore.  
*Fall Term*—Judge W. A. Hoke.  
Durham—Jan. 15th (2), March 26th (2), May 14th (1), \*Sept. 3d (1), Oct. 1st (2).  
Granville—Jan. 29th (2), April 23d (2), July 23d (2), Nov. 19th (2).  
Chatham—Feb. 12th (1), May 7th (1), Sept. 17th (2), Guilford—Feb. 19th (2), June 4th (3), Aug. 20th (2), Dec. 3d (2).  
Alamance—March 12th (1), May 21st (1), Sept. 10th (1), Nov. 5th (1).  
Orange—March 19th (1), May 28th (1), Aug. 6th (1), Oct. 29th (1).  
Caswell—April 9th (1), Oct. 15th (1).  
Person—April 16th (1), Aug. 13th (1), Nov. 12th (1).

## SIXTH DISTRICT.

*Spring Term*—Judge G. H. Brown, Jr.  
*Fall Term*—Judge Fred Moore.  
New Hanover—Jan. 22d (2), April 16th (2), Sept. 24th (2).  
Sampson—Feb. 5th (2), April 30th (1), Oct. 8th (2).  
Duplin—March 19th (1), Sept. 3d (1), Dec. 3d (2).  
Greene—Feb. 26th (1), Aug. 27th (1), Nov. 26th (1).  
Pender—March 5th (1), Sept. 10th (2).  
Carteret—April 2d (1), Oct. 22d (1).  
Jones—March 26th (1), Oct. 29th (1).  
Onslow—April 9th (1), Nov. 5th (1).  
Lenoir—Jan. 15th (1), May 7th (1), Aug. 20th (1), Nov. 12th (1).

## SEVENTH DISTRICT.

*Spring Term*—Judge H. R. Bryan.  
*Fall Term*—Judge G. H. Brown, Jr.  
Anson—Jan. 8th (1), April 16th (1), \*Sept. 3d (1), Oct. 29th (1).  
Richmond—Jan. 15th (2), April 23d (1), May 21st (2), Sept. 10th (2), Nov. 5th (1).  
Moore—Jan. 29th (2), April 2d (2), Aug. 20th (1), Nov. 26th (1).  
Robeson—Feb. 12th (2), April 30th (1), July 23d (1), Oct. 8th (1).  
Bladen—March 5th (1), Oct. 1st (2).  
Columbus—March 12th (1), Aug. 13th (1), Oct. 22d (1).  
Brunswick—March 19th (1), Oct. 15th (1).  
Cumberland—Feb. 16th (1), March 26th (1), May 7th (2), Sept. 24th (1), Nov. 12th (2).

## EIGHTH DISTRICT.

*Spring Term*—Judge E. W. Timberlake.  
*Fall Term*—Judge H. R. Bryan.  
Montgomery—Jan. 1st (2), April 16th (1), Oct. 1st (2).  
Cabarrus—Jan. 22d (2), April 23d (1), July 23d (2), Oct. 15th (1).  
In. dell—Feb. 5th (2), May 21st (2), Aug. 6th (2), Nov. 5th (2).  
Rowan—Feb. 19th (2), May 7th (2), Aug. 20th (2), Nov. 19th (2).  
Davidson—March 5th (2), Sept. 3d (2).  
Randolph—March 19th (2), July 9th (2), Dec. 3d (2).  
Yadkin—April 30th (1), Oct. 22d (2).

## NINTH DISTRICT.

*Spring Term*—Judge W. S. O'B. Robinson.  
*Fall Term*—Judge E. W. Timberlake  
Rockingham—March 5th (2), Aug. 13th (1), October 29th (2).  
Forsyth—Feb. 25th (1), May 14th (2), Nov. 26th (2).  
Wilkes—March 19th (1), May 28th (2), Aug. 27th (2).  
Surry—April 16th (2), Oct. 1st (2), Nov. 12th (2).  
Alleghany—March 26th (1), Sept. 10th (1).  
Davie—April 2d (2), Oct. 15th (2).  
Stokes—April 30th (2), Sept. 17th (2).



TENTH DISTRICT.

*Spring Term*—Judge T. J. Shaw.  
*Fall Term*—Judge W. S. O'B. Robinson.  
 Catawba—Feb 26th (2), Aug. 6th (2), Nov. 18th (2)  
 McDowell—†April 9th (2), †July 23d (2).  
 Burke—†April 30th (2), †Nov. 5th (2).  
 Caldwell—†March 12th (2), †Aug 20th (2).  
 Ashe—April 2d (2), Sept. 17th (2).  
 Watauga—March 26th (1), Sept. 3d, (2).  
 Mitchell—Feb 12th (2), April 16th (2), Oct. 1st (2).  
 Yancey—May 14th (2), Oct. 15th (3).

ELEVENTH DISTRICT

*Spring Term*—Judge O. H. Allen.  
*Fall Term*—Judge T. J. Shaw  
 Mecklenburg—†Jan 22d (1), †March 19th (2), †June 4th (1), †Oct. 1st (2).  
 Union—Jan 29th (3), June 11th (2), †Aug. 20th (2), \*Sept. 10th (1), \*Dec. 17th (1).  
 Gaston—Feb 19th (2), Sept. 17th (2)  
 Stanly—March 5th (2), \*Sept. 3d (1), †Dec. 10th (1).  
 Lincoln—April 2d (2), Oct. 15th (1)  
 Cleveland—April 16th (2), Oct. 22d (2).  
 Rutherford—April 30th (2), Nov. 5th (2).  
 Polk—May 14th (1), Nov. 19th (1).  
 Henderson—†May 21st (2), †Nov. 26th (2)

TWELFTH DISTRICT.

*Spring Term*—Judge T. A. McNeill.  
*Fall Term*—Judge O. H. Allen.  
 Madison—†Jan. 22d (2), †July 23d (3).  
 Buncombe—†Feb. 5th (3), †April 30th (2), †Aug. 13th (3), †Nov. 12th (2).  
 Transylvania—Feb. 26th (2), Sept. 3d (2)  
 Haywood—†March 12th (2), †Sept. 17th (2).  
 Jackson—March 26th (2), Oct. 1st (1).  
 Macon—April 9th (2), Oct. 8th (1).  
 Clay—April 23d (1), Oct. 15th (1)  
 Cherokee—May 14th (2), Oct. 22d (2).  
 Graham—May 28th (1), Nov. 5th (1).  
 Swain—June 4th (3), Nov. 26th (2).

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**Eastern District Criminal Circuit Court.**

Judge—Dossey Battle, Rocky Mount.  
 Mecklenburg—Jan 8th (2), April 9th (1), July 16th (2), Sept. 24th (1), Nov. 26th (1).  
 New Hanover—March 12th (1), June 4th (2), Aug. 6th (1), Nov. 19th (1).  
 Edgecombe—May 21st (1), Nov. 12th (1).  
 Robeson—April 16th (1), Oct. 29th (1).  
 Halifax—Jan. 29th (1), May 7th (1), Oct 1st (1).  
 Cumberland—Jan. 1st (1), April 30th (1), Sept. 17th (1).  
 Craven—Feb 26th (1), Aug. 20th (1).  
 Nash—Feb. 5th (1), Aug 27th (1)  
 Warren—June 25th (1), Dec. 10th (1).  
 Wilson—June 18th (1), Oct 15th (1).  
 Northampton—March 19th (1), Sept. 3d (1).

**Western District Criminal Court.**

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 Buncombe—Jan. 15th (2), April 23d (2), July 23d (2), Oct 22d (2).  
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Third	February 20th	Oct. 9th.
Fourth	February 27th	October 16th
Fifth	March 6th	October 23d
Sixth	March 13th	October 30th
Seventh	March 20th	November 6th.
Eighth	March 27th	November 13th.
Ninth	April 3d	November 20th.
Tenth	April 10th	November 27th.
Eleventh	April 17th	December 4th.
Twelfth	April 24th	December 11th.
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Alexander	\$320	\$160			\$19	\$6	\$37		\$23		\$20	\$14	\$635
Alleghany and Grayson	86			\$440	1	1	2					8	541
Ashe	271			28	29	4	1		3			21	356
Atlantic	5,455	1,336	\$233		521	\$21	304	\$100	77	\$2,359	33	33	11,109
Beulah	1,276	67	26	26	181	70	73	47	45		15	17	1,869
Bladen	741	85	5	122	75	42	71	22	16	40	3	9	1,251
Brier Creek	750	75	100	250	4		38		11		11	13	1,246
Brushy Mountain	621				77	47	151	39	112			14	1,200
Puncombe	4,433	676	71	4,152	215	114	273		174	169		27	11,301
Caldwell	800	413	26		20	12	132	4	69	122	70	21	1,639
Cape Fear and Columbus	2,018	300	44	63	103	37	89	15	55	24	17	37	2,855
Carolina	434		15	11		116	25		39			18	658
Catawba River	1,977	326		81			212		150	108		10	1,855
Cedar Creek	980	486			77	84	73	9	83	53	16	15	1,876
Central	4,890	999	252	789	1,119	420	638	173	309	880	42	36	10,586
Chowan	8,528	1,083	202	1,142	446	223	345	151	219	720	11	68	13,148
Eastern	6,201	559	94	885	300	134	208	123	113	266	59	42	9,895
Elkin	713			225	8	5	6		21		20	11	1,191
Flat River	4,445	646	146		243	213	398	59	182	4,412	57	38	10,846
French Broad	359				178		29		33			24	623
Green River	2,803	140	26	535	259	198	319	8	35	2,744		33	7,199
Haywood	1,334		32	783	49	81	81		47	9		22	2,435
Kings Mountain	3,300				237	135	206	61	78	1,081	36	35	5,229
Liberty	1,731	130	20		165	95	160	83	264	690	36	26	3,425
Liberty and Ducktown	242					36						18	296
Little River	1,331	55		450	179	50	53	24	78		100	21	2,084
Mecklenburg and Cabarrus	4,072				169	109	195	59	264		97	18	5,264
Mitchell	500	87	31		1	1	86			381		20	1,053
Montgomery	620	128		252	46	20	36	5	45	35	2	12	1,297
Mount Zion	7,187	1,409	316	409	740	293	477	151	358	393	118	50	12,414
New Found	311	16					42					19	389



Fee Dec	4,500	492	100	199	253	252	238	256	163	1,071	32	24	6,809
Piedmont	3,067	843	105	1,050	371	214	344	124	160	1,071	33	20	6,883
Pilot Mountain	3,426	2,514	---	4,462	530	188	368	164	264	603	64	28	13,333
Robeson	4,074	2,171	50	---	504	189	459	90	328	7,540	---	16	14,485
Raleigh	5,170	1,312	316	1,986	607	294	402	64	289	1,740	48	45	12,018
Sandy Creek	2,033	99	---	869	182	139	223	119	192	1,176	32	26	4,990
Sandy Run	1,643	183	---	---	127	160	198	44	68	343	---	27	2,975
South Fork	2,985	490	---	975	222	83	86	21	154	31	34	21	5,624
South River	2,291	171	---	749	379	35	140	18	55	453	15	23	4,332
South Yadkin	2,596	632	---	86	57	354	72	163	54	209	94	34	5,625
Stanly	878	220	---	273	81	38	44	15	76	---	---	14	1,659
Stone Mountain	---	---	---	---	104	---	2	---	7	---	3	10	136
Stony Fork	---	---	---	---	---	---	158	---	6	---	---	10	174
Tar River	10,356	2,004	354	1,375	1,429	370	497	182	766	1,775	78	62	19,716
Tennessee River	579	---	---	---	---	39	51	---	19	---	---	10	704
Three Forks	759	48	49	157	35	42	140	---	26	34	7	31	1,396
Transylvania	782	55	18	---	---	14	41	2	10	11	---	10	943
Tuckaseegee	1,560	---	---	141	50	25	43	15	35	60	---	20	1,984
Union	1,851	263	31	285	138	163	200	30	97	304	8	40	3,384
West Chowan	7,248	---	340	1,590	691	399	720	341	395	82	55	60	12,819
Western North Carolina	299	126	---	---	6	16	13	---	15	---	---	15	490
Yadkin	1,054	132	---	---	28	24	38	5	66	1,522	---	19	2,888
Yancey	190	---	---	---	13	1	5	---	4	2	---	14	229
Total	123,672	20,941	3,005	24,693	11,341	6,018	9,235	2,794	6,055	29,592	2,113	1,335	243,031

## NUMERICAL STATISTICS.

Associations.	Baptized	Resorted to Membership.	Excluded from Churches.	Deaths.	Total Membership of Churches	No. of Churches in Associations.	No. of Ordained Preachers	No. of Churches not Reporting to Association.	Reporting no Baptisms	Reporting Nothing for Missions.	Churches not Reporting a S. S.
Alexander	167		16	13	2,328	17	12	1	6	4	8
Alleghany and Grayson	3	1	10		373	12	5	1	11	11	11
Ashe County	64	41	24	9	1,234	28	17	1	9	14	29
Atlantic	199	14	40	31	2,762	44	13		4		
Beulah	36	4	11	7	816	10	2				3
Bladen	36	19	18	18	1,851	33	16	10	24	14	12
Brier Creek	167	13	25	26	3,304	32	23	1	8	16	18
Brushy Mountain	54	7	33	16	1,448	18	9		4	1	5
Buncombe	221	18	62	33	3,306	26	24		9	9	4
Caldwell	165	23	26	22	2,038	26	16		2	12	6
Cape Fear and Columbus	183	32	48	37	3,089	59	21	11	26	15	28
Carolina	104	67	57	22	2,784	33	31	6	16	22	19
Catawba River	60	9	41	8	1,557	29	10	11	16	15	21
Cedar Creek	77	10	31	13	1,780	15	5		6		7
Central	254	59	65	32	3,326	26	21	1	2	3	3
Chowan	162	24	80	50	7,765	53	19	5	39	11	14
Eastern	176	37	181	70	6,122	61	25	4	29	4	19
Elkin	57	5	9	17	1,231	18	15		7	11	27
Flat River	243	32	64	50	3,566	34	19	1	11	4	6
French Broad	243	14	97	37	3,225	26	22	2	7	11	7
Green River	158	29	48	43	3,977	38	15	4	16	4	7
Haywood	114	15	22	9	1,780	17	11	5	2	10	7
Kings Mountain	260	22			5,278	33	16	2	9	3	7
Liberty	100	9	27	32	2,244	24	16	1	9	1	8
Liberty and Ducktown	153	15	13	20	1,618	23	16		6	17	3
Little River	39	5	71	22	2,183	24	13	2	14	2	4
Mecklenburg and Cabarrus	138	18	46	24	2,130	22	13	2	10	6	7
Mitchell	172	53	67	19	2,407	27	29		6	22	12
Montgomery	72		8	10	837	15	6	1	7	3	7
Mt. Zion	361	23	110	65	5,247	42	16	4	13	2	10
New Found	81	10	44	16	1,420	21	21	1	7		13
Pee Dee	59	11	33	22	2,397	28	14	1	10	1	1
Piedmont	67	5	25	12	1,557	17	16		4		1
Pilot Mountain	237		60	39	3,902	41	15	1	9	1	6
Robeson	175	32	77	37	4,285	40	20	2	14	2	7
Raleigh	318	32	105	53	5,156	50	14	4	14	7	11
Sandy Creek	108		30	30	3,149	37	13	1	14	8	18
Sandy Run	192	13	36	40	4,008	24	15		2	3	4
South Fork	272	23	49	30	3,143	35	14	5	10	7	17
South River	94	10	80	39	2,171	31	14		16	1	17
South Yadkin	114	24	73	29	2,092	29	8	3	7	3	9
Stanly	79	6	31	20	1,608	19	13		7		8
Stone Mountain	28	1	4	2	698	11	11		7	6	3
Stony Fork	40	5	38	8	942	14	11	1	6	10	7
Tar River	522	41	68	68	7,711	78	32	17	26	6	7
Tennessee River	262	32	47	13	1,865	35	42	5	10	27	8
Three Forks	152	25	104	29	2,728	32	30		8	10	5
Transylvania	86	14	24	28	1,491	15	9		1	7	10
Tuckaseegee	323	21	53	41	3,898	41	36		12	12	9
Union	157	17	72	32	3,130	30	12	1	7	5	5
West Chowan	520	103	128	88	9,415	47	18	1	10	1	6
Western North Carolina	98	12	27	17	1,753	22	20	1	12	12	5
Yadkin	226	19	51	32	3,020	34	31		5	10	11
Yancey	73	13	28	25	2,366	23	8	9	8	15	23
Total	8,521	1,087	2,637	1,506	154,811	1,605	904	124	539	412	542



SUNDAY SCHOOL STATISTICS, 1899.

Associations.	Number of Schools Reported.	Officers and Teachers	Number of Scholars.	Total.	Contributions.	Expenses.	Number of Quarterlies.
Alexander	7	13	463	476		\$16.00	
Alleghany and Grayson*							
Ashe*							
Atlantic	27	253	1,989	2,242	\$834.00		2,172
Beulah	8	47	278	325		43.00	169
Bladen	9	50	553	603	29.00	23.00	280
Brier Creek	13	78	677	755	75.00		370
Buncombe	15	110	1,816	1,926	1,381.00	296.00	
Caldwell	11	63	644	716	6.00	61.00	552
Cape Fear and Columbus	32	256	1,716	1,960	17.00	16.00	994
Carolina	22		1,222	1,222			
Catawba River	8	47	542	589	65.00	73.00	434
Cedar Creek	20	193	1,987	2,180	734.00	658.00	2,483
Chowan	45	575	4,235	4,810	159.00	728.00	4,264
Eastern	42	165	1,509	1,674	301.00	327.00	
Elkin							
Flat River	27	192	1,845	2,037	793.00	215.00	1,527
French Broad							
Green River	32	211	1,629	1,840		185.00	2,328
Haywood	8	67	1,106	1,173	164.50		
Kings Mountain	28	217	2,371	2,588	174.00	187.00	2,060
Liberty	16	102	1,114	1,216		100.00	1,310
Liberty and Ducktown	14		619	619		24.00	
Little River	19	129	956	1,105		68.00	672
Mecklenburg and Cabarrus	16	153	1,253	1,106		373.00	2,990
Mitchell	14	78	799	867	6.00	119.00	
Montgomery	8	46	390	438	39.00	66.00	
Mt. Zion	29	298	2,755	3,051		815.00	3,946
New Found	8						
Pee Dee	26	177	1,575	1,752		320.00	1,894
Piedmont	17	137	1,594	1,731	287.00	380.00	925
Pilot Mountain	33	292	3,597	3,889	1,650.00		3,574
Robeson	38	177	1,222	1,399			
Raleigh	25	243	2,485	2,728	840.00	2,382.00	
Sandy Creek	10	77	449	526	41.00	62.00	
Sandy Run	22	155	1,123	1,278	33.00		3,229
South Fork	18	152	1,429	1,582			
South River	25	148	1,781	1,939		193.00	
South Yadkin	17	135	1,204	1,339	41.00	152.00	1,021
Stanly	12	88	658	746		42.00	1,059
Stone Mountain	8	51	418	469			
Stony Fork	7			441		6.00	
Tar River	72	553	4,903	5,456	763.00	1,140.00	5,844
Tennessee River	20		900	900			
Three Forks	27	71	1,496	1,567	9.00	70.00	1,038
Transylvania	11	62	715	777	28.00		
Tuckasegee	35	169	2,383	2,552	4.00	168.00	
Union	26	158	1,529	1,682		264.00	1,312
West Chowan	42	442	3,325	3,767			3,805
Western N. C	13	34	399	433	32.00		
Yadkin	22	147	1,548	1,695	120.00		819
Yancey							
	990	6,808	67,243	73,720	8,609.00	9,575.00	55,071

\*Churches reporting no Schools—Alleghany and Grayson, 12; Ashe, 28.

HISTORICAL

Year	Place of Meeting.	President.	Recording Secretaries.
1830	Greenville, Pitt County	Patrick W. Dowd	R S. Blount
1831	Rogers' X Roads, Wake County	do	N. G. Smith
1832	Reeve's Chapel, Chatham County	Wm. P. Biddle	A. J. Battle
1833	Cartledge's Creek, Richmond Co.	do	Amos J. Battle
1834	Cashie, Bertie County	Alfred Dockery	do
1835	Union Camp Ground, Rowan Co.	do	James McDaniel
1836	County Line, Caswell County	do	do
1837	May's Chapel, Chatham County	do	do
1838	Brown's, Sampson County	do	do
1839	Grassy Creek, Granville County	do	do
1840	Johnston Liberty, Johnston Co.	do	do
1841	do	do	do
1842	Meherrin, Hertford County	Thomas Meredith	J. J. Finch
1843	Boiling Springs, Henderson Co.	do	do
1844	Raleigh	Alfred Dockery	John B. White
1845	do	Thomas Meredith	J. J. Finch
1846	do	do	do
1847	Friendship, Cumberland County	Alfred Dockery	N. J. Palmer
1848	Rockford, Surry County	do	do
1849	Oxford	James McDaniel	do
1850	Louisburg	do	do
1851	Wilmington	do	do
1852	Smithfield	do	do
1853	New Bern	do	do
1854	Fayetteville	do	A. McDowell
1855	Warrenton	do	George W. Johnston
1856	Raleigh	do	J. B. Solomon
1857	Hertford	do	do
1858	Raleigh	do	do
1859	Charlotte	do	do
1860	Goldsboro	do	W. T. Brooks
1861	Raleigh	do	do
1862	Wake Forest	do	J. D. Hufham
1863	Raleigh	do	do T. J. Knapp, Ass't Sec.
1864	Warrenton	do	do
1865	Forestville	do	do C. E. Dunn, Assistant
1866	Raleigh	do	do W. J. Palmer
1867	Wilmington	do	do T. M. Hughes
1867	Goldsboro	do	J. L. Carroll, G. W. Sanderlin
1868	Hillsboro	Samuel G. Mason	do
1869	New Bern	W. T. Brooks	do
1870	Raleigh	do	do
1871	Charlotte	do	N. B. Cobb, N. B. Broughton
1872	Fayetteville	do	do
1873	Warrenton	do	do C. M. Cooke
1874	Wilmington	J. M. Heck	do F. R. Underwood
1875	Shelby	John Kerr	J. D. Hufham, F. R. Underwood
1876	Raleigh	C. M. Cooke	do
1877	Durham	John Kerr	do Wm. Biggs
1878	Charlotte	Wm. A. Graham, Jr.	Wm. Biggs, George W. Greene
1879	Oxford	Needham B. Cobb	do N. L. Shaw
1880	Goldsboro	do	do N. B. Broughton
1881	Winston	do	do W. L. Wright
1882	Warrenton	J. C. Scarborough	N. B. Broughton, N. L. Shaw
1883	Edenton	do	do
1884	Raleigh	do	do
1885	Reidsville	C. T. Bailey	do G. W. Greene
1886	Wilmington	do	do
1887	Durham	W. H. Pace	do
1888	Greensboro	do	do
1889	Henderson	L. L. Polk	do
1890	Shelby	do	do
1891	Goldsboro	R. H. Marsh	do N. B. Cobb
1892	Raleigh	do	do
1893	Elizabeth City	do	do
1894	Charlotte	do	do
1895	Greensboro	do	do
1896	Morgauton	do	do H. C. Moore
1897	Oxford	do	do
1898	Greenville	do	do
1899	Asheville	do	do

TABLE.

Corresponding Secretary.	Treasurer.	Preacher of Introductory Sermon.
John Armstrong	Henry Austin	Samuel Wait.
do	do	John Armstrong.
do	do	Wm. P. Biddle.
do	Charles McAnister	David S. Williams.
do	do	(Minutes mutilated.)
do	William Roles	John Kerr.
do	Amos J. Battle	John Armstrong.
Wm. Hill Jordan	do	James S. Mims
do	do	John Armstrong.
do	do	J. J. Finch.
do	do	Wm. Hill Jordan.
do	do	J. J. Finch.
do	James S. Purefoy	Eli Phillips.
do	do	R. McNabb
S. J. Wheeler	do	G. M. Thompson.
J. J. Finch	do	W. T. Brooks.
do	do	J. S. Purefoy.
do	do	David S. Williams.
J. J. James	do	C. R. Hendrickson.
Wm. A. Shaw	do	John B. White.
John H. Lacy	do	Wm. Hooper.
do	do	James McDaniel.
do	do	R. I. Devin.
A. McDowell	do	A. McDowell.
T. S. Yarbrough	do	T. W. Tobey.
W. M. Wingate	do	(President reviewed history of Convention.)
do	do	T. E. Skinner,
T. E. Skinner	do	T. H. Pritchard
A. J. Emerson	do	J. S. Walthall.
do	S. S. Biddle	H. Petty
B. F. Marable	James S. Purefoy	John Mitchell.
None	do	N. B. Cobb.
N. B. Cobb, Supt. Army Colp. and Miss	do	(No record.)
do	do	A. McDowell
do	do	J. B. Hardwick.
do	do	Jas. P. Boyce of S. Carolina.
do	do	J. L. Carroll.
do	do	John Mitchell.
do	do	J. L. Carroll
do	do	William Royall.
do	do	W. M. Wingate.
J. D. Hufham	John G. Williams	J. C. Hiden
do	do	R. H. Marsh.
do	do	C. T. Bailey
J. B. Richardson	do	H. A. Brown.
do	do	T. W. Babb.
do	do	(No record)
None	N. B. Broughton	J. A. Mundy.
None	Jordan Womble, Jr	R. H. Griffith.
John E. Ray	B. F. Montague	F. H. Jones.
do	do	T. E. Skinner.
do	do	H. A. Brown.
do	do	A. G. McManaway.
do	do	C. A. Jenkins.
do	John T. Pullen	J. M. McManaway.
do	do	R. T. Vann.
do	T. H. Briggs	H. W. Battle.
C. Durham	Fabius H. Briggs	B. Cade.
do	W. S. Grandy	J. S. Dill.
do	J. D. Boushall	T. H. Pritchard.
do	do	Thomas Hume.
do	do	J. S. Hardaway.
do	do	J. W. Carter.
do	do	T. J. Taylor.
do	do	A. M. Simms.
John E. White	do	J. B. Richardson.
do	do	A. C. Barron.
do	do	W. S. Penick.
do	do	R. T. Vann.



## ASSOCIATIONAL TABLE.

Association.	Place of Meeting.	Date
Alexander		Sept. 27.
Alleghany and Grayson	New Hope	Sept. 6.
Ashe	Buffalo	Oct. 9.
Atlantic	Morehead City	Oct. 18.
Beulah	Clement	Aug. 7.
Bladen		Nov. 8.
Brier Creek		Oct. 11.
Brushy Mountain	Zion Hill	Aug. 23.
Buncombe	Big Ivy	Aug. 14.
Caldwell	Union, No. 1	Sept. 20.
Cape Fear-Columbus	Spring Branch	Oct. 25.
Carolina		Oct. 11.
Catawba River	Mull's Chapel	Oct. 11.
Cedar Creek	Sharon	Oct. 11.
Central	New Hope	Oct. 9.
Chowan	Elizabeth City	May 22.
Eastern	Mount Olive	Oct. 9.
Elkin		Sept. 25.
Flat River	Roxboro	July 10.
French Broad		Aug. 22.
Green River	Dysartsville	Oct. 4.
Haywood		Aug. 27.
Kings Mountain	Double Spring	Sept. 20.
Liberty	Reed's Cross Roads	Aug. 21.
Liberty-Ducktown		Sept. 25.
Little River	Benson	Nov. 1.
Mecklenburg and Cabarrus	12th Street Church, Charlotte	Aug. 21.
Mitchell	Bakersville	Sept. 13.
Montgomery		Oct. 18.
Mount Zion	Graham	Oct. 9.
Neuse	Antioch	Oct. 23.
New Found		Aug. 9.
Pee Dee	Rockingham	Oct. 25.
Piedmont	Cherry Street, Greensboro	Aug. 30.
Pilot Mountain	Leaksville	Aug. 2.
Raleigh	Baptist Centre	Nov. 1.
Robeson		Oct. 16.
Sandy Creek		Oct. 11.
Sandy Run		Oct. 11.
South Fork	Bethel	Oct. 25.
South River	Macedonia	Oct. 24.
South Yadkin	Eaton's	Aug. 30.
Stanly	Locust Level	Nov. 8.
Stone Mountain	New Light	Sept. 20.
Tar River	Spring Hope	Oct. 16.
Tennessee River	Bryson City	Aug. 23.
Three Forks	Laurel Springs	Aug. 28.
Transylvania	Brevard	Oct. 18.
Tuckasegee	Head of Tennessee	Aug. 16.
Union	Monroe	Oct. 11.
Western North Carolina		Aug. 28.
West Chowan	Potecasi	Oct. 30.
Yadkin		Aug. 16.
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STATISTICS BY STATES OF THE SOUTHERN BAPTIST CONVENTION.

STATE.	Associations.	Churches.	INCREASE BY—			DECREASE BY—				Total Membership.	Colored Membership.	Aggregate Membership.
			Baptism	Letter.	Statement.	Restoration.	Letter.	Exclusion.	Frasure.			
Alabama	78	1,757	6,170	5,512	210	583	5,922	1,531	488	1,956	127,949	394,187
Arkansas	47	1,351	2,599	2,446	31	427	3,206	1,283	698	71,233	71,233	126,351
District of Columbia	1	14	175	197	22	22	120	58	63	5,095	5,095	55,128
Florida	22	489	1,291	1,155	47	233	1,086	523	171	2,308	25,097	13,530
Georgia	76	1,986	9,244	8,616	25	847	9,188	2,213	152	1,816	183,268	27,970
Indian Territory and Oklahoma *	12	250	671	921	70	677	70	210	38	8,333	8,333	401,417
Kentucky	64	1,572	8,917	4,354	301	779	4,841	2,160	336	1,875	180,179	253,134
Louisiana	28	535	1,563	1,140	5	286	1,439	558	229	33,972	33,972	71,845
Maryland	3	59	442	210	50	192	192	287	103	10,286	10,286	105,817
Mississippi	53	1,265	3,794	2,880	17	475	3,003	1,115	214	788	95,967	15,859
Missouri	76	1,873	8,206	4,909	668	624	5,734	2,739	731	1,482	165,754	199,027
North Carolina	55	1,658	8,097	4,626	918	918	5,190	2,729	1,482	1,482	47,666	34,033
South Carolina	35	910	4,028	3,040	457	457	3,164	1,016	860	95,561	110,784	179,639
South Carolina	48	1,457	6,323	3,358	524	524	3,938	2,034	195	1,349	129,737	297,612
Tennessee	99	2,762	9,520	11,580	412	1,021	11,993	3,752	346	1,393	187,886	53,153
Texas	24	932	6,203	2,666	565	622	2,738	1,487	1,143	1,311	118,823	132,556
Virginia	24	18,873	77,243	57,550	2,493	7,938	62,421	23,514	3,778	14,831	1,586,709	1,501,030
Other States (Am. Bap. Year Book, 1899)												3,147,739
Total United States												1,006,682
Other countries (Eng Bap. H'd B'k, 1899)												4,154,421
Baptist membership in the world												786,701
												4,941,122

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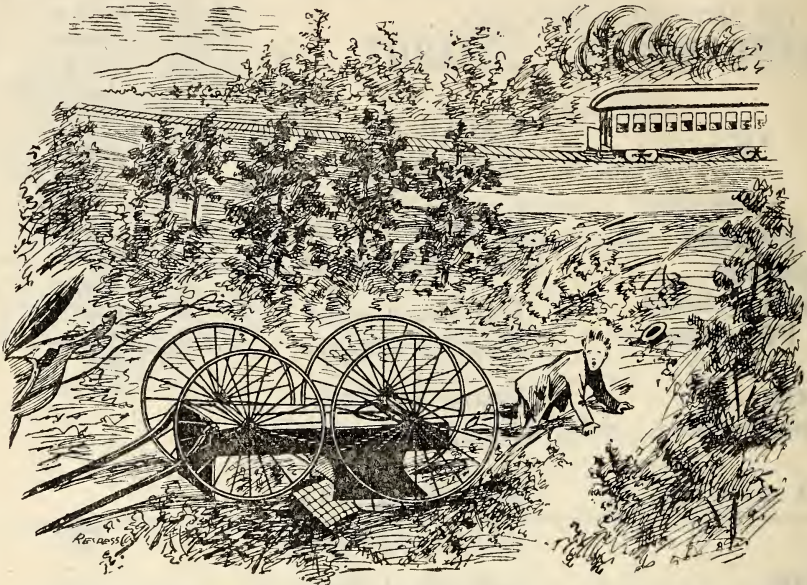
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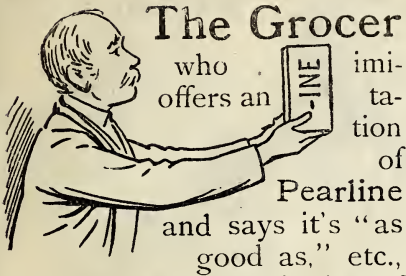
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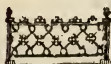
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