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## THE TOBACCO MARKET

### MAKES A NEW RECORD FOR HIGH PRICES.

**A Pile of Tobacco Weighing 28 Pounds Brings \$1.00 Per Pound—The Highest Bidden Yet.**

The Louisburg tobacco market made for itself a new high record the past week when on last Friday morning a pile of tobacco weighing 28 pounds was sold for \$1.00 per pound. When the bidding began to reach the higher figures and continued so strong the spectators began to hold their breath in surprise and the auctioneer fairly "raised up" in his efforts to keep up with the anxious buyers, and when it was "knocked off" at \$1.00 per pound many exclamations of surprise were heard. The pile was pretty and worth the money. This is not the only high price however. The local market has been selling tobacco above 75 cents per pound for a good while and many have been the high averages received by our tobacco growers. Somehow or other our warehousemen knew how to get the highest prices available for the weed and from the way visitors, with tobacco from a distance are increasing their patronage to the local market, we can't help but feel justified in the assertion that Louisburg is doing a lions part by the growers of the golden weed this year and is making a record that any town may feel proud of. Good sales have been the result of each day the past week, and prospects seem good for the continuance for some time.

### Tomlinson-Mitchiner.

The pretty little church at Perry's Chapel was never more beautiful than on last Wednesday night at 8 o'clock with its profuse decorations of green and white and numerous showers of candles scattered here and there to add to the effectiveness of the scene with their various lights, when Miss Nell Wilder the beautiful and accomplished daughter of the late Mr. Sam P. Mitchiner, became the bride of Mr. Philo Tomlinson. The bride was never more beautiful, gowned in white satin chaperone trimmed in white chiffon drapery and carried white carnations, while her maid of honor, Miss Olivia Mitchiner, wore white and carried colored roses.

The bridal party entered in the usual formal manner in harmony with the beautiful Mendelssohn wedding march rendered by Mrs. John Mitchiner, and gathered in a picturesque group at the altar where the bride met the groom who had entered with his best man, Mr. Felix Banks, and were there made man and wife by the pastor of the bride, Rev. M. Stamps, in a most solemn but beautiful ceremony, after which the party left the church in reverse order in time with Lohengrin's beautiful march.

The bridesmaids and groomsmen were as follows: Miss Mianie Wilder and Mr. A. B. Perry, Miss Mollie Mitchiner and Mr. John Woodard, Miss Sophia Wilder and Mr. Stonewall Adams, of Raleigh, Miss Belle Mitchiner and Mr. Charlie Perry, Miss Grace Coyne, of Richmond, and Mr. Willie Wilder, Miss Elsie Penny, of Smithfield, and Mr. R. H. Jones, Miss Mary Mitchiner and Mr. Matthew Wilder, Miss Laura Mitchiner and Mr. Maurice Boyce. The bridesmaids were all dressed in white and carried different colored roses.

Messrs. H. G. Jones and H. S. Yates were ushers. The bride is the beautiful and accomplished daughter of the late Mr. Sam P. Mitchiner, and enjoys an extensive popularity, being one of the most attractive young women of the Mitchiner community. The groom is a successful young planter recently located near Louisburg and enjoys the confidence and esteem of a host of friends. After the ceremony at the church the bridal party enjoyed a most delightful reception at the home of the bride.

The numerous presents, consisting of cut glass, silver, linen and many other useful articles, attest the popularity of the bride and groom, whose hosts of friends extend hearty congratulations.

### Fatal Wreck.

Norfolk, N. C., Nov. 19.—Eight trainmen were killed and three severely injured at 4 o'clock this morning when two Seaboard passenger trains, running at high speed, crashed head-on seven miles north of here. No passengers were injured.

Will A. Faison, engineer, Raleigh. Charles A. Beckham, engineer, Raleigh.

eight. Dick Gray, colored, fireman, Raleigh. Jim Ruffin, colored, fireman, Raleigh. Tom Bogas, colored, porter, Richmond, Va.

J. R. Reuntree, express messenger, Jacksonville, Fla.

O. V. Priddy, deadheading. The trains met at the southbound No. 81 was coming out of a long curve in a deep fill and both were running full speed. The crash was terrific, both locomotives being totally demolished. The fact that only three coaches were demolished and there were no passengers in these is considered remarkable.

The only cause that can be given so far for the terrible happening was a mistake of the engineer and conductor in reading their orders. It seems they were to meet at Granite, N. C., and as there is a station ten miles distant named Granby, but in Virginia, it is supposed created a confusion in the orders with the above result. The steel pullman coaches never left the track. The track was closed by 6 o'clock that afternoon and traffic resumed.

### Vann-Dixon.

Edenton, Nov. 16.—One of the interesting social events of the season was the marriage of Mr. Aldridge Henley Vann and Miss Elizabeth McDonald Dixon at high noon in old St. Paul's, Thursday, the Rev. Dr. R. B. Drane officiating. The bride, gowned in ivory shawl and real lace with veil and orange blossoms, entered with her sister, Miss Mary Beverly Dixon, in Undine green and white roses. Her maids were Misses Eleanor Vann, a sister of the groom, Fattie Lou Moore, of Portsmouth, Grace Ward, of Franklinton, Minnie Leary, of Elizabeth City, Sallie Jones and Myra Vann, of Edenton. Mr. Vann was attended by his best man, Mr. John Augustus Moore, of Henderson; the groomsmen were John Picot, of Littleton, R. A. Winston, Joseph Cheatham and Robert Davis, of Franklinton, George Gilliam, of Henderson and Richard Dillard Dixon, of Norfolk. The ushers were M. H. Dixon, Jr. W. R. Capehart, J. H. McMullan, Jr., and W. G. Gaither, Jr. The bride was given away by her father, Mr. M. H. Dixon. She is a niece of Dr. Richard Dillard, of "Beverly Hall" and one of the most popular and accomplished young ladies of Edenton, and is descended from some of the oldest families of the Albemarle section. Her great-grandmother, Mrs. Elizabeth McDonald, for whom she was named, was a very beautiful and accomplished woman, and was selected to dance the Minuet with President Monroe when he visited Edenton in 1819.

The groom is the son of Mr. S. C. Vann, a cotton manufacturer of Franklinton, himself, being a successful and substantial business man also. Following the marriage was a brilliant reception at the bride's home. The gifts were numerous and costly. After the reception the bride and groom left on an extended Northern tour.

### Teachers Assembly

Greensboro, N. C., Nov. 16.—Greensboro is busy getting ready for the twenty-ninth annual meeting of the North Carolina Teachers' Assembly, which will meet in this city, Wednesday to Saturday, November 27-30, the intention and desire of both the officers of the Association and the local committee having the matter in charge being to make it the biggest and most successful meeting in the entire history of the Assembly.

In 1905, when the Assembly was inaugurated on its last legs, Greensboro came to their rescue with a subscription of one thousand dollars and helped to make the meeting of that year a turning point in its affairs. Since then the Assembly has been in a flourishing condition, and the fact that it will again this year meet in Greensboro has given an added incentive to all concerned to duplicate and if possible exceed the success of the former meeting here.

The 1912 program calls for fifty-three separate papers and addresses, including many names of national reputation. Among these may be mentioned Hon. E. T. Fairchild, Superintendent of Public Instruction of Kansas and President of the National Educational Association; Dr. George D. Stryer, professor of the Teachers' College of Columbia University and author of "Teaching Progress;" Miss Annie S. George, President of the Montessori American Committee and the greatest American authority on the Montessori method; Miss Naomi Norsworthy, of the Teachers College of Columbia University and a noted authority on primary work.

A master of bands and leading for the visiting teachers, which has frequently caused trouble, is being handled in a systematic manner. The Greensboro Woman's Club has undertaken the task of securing homes for seven to eight hundred teachers, and as far as possible homes will be assigned in advance of the meeting at the uniform rate of \$1.20 per day. A committee headed by Mrs. C. P. Langley of 838 West Market street has the matter in charge and those wishing accommodations reserved should communicate with her. This is in addition to the regular hotels which can take about three hundred teachers.

A bureau of information and general headquarters will also be maintained and all the teachers have been requested to report there immediately upon their arrival.

City pride as well as interest in education and regard for the hundreds of visiting teachers has caused extra efforts to be made towards the success of the meeting; this being especially true of Greensboro which takes especial pride in the fact that it was the first city in the State to levy a special tax for graded schools and the center of the county which biased the way in the matter of rural taxation.

It is expected that from one thousand to twelve hundred teachers will be in attendance and unless all signs fail the meeting will be a striking success from every standpoint.

### DEATH OF REV. J. M. WHITE; VENERABLE MINISTER

**One of the Best of Good Men Passed to His Reward Yesterday—Father of Rev. Dr. John E. White and of Ex-Senator R. B. White.**

Rev. Jas. M. White, of Apex, a well known citizen, teacher and Baptist minister of Wake county died yesterday at the residence of his son, ex-Senator R. B. White, of Franklinton, N. C. His funeral will be conducted at Clayton, Johnston county, at 2 o'clock this afternoon by Rev. Livingstone Johnson and Rev. Mr. Hamby, of the Clayton church. The deceased minister had a large circle of friends and admirers in this section of the State. As a teacher he trained some of the most successful men in all walks of life who have reflected on North Carolina. He was the father of the well-known lawyer and educational leader, Hon. R. B. White, of the firm of Bickett, White & Malone of Louisburg and of Dr. John E. White, the Atlanta preacher and formerly secretary of the North Carolina Baptist State Convention. He was 77 years of age at his death and had sustained a strong character and wide influence through a long and active life. He was born near Pittsboro, Chatham county, in 1836. He graduated at Wake Forest college in the class of 1859, volunteered as a private in Company D, Third North Carolina cavalry under Captain Murehison in the spring of 1861, gained more than ordinary reputation for gallantry and after being commended by his superiors was promoted to the rank of captain on the staff of General Rufus Barringer in charge of Scouts. He was severely wounded at the battle of Five Forks, a few weeks before Lee surrendered and declining the opportunity of sharing in the Appomattox transaction started from Virginia afoot, saying that he had done nothing to surrender for. His first wife was the daughter of Rev. John F. Ellington, sister of Hon. J. C. Ellington, and the well-known Sheriff Billington, of Johnston, who was the mother of his two sons. She died in 1885. His second wife was Mrs. Annie F. Thompson, the only daughter of the celebrated Baptist preacher, Rev. Patrick Dowd. He was the principal of flourishing academies at Clayton, Holly Springs and Apex. For seven years he was associated with the well-known Prof. Lovejy in the Raleigh academy. Many friends of the deceased will attend the funeral today from Raleigh and other points.—News-Observer, Saturday, Nov. 16th.

### The Rev. Irl R. Hicks 1913 Almanac

The Rev. Irl R. Hicks Almanac for 1913 is now ready. It is the most splendid number of this popular Year Book ever printed. Its value has been more than ever proven by remarkable fulfillments of its storm, weather and earthquake forecasts this year. Professor Hicks justly merits the confidence and support of all the people. Don't fail to send 35c for his 1913 Almanac, or only one dollar for his splendid Magazine and Almanac one year. The best one dollar investment possible in any home or business. Send to Word and Works Publishing Company, 2401 Franklin Ave., St. Louis, Mo.

## THE MOVING PEOPLE

### THEIR MOVEMENTS IN AND OUT OF TOWN

**Those Who Have Visited Louisburg the Past Week—Those Who Have Gone Elsewhere For Business or Pleasure.**

Mr. W. R. Collier spent Monday at home.

Mr. Gilmer Allen, of Raleigh, is visiting his people here.

Miss Sallie Pleasants is spending a few days at home.

Mrs. S. F. Sprull, of Red Bank, N. J., visited Mrs. Bunn the past week.

Miss May Green, of Vance county, is visiting her sister, Mrs. R. B. Wicker.

Judge C. M. Cooke is at Salisbury this week holding Rowan Superior Court.

Mr. Lee Wheelers, of Spring Hope, visited his sister, Mrs. J. B. Bunn, the past week.

Mrs. Ernest Pleasants and Mrs. John Ellis, of Aberdeen, were guests of Mrs. W. H. Pleasants the past week.

Miss Daisy Allen, assistant State Chemist, is spending her vacation with her mother here.

Miss Eleanor Cooke left yesterday for Hertford, where she will visit Miss Janie Blanchard.

Mr. Adolph Goodwyn, cartoonist for the Raleigh Daily Times, and his mother spent Sunday in Louisburg.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Page, Sr., and Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Page, Jr., of Aberdeen, visited Mrs. W. H. Pleasants the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Crowell returned home Tuesday. The many friends of Mrs. Crowell, who recently underwent an operation will be glad to know that she is improving very fast.

Mrs. B. T. Holden, who successfully underwent an operation at St. Luke's Hospital at Richmond, recently returned home Tuesday. Her many friends will be glad to know that she is much improved.

Mrs. G. H. Meadows returned home Wednesday from Baltimore, where she successfully underwent an operation at the Mercy Hospital. Her many friends will be pleased to know she is much improved.

Miss Maggie Lee Bailey, who was operated on for appendicitis at the Rex Hospital at Raleigh recently returned home Saturday. We are glad to state her condition is much improved.

Mr. Marvin Davis, of Zebulon, was a visitor to Louisburg the past week. He was here with a load of tobacco and expressed himself as being highly pleased with the prices he received.

Mr. T. A. Williams, of Washington, D. C., who holds a position with the Southern Express Co., and who was in the wreck of train No. 66 near Petersburg, Va., about two weeks ago, is visiting his people in this county. His many friends here will be glad to know that he is recovering from his injuries.

### Twenty-Third Anniversary.

Invitations reading as follows has been mailed out:  
The Sea Gift and Neithan Societies of Louisburg College desire you to be present at the celebration of their Twenty-third Anniversary Friday evening, November the twenty-ninth nineteen hundred and twelve at eight o'clock.  
Mr. Edwin H. Malone will deliver the literary address.  
The officers of the two societies are as follows:  
SEA GIFT—Alma Adams, President; Lillian Adams, Vice-President; Ruth May, Critic; Ruth McWhorter, Secretary; Ruth Evans, Treasurer; Julia Barrow, Marshal; Hoogie Williams, Assistant.  
NEITHAN—Rena Hooker, President; Gertrude Selby, Vice-President; Lottie Kerr, Critic; Belle Fosoue, Secretary; Rebecca Green, Treasurer; Lottie Turner, Marshal; Lucille Winstead, Assistant.  
These occasions are always of great interest to our people and are received with much welcome.  
No invitations were mailed in town, however the public is invited.

### Louisburg Baptist Church.

"Gods Law of Improvement" will be the theme discussed in connection with the public worship Sunday at 11 a. m. "Is the Young Man Safe?" will be the subject Sunday night. The time has been changed to 7 o'clock. Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. B. Y. P. U. Monday night. Mrs. L. W. Bagley, of Littleton, will address the Woman's Missionary Society Monday, 3 p. m.

### Thanksgiving at Baptist Church

Thursday night at 7 o'clock Pastor Gilmore will preach a Thanksgiving sermon at the Baptist church. Everybody is cordially invited to attend and help to make the service one that will be in keeping with the real spirit of a Thanksgiving day. An offering will be taken for the Thomasville Orphanage.

### Hookworm.

The first week of the hookworm campaign is over. The attendance at the various dispensaries was smaller than it should be. Of those examined a high percentage of infection was found and for this reason it is necessary that every one, especially these having influence, should make themselves active in seeing that a large percentage of the people present themselves for examination at the various dispensary points during the remaining four weeks of the campaign.  
There are nearly 25,000 people in Franklin county and to make the campaign a success at least one-third of the population should be examined. Re-

made for the various objects fostered by the denunciation. Members of the committee were, Mr. Ivey Allen, Rev. G. W. May, Castalia, and T. J. Taylor, Warrenton. Other names present were Rev. A. G. V. Brinkleyville, F. W. Coppedge, Johnson, D. T. Bunn, Spring Hope, Walter Gilmore, Lou sburg, R. M. Duke, Moderator of the Association, preached one of the most successful sermons ever heard in Lou sburg Tuesday night.

### Banks to Close.

The banks in the city will close on next Thursday to observe Thanksgiving. All those having business with these institutions will bear this in mind.

### Oyster Supper.

We are requested to state that there will be an oyster supper at Hickory Reek Academy on Saturday night, November 23rd (tomorrow). The public is cordially invited to attend.

### Receives Car of Horses.

McKinne Bros., Co., received a car load of fine horses on Monday. They are remodeling their stables on Nash street and will conduct a sales stable the coming season. This is the first car for the new season.

### Bazaar and Oyster Supper.

We are requested to state that a Bazaar and Oyster Supper will be held at Justice Academy on Wednesday night, November 27th, 1912. The proceeds will be for the benefit of the Academy and the public is expected to attend and assist liberally in the evenings success.

### Builds Stables.

Messrs. Griffin & Beasley have put in the foundation for a large sales stable on the jail hill. The building will front 30 feet on Nash street and extend back about 160 feet. The building will be under the supervision of Mr. M. F. Houck, and will be pushed to completion.

### Week of Prayer.

The ladies of the Home and Foreign Mission Societies of the Methodist church are observing their annual week of prayer this week. Services are being held in the Sunday School rooms at the church every afternoon at 4 o'clock. Good attendance has been evident at each service.

### Banking by Mail.

As will be seen from their advertisement in another column, the Farmers National Bank is making a specialty of their "Banking by Mail" department and as an inducement to extend its usefulness is offering to bear the cost of registration on all deposits so sent. This is another step forward in the banking system of this county and one our people will be especially interested in. Read their advertisement for further information.

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member that everything is free. The campaign is in charge of Dr. W. J. Jacobs, of the State Board of Health, assisted by Mr. H. R. Ray, a trained microscopist.

### A Far Reaching Decision.

Washington, Nov. 18.—In an epoch-making decision today in the Supreme Court of the United States laid down the broad principle that there can be no monopoly in the unpatented machine without violating the Sherman anti-trust law. Justice McKenna delivered the unanimous opinion of the court.

In accordance with this doctrine, the court struck down as illegal "the license agreements" by which manufacturers of 85 per cent of the sanitary enabled irons in the United States were bound together in combination. The license agreements allow the manufacturers to use a patented dredger but only on condition that they abide by an attached list, would not sell to jobbers who bought from independents, would sell in certain territory and would sell "seconds."

### Appointments

Farmers Union work appointments for J. O. Sledge the coming week:  
Bunn, Monday night, November 25; Pine Ridge, Tuesday night, November 26; Pearce, Wednesday night, November 27; New Hope, Thursday night, November 28; Flat Rock, Friday night, November 29.

It is hoped that every member of their respective locals will attend these meetings. Those who read this will please tell others.

### William W. Boone—Spencer M. Boone.

In the year 1858, one February night, there came an angel to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Spencer M. Boone, bringing a little babe—a son—to cheer and brighten their lives.

They named him William Webb. Heaven and earth seemed to unite to make this child a joy and blessing to his parents. Always fair and strong, gentle, obedient, and kind he grew more so as the years passed on.

When manhood came he found a new love in his heart, and in the fall of 1888 he was married to his cousin, Miss Loula Stokes. Never has this writer seen a more beautiful love and confidence than that between this husband and wife. From their union were born three noble, manly sons.

It is useless to attempt a description of the home-life of the husband and father. These are the words of one who taught in his home four years. "I never knew him speak an unkind word to a member of his family, not even to a servant."

Nearing his fifty-sixth year, he was still to his aged father and mother a loving, thoughtful, obedient son. To his brother and sisters he was the same kind, helpful elder brother; to his neighbors, always the accommodating friend; to his church, the ever faithful, devoted member, modest and unassuming, yet always true.

On the evening of the 27th of October, 1912, another angel came,—this time the Angel of Death—to bear his pure spirit to realms celestial.

Without a moment's warning he left us, our hearts crushed and bleeding, wondering, weeping, laughing to call back, yet knowing that God doth all things well.

Three days later the dear old father lingered, then he, too, was called, from a bed of intense suffering, to join his beloved son, thus leaving us with a double sorrow on our hearts.

Dear, gentle old father! Would that I might say something worthy of the life I have seen, you live for the past eleven years, since it has been my privilege to know you.

I have seen in you a heart big as the world; a cheerful, happy nature that would make sunshine follow you, even through the dark. I have seen your passionate devotion to her who walked beside you nearly fifty-eight years and with her willing hands ministered to comfort till God called you; yes, and your great love for your children and grand-children, your tender thought for every creature in your ken. All this has made its impress on my heart and made me long for higher, nobler things.

Then I have seen the faith that bore you through long months, aye, years of suffering, and in these last hours of agony and grief sustained you. Can one who sees all this doubt God and Heaven? Ah, no! These are the fruits of a life lived for God.

We cannot understand why God's chastening hand is so heavy upon us now, but it is not our part to question, and we know "it will not be long, our journey here,"—then we, too, shall be gathered in the arms of the eternal God to join in the songs of the redeemed.