

# WOOD DEPARTMENT

## WOOD

News of Wood and surrounding community.

Edited by Wood Citizens

### REV. D. T. BUNN AT MT. HEBRON BAPTIST CHURCH

On Saturday afternoon Rev. D. T. Bunn filled his regular appointment at which time he tendered his resignation as pastor having accepted a pastorate in the western part of the State.

Mr. Logan Gupton was elected church clerk.

On Sunday morning Rev. Mr. Harper, of Laurel, filled the pulpit at 11 o'clock. We regret very much to lose Bro. Bunn, pastor of Mt. Hebron. We know that the field to which he goes will be greatly benefited and blessed by having him and his saintly wife's services. May God's richest blessings rest upon them and their work.

Bro. Bunn's notes on Saturday follow:

Element of church strength, Isaiah 52:1. Put on thy strength O, Zion.

The church is only a source of strength when it is made so by the piety and activity of the members. There are certain elements which the members must possess in order that the church may be strong.

1. Loyalty to the truth of God's word. It is not enough to believe the truth, the truth must be obeyed. There are those who are orthodox in belief but heterodox in practice. The devil believed and tumbled. It is the life lived in conformity to the word that has the power for good. Actions speak louder than words. A holy life is a voice, it speaks when tongue is silent, and is either a constant attraction or a continual reproof. The church is being judged by the daily lives of its members.

2. Activity in service for Christ. The church grows strong through Christian activity. Slackers among the membership is a source of weakness. Let the church moulding the thoughts of the world as it has never done before in our day, leading in all great movements as it should.

What a duty. Shall we perform it? In God's name I ask does any one dare let it pass. Put on thy strength O, Zion. If all Christian people were united with Christ and work in obedience to his command it would bring peace on earth and good will to men. There is another element of church strength. Talk your church up, pray your church and pay it up. Bring ye all your tithes in to the store house.

### MAD DOG KILLED IN WOOD MONDAY MORNING

Mr. Saint Leonard Kills Large Dog Suffering From Rabies. As Far As Known No Person or Animal Was Bitten By It.

On Monday morning about 10:00 o'clock a large spookily hound appeared in town, coming from towards Red Bud, having been seen in that direction about two hours previously, walked down Main Street, entered the hotel continuing its journey thru the main hall and leaving by the back entrance. Mrs. J. S. Shearin noticed the animal to be a chow dog and followed it to the back yard where she saw it have a convulsion. She notified several persons and a chase ensued continuing to our local gin where its misery was put to an end by Mr. Saint Leonard, by the use of a shot gun.

The animal was observed to be suffering from an extreme case of hydrophobia, with all the ear marks of that dread disease.

We are glad to report that we have not heard to date of a single person or animal of any description which was bitten by it.

### Fame of Dr. Beam's Monkey Continues

Exhibition open to all every day. Visitors from all sections of the county enjoy free exhibition.

Last Sunday afternoon quite a number of visitors partook of the free attraction offered to all visitors in Dr. Beam's office. The consensus of opinion of every onlooker was that at least one of the monkeys was very attractive and drew forth admiration and commendation. Among those who passed judgment upon the free show were Messrs. E. F. Thomas and Sidney Edens, representatives of the Franklin Times, Louisburg.

### Card of Thanks

Mrs. W. J. Galloway wishes to thank all those who so ably assisted her in making Mr. Galloway's birthday party a success. Dr. Beam for his part, Mr. J. J. Lanier, Mr. Joe Shearin and Mr. Early Denton for getting the pigs and cooking them and making the stew, and every one who helped to make it a success.

### Y. W. A.

Our Y. W. A. met Thursday night at 7 o'clock with the usual attendance. We hope to have a great branch of church work in the Y. W. A. These girls are wonderful workers, and they are already doing great things, and we hope for them great careers.

Girls, let's go to work and make this organization go. The Woman's Missionary Society is organizing circles, having public fetes and doing wonders. The Sunday school is on the greatest boom it has ever been.

Now, girls, don't let the others get ahead of you. We know you will not allow that. Now lets see what you are going to do to make the other people sit up and take notice.

The following program was rendered Thursday night.  
Topics: The Burning Light.  
Devotional—Mark 1:29-34—by Bertha Burnette.  
Hymn—The Unclouded Day.  
Introduction—by Viola Thompson.  
The Light from the Nearest Bed—by Pearle Gupton.  
From the Next One—by Daisy Gupton.

Hymn—The Great Physician Now is Near.  
From the Chinese Ward—by Viola Gupton.

Out of the African Room—by Penola Burnette.  
Prayer for all hospital activities—by volunteers.  
Hymn—I Am Resolved.  
Prayer.

### Honor Roll

We are wondering if your name appears in the following list for last week's honor pupils. Look and see young people. If it isn't won't you try next week to make the necessary average to entitle you to the honor roll. Go to work now, plan your studies and be on time every day. Help your teacher by doing everything in just the proper way. The faculty is particularly anxious to put each name each week on the honor roll. They regret to leave off a single name but if you fail to do your part they cannot do it.

Do not stay away a single day unless sick. Each day lost means more than you can tell. There will be plenty of comfort to be had in the school building during these cold months, as the patrons are going to see that there is plenty of wood.

Below we give the names of those who met the following requirements last week—Department 90; Scholarship 90; Perfect Attendance:

1st Grade—Pauline Lewis, Evelyn Sturges, Russel Raynor, Hallie Griffin, Linwood Griffin, Pattie J. King, Lorine Gupton, Russel Leonard, Rudolph Denton, L. N. Benton.

2nd Grade—Linwood Gupton, Paul Griffin, Betty Ruth Leonard, Anna Mae Sturges, Evelyn Johnson, Mildred Johnson, Willard Burnette, Roland G. Gupton, Rufus Denton, Sidney P. Hamlett, Sue Denton, Berton Burnette, Lawrence Coley, Ronald Shearin, Martha L. Denton, Ruby T. Shearin, Jesse Johnson, Ruby Leonard, Thomas Jones.

3rd Grade—Clyde Burnett, Garland Burnett, Vera Gupton, Nannie Bell Gupton, Ned Gupton, Marshall Gupton, Preston King, Cooper Leonard, Horace Lewis.

4th Grade—Ezra Denton, Clee Griffin, Wilmer Gupton, Ollie Gupton, Iris Gupton, Dell Gupton, Henry Alex Gupton, Matilda Gupton, Morris Wester, Doris Wester, Edna Wicker.

5th Grade—Vonnie Benton, Clenton Gupton, Mabel Gupton, Dolan Hamlett, Reed Johnson, Wilbur Raynor, Leona Raynor, Freddie Thompson, Garnold Leonard, Eula Griffin, Mary Sturges.

6th Grade—Clyde Griffin, Norman Gupton, Freeland Green, Jettie Gupton.

7th Grade—Kenneth Ayescue, Thurman Gupton, Hattie Bell Gupton, Torbert Sturges, Elizabeth Fuller.

### Woman's Missionary Society To Meet Saturday Afternoon in Business Session

All circles gather at church for first meeting after organization of circles. A large attendance is requested.

Tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock a business meeting of the Wood Woman's Missionary Society will be held at the church. This meeting is for a gathering together of all the members of the Society to consider things of interest to our society. This is the first meeting of it since organization of circles and a full representation of each circle is earnestly desired. Come out and let's get together and make our society one of the main pillars of our great church. We need each of you present to help make it a go. Lay all your plans so that you can be on time several minutes before time. All together now for the greatest meeting we have ever had. Let's get together and exchange warm handshakes, rub shoulders together, chuckle, smile and laugh and have the best time of our lives. We can do it. Are you willing to help? Sure you are. We want to be the very first ones to shake your hand. Give us the chance.

### Card of Thanks

To you ladies of the Rebecca class and gentlemen of the Calvin class I wish to extend my sincere thanks and appreciation for the beautiful birthday gifts presented to me by you. I am indeed grateful for the thoughtfulness that prompted such an act. Sincerely,  
W. J. GALLOWAY.

### DELEGATES APPOINTED TO TAR RIVER ASSOCIATION

Wood Baptist Church Appoints a Delegation of Five to Represent it Wednesday and Thursday at Pearce Church, Nash County.

At a called conference of the Wood Baptist church Sunday morning after Sunday school the church letter was read by the clerk and approved. As there is at present no pastor, Mr. W. D. Fuller acted as moderator pro-tem. Mr. J. S. Shearin, the oldest deacon in number of years of our church was suggested as moderator. The or another selection was left over to the next conference.

Letters from Mt. Hebron Baptist church for those who came into the church for those who came into the church and were accepted.

Ways and means to fulfill the church pledges were discussed but nothing definite decided upon.

The following members were appointed as delegates to the Tar River Association which met Wednesday and Thursday with Pearce church Nash County. It is hoped that we can report next issue that each of these with a large number of others attended.

Delegates, Dr. H. M. Beam, Mr. Alex Wester, Mesdames A. S. J. Hamlett, Alex Wester and Battle Wester.

### LOCAL NEWS

Misses Pearl and Daisy Gupton, Mrs. H. R. Waters and Messrs. Gus Waters went to Louisburg Fair Tuesday evening and carried their lunch dining on the high school grounds with Mr. H. R. Waters.

Mr. Sprull, of Henderson, was a business caller here Friday.

Our local gin smoke stack was dressed up last week with a coat of paint.

Misses Viola and Odell Thompson and Mr. and Mrs. Martin Gupton and Messrs. R. O. Thompson and Gus Wester visited Louisburg Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. N. C. Gupton, Mrs. Saint Leonard and Mr. Thurman Gupton spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Pomp Turner and family, at Skipwith, Va.

Wilbur Raynor, Reid Johnson, Kenneth Ayescue, Floyd Griffin, Will Tucker, Raymond and Torbert Sturges visited Louisburg Saturday night.

Messrs. C. Early Denton, J. J. Lanier, Charlie Thomas Denton, Gus Wester, M. F. Parker and Joe Radford went to Nashville on business Friday.

Misses Aleen Woodburn, Flora Frye and Bonnie Dare Fogleman and Mr. Raymond Sturges went to Louisburg Saturday.

Mrs. M. F. Parker left Tuesday morning to visit her daughter, Mrs. J. E. Lovegrove, at Gilmerton, Va. We trust she will have a pleasant and profitable trip. We missed her greatly from the Rebecca Class Sunday.

Messrs. E. F. Thomas and S. J. Edens, of Louisburg, were visitors here Sunday.

Master Edward Munford, of Louisburg, was a visitor here Sunday.

Rev. and Mrs. J. A. Beam and Miss Gladys Beam, of Roxboro, spent Saturday night here with their son and friends.

Miss Babbie Turner and Mr. Blair Tucker of Louisburg, were visitors here Sunday.

Mrs. Henry Shearin, of Rocky Mount was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Raynor here Sunday.

Messrs. J. J. Lancaster and J. J. Lanier went to Rocky Mount Wednesday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Fuller were host and hostess Saturday evening to a few friends in honor of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Beam, of Roxboro. Among those who enjoyed their hospitality were Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Beam, Misses Aleen Woodburn, Flora Frye, Lina Leonard and Bonnie Dare Fogleman, Messrs. Corbett Cash, Ruskin Hunt, and Currin, of Royal, and Dr. H. M. Beam. All report a most enjoyable evening.

Professor B. M. Crawford, Eure, of our high school faculty arrived Thursday of last week to become acquainted with the people and work before the opening Monday of this week. He is making the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Egerton his residence.

He comes to us highly recommended as to his character, professional training and interest in the upbuilding and uplift of our community and county. We welcome such men as leaders of our great county educational enterprises. Lets all pull together to make our high school the best in the state.

Messrs. M. F. Parker and Joe Radford attended Nash county court Monday in Nashville.

Messrs. Emory Denton and Will Tucker went to Rocky Mount Monday.

Messrs. Billie Tucker and Collie Pearce have returned from a trip to Chase City, Va., where they visited Mr. and Mrs. Jim Mitchell.

Misses Flora Frye and Aleen Woodburn and Mr. Cleveland Gupton and Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Griffin, visited Mr. and Mrs. Lindsey Alston, Hollister, Sunday.

Our local gin continues to turn out its quota of bales each week. In all to date there have been 359 ginned here, ginning last week 190 bales, averaging 31 2-3 bales a day. The largest number turned out in a single day was 46, Saturday. Possibly the new coat of paint to the smoke stack increased its capacity.

The many friends regret the continued illness of Mrs. Stephen Gupton but are delighted to know that her condition at present, the confining her to her bed, is somewhat improved from a few days ago.

Miss Claybourne Burnette, Centerville, and Mr. Egerton, Warrington, attended B. Y. P. U. Sunday night.

Mrs. J. L. Benton, of Atlanta, Ga., Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Harris and daughter, Corey, Mr. S. J. Galloway and son, Varina, Mr. and Mrs. Don Galloway and daughter, Hamlet, and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Galloway spent several days last week with parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Galloway. A surprise birthday barbecue in honor of their father, Mr. W. J. Galloway was the attraction.

It is with pleasure that we report that Mrs. W. D. Fuller has gained sufficient strength, after being sick several days, to resume her duties.

Messrs. Corbett Cash, Ruskin Hunt and Currin, of Royal, and Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Griffin, of Rocky Mount, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Galloway here Sunday.

Messrs. Sam Smith and Joseph of Gold Rock, were visitors here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Galloway have here next week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Galloway, a position with W. D. Fuller & Co., as blacksmith and wheelwright.

Mr. M. F. Parker was a visitor of Littleton Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Shearin, Centerville, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Raynor unday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Griffin, Louisburg, were visitors here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Harris, Cary, and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Galloway, Hamlet, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. P. G. Sturges Saturday.

Messrs. J. J. Lanier and E. J. Fuller visited Rocky Mount Monday.

Work began Monday morning on the erection of a new garage building on Main street south of and next to the Service Drug Co. The building is being constructed by Mr. Will Taylor as contractor and Mr. G. M. Raynor as owner. Mr. Gus Wester will take care of any and all kinds of work to be done on automobiles.

Mrs. Norman Smith and Mr. Gene Stallings, Red Bud, visited Henderson Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Currin and family of Nashville were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Smith Sunday.

Just to show the efficiency of our local gin, on Monday afternoon a very important part was broken and, although it is ten or more miles to machine shop, the gin was shut down only about an hour.

We were delighted Monday morning to see such a fine exhibition of co-operation and community spirit, when Mr. J. M. Wilder brought a fine load of wood to the school house, thereby proving that he has the comfort and welfare of the faculty and children at heart in a large way. It gives us much joy to know the interest he is taking in building up our school and community. We thank him.

Our school enrollment here to date numbers 101. It is growing every day. We are expecting to enroll at least 130 and have an average attendance of 100. People, send your children and let's have five teachers next year.

### LAST SUNDAY MARKS BEGINNING OF NEW QUARTER FOR B. Y. P. U.

The new quarter comes in with a clean slate for the B. Y. P. U. enthusiasts. Let us all declare our intentions with Misses Gupton and Frye to push this particular phase of our religious work. They have declared their intentions to boost the work and to get behind the personal work which is necessary for a live, wide-awake union. The past quarter has not been all we had hoped for, but some good work has been done in spite of the fact that some of our leaders are away. The parts which are assigned to the various members of the groups will be type written and handed out the first part of each week. If you don't know where you belong look at our new charts. They are all excepting the fifth one we hope to have in line by the end of the week. This is encouraging, but the fact that one of our boosters, Mr. Bud Gupton, gave us \$1.25 for the benefit of the union shows that the material manifestations if interest still continue to come to us.

To promote the enthusiasm of the

entire union and that of the individual some interested persons have offered to have a picture of the group in the FRANKLIN TIMES, that has the most perfect programs during the quarter, and give a subscription to the Biblical Recorder to the individual showing the greatest improvement and a subscription to the FRANKLIN TIMES to the one next in line.

Program for October 14th, 1923.

Subject: Bible Study Meeting—The Silent Book, by group No. 1—Nancy Gupton leader.

Song No. 26—Love Lifted Me. Chain Prayer—Group No. 4

Business—Quartet—Sidney Gupton, Austin Fuller, Elizabeth Fuller, Jettie Gupton.

1st Cor. 7:32-38 Annie May Sturges 11m. 5: 11-16 Morrice Wester.

Bible Readers Leader—Berthea Burnett.

Introduction—Nancy Gupton. 1. Summary—Thomas Denton.

2. Salutation—(a) The Writer and (b) The Date, Mabel Gupton (c) The Selected—Lady, Hattie Wilder.

3. Commendation—Jodie Radford. 4. Exploration—Austin Fuller.

5. Warning—Wilbur Raynor, Thomas Denton.

Song—No. 55—More About Jesus. Dismissal—Elizabeth Fuller.

Program For October 21, 1923

Subject—Doctrinal Meeting—What

Is My Duty Towards Those Who Are Not Christians? by Group No. 2

Song—No. 11, Rescue The Perishing Sentence Prayer—By Volunteers

Business—Quartet—Leona Raynor, Clinton Gupton, Mable Gupton, Wilmer Gupton.

Bible Readers—Bertha Burnette, Leader.

Scripture—Matthew 4:19, John 1:35

45 Minnie Johnson Introduction—Viola Thompson

No. 1—The Personal Equation in This Question, Pearle Gupton

No. 2—Doing My Duty, Ida Coley

No. 3—Other Scripture Selections, Mary Sturges.

No. 4—How Can I Do My Duty Toward The Lost? Be A Soul Winner

Lela May Coley. No. 4 (2) Pray Definitely For The Lost, Sidney Gupton.

No. 4 (3) Speak Personally to the Lost, Isis Gupton

No. 4 (4) What to say to a Lost Person, Cleary Gupton.

No. 4 (5) What If I am not Good Enough, Torbert Sturges

Song—No. 52 If Your Heart Keeps Right.

Dismissal—Wilbur Raynor.

Note of Gratitude

We wish to thank every one who by their suggestions, donations, contributions, presence and help in any way who are making it possible for

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