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E P HAYES, Exr.

Date April 1st, 1905.

MONTGOMERY NEWS.

The News of Our Neighboring County.

From the Montgomerian.

Mr J R Blair left Wednesday morning for New York on a business trip for Capt M L Jones.

The condition of Col Allan Jordan remains critical, after having improved some, we are very sorry to say that he is again worse.

Mr C L Baxter, who has been the successful manager of Jackson Springs hotel for the past two seasons, has resigned. His successor has not yet been announced.

Frank Dickens Maness the little three months old child of Mr and Mrs A A Maness of Biscoe died yesterday at 11:30 and will be buried in the Baptist cemetery at Troy to day.

Mr J W Coggin, who has been in the western part of the United States for the past several years, returned to his former home at Biscoe last week. Jim's relatives and friends are glad to have him back with them.

Mr Bernard H Leavitt, who installed the phone system here, and who is now postmaster at Southern Pines spent Friday night in town. Bernard made many friends during his stay here, and they were all delighted with his visit.

While climbing the grade on the west side of Little River, Tuesday evening, a box car and the passenger car become detached from the A. A. A. train, and at a rapid rate, ran back across the river to the top of the grade on the opposite side. At this point the brakes were effectually applied and the wild cars brought under control. No damage was done but passengers admit that they felt symptoms of fright.

Strictly Genuine.

Most of the patent medicine testimonials are probably genuine. The following notice recently appeared in the Atchison (Kan.) Globe: "Joe Tack, a well known engineer, running on the Missouri Pacific between Wichita and Kiowa, lately appeared in a big one, with a picture, and when he was in this office today, we asked him about it. He says he had terrible pains in his stomach, and thought he had cancer. His druggist recommended Kodol and he says it cured him. He recommend it to others, who were also cured." Kodol Dyspepsia Cure digests what you eat and cures all stomach troubles. Sold by the Standard Drug Co., and Asheboro Drug Co.

The Roman Catholics in the United States.

The Roman Catholic population of the United States and its dependencies is far larger than that of any other religious denomination. This fact is brought out by a comparison between the statistics in the Roman Catholic directory for 1905, and those relating to other church bodies, which have been compiled by the Reverend H K Carroll. The whole number of Roman Catholics under the protection of the United States flag is 22,127,354. Of these, 7,958,000 are in the Philippines, 1,573,802 in Cuba, 1,000,000 in Porto Rico, and 32,000 in the Sandwich Islands. It would obviously be misleading to include the Roman Catholics of the dependencies in a consideration of the comparative strength of the religious denominations in the United States. Eliminating them altogether, the Roman Catholics of the country still number 12,462,796, while the next largest church body, the Methodists, have 6,256,738 members. The Baptists follow with 5,136,815, then come the Lutherans, with 1,789,766; the Presbyterians, with 1,697,697; the Episcopalians, with 867,922; the Congregationalists, with 687,941; the Unitarians, 71,000; the Christian Scientists, with 66,672.—Success.

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Thomas Dixon's Books.

The Southern Amusement Company has been incorporated for the exploitation of plays founded on the novels of Thomas Dixon, Jr., and for the further purpose of building a theatre in New York City for the metropolitan presentations of the productions. Several Southern capitalists are stockholders in the organization, the general manager of which is George H Brennan. Two desirable sites for a New York playhouse are under consideration. The first play to be presented will be "The Clansman."

*Mr H O Vestal, one of Siler City's most popular young men, and Miss Hettie Ellis, the charming daughter of Mr A R Ellis, of near Ore Hill, will be married this afternoon at 3 o'clock. Rev O T Edwards will perform the ceremony. The marriage will be a quiet home affair, only a few relatives and friends will be present.—Siler City Grit.

Hot Weather Piles.

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LETTER TO THE EDITOR.

Mr. J. A. Caveness Writes From Pinner's Point, Va.

Mr W C Hammer,
Asheboro, N. C.

Dear Sir:—I noticed in last week's issue of the Courier an article with this heading, "Randolph the Banner Sunday School County in the State," I read this with a very great degree of pleasure.

First, because being a Randolphian myself and having been in her Sunday schools and under the auspices of her churches, I feel interested and rejoice to near of her advancement and achievements in this direction.

Second, I remember serving one or two years as secretary of Pleasant Grove township Sunday school convention under the presidency of Mr Parks and it was a pleasure to mingle and associate with the people from the different parts of the township. Then I remember attending a county convention at one time and it was quite a treat. I don't remember that I ever had the privilege of attending a state convention. The Sunday school workers of Randolph should feel honored and congratulated upon their success, but not to such an extent as to grow in the least careless and lose the banner, but keep their motto before them and their banner with them. If the old adage "Sow a thought reap a habit, sow a habit reap a character, sow a character and reap a destiny," I say if this be true, then how careful we should be what kind of thoughts we entertain, what kind of habits we form and characters we build to be useful men and women. I don't believe this work can be done any better anywhere else than in the Sunday school. The present generation could not be engaged in any higher and nobler work, nor could the rising generation be trained up in a more worthy cause than the Sunday schools.

The Sunday school has been termed by some one as the stepping stone into the church. I presume this is a very appropriate name for a great many are led into the churches through the Sunday school medium and when we find the churches and schools growing we find our jails empty, our penitentiaries and chain gangs diminishing and the social and moral features of the country greatly elevated. I wish to extend my hearty congratulations to the earnest Sunday school workers of Randolph for carrying home the banner from the state convention recently held in Raleigh. With best wishes and much success to Courier and editorial staff I beg to remain.

Yours truly,
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Rider Haggard in America.

Rider Haggard, author of "The Brethern," who has come to America as a special commissioner on agricultural questions for the British Empire, has been making a study of the conditions of the colony at Amity, Colo. Commander Booth Tucker, of the Salvation Army, who founded the Army colonies in the United States, met Mr Haggard at Amity, and they will go on and continue their investigations together throughout the United States and Canada.

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New Centre Items.

Mr Barnwell Way has purchased a new mill and is now Mr D C Cox. Mr Andrew Smith of Texas, is visiting relatives and friends in this community. Miss Victoria Cox visited at R L Albright's Saturday and Sunday.—Wheat is coming nine in this section.—Rev H A Albright preached an excellent sermon at New Centre Sunday. In the evening we had missionary meeting, several resolutions were rendered.—Jesse Surry returned from Cedar Falls Friday. Miss Hattie Cox visited at Mr Enoch Lanham's Saturday.—The Sunday school at Centre is interesting under the management of H F Way, our clever superintendent.—Mrs Mallinda Cox who has been quite sick is improving.—Mr Roscoe Lawrence visited at Mr Wm Beeks Sunday evening. Something is attracting him.—Mr Arthur Davis and Mr Andrew Smith attended the birthday celebration of E Lowdermilk Sunday.

Eleazer Items.

April 11. The health of this community is very good.

Rev J F Lyndon, of New Hope Academy, held an Easter service at Liberty Sunday evening. There is very little corn planted in this section.—Misses Nettie and Mollie Russell visited Misses Priscilla and Fannie Hill, of New Hope Academy, Saturday night.—Miss Celestia Leach, of Hulfham, is visiting her parents near Liberty this week. Miss Leach has been book keeping for Mr Jim Parks at Hulfham.—Misses Lela and Mamie Stafford and Miss Lettie Hill, of Ophir, visited Miss Nettie Luther last Sunday.—Mr and Mrs Wiley Cranford, of Ophir, visited Mrs Cranford's parents, Mr and Mrs Frank Luther last Saturday night.—Mr Nat Hall went to Thomasville last week.—Sunday school was organized at Eleazer Sunday week with Mr W L Stafford, superintendent.

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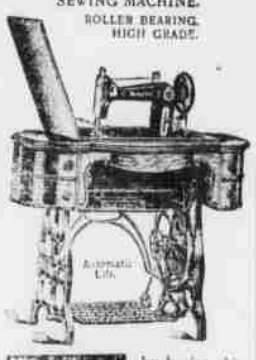

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Knoxville, Tenn.—Summer School, June 10-July 28, 1905.

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Monteagle, Tenn.—Monteagle Sunday School Institute, July 17-Aug. 5, 1905.

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Oxford, Miss.—Summer School, University of Mississippi, June 14-July 26, 1905.

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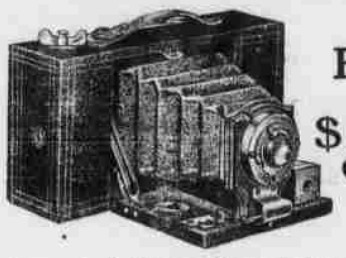

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