

# SILER CITY NEWS

Local News Picked Up Here and There--Personal and Otherwise

## BIBLE THOUGHT FOR TODAY.

### A Very Needful Prayer.

Show me thy ways, O Lord; teach me thy paths. Let integrity and uprightness preserve me: for I wait on thee.—Psalm 25:4-21.

Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Jordan, of Gulf, were guests a few days ago of Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Jordan.

J. B. Marley and S. J. Marley were visitors to High Point last week, attending the furniture show.

Plan that garden now. Write for seed catalogues and work out a well balanced system of planting.

T. M. Bynum, who seems to be living both in Goldston and Greensboro, was a visitor in town Saturday.

Factors that build communities; the school, the church, the local paper, the home agent, the county agent.

On account of the amount of sickness among its patrons, Meadow Creek school will remain closed this week.

Are you taking your home town paper? No one would know about your community were it not for your paper. It needs your support.

Get the cotton land ready. Beat the boll weevil by better seed, better cultivation, and better fertilization. The early set bolls are hard to puncture.

Farm prices are low, and the boll weevil is here, but the farmer who raises most of the food for his table is not worrying about his next meal.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Teer, Mrs. W. F. Strayhorn, Mrs. O. J. White, Mrs. Julian Smith and Mrs. Alley, of Durham, were recent visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Bynum.

Mrs. E. M. Judd has returned home at Sanford, after spending several days here with her daughter, Miss Christine Judd, a member of the high school faculty, who has been ill from influenza.

Mrs. Harry Dorsett, who has been suffering from rheumatism at the home of Mr. and Mrs. V. M. Dorsett, for two months, has sufficiently recovered to return to her home in Greensboro.

Trade in Siler City for the past few days has been brisk, despite the inclement weather. Advertisers in this paper are offering some real bargains and it will pay you to look the columns over.

Jasper McManus, of the southwest section of the county, was a visitor in town Monday. Mr. McManus has long been a faithful reader of the Siler City paper.

It seems rather early to be dreaming of Spring fried chicken, yet we understand that Mrs. John Edwards has about one hundred young chicks out and making a good start toward high priced broilers.

We are informed by one who has time to watch the antics of the thermometer, that Monday afternoon during the rapid change is the elements, that the mercury dropped six degrees in a little more than an hour's time.

A large number of influenza cases have appeared in this section. In some instances the entire family is stricken, these being reported in communities adjacent to town. So far no serious pneumonia cases have resulted.

From this date and continuing until further notice, there will be preaching on every Saturday before the first Sunday, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon. Also at 11 o'clock on the first Sunday morning of each month at Mays Chapel church.

On account of illness, Miss Lillian Britt, teacher of the seventh grade, did not return after the Christmas holidays. Her vacancy is being most satisfactorily filled by Mrs. S. J. Husketh, who has had valuable experience in this department of school work.

Just before Christmas, the stretch of street from Wrenn Brothers store, for two blocks east, was a rare specimen of muddiness and general kussedness. However, we are now glad to say that this strip has been top soiled and dragged and looks as if it may stay fit for a time. Let us hope.

Mrs. Junius Wren spent the weekend at home after having been with little James Wren at a hospital in Greensboro, following his recent operation. She returned Monday to be with him again this week. We are pleased to report that James is improving satisfactorily and hope that he can soon be brought home.

A visitor to town several days ago was Hen Richardson, (when the reader has learned of his fowl tendencies he will agree that Richardson ought to be called "Hen.") He seemed to be interested in procuring chicken feed. Incidentally he told the Herald representative that he has a flock of eighty white Leghorn pullets that are depositing an average of five dozen eggs daily and have been doing so since Dec. 1st. Also he has a flock of ninety-eight Buff Orpingtons that are laying four dozen eggs daily. Richardson says many of the Orpingtons weigh 9 pounds each. He has nearly 800 eggs incubating. Richardson failed to tell us out of whose granary he had been feeding all those chickens.

A few spare minutes now can be well spent in mending the harness for spring work.

The citizens of Alamance county, we are informed, are doing a fine thing for Elon College, whose Administration building was destroyed by fire on Jan. 18, by undertaking to raise \$100,000 to aid the college in rebuilding. C. B. Riddle is the secretary of a committee to whom any donations may be sent, addressed to Burlington, N. C.

The editor attended the public sale of C. W. Flack in Bonlee last Saturday, and the only thing that we were interested in was a Ford to be sold, and that article was the only thing that brought full value. Live stock worth two to three hundred dollars were "knocked down" at \$31 to \$63. per head. Other things Mr. Flack put up were sold at a great sacrifice.

Congressman Edward W. Pou has asked us to state that he is making preparations to distribute his allotment of garden and flower seeds. He says that the first consideration will be to those who make the request to him by postal card, after which the seeds will be distributed indiscriminately. Write him today and state that you saw it in this paper.

The stockholders of the Chatham Bank met in their annual meeting in the city hall on January 16th, at ten o'clock. This was an especially interesting meeting in that it marked the twenty-first anniversary of this splendid financial institution. The stockholders were pleased with the report made by the management of the bank, which showed a substantial dividend paid and a balance carried to the surplus fund. The following officers were elected: J. C. Gregson, president; W. A. Teague, vice-president; J. J. Jenkins, cashier; J. C. Gregson, W. A. Teague, L. L. Wrenn, Junius Wrenn, W. R. Fox, directors. After the business session, a sumptuous dinner was served the officials and those attending. A remarkable coincidence in connection with the career of the Chatham Bank is the number of marriages that have occurred among its various employees, these taking place either during their stay with the Bank or soon after leaving its employ. Altogether there have been twelve men and women who have left the single state to become benedicts. Yes, a round dozen of 'em, and although Cashier Jenkins did not authorize the statement, we are of the honest opinion that he is superstitious and fears the ill luck that the thirteenth wedding might bring. Those breaking ranks and included in the list Mr. Jenkins referred to as his matrimonial bureau are: Misses Clara Lambe, Berta Jordan, Nyan Edna Hadley, Louise Headen and Minerva Jenkins, and Messrs Floyd Womble, J. Speight Wrenn, J. K. Dorsett, French Whitehead, J. Q. Seawell and Cashier Jenkins himself.

### Death of Helen Louise Justice.

The Death Angel came to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Pearl Justice and took their little baby, Helen Louise, 91, back to heaven. She had pneumonia for ten days and died suddenly Sunday morning, January 14, 1923.

# Good Coffee

We carry high grade, loose roasted coffee, and we can grind it, if preferred, on an electric mill while you wait.

Also have all kinds of package coffee:

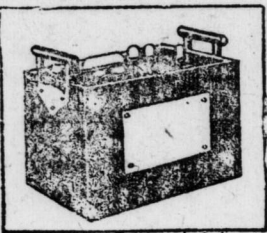
Maxwell House.

White House.

All other popular brands.

## Richardson Bros.,

Phone 42. SILER CITY, N. C. Phone 42.



We Fix 'Em ANY WAY  
At ANY TIME  
In ANY MANNER

## The Elder Motor Company,

Authorized Ford Service. Siler City, N. C.

## We Are

## Pioneer Fixers

For repairing batteries, or charging them, we are the best prepared of any garage in the State. We are the original repair folks on batteries and we know how. We have every necessary implement for the work.

We have the Dodge Automobile, The Overland Automobile and the International Tractors—the best combination that can be had in this entire section. Get the best and come to headquarters for it.

We can just as well meet any demand you make for auto tires or accessories. We have a complete stock, all sizes and the price will suit the times.

Our mechanics know their business and we have all modern methods with which to treat a diseased car or motor. Then, too, we know how.

## Siler City Auto & Machine Co.

We are Headquarters for First-Class Mechanical Work.  
SILER CITY, — — — NORTH CAROLINA.

# JANUARY Semi-Annual Remnant Sale Thursday, Jan. 18, to Saturday, Jan. 27

THIS WILL BE A GREAT OPPORTUNITY, ESPECIALLY FOR BARGAIN HUNTERS. IN FACT THIS SALE WILL NOT BE CONFINED TO SHORT ENDS IN DRY GOODS, BUT WE WILL HAVE MANY ITEMS TO CLOSE OUT ODD LOTS. WE WILL HAVE MANY SPECIALS FOR THIS SALE.

Good Outings per yard, ----- 15c  
Best Outings, per yard, ----- 17½  
Men's Flannel Shirts, \$1.50, \$1.75 and \$2.  
Short End Pomona Cloth ----- 25c.  
Some Sweaters to Close out Cheap.  
Ladies all wool, blue and black  
Skirts, ----- \$3.00

Ladies' and Childrens' Coats very Cheap.  
Lot Men's Suits to Close Cheap.  
Lot Boys Suits to close cheap.  
Childrens Stockings, brown and black 10c.  
Some wonderful bargains in handkerchiefs  
Towels, Sheets, Etc.

## See Our Rugs, Mattresses and Furniture Lines

MANY OTHER ITEMS WE WILL HAVE ON SPECIAL SALE HERE.

GOODS ARE STEADILY ADVANCING ALMOST EVERY DAY. NOW IS A GOOD TIME TO BUY AND SAVE MONEY. WE HAVE A BIG STOCK ON HAND, AND IT WILL PAY YOU WELL TO BUY NOW. DON'T FORGET THE DAY—

JANUARY 18TH to 27th, 1923.

Doors Open at 9 O'clock.

No Goods Charged.

# Wrenn Brothers Co.,

We Sell Most Everything Phone 34

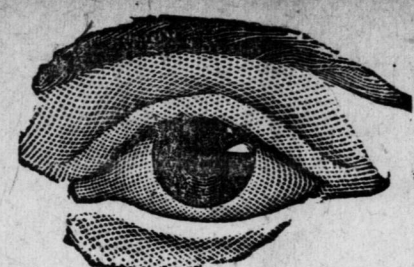
Siler City, - - North Carolina

Having qualified as executor of the last will and testament of W. H. White, late of Chatham county, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons holding claims against the estate of said testator to present the same to the undersigned executor, duly verified, on or before the 10th day of January, 1924, or this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery.

This the 10th day of January, 1923.  
G. E. WHITE, Executor,  
DIXON & DIXON, of W. H. White,  
Attorneys. Siler City, N.C.  
Feb. 14123. 6t.

If you want a bargain send us \$1.50 for The Weekly Herald.

BY AN EXPERT.



Dr. J. C. Mann, Well-known Eye Specialist, will be at Dr. Thomas' office every fourth Thursday from 10 am to 3 pm. Remember the date and don't fail to see him and have glasses fitted that are restful to the eyes.  
Next visit will be Tuesday, Feb. 27

## FOR YOUR WANTS

Your bread problem is easily solved when you buy Chatham Lily Plain and Purity Self-Rising Flour. When you buy our Flour you know you are getting a fresh product from carefully selected wheat, which insures pure Flour. Call for Chatham Lily and Purity.

Remember our high grade Meat Scraps when you want to increase your egg production. We sell Ful-O-Pep Laying Mash, Oyster Shells, Meat Scraps, Scratch Grains, Tankage and other feeds. Our prices will save you money over Richmond prices.

Just now we have about three tons good Mill Feed, our own product which we offer at \$2.00 per sack as long as this lot lasts.

This is a bargain.

We make a specialty of furnishing farmers, poultry raisers and dairymen. See us before buying.

## SILER CITY MILLS

SILER CITY, — — — NORTH CAROLINA.

AND NOW COMES OUR

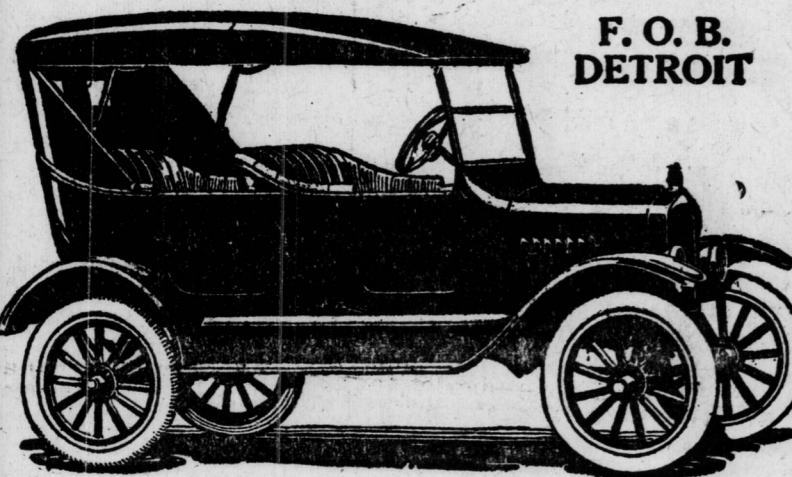
## After-Inventory Sale

OF WOMENS AND MISSES READY-TO-WEAR SUITS, COATS, DRESSES. WE HAVE REDUCED EVERY SUIT, EVERY COAT, AND EVERY DRESS TO A PRICE THAT WILL APPEAL TO YOU. IF YOU WANT A REAL BARGAIN COME TO US.

## Woody Bros. Quality Shop

Formerly Ladies Emporium,  
E. D. WOODY, — — — SILER CITY, NORTH CAROLINA.

**Ford**  
TOURING CAR  
New Price  
**\$298**



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DETROIT

This is the lowest price at which the Ford Touring Car has ever sold, and with the many new improvements, including the one man top, it is a bigger value than ever before.

Buy now. Terms if desired.

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