

The Chatham Record

BIBLE THOUGHT FOR TODAY
Bible thoughts memorized, will prove a precious heritage in after years.

The Way to Freedom.
Ye shall know the truth, and the truth shall make you free.—John 8:32.

LOCAL HAPPENINGS

A Happy and Prosperous New Year
Pittsboro school opens next Monday.

Geo. H. Brooks is on a visit to his brother in Hamlet.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Lanus, of Hickory, were here Christmas.

John Robert Hammock, of Durham, visited relatives here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Jerome, of Goldsboro spent the holidays here.

Miss Jewel Hatch, of Burlington, spent a few days here during Xmas.

Rev. J. J. Boone and family spent Christmas with his folks in Jackson.

Fred Boone and family spent the day with his parents here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. G. J. Griffin spent a while with relatives in Durham last week.

Misses Maie Brown and Annie Harris, of Raleigh were visitors here last week.

Miss Clara Lee Johnson and friends spent Monday in Southern Pines and Pinehurst.

G. T. Burns, of West Durham, was a visitor to relatives in Chatham during Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Boone, of Carboro, visited their parents here during Christmas.

Mrs. R. C. Griffin and children and Miss Lottie Stone have returned from a visit to Florida.

John H. Stone and family, of Siler City, spent Sunday with his sister Mrs. Graham Johnson.

Messrs Arthur London and Obie Harmon, of the University, spent the holidays at home here.

Mrs. J. H. Cordon and Jim, Jr., spent a short while here last week with Mrs. H. A. London.

Misses Laura and Blanche Carter, of Roxboro, visited Miss Cordie Harmon during the holidays.

Misses Mabel and Elizabeth Thomas, of Greenville, spent the holidays with their parents in Oakland.

Commander J. J. London, of the U. S. Navy, has returned to Washington after spending the holidays here.

Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Hackney and Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Brown were visitors to Raleigh during Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Eubanks, of Raleigh, and Miss Katherine Eubanks, of Winston-Salem, were here Christmas.

Miss Olivia Harmon has gone to Pollock, La., to attend the marriage of her college chum. She was maid of honor.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wadsworth and Mr. Frank Lumsden, of Raleigh, spent awhile here Sunday with C. A. Brown.

Willie Morgan, one of the workers in the Record office, is now a page in the house of representatives in Raleigh.

Mrs. Rufus Farrell and two children and Mr. Fred Lilly visited relatives in Laurinburg and Fayetteville during the holidays.

Archie Ray, of Davidson, Miss Lillian Ray, of Raleigh, and Graham Connell, of Raleigh, spent the holidays with home folks.

Henry May left Monday for Moncure, where he has accepted a position with the construction force of the Carolina Light & Power Co.

Matt Crews who is stationed in the U. S. Navy at Hampton Roads, Va., spent the holidays with his parents, Mr and Mrs. W. Z. Crews.

On December 27 at the home of the bride, Alonzo B. Campbell was united in marriage to Miss Martha Petty, Rev. C. E. Byrd officiating.

Information has been received here by Mr. Louis Nooe that his mother, Mrs. B. Nooe, was ill in Allendale, South Carolina, but not serious.

Mrs. Frank Lumsden, Misses Annie Brown, Mamie, Edna and Minnie Shaw and Ruby Little, all of Raleigh, spent the week-end here with Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Brown.

R. E. Glenn, who has been doing carpenter work in Durham for the past two or three years, has accepted a position with the bridge force at Bynum.

Mrs. Jas. C. Boone sent to our office on the 25th a perfectly developed June apple of the second growth. The limb holding the apple was perfectly green and so were the leaves.

Willie C. Thomas and Miss Carrie E. Lemmons, both of Moncure Rt. 2, were married at the residence of Rev. R. R. Gordon on Wednesday of last week, Mr. Gordon performing the ceremony.

After his marriage to Miss Mabelle Poe on December 17th, Mr. Jarvis Boone and his bride left in a new Ford car for Raleigh and other points. During a short stop in Raleigh they left the car, together with suit cases, and other valuables in the car, for a few minutes and upon returning found the car gone. Although he offered a substantial reward, he has not had any information from the auto yet.

Make your home paper a present to the loved one who is absent. Write him about it. There is nothing he will appreciate more.

Dr. George Lawson, of Chapel Hill, and R. B. Law on and son, Robert, of Richmond, spent a short while in Chatham last week visiting friends.

Our friend L. K. Beal, of Asheville, sends in his renewal and says it is "for the best paper that Chatham ever had" and says he will be down sometime to have a private conversation with us.

Mr. and Mrs. Nat M. Hill, Jr., of Kinston and Miss Lillie Hill, of St. Andrews Missionary near Leaksville, spent Christmas with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. M. Hill, where they had a happy family reunion.

Many colored people were in the old town Monday to celebrate Emancipation Day. The parade was headed by the Pittsboro band and the program at the court house was carried out with songs, speeches, etc.

On December 20th at the residence of the officiating magistrate, R. M. Burns, Frank J. Durham and Miss Louise Smith both of Bynum were united in marriage. The young couple is very popular and have many good friends who wish them well.

Clyde Griffin is indeed a splendid man on the roads. On Christmas day the roads were just in the proper condition to be scraped and rather than take a chance on letting them get in bad condition he worked that day putting his section of the road in fine condition.

When the automobile of Bud Gunter, of Lee county, struck another car here on Tuesday last week, a tire was punctured and the casing left the wheel, striking the daughter of Robert Eubanks, causing a painful injury but no serious hurt.

Led Perry, aged about 45 years, died at his home in the Browns Chapel neighborhood last Saturday and was buried at Brown Chapel on Sunday, his pastor Rev. J. J. Boone conducting the funeral. He was a brother of Ostia and Numa Perry, and leaves many friends to mourn his death.

For the past few days Mrs. H. T. Chapin and Miss Elizabeth Chapin, Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Hinton and little Bobby Hinton, Squire R. M. Burns, Mrs. Ernest Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. L. Griffin, Ernest Farrell, Oscar Petty, Mrs. T. W. Hackney, have been sick but all are improving.

On Wednesday afternoon during Christmas, there was a get together of the neighborhood folks at the old county home school house. A treat was given all those present; music, short speeches of good cheer made an enjoyable affair. A good community Sunday school is enjoyed there, Roy Hall being the superintendent.

DEATH OF JOSEPH HARMON.

Mr. Joseph Harmon died at his home in south Center township last Sunday morning about 11 o'clock of pneumonia. He was 76 years of age.

Mr. Harmon had been sick only a few days and everything was done for him that medical skill and loving hands could do, but his advanced age would not permit recovery. He aged wife was quite sick at the time of her husband's death and she was not informed of it for sometime. She is at present a very sick woman.

Mr. Harmon was a veteran of the Confederate War, and served all through the conflict with bravery. He is survived by one brother, John E. Harmon, and four sons, A. O. Harmon, of Raleigh, Floyd, Lee and George Harmon, of Pittsboro, and two daughters, Mrs. W. W. Stedman and Miss Ola Harmon. All the children were at his bedside when he died.

The funeral services were held at Mt. Zion Methodist church, of which he had been a consistent member for many years, on Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock, conducted by his pastor, Rev. J. J. Boone.

Mr. Harmon had innumerable and lasting friends and they will mourn his death.

BUILD A HOME NOW!

PITTSBORO'S NEW SCHOOL.

To Be Located on West Street at a Cost of \$50,000.00

The untiring efforts of A. H. London, chairman and the willing assistance of the whole board of trustees of the Pittsboro school board, is soon to be crowned with success, if the voters of the district will only do their duty.

Some seven acres or more of land was recently purchased from Jim Scurlock, situated on West street, at the intersection of Fayetteville avenue. This location is ideal and the general lay of the lot is one that will meet every demand that the trustees have in mind.

The building to be erected will constitute some 14 recitation rooms, in addition to the main auditorium, that will seat 500 or more persons in comfort. There will be every modern convenience; laboratories, drinking fountains, sewerage, steam heat and electric lights. The plans as provided will enable an addition to the magnificent building in after years without destroying the architectural design.

On last Monday the trustees had the matter before the county commissioners, and elsewhere in this issue will be found the call for an election on February 10th, for the issuance of \$50,000 in bonds to carry out the plans of the board.

This plan is for the present school district only, and the plan includes tearing away the present school house and building one of modern design for the colored people on the present site, south of town.

The lot of the present school building will be sold. It is also intended to issue some \$10,000 in bonds at the same time by the town of Pittsboro, for the purpose of laying cement sidewalk in the entire town and grading the necessary places and streets, so that it will be completed at the same time the school will have been completed.

It is useless for The Record to tell its readers that this is one of the most laudable undertakings for Pittsboro in its history. A new school has been sorely needed for many years, and no one should miss the opportunity of getting their name on the registration book and voting for the proposition.

E. E. Williams is the registrar and can be found at any time at the store of Brooks & Eubanks. See him at once as a new registration has been called, and after you register be sure you vote.

The street proposition will be in the hands of the town commissioners. See them and give them your moral support, and let's have a real town while we are at it.

CHRISTMAS BOXES FOR ALL.

A committee from the Woman's Club of Pittsboro went to the county home on Christmas day and dispensed Santa Claus to the 17 inmates there. Each one was given a box of "goodies" and they enjoyed it to their hearts content.

The Woman's Club is doing a good work. Various committees are at work at all times; on the schools, streets, health and various other branches.

After visiting the county home other members went to the county jail where four prisoners were confined and gave each one a box. The fifth box was taken to an old colored woman, Martha Williams, who is 85 years old, and lives by herself about five miles from town. This old woman was a cook for years at the Exline Hotel and for other families in town.

One of those who called on the old woman said it was a pitiful sight to see her. There was a little old one-room shack, the door of which was so low that they had to bend their heads to get into the house. Inside the house was several boxes, a chair or two and a table. They found the old woman seated on a chair in front of a fire that boasted of only two sticks of wood. When they reached the door they heard the old woman singing, "I'll be of the Number," and when they entered they found tears trickling down the old woman's face, but when she saw who had arrived she brightened up and talked freely.

"It was a pitiful sight," said our informant, "and it made our hearts glad to see the old woman enjoy her Christmas presents."

DEATH OF MR. ISAAC FIKE.

On Wednesday night of last week, Mrs. Ella Fike received a phone message from Troy, stating that her son, Isaac, was dangerously ill at his home. Arriving there on Thursday she found her son dead, having died about 1 o'clock that morning.

Mr. Fike was the only son and was the idol of his mother. He was a young man of exemplary habits and made many friends wherever he went. He was Welfare Officer for Montgomery county, ex-mayor and commissioner and at the time of his death he was Master of the Masonic lodge.

Isaac Fike was born and reared in Chatham county near Pittsboro. He was born July 3, 1891 and was educated at Guilford College. While in college he took part in baseball and was known all over the state as a college player.

On October 15, 1913, he married Miss Ethel Nance, daughter of I. C. Nance, and by this union two sons were born. Since his marriage he has made his home in Troy, where he was engaged in the lumber business.

He leaves many friends here and in Troy, a mother and a sister, Mrs. W. B. Chapin, of Pittsboro, to mourn his untimely death.

NOTICE OF SALE OF LAND.

By virtue of the powers contained in a certain mortgage deed executed on the 24th day of January, 1919, by W. A. Thrift and Gracie P. Thrift, his wife, to Peter Thrift, and duly recorded in the office of the register of deeds for Chatham county in book F & C pages 104-105, and default having been made in the payment of the bonds secured therein and the interest on the same, I will on

Monday, Feb 5th, 1923, at the court house door in Pittsboro, sell for cash, to the highest bidder the lands described therein the same being in Hadley township, Chatham county, N. C., and more fully described as follows:

Beginning at a black gum, Matthew Goins corner, on Pittsboro and Graham road (formerly Henry Petty's); thence east with his and I. W. Durham's line 142 poles to I. W. Durham's corner in Sidney Durham's line; thence south with said line 4 poles to pointers, Sidney Durham's corner; thence north 74 degrees east with his line 86 poles to stone and pointers, O. E. Deen's corner; thence south with O. E. Deen's line 116 poles to Drummond branch, C. R. Bynum's corner; thence up the said branch 107 poles to the fork of said branch; thence north 87 degrees west 137 poles to a stone pile in Pittsboro and Graham road, white oak, black gum and sour wood pointers; thence northward 131 poles with said road to the beginning, containing 163 acres more or less.

Time of sale 12 o'clock noon. This Dec. 22, 1922.

PETER THRIFT, Mortgagee. Jan. 26.

A. C. RAY, Attorney.

NOTICE OF EXECUTION SALE.

North Carolina, Chatham County, IN THE SUPERIOR COURT. John M. Hammer.

vs. H. T. Brown.

By virtue of an execution directed to the undersigned from the superior court of Randolph county, in the above entitled action, I will, on Monday, Feb. 5th, 1923, at 12 o'clock noon, at the court house door in Pittsboro, Chatham county, North Carolina, sell to the highest bidder for cash to satisfy said execution, all the right, title and interest which the said H. T. Brown had in the following described real estate, which was transferred to W. A. Brown by H. T. Brown, defendant above named on the 8th day of December, 1921, after judgment in the above entitled action was duly docketed in the office of the clerk of the superior court for Chatham county. The same being in Bear Creek township, Chatham county, North Carolina.

Beginning at a pine knot G. M. Phillip's northeast corner; thence north with I. H. Dunlap's line 24 and 54-100 rods to a stake; thence west 48 and 36-100 rods to a stake in Atlas Brown's line; thence south with said line 2 and 54-100 rods to a pine knot; thence east to the beginning, containing 16 acres more or less.

This the 1st day of January, 1923. G. W. BLAIR, Sheriff.

WANTS

CARD OF THANKS—Mr. and Mrs. George W. Brewer wish to express their appreciation for the sympathy of their friends in the recent illness and death of their mother. It.

WATCH FOUND—By paying for this ad and giving proper description, owner can get same by applying to W. A. Ellington, Pittsboro. 1tp

FARM FOR SALE—50 acres, Hadley township, improved road and near school. See J. M. Johnson, Pittsboro, Rt. 2. Feb. 23p

FARM FOR SALE CHEAP—land on easy terms, 2 1/2 miles from Pittsboro. E. R. Hinton. Jan5tfc

PAINTING, paper hanging and decorating. Work guaranteed. Give me a trial. Grady Campbell, Pittsboro, N. C. Jan5tfc

MEAL—home ground. Bring your corn to Nooe's mill and have it ground into meal, chicken feed or hominy. Satisfaction assured. Nooe Bros. Jan 5tfc

FOUR HOUND pups for sale, nine months old, best stock, running fine. J. C. Thomas, Rt. 1, Pittsboro J19p

FRESH MILK COWS wanted, giving four gallons or more per day. Give full description and price first letter. E. D. Nall, Sanford, N. C. 1tc

LAND POSTED NOTICES can be had at this office when you need them.

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WANTED—Men or women to take orders for genuine guaranteed hosiery for men, women and children. Eliminates darning. \$40.00 a week full time, \$1.00 an hour spare time. Experience unnecessary. International Stocking Mills, Norristown, Pa. Mch 30, 1923

FOR SALE—Rough and dressed lumber of all kinds. W. F. Bland, Pittsboro, N. C. Jan13-tf

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Having qualified as administrator of the estate of F. H. Broadwell, deceased, late of Chatham county, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons holding claims against said decedent to present them to the undersigned, duly verified, on or before the 1st day of January, 1924, or this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make prompt settlement. This 1st day of January, 1923. Feb 9 R. C. BROADWELL, Administrator. Apex, Rt. 1, N. C.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Having qualified as administrator of the estate of J. B. Goodwin deceased, late of Chatham county, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons holding claims against said decedent, duly verified, on or before the 30th day of Dec., 1923, or this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make prompt settlement. L. J. HARWARD, Administrator. Feb 9.

W. P. HORTON, Attorney. Feb 9.

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