

THE GLEANER

GRAHAM, N. C., Aug. 15, 1918.

Postoffice Hours.

Office open 7:00 a. m. to 7:00 p. m. Sunday 9:00 to 11:00 a. m. and 4:00 to 6:00 p. m.

RAILROAD SCHEDULE.

GOING EAST—No. 112 (mixed) due 1:45 a. m. " 108 " 5:17 " " 22 " 5:00 p. m.

GOING WEST—No. 111 (mixed) due 5:23 a. m. " 21 " 11:13 " " 139 " 6:15 p. m.

All trains carry mail and Nos. 21, 22, 108 and 139 carry express.

LOCAL NEWS.

Another fine rain fell last Friday afternoon.

Graham Hawks went out to Mr. Heenan's farm camping last Saturday afternoon.

Graham Christian church Sunday school in session today on Haw River near Carolina Mills.

The weather again this week is a clear one to the extremely hot weather of the first few days of last week.

Alamance Superior Court for the trial of criminal cases will convene next Monday. Judge W. A. Devin will preside.

The notion is entertained by many that cotton cannot be grown successfully in this immediate section—that the land is not suitable. A look at a five-acre lot of cotton on the farm of Mr. Walter R. Harden, just outside of town, would change that notion. It is waist high to a tall man—rank and loaded with squares—a fine sight. With plenty of moisture and no early frosts it should make a great yield.

Mabel Norman Coming.

Mabel Norman in Joan of Plattsburg in 6 big reels. A story of the German spy system around the training camps. The system is broken up by Joan. See it at the Mexican, next Wednesday.

Fishing Parties.

A fishing party has been at Satchin's mill on Cane creek since the first of the week. The pond was drawn and seined and large quantities of suckers and other fish were caught. The catch amounts to several hundred pounds. Suckers weighing as much as four pounds were caught. A number from Graham were in the party.

On yesterday another party fished in the Wilson mill pond on Haw creek in Thompson township. This party also made fine catches of suckers and other fish. Several Graham people were also in this party.

DEATHS.

The death of Dr. W. G. Stafford will be learned with regret by a large circle of friends and acquaintances. He passed away at his home in Orange county, near Oaks, on Thursday, 8th inst. He was past 70 years of age. He was a son of the late William Stafford, was born and reared in this county and spent almost all his life in Alamance. He was a physician of high professional standing and for many years enjoyed a fine practice. Several years ago his health became very much impaired and he went to Florida and spent a year or two; but he never became strong enough to resume active practice. Up to two or three years ago he lived in Burlington where he had made his home for many years. Then he bought a farm near Oaks and gave it such attention as his health would permit.

Aside from being a learned physician, Dr. Stafford was well versed in literature. In his younger days, before the burdens of his profession grew so heavy, he was a composer of verse.

His remains were interred in Bethlehem churchyard in Orange county on the Saxapahaw-Chapel Hill road. He is survived by his widow, who is assisted by Col. Robert Bingham of Asheville.

Mr. A. M. Garwood, a widely known citizen of the county, died at Raine Hospital at an early hour Tuesday morning. Several months ago he suffered a stroke of paralysis and was carried to the hospital for treatment. His condition never grew better and lately he had grown much worse. Mr. Garwood taught for a number of years and represented the circulation department of the Burlington News for a number of years. He was about 46 of age. His home was in Burlington and he had many friends throughout the county who will regret to hear of his death.

James M. Eulise, an aged and highly esteemed citizen, died Saturday, 3rd inst., in Patterson township at the age of 79 years. The interment was at Rock Creek Church.

Mr. William Norwood died Saturday at his home in Graham, aged about 80 years. The remains were buried at Mt. Harmon Sunday. He is survived by his widow (second wife) and seven children, three of whom—Mr. A. W. Norwood and Misses Gladis and Eugenia—live here. Two daughters live in Greensboro, one at Swepsonville and a son lives elsewhere. He had been in failing health for some time, but the immediate cause of death was paralysis.

Too many automobile accidents on Sunday suggests the suspicion that our boulevards and country highways may be infested with tanks.

REPUBLICAN CONVENTION.

Candidates for County Offices Named

The Republicans held a well-attended county convention last Saturday to name candidates for the county offices.

The convention was presided over by Mr. Junius H. Harden and Mr. S. F. White, editor of The Falcon, acted as secretary.

Before the real work of the convention was entered upon several short speeches were made. Among the speakers were the chairman and Mr. E. S. W. Dameron.

The time for nominations being at hand, W. S. Crawford of Mebane, and W. S. Vestal south of Graham, were placed in nomination for Sheriff. Mr. Crawford declined to be a candidate, and W. S. Vestal was nominated by acclamation.

For Clerk Superior Court, Ross Walker of Faucette township was placed in nomination. There being no other candidate, the nomination was made by acclamation.

Phil S. Dixon of Graham was placed in nomination for Register of Deeds. He being the only candidate his nomination was by acclamation.

W. D. Foster of Burlington was nominated for Treasurer by acclamation.

The offices of Coroner and Surveyor were left open with power to the executive committee to select the candidates.

A committee of one from each voting precinct, consisting of the chairman of the precinct committee, was named to recommend five persons as candidates for County Commissioners.

After this committee retired the convention took up other business, among which was the election of a secretary to the county executive committee, a position held for several years by Mr. Heenan Hughes. Mr. W. I. Ward took the honor of the nomination.

The convention concluded with the renomination by acclamation of R. T. Kernodle for Representative in the General Assembly.

An Interesting and Patriotic Aged Man of German Descent.

Some time ago I wrote a few lines for publication concerning Mr. Yancey Tackell, who lives in Alamance county, six or eight miles from Burlington. He is nearly ninety-four years old, and has not been doing so well lately.

As his pastor, I went to see him the other day and found him better, sitting up, in his room. We talked about his health, his name; looked over some old papers to see how the name was spelled in 1818. It was spelled "Tackell," which, with the unusual over the "a," would make the pronunciation "Tackell;" but he says "Tackell" and we say "Tackell."

He had a United States flag—"Old Glory"—spread out over the backs of three chairs in his room. The flag is three by six feet. He had ordered it and paid three dollars for it. I made some remarks about it, and that started us on the Germans and the war. He said his father and grandfather came from Germany, but that he himself is an American; and, if he were younger, he would be in the midst of the shells and bullets and gas. I do not doubt but that he would, if he could.

The question came up as to what he would do with the flag he had there in the house. His folks and I thought the rain and sun would fade it if put up outside, and we tried to get him to let it be put upon the wall of the room or front porch; but he would not hear to that. He said it had to float from a long pole, out in the open, in front of the house, where his neighbors could see it and know where he stood.

His grandson had already brought a long pole from the creek bottom; so we had a flag raising, with the aged, patriotic man sitting in his chair on the porch. When we had lifted it high and were placing the long pole in a secure place, at first the flag hung limp; but, directly the flag floated its full length in the breeze, and the aged man lifted his hand and saluted. There we had devotions, and I left for home.

Y. VON A. RISER.

For Sale!

Two fresh Jersey cows for sale or will exchange them for wood.

T. C. MOON, Graham, N. C.

Atlantic Coast Inventors.

The following patents were just issued to Atlantic Coast clients reported by D. Swift & Co., Patent Lawyers, Washington, D. C., who will furnish copies of any patent for ten cents apiece to our readers.

Virginia—Halls B. Etheridge, Gilmerston, foot warmer.

North Carolina—Walter W. Linder, Cooleemee, machine for cleaning bobbins; Rufus H. Hull, Greensboro, adjustable table leg clamp.

South Carolina—Oscar D. Anderson, Conway, dumping wagon; John M. Bell, Chester, portable soldering device.

Baseball might regain its popularity by merging the game into two National leagues, one made up of Boy Scouts, and the other of Veterans of the Civil War.

A negro woman moved into a white neighborhood in Philadelphia, precipitating a riot which resulted in three deaths and sixty casualties. Philadelphia newspapers have been more or less outspoken heretofore concerning the "odious segregation" ordinances of some of the Southern cities.

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WHAT CATARRH IS

Science has shown that nasal catarrh often indicates a general weakness of the body and local treatments in the form of snuffs and vapors only irritate and do little if any good.

To correct catarrh you should treat its cause by enriching your blood with the oil-fund in Scott's Emulsion which is a medicinal food and a building tonic, free from any harmful drugs. It is helping thousands. Try it.

Scott & Bowne, Bloomfield, N. J.

THRIFT AND DEMOCRACY.

After the War Readjustment, Savings, Patriotism and Thrift.

Again.

S. W. Straus, President of the American Society of Thrift, recently made a speech in Pittsburgh, and among other things he gave expression to the following thoughts worthy of most serious consideration:

"The time is rapidly coming in America when every employer must see not only that his employees practice thrift but their condition of employment are such that they can practice it."

"The dollar sign is passing as the insignia of ruthless power," he said, "and the day is dawning when it shall stand also as the symbol of protection for the weak and help the worthy."

"We have come into a new order of things. The day of right by might is ending. This war marks the darkness that precedes the dawn of universal Democracy—a Democracy that shall be lifted to the lofty level of brotherhood."

"Into the statesmanship, the politics, the business of the day that is breaking just ahead, will come out a new spirit—a spirit of honesty, generosity and gentleness."

"The statesmanship of the world will be successful only in so far as it is honorable and just. The politician who achieves success will attain his ends by worthy deeds alone. The business man must stand on the broad ground of great brotherhood. The attitude between employer and employee will be that of man to man, and not master and slave."

"Every man must practice thrift and every man must have the chance to practice it."

"Are we fighting this war merely to rush the power of a coterie of madmen whose hearts are eating in unison with the cruelty and treachery of medievalism, and whose standards of life are those of Frederick the Great?"

"Is it alone the object of this war to demonstrate that the feudal spirit of the 18th century was wrong? Are we fighting merely to prove the fallacy of autocracy? No, we are fighting this war for a democracy that shall reach down and take root in the heart of every citizen in every country."

"There is no such thing as a democracy that is not universal any more than there is an autocracy that is tolerant."

"These things are to be the fruits of this war. And into this order of life the universal practice of thrift must come, for thrift is the very essence of democracy itself."

"Thrift is upbuilding and constructive—essentials without which no true republicanism can permanently endure. These are the lessons we must learn from the great text books of passing history. Unless we rise to the newer ideals—unless we catch the sweep of the new spirit of brotherhood—unless we perceive the necessity of intelligent thrift in this new and brighter day ahead—we are far out of step with the times."

"There never can come a time in our national life when thrift will not be necessary. It is an asset to our success in winning. It is as vital as powder and steel. And in that critical period of readjustment which will come with the beginning of peace, thrift will be just as necessary. Millions of men will come back from the fighting front prepared again to take up the occupations of peace. The acute scarcity of labor will be at an end. The pressing demand for war supplies will be over. The inflation that now exists will subside rapidly. In this readjustment there will be need for thrift and economy to preserve the equilibrium. Living conditions will be revolutionized over night, as it were. Gone will be the day of abnormal wages. Merchants will find the value of their stocks suddenly depreciated. It will be a period of acute readjustment, and only thru practices of thrift will the economic effect of the shock be tempered."

"And as the years go on the prodigious losses of this era of devastation must be made up by thrift. Humanity must save then what it is destroying to-day."

"The time when thrift shall not be needed—needed as vitally as food itself—will never come."

"And so, out of the spirit of our patriotism in our war savings, let us coin a new term—the patriotism of peace savings."

"Through thrift the world will rise from her ruins; the nations will emerge from the chaos of devastation and debt, and set forth again on the great highways of destiny."

Buy Your Coal Now.

I have several cars good domestic lump coal on the road now. If you will place your orders now for your requirements for the winter so that I can move this coal when it arrives, I will not have to cancel any orders I have placed with the mines. My opinion is, if we don't take this coal now, we will not have the chance later. I have put forth every effort to secure this coal for you, and if you will co-operate with me by placing your orders at once, I think I can serve you to our mutual advantage.

Thanking you for any and all business you may give me.

T. C. MOON.

One Hundred Beautiful Lots

Read How to Get a Home.

A Magnificent Offer to Anyone Who Desires to Come Hither and Abide—Object is to Let the People See Boundless Resources and How to Get Them.

MEET US AT SPRAY, AUGUST 24, 1918

Twenty dollars in gold will be awarded to any farmer in Rockingham County or any County adjoining Rockingham, who will show ten thousand hills of tobacco equal in quality, appearance, etc., to the ten thousand hills produced on the property we will sell within five hundred feet of the Spray Woolen Mills and now ready for exhibit by the Rev. J. W. Flinchum. All prizes will be awarded by the Rockingham County Farm Demonstrator. The object of this proposition is to get before the people a constructive idea of the relation between industrialism, practical farming and intelligent education. We want to show the small tobacco farmer, the young man with a small family and a big crop, the old man with a large family and small crop, how to get some real money out of a few acres of land, how to educate his children and how to get a home.

School houses unsurpassed anywhere.

The land and crops on the land.

How you can buy land and own your own home.

How to educate your boys and girls.

How to give the boys, who do not want to work in the mill a chance to be successful farmers, breeders of cattle and other live stock.

An unsurpassed herd of milk cows.

A herd of Herford cattle, unexcelled in the world.

The famous herd bull, Lord Wilton Fairfax, whose sire, Perfection Fairfax, at fourteen years of age, is the recognized king of beef cattle in America and Europe.

Seventy-four head of Lord Wilton Fairfax's brothers and sisters sold at public auction in May of this year for two hundred and four thousand dollars.

Hogs being raised on rape legumes and water.

Where more hogs have been sold than in any other five places in North Carolina or Virginia.

The stallion who won the prize in Paris in 1906.

How people are making a comfortable home and some real money out of the land.

We have been selling property at Spray for twelve months. Our sales are largely attended and the crowd is increasing every day. Few people in America have any appreciation of the volume of sales we are making at Spray every month. We sell at public auction and the terms are such that a man with a few dollars, and extended payments for one, two and three years, has a chance to be a home owner, an intelligent farmer, stock raiser, or industrial expert.

As an evidence of what is going on, the pay roll around where we stand and sell every month, exceeds three million of dollars a year. No man would believe what our sales amount to in twelve months. The policy of the mills here is different from any mills in America. They believe in high wages and high-class labor. They show what they think of education by school houses, unsurpassed in the Southern States. The Y. M. C. A., and privileges are as good as the best. There is not a high-class retailer in America who does not receive goods from Spray.

The body of land which we have been selling and which we are laboring daily to acquire to sell, has a historical record in the Encyclopedia Britannica and in the report of survey of the colonies in 1776 for King George, of England. The geographical formation permits varied industries and there is no equal to this territory in America.

We are making these statements as people who work for a living and the maximum compensation for what we are saying is the small commission we get for selling the lands. We sell land from the Potomac to Texas and the constant growth of this community compels us to give expression to what we see and to help others as well as ourselves.

To all Knockers and all Critics, we can show on the premises everything we talk about. Our next grand sale will take place

Saturday, August 24, at 2 o'clock.

at North Spray, on the banks of Smith River. We will offer for sale one hundred beautiful lots to the highest bidder. There will be prizes given, music by a good band and the crowd will be fed.

We ask you to meet us on the ground. All visitors will be gladly shown over all or any part of this property.

England Realty & Auction Co.

American Realty & Auction Co.

British subjects here must enlist or be drafted. The days of grace are past, and those who have been dodging service, there are relatively few we are glad to say, might as well make up their minds to "join out."

To our way of thinking the worst insult the Great General Staff has handed us is found in that report industriously circulated among Boche soldiers that the Allies eat their prisoners. Well, we fairly eat 'em alive so to speak.

Maybe they are called "Picked German troops" because American riflemen pick so many of them off.

East Carolina Teachers Training School

A State School to train teachers for the public schools of North Carolina. Every energy is directed to this one purpose. Tuition free to all who agree to teach. Fall Term begins Sept. 25, 1918.

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MORTGAGEE'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE.

Under and by virtue of the power contained in a certain mortgage deed executed by John H. Crisp and wife, Minnie Crisp, to L. L. Patton, on the 2nd day, 29th September, 1916, and duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for Alamance county, to secure the payment of a certain bond or note therein described, and default having been made in the payment of the said note or bond, the undersigned mortgagee will, on

SATURDAY, AUGUST 31, 1918, at 12 o'clock noon, at the court house door in Graham, N. C., sell at public out cry to the highest bidder, for cash, the following tract of land in Pleasant Grove Township, to-wit:

A tract of land bounded on the East by G. R. Maynard, on the North by L. L. Patton, on the West by L. W. Patton, deceased, on the South by Henderson Brashaw, containing 45 acres more or less, known as the Haywood Tree place.

This is a good tobacco farm and located in a good community.

This July 31, 1918. L. L. PATTON, Mortgagee.

MORTGAGEE'S SALE OF LAND.

Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed executed by Walter Huffin and his wife, Margaret Huffin, to the Graham Loan & Trust Company, said mortgage deed bearing date of December 2, 1915, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for Alamance county in Book of Mortgage Deeds No. 65, at page 242, and default having been made in the payment thereof, the undersigned mortgagee will offer for sale at public auction, to the highest bidder, at the court house door in Graham, Alamance county, North Carolina, on

SATURDAY, AUGUST 31, 1918, the following described tract of land, to-wit:

Adjoining the lands of Monroe Harden, Sam Brandon, and others, and bounded as follows: Beginning at a cedar stump, corner with Henry Brannock, running in a northerly direction 62 feet to a stake; thence S. 62 ft. corner with Henry Brannock; thence in a westerly direction 64 feet to the beginning, and containing about one-eighth of an acre, more or less, on which there is a frame dwelling. This is the same tract of land conveyed to Hannah Huffin by Henry Brannock by deed dated August 1, 1901, and recorded in the office of Register of Deeds for Alamance county in Book of Deeds No. 42, at page 493.

Terms: CASH. This July 31, 1918. Graham Loan & Trust Co., Mortgagee.

SALE OF REAL ESTATE UNDER DEED OF TRUST.

Under and by virtue of a certain deed of trust executed to the undersigned as trustee on April 23, 1916, for the purpose of securing the payment of two certain bonds of \$150.00 each, due and payable on April 23, 1917, which deed of trust is duly probated and recorded in the Public Registry of Alamance county, North Carolina, at Graham, in Book of Mortgage and Deeds of Trust No. 11, at page 28, default having been made in the payment of said bonds and the interest thereon at maturity, the undersigned trustee will, on

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 16, 1918, at one o'clock p. m., offer for sale at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, at the court house door of Alamance county, at Graham, N. C., the following described real estate, to-wit:

A certain tract or parcel of land lying and being in Burlington township, Alamance county, and State of North Carolina, adjoining the lands of Brown Cooper, W. P. Ireland, Michael Albright and others, and bounded as follows:

Beginning at a rock, corner with said Ireland, and running thence North 1 degree East 1 chain 43 links to a rock corner with said Cooper; thence S. 73 2-3 deg. West 7 chains and 10 links to a rock corner with said Cooper on Al-Albright's line; thence South 1 2-3 degree West one chain and 13 links to a rock on said Ireland's line, corner with said Albright; thence North 73 2-3 deg. East 7 chains to the beginning, containing one acre, more or less.

Alamance Ins. & Real Estate Co., Trustee. This August 4, 1918.

Your Public Utilities.

It is cooler to iron with an electric iron, and Electric fans are always a luxury this kind of weather. We have both.

PIEDMONT POWER & LIGHT CO.

Burlington, Graham, Haw River and Mebane.

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It looks as though we hadn't yet reached the end of counts against the late unlamented Bolo Pasche.