

**TAR DROPS.**

—Read the advertisement of the Racket Store in this issue.

—Many of our people attended a nice barbecue at Williamson's woods yesterday.

—The road force is doing some good repairing on the Ingleside road this week.

—If every man was as big as he feels there wouldn't be standing room in this country.

—Dr. A. H. Fleming has moved his family to W. F. Beasley's residence on church street.

—Read the many changes of advertisements in this issue. They will be of especial interest to you.

—Read the change of advertisement of Howell & Bunn in this issue. You can learn how you may get a sewing machine free.

—The presence of flies means the presence of filth. It may be in the kitchen, in the cuspidor, in the uncovered garbage can, the manure pile, or the open privy. At least it is nearby. Remember your visitors and callers may know about this, too.

—The newspaper is the great industrial educator of the age and is the channel of communication between the producer and the consumer; it brings the city to the farm and the farm to the city, gives information of the markets, etc., and reading the paper should be as much a part of the work of the farmer as feeding his stock.

**Personals.**

Mr. K. P. Hill went to Nashville Tuesday.

Capt. L. L. Joyner went to Richmond yesterday.

Mr. J. A. Turner left Tuesday for Nashville.

Mr. W. H. Ruffin visited Greensboro the past week.

Miss Ruby Fagge, of Leaksville, is visiting Miss Susie Hayes.

Mrs. A. C. Hughes, of Apex, is visiting at Mr. W. E. Uzzell's.

Mr. W. S. Sledge, of Hickory, visited Loupsburg the past week.

Mrs. R. L. Berahardt, of Salisbury, is visiting her mother here.

Mr. Bussey Lattimore, of Shelby, is visiting at Mr. D. C. High's.

Miss Lillie May Aycock left Saturday to visit at Gold Rock, Va.

Mr. J. H. Holloway was in town the past week visiting his people.

Dr. W. F. Hargrove, of Kinston, is visiting at Mrs. W. E. Uzzell's.

Mr. Loyd Liles and family, of Charlotte, are visiting her people here.

Mrs. W. R. Cooke and children, of Enfield, are visiting in Loupsburg.

Rev. L. S. Massey, of Raleigh, was a visitor to Loupsburg the past week.

Mrs. Charles R. Rodwell, of Warrenton, is visiting at Mr. B. G. Hicks.

Mr. B. B. Adams, of Four Oaks, was a visitor to Loupsburg the past week.

Miss Minnie Brickerel, of Weldon, is visiting her sister, Mrs. R. C. Beck.

Presiding Elder J. H. Hall, of Raleigh, was in Loupsburg the past week.

Mr. W. W. Crewell, of Princeton, is visiting his brother, Mr. G. L. Crewell.

Mr. D. P. Smithwick, of Atlanta, visited his people here the past week.

Mr. C. K. Cooke came home from Washington, D. C., to attend the primary.

Mrs. Edgar Hartzell, of Henderson, is visiting her father, Mrs. J. W. Mustain.

Mr. R. S. White and wife, of Raleigh, are visiting his sister, Mrs. W. H. Ruffin.

Mrs. L. L. Joyner and children are visiting Mrs. J. B. Avirett, at Mineral, Va.

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Barnes, of Henderson, visited her sister Mrs. M. F. Houck Friday.

Mrs. D. E. McKinne, of Princeton, is visiting her sons, Messrs. F. B., D. F. and Malcolm McKinne.

Miss Ava Aycock, who has been teaching at Shelby, is visiting friends and relatives in town.

Mrs. Walter M. Gilmore and little son, Walter, are visiting Mrs. W. M. Gulick, of Brooklyn, N. Y.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Jones and Mr. Geo. Porter, of Portsmouth, Va., visited at W. H. Macon's the past week.

Mrs. Geo. Miles, who has been visiting at Mr. J. W. Mustain's the past week, returned home from Kentucky where they have been for the past few months.

Miss Lucy Hood, of Smithfield, and Miss Katharine Hinton, of Elizabeth City, are visiting at Mr. L. P. Hicks.

Dr. H. A. Newell returned the past week from Raleigh where he had been attending the military school for officers.

Mrs. P. A. Morgan and Misses Beatrice and Gertrude Yarboro, of Spring Hope, attended commencement this week.

Miss Marie Franklin, who has been visiting Mrs. D. F. McKinne the past week, left yesterday for her home in Richmond.

Mrs. J. P. Winston and son, William, were called to the bedside of her father, who is right ill at his home at Magie Rock, on last Friday.

The many friends of Rev. A. J. Parker, of Durham, who is here attending Commencement were delighted to see him in our midst the past week.

Mrs. W. S. Sledge, of near Mapleville, left Saturday for Baltimore where she will enter hospital for treatment. She was accompanied by her daughter, Miss Irene.

Messrs. W. H. Ruffin and W. H. Yarborough, Jr., returned the past week from Newton where they appeared in a case entitled Gupton vs. Sledge, involving a desirable house and lot in town of Hickory. The case was decided in favor of Gupton.

**Helps A Judge In Bad Fix**

Justice Eli Cherry, of Gillis Mills, Tenn., was plainly worried. A bad sore on his leg had baffled several doctors and long resisted all remedies. "I thought it was cancer," he wrote. "At last I used Bucklen's Acheso Salve, and was completely cured." Cures burns, boils, ulcers, cuts, bruises and piles. 25 cents at Aycock Drug Co.

**Closing Exercises.**

The 20th Annual Exhibition of the Episcopal Mission School, colored, will take place in the Opera House Monday night 8:30. A very cordial invitation is extended to our white and colored friends that they may see and know what we are doing along the educational line for our race. Rev. E. Lucien Malone, Rector of St. Paul's Parish (white) is a loyal friend to the negro work, and one of the best Clergymen in the church, will conduct the prayers. Gallery will be reserved for our white friends. Admission, 10, 15 and 20 cents. GEO. C. POLLARD, Missionary in Charge.

Will Pleasants has just received new shipments of Ladies' Pique Skirts, and Children's ready-made dresses. It will be to your advantage to see them before you buy.

For the best photographs, have your work done by Washington will be in Loupsburg on Mondays only during month of May.

Visit the store of Howell & Bunn during demonstration week and get a chance at a free sewing machine.

An expert operator will be at Howell & Bunn's Furniture Store the week beginning May 27th, to demonstrate the celebrated White Sewing Machine.

Simpkins Seed will make good cotton if planted before June 1st. McKinne Brothers.

Fresh arrival mixed cakes, crackers, pound cakes, fruits and vegetables at L. P. Hicks.

Don't worry over the late season and rain. Simpkins Cotton Seed will make a good crop though planted late. McKinne Brothers Co.

**Mrs. Bickett Entertains.**

On Saturday afternoon from four to six Mrs. T. W. Bickett entertained at cards in honor of Mrs. John O'Donald and Mrs. Mack Bradley, of Lakeland, Florida.

The guests were met by Mrs. J. J. Barrow. Mrs. W. Perry Nealand Mrs. George Cralle who served delicious fruit punch in the hall, and Mrs. William Bailey presented the guests to the receiving party, which consisted of Mrs. Bickett and her guests of honor. Mrs. O'Donald was charming in a harmony of yellow and lavender, and Mrs. and Mrs. Bradley in a creation of grey and pink.

Bridge was played in the parlor and five hundred in the library, after which delicious refreshments were served.

Every one voted the evening delightful, and left much pleased to have met the charming ladies from Florida.

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Absolutely Pure  
The only Baking Powder made from Royal Grape Cream of Tartar  
NO ALUM, NO LIME PHOSPHATE

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Harmless, Absolutely, No Acetanalid, No Cocaine, No Morphine, but its Quick and Pleasant to take  
**BROMALGINE**  
A RAPID HEADACHE AND NEURALGIA CURE.  
10, 25 and 50 cts bottles. 5c at Soda Fountains  
**T. C. JOYNER, - Franklinton, N. C.**  
**E. T. ALFORD, - Youngsville, N. C.**

**WATCH THIS SPACE**  
**NEXT WEEK**  
**Jackson Tri-State Motor Car Co.**  
Louisburg, N. C. West Nash Street

**GUANO... For Sale**  
**And Money to Make Your Crop.**  
**R. G. ALLEN**  
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The best way to secure a child against the future is to open a bank account in its name. Even a dollar at a time will, in a few years, provide a sum that helps the youngster in any misfortune that may befall. When the child is able to earn money, it is but natural that he will add to the savings himself. Start an account today. It will draw interest the same as yours. Capital \$25,000, Surplus \$12,500, Deposits \$160,000.

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One of the most popular single tube tires on the market. A good, tough rubber tire with the non-skid tread that protects and guarantees long life to the tire.

The construction of this tire is a two-ply fabric base, covered with a high-grade rubber, while on the tread is two additional layers of fabric and rubber. This construction enables you to vulcanize and to plug easily.

The half-oval solid rubber projections on the tread not only prevents skidding to a large degree, but insures a very serviceable tire.

We submit this tire to you as the best that can be purchased for anything like this money.

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Corn selling at \$1.10 per bushel, is it not folly to continue to depend upon the western farmers for your supply?

Exhaustive tests have clearly demonstrated the fact that the liberal use of phosphoric acid when corn is planted, or soon after—with Cerealite applied later—guarantees an abundant crop under any condition.

After reading of corn growing contests in which from one hundred to two hundred bushels per acre were raised, at a cost ranging from eight cents to twenty-five cents per bushel, and after looking at the corn and talking with the farmers who raised it, we have decided that there is no greater service we can render our friends than to insist that they use acid and Cerealite in quantities sufficient to enable them to raise at least enough corn for their own use.

Anticipating a heavy demand for Acid and Cerealite we have filled our warehouse and rented others space that you may not be disappointed when you come for it.

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Louisburg, N. C. Woods, N. C.  
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