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BELLAMY'S GENTS' FURNISHING STORE BURNED SEPT. 27

Monday night, September 27th, about 12 o'clock Z. V. Bellamy's Gents' Furnishing Store was burned. The entire stock of goods and fixtures were entirely lost. Also the Furniture Department and Drug Store were completely smoked.

It is unknown just how the fire started, when first discovered it was the rear of the Gents' Furnishing Department.

The estimated loss is around ten thousand dollars, which was about the third insured.

The entire glass front of the building, which belongs to W. L. Curtis, was destroyed and the rest of the building badly damaged.

Our new Fire Department done good work, and if the fire had happened before the water works had been installed, it has been remarked by several people of the town that the entire block would have been destroyed. For an unorganized fire department the work was beyond reproach.

It has been rumored that the water recently installed in Ahoskie saved enough property Monday night to pay for itself.

MENOLA NEWS.

Menola is to have another Community Fair this year on Saturday, October 2nd. Dinner will be furnished at a reasonable price. On Saturday evening an entertainment will be staged, consisting of a miscellaneous program the last on the program being a play "Mock Menola," in which some of the older people will be personated by the younger. Some of us will be permitted to see ourselves as others see us, our peculiarities in manner and speech being depicted, with, perhaps, some exaggerations. We are anticipating lots of fun and want you to enjoy it with us. Come and let us entertain you for an hour or two. Refreshments will be served. Entrance fee will be 25 and 15 cents the proceeds to go to the Betterment.

Mr. Lewter, Mr. W. W. Grant, Mrs. J. H. Camp, Misses Lillian and Laura Camp and Mr. David Camp of Garysburg spent Sunday at the home of Mrs. Sallie Parker.

Mr. Vernon L. Eley left on Tuesday of last week for Philadelphia where he has entered as student of Jefferson Medical College.

Mrs. H. U. Griffith and daughters Miss Janie Parker, Mrs. C. W. Parker, and Mrs. W. R. Parker spent Monday in Murfreesboro, visiting friends and shopping.

Mr. Wallace Edwards left on Sunday for Edenton and will accompany his mother home, who has been spending some time with her daughter, Mrs. Essie Perry.

Mrs. Mary Brown, Misses Jane and Elizabeth Brown and Mr. Henry Brown spent Saturday evening with Mrs. Ella Jessup at George.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Vinson spent last Thursday in Murfreesboro.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Vaughn of Union were callers at Mr. J. M. Eley's on Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Everett Baugham of Rich Square spent last Friday with Mrs. Sallie Parker.

Misses Elizabeth Brown and Bettie Brown left on last Tuesday for Greenville Training School. Miss Brown will complete her course there this session.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Snipes, Mrs. J. E. Griffith and Mrs. A. G. Otwell spent Tuesday of last week in Murfreesboro.

Mr. Alvin J. Eley left on Wednesday of last week for Chapel Hill where he will resume his studies in the University.

Miss Bertie Northcott, one of our efficient teachers, spent the week end with her home people in Winton.

Mrs. Laura Parker is spending some weeks with her son Rev. C. J. D. Parker in Danville, Va.

Miss Janie Parker visited her sister Mrs. A. M. Brown in Union a part of last week.

Mr. J. T. Holmes of Hebron was a caller in Menola on Sunday evening.

Mr. Jethro Magette of Como was visitor in the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. U. Griffith last Friday evening.

Dr. and Mrs. J. W. Brown of Rich Square visited his mother Mrs. Mary Brown and family on Friday evening.

COLERAIN NEWS.

The people of Rich Square had a picnic, fish, fry, and barbecue at Pleasure Beach last Tuesday.

Miss Maybelle Perry and Mr. Joseph Cherry of Windsor were in town last Tuesday.

Mrs. Mary R. Shaw of Winton is visiting her daughter Mrs. D. R. Britton.

Moving pictures at the Academy last Tuesday evening the pictures were fine.

Miss Kate Newsome who attended school here last session left last Tuesday for Blackstone Va.

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Shaw and daughter Lillian were visitors in town last Tuesday.

Rev. R. B. Lineberry went to Suffolk last Tuesday to see Mrs. Yineberry who is at Lake View Hospital.

Mr. Holly Bell of Windsor was in town last Tuesday.

Mr. Wendell Forehand left last Wednesday for V. P. I. at Blacksburg where he will attend school.

Mrs. Ada Hardy of Norfolk is the guest of Mrs. Eva Holly.

Mr. LeRoy Saunders left last Wednesday for Baltimore where he will attend John Hopkins University.

News was received here Wednesday of the death of Mrs. Bettie Holey who died in Hertford, N. C.

Rev. Lineberry held protracted service at Harrellsville the past week. Rev. Raleigh White preaching for him a large number of our people attended.

Mesdames Eva Holey and Hardy went to Hertford Thursday to attend the burial of Mrs. Bettie Holey.

Messrs J. H. Myers, J. T. White and W. R. Rayner attended protracted meeting at Ross last Thursday.

The Womans Missionary society met at the Baptist church last Friday afternoon the subject discussed was Christian education a large crowd with a fine collection.

Mr. E. White and family attended service at Ross last Friday.

Mrs. Tucie Evans and Miss Mary Lineberry went to Suffolk last Saturday to see Mrs. Lineberry at Lake View Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Brinkley, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Brinkley spent the week end at Whayeville Va.

Misses Amanda Baker and Willie Forehand went to Suffolk last Saturday shopping.

Mrs. Bettie Felton spent last week end with her daughter in Edenton.

Mesdames Perry, Deans and Misses Amanda Leary and Villa Montagus attended services at Harrellsville last Sunday.

Mr. Graham Byrum of Edenton was a visitor over here last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Deans, Mrs. Misses Montagus went to Murfreesboro last Sunday.

A number of our people attended the baptizing at Mt. Peasant last Sunday afternoon.

Mr. J. C. Beasley spent the week end at Cary, N. C.

Dr. L. A. Nowell went to Ahoskie last Monday.

Messrs Manley White, Kenneth Rayner and James Long and Misses Mram Montague Martha White and Ernestine Wickens, went over to Aulander Monday evening to attend the recital given by Mrs. Clayton.

PERMANENT PASTURES

Grow more permanent pastures. Did you know that an acre properly seeded to pasture will bring you in as much clear profit as an acre of most cultivated crops? Make use of your outlying lands and get an income from every acre of your farm. Get ready for the stock law, for you must either fence up your stock or get rid of them, and it is a lot cheaper to seed down five acres of pasture than to fence a hundred acres of woods and the five acres will be worth the most.

For pasture seed best suited for this section, or any other information along this or other agricultural lines, consult your Agricultural Experiment Station or your county agent.

Bring an exhibit to the county fair. Good premiums offered and every courtesy extended to patrons. For premium list or any other information write or call.

Secretary, H. L. Miller.

THE AMERICAN RED CROSS IN PEACE TIME Health Promotion



Health is at the foundation of human happiness. Through its Rural Service, Public Health Nursing Service and Health Center Service, the American Red Cross aims greatly to strengthen this foundation and to draw more closely than ever the neighboring ties that bind the American people together. Here is shown a Red Cross Public Health nurse attending a young mother with a brand new baby, seeing that both receive scientific care.

MURFREESBORO NEWS

The Murfreesboro Graded School opened Monday, September 27th, and was an occasion of much concern. There was a full attendance of students and more public interest was manifested here than ever before at an opening. Speeches were made by D. C. Barnes, Rev. J. W. Whitley, Rev. J. P. Bennett and Joe King Parker. Miss Swindale, the County Demonstrator also made an interesting talk.

The faculty consists of entirely new teachers except Miss Mary Parham, who is the principal. One additional teacher has been added to the faculty, also two grades, the 9th and 10th have been added to the course of study. Miss Parham, the principal will teach the 7th and 8th grades and will also assist chiefly in the 9th and 10th. Miss Turnley, of Norfolk, Va., will teach the 5th and 6th grades. Miss Griggs has charge of the 3rd and 4th grades. Miss Gertrude Lawrence has charge of the 1st and 2nd grades. The faculty is composed of capable teachers and indications point to a very successful term.

Mrs. Pattie Watson returned home on Saturday from a trip to Creedmoor and Durham, N. C., while in Creedmoor, she visited her daughter and son-in-law Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Mangum.

Mrs. D. W. Rochelle of Norfolk, formerly Miss Emma Brett of this county, and was the past week end guest of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Brett. She left Monday to spend a few days with friends in Mapleton before returning to Norfolk.

Mrs. Lorena Howell, a former resident of this town, who is spending a few days with friends here, will leave the last of the week to visit relatives near Mapleton, after which she will leave for Norfolk and Washington, D. C.

Miss Merle Britton left Sunday for Durham, N. C.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Ferguson and two children after a week's visit to relatives here, returned to Suffolk, Va. Sunday by automobile.

Miss Mamie Garrison of Morganton and Mrs. D. W. Wynn returned Saturday from Norfolk where they spent a few days visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Boyette and son Roy, Jr. of Hartford Conn., who have been touring the South and who spent last week with relatives in Murfreesboro, left Friday for the North stopping at many important places of interest before their final return to Connecticut.

Mr. and Mrs. Bertam Watson, Mrs. U. Watson and daughters Elizabeth and Mildred left here early Sunday A. M. They motored to Norfolk and spent the day at Ocean View. Miss Helen Winborne of Como was a visitor in town on Monday.

Benthall-Roland

Married September 10th, Mrs. Colens Hare Benthall, daughter of the deceased John Hare, of Murfreesboro, N. C., to John Allen Roland, of Birmingham, Ala., at the residence of Lieutenant and Mrs. Josephus Stanton, of Brooklyn, N. Y.—Reported.

PEOPLE OF OUR TOWN



Nope, this isn't the Undertaker, but old Whatsa Use promoting business for him by Hanging Crepe. He feels Bad and wants Company, but all he Gets is Mean Looks, which Confirm his Opinion that this is a Tuff Old World. He hasn't Smiled since the Pigs Ate Willie and now he Can't because his Face has Set.

HE COULD HARDLY GET HIS BREATH

JOHNSON'S TROUBLES ALL DISAPPEAR AFTER HE TAKES TANLAC.

"The way Tanlac built me up proves to me that it is a great medicine," said Gust A. Johnson, of Virginia, Minn. Mr. Johnson has been employed by the Duluth and Iron Range railroad for thirty-five years.

"I suffered from stomach trouble in its worst stages," continued Mr. Johnson. "So much gas formed in my stomach after eating I could hardly breathe. I also had the rheumatism so bad in my knees sometimes it was all I could do to hobble about and I was so nervous that many a night I could not sleep at all, and by morning I was all tired out and weak as if I hadn't been in bed at all. "I noticed in the papers about Tanlac and gave it a trial, and it's a fact, nothing can beat it for I've taken only three bottles and feel like a new man. I eat anything I want now and am never troubled with gas any more; the rheumatism has left me and my nerves are steady as a clock and I get up every morning feeling fit and ready for the day's work. Tanlac is the greatest medicine I've seen and I know what I am talking about, for I have tried nearly everything."

Tanlac is sold in Ahoskie by Z. V. Bellamy and Copeland Drug Co., in Harrellsville by Williams and Taylor.

Rub-my-Tism is a great pain killer. It relieves pain and soreness caused by Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Sprains, Adv.

LOCAL NEWS OF AHOSKIE OF GENERAL INTEREST

FIRE DEPARTMENT ORGANIZED.

Wednesday evening a fire department was organized in Ahoskie, and the following officers were elected;

W. L. Curtis, Chief, H. A. Yert, Assistant Chief, Herbert Copeland, Secretary, J. C. Sessoms, Treasurer, Claud Vann, Captain Reel No. 1, C. G. Conger, Captain Reel No. 2, Members of Reel No. 2; K. Mulder, W. J. Myers, Herbert Copeland, T. M. Forbes, J. L. Baker, S. M. Applebaum, E. L. Garrett, H. A. Williams, B. Vinson, John Britton, G. C. Britton and Jas. Vinson. Members of Reel No. 1; L. T. Liverman, John Bozeman, Julian Thomas, E. E. Lane, Jack Barker, R. E. Copeland, J. C. Sessoms, L. C. White, Jim Cullens, Rupert Jernigan, W. N. Carter and J. S. Leary. Any one wishing to volunteer in either of these Reels will please see Mr. Vann or Mr. Conger as soon as possible. The department will meet again next Thursday evening at 8:30 o'clock, everybody interested will please attend this meeting.

Report of the Condition of THE MERCHANTS AND FARMERS BANK

at Winton in the State of North Carolina, at the close of business, September 8th., 1920.

RESOURCES	
Loans and Discounts,	\$281,168.99
Overdrafts, secured,	\$352.48
unsecured,	\$65.40
417.88	
United States Bonds and Liberty Bonds,	1,350.00
All other Stocks, Bonds, and Mortgages,	3,000.00
Premium on Bonds,	8.75
Banking Houses; Furniture and Fixtures,	9,495.93
Cash in vault and net amounts due form Banks, Bankers and Trust Companies,	93,209.39
Cash Items held over 24 hours,	340.24
Checks for clearing,	1,517.93
TOTAL	390,502.51

LIABILITIES	
Capital Stock paid in,	\$23,300.00
Surplus Fund,	\$2,300.00
Undivided Profits, less current expenses and taxes paid,	3,887.50
Dividends Unpaid,	26,450.00
Deposits subject to check,	127,790.87
Time Certificates of Deposit,	22,650.00
Savings Deposits,	143,425.00
Cashier's Checks outstanding,	68.49
Certified Checks,	39.07
Due to State Banks, Bankers, and Trust Companies,	19,641.58
TOTAL	390,502.51

State of North Carolina—County of Hertford September 17th., 1920.

I, J. P. Mitchell, Cashier of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

J. P. Mitchell, Cashier.

Correct—Attest

W. P. Shaw, Jr. Int. A. Shaw. W. L. Daniel.

Directors.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 18th day of September, 1920.

P. S. Jordan, Notary Public.



Let us show you where you can save by using



It has more imitations than any other Chill and Fever Tonic on the market, but no one wants imitations a medicine. They are dangerous—adv

Miss Annie Parker visited friends in Windsor Tuesday.

Mr. Bennie Forbes was a visitor in Suffolk Saturday.

Mr. H. C. Holloman, of Cofield, was in town on business.

Mr. C. C. Hoggard spent Tuesday in Suffolk on business.

Mrs. Merge spent last week in Norfolk the guest of friends.

Mrs. O. W. Hale is visiting relatives in Gates County this week.

Mr. M. W. Wall, of Woodland, was in town last Friday on business.

Mrs. E. W. Boone, of Rich Square is the guest of Mrs. R. J. Baker this week.

Messrs. H. S. Basnight and B. S. McKeel spent Thursday in Wilson on business.

Mr. S. M. McMullen spent the past week end the guest of his family in Edenton.

Mr. and Mrs. G. J. Newbern left Saturday for Detroit, and Flint, Mich. and other northern cities.

Mrs. Anna Andonion and children children of Norfolk are the guest of Hales Brother this week.

Mr. S. C. Greene, of Detroit, Mich., is the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Greene this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Alexander spent several days last week in Greensboro the guest of relatives.

Miss Fannie Darden Gatling, of Windsor, was the guest of Miss Annie Parker Wednesday and Thursday.

Rev. Ingram and Mrs. Paul Brett, of Mt. Tabor, attended the revival services at the Baptist Church Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert and children of Clarksville, Va., spent the week end the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Overton.

Miss Lorain Earley left Wednesday for Greenville, N. C., where she will attend the Teachers Training School the coming session.

Miss Nannie Garrison, of Asheville, N. C., and Miss Wynns, of Murfreesboro, were the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Carter the past week end.

Miss Julia Gatling left Wednesday for Greenville, N. C., where she will attend the East Carolina Teachers Training School the coming session.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Greene and children and Mr. Ivins, of Portsmouth were the guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Greene the past week end.

There will be a Lawn Party at Brantley Grove Church, Friday night, October 8th, for the benefit of school building. The public is cordially invited.

Mrs. S. J. Dilday spent several days in Suffolk at the Lake View Hospital last week, where she received an examination. She was accompanied by her husband.

Dr. P. H. Mitchell and Mr. J. W. Howard accompanied Miss Nancy Howard to a hospital in Rocky Mount, N. C. last Saturday where she underwent an operation. Mr. Howard visited her Tuesday and reported her condition very much improved.

The first number of the Lyceum Course. The Nevin Musical Club will be given in the High School Auditorium, Tuesday, October 12th. This is under the auspices of the Woman's Betterment Association. Everybody buy a season ticket and help make this a success.—adv.

NOTICE!

The registration books will open September 30th and close October 23, 1920 and all persons who wish to qualify for the general November election will please present themselves to the registrars between the dates named. All women wishing to vote in the coming election will be required to register during the period the books are open.

E. J. GEROCK, Chairman County Board of Elect.