

# SILER CITY NEWS

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

## BIBLE THOUGHT FOR TODAY.

An Unlimited Supply.

If ye abide in me, and my words abide in you, ye shall ask what ye will, and it shall be done unto you.—John 16: 7.

James Brown, of Pittsboro, was a visitor here today.

Richard Oldham, of Greensboro, was a business visitor here today.

T. P. Murchison, of Goldston, was a business visitor here Monday.

Alfred J. Dorsett, of Columbia, S. C., was a guest of relatives this week.

Miss Mary Marley has accepted a position at the Farmer's Alliance store.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Waugh and C. L. Hester and son, Coy, of Greensboro, were guests at W. B. Straughn's Sunday.

Arnold Moore, of Graham, is recovering very nicely from an operation for appendicitis at a hospital at Burlington.

Messrs. Dark, Cooper, Quinby, and Stout, of Chapel Hill, are spending the week-end here.

Miss Mallie Straughn returned to her home on route 1 the 18th, after spending several days in Greensboro visiting relatives and friends.

Our supply of garden seed has been exhausted and all those who have written for them since last week must necessarily be disappointed.

The seven curb markets established in North Carolina by farm women did a \$17,000 business last year. How about one for Chatham this year?

The recent rains have given us plenty of mud and made the streets muddy but next week is clean up week, the sun will shine, so what's the difference.

There is prevalent quite an epidemic of measles throughout this section at this time, in a few cases several members of a family being sick at the same time.

Annie Lois Welch, the thirteen months old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Eli Welch, who live on the Oran farm, died last Friday and was buried Saturday afternoon at Oakley, the service being conducted by Rev. Richard S. Fountain.

B. A. Phillips and son, Mottu, of Bonlee, were here Monday on business. Mr. Phillips is advertising in this issue a big sale to be held March 31 to end April 7. See his announcement and a few of his prices elsewhere in this week's Herald.

Small pox is prevalent in many sections of the State. We are free from the disease in this section so far.

Minter M. Burns, who has not been heard from since his discharge from the army in 1919 has been located by his father, T. L. Burns, in Alabama.

W. A. Headen has received a telegram announcing the death of his brother, Dr. J. S. Headen, who for a number of years has been practicing dentistry at Laredo, Tex.

Chas. C. Wilson and J. C. Berryman, of Columbia, S. C., who are architects for the new school building, were here Friday inspecting the work which is rapidly progressing.

On account of wet ground it is not thought that the wheat crop in Chatham is much damaged, we are told. And it is said that the fruit will not be hurt to any great extent from the cold snap Tuesday morning, the wind saving it.

Theodore York, the seventeen year old boy preacher, who lives in Greensboro, will preach here next Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the town hall. The public is most cordially invited to hear him.

If there is a school in Chatham county in which the honor roll of the students have not been published in this paper it is the fault of the teachers. We are always glad to get the names of the little folks in our paper and look to the teachers to send them in.

Mr. J. Dan Dorsett has his plans made to attend the reunion in New Orleans and he wants all the old soldiers that can go with him. He will leave Siler City for Salisbury on the 6th and will leave there on the 8th. The fare is only 2 cents per mile for the round trip.

By a change in the law made by the late legislature, taxpayers were given until May 1 to settle their taxes for 1922. After that date 1 per cent will be added. Heretofore if your taxes had not been paid by February 1 one per cent was added and two per cent after March 1 and so on. Pay your taxes now and save the extra per cent.

## SWOLLEN STREAMS.

The water in Haw river at Bynum was nearly up to the cement bridge Sunday, barely missing it by a foot or two. Heavy rains have fallen in Chatham during the last 10 days and the rivers and creeks have been away out of their banks. It is said that the wheels of the electric plant at Lockville were covered by ten feet of water Saturday, cutting the power off until nearly night.

LOOK AT YOUR LABEL

## SILER CITY BAPTIST CHURCH.

Sunday, March 25, 1923.

Bible school—Teachers meeting at 9:30 a. m. Led by Prof. S. J. Husketh. Bible school at 10 a. m. R. O. Welch, Supt. B. Y. P. U. at 6:30 p. m. Mrs. C. N. Bray, leader. Group number four will render the program. Prayer meeting every Wednesday evening at 7:30. Evening worship at 7:30. Sermon by the pastor.

To all of these services you are earnestly invited. Strangers and visitors will receive a warm welcome. Richard S. Fountain, pastor.

Love's Creek Baptist Church. There will be services at Love's Creek next Saturday afternoon and next Sunday morning. The pastor hopes to have large congregations at both services, and also a large number in attendance upon the Bible school Sunday morning.

## The Gem Theater.

"Timber Queen," the serial just begun last week at the Gem theater, Siler City, is indeed a thriller. Two episodes of this "best serial yet" will be shown every Friday and Saturday, with extra attractions each time. This week Gladys Walton will appear in "Lavender Bath Lady." It is a peach. The biggest picture of the season will be shown Friday night, March 30, "The Unpardonable Sin."

## DEATH OF MRS. FIELDS.

Mrs. Nathan Fields, Chatham's oldest citizen, being in her 97th year, died at her home four miles southwest of Goldston at 2 o'clock Friday afternoon. Interment was made at Tillman burying ground at 4 o'clock Saturday afternoon.

Surviving are three sons and two daughters—Joe, James and William Fields, and Mrs. Thos. Gains and Mrs. Hugh Smith.

## J. G. WEBSTER DEAD.

Following a week's illness of appendicitis, John Guy Webster, aged 19 years, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Webster, of near Siler City, died at 4:30 o'clock Sunday afternoon at Greensboro where he was admitted three days before for an operation.

He was a student in the Bonlee high school and was very popular with both teachers and fellow students. Besides his parents, he is survived by his sister, Miss Lillian. All were at his bedside when death came.

His father, H. W. Webster, is one of the most prominent farmers, saw mill and cotton gin operators in Chatham county. The body will be forwarded to Bonlee on the 12:30 train today and will then be taken to his home. Funeral services will be held at Sandy Branch church sometime tomorrow.

## KEEP IT UP.

The Clean Up and Paint Up Campaign not only puts the community in good sanitary condition, but makes it possible to keep it clean. Unless the work of cleaning up and painting up is kept up by systematic efforts the year around little permanent good is accomplished. It is important that the initial intensive work be general and thorough. Then the follow-up work can be carried on effectively, and the danger of unsanitary conditions returning is removed.

Next week is Clean-Up week.

## KIMBOLTON AND VICINITY.

Mr. and Mrs. Woody Entertain—Personal Paragraphs.

Pittsboro, Rt 2, March 19.—Misses Luta White and Dora Clark spent last Friday night with Mrs. Ellen Clark. Misses Ressie and Juanita Johnson visited their sister, Mrs. R. L. Campbell, Sunday.

Mrs. Ellen Clark spent Saturday night with her son, Walter Clark.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Womble visited Mr. and Mrs. Mark Teague Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Woody delightfully entertained a number of the young people in the neighborhood Saturday night in honor of their company, Misses Johnson and Pendergrass, of Moncure.

Misses Luta White and Mrs. Walter Perry spent Saturday night at Miss White's home on Siler City, Rt. 2.

Mrs. Alex Cockman and Miss Dora Clark visited Mrs. W. H. Ferguson last Thursday. Mrs. Cockman visited her until Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Mann visited at W. H. Ferguson's Sunday.

Mrs. Erie Clark visited Mrs. Ellen Clark last Thursday.

Bill Campbell has purchased a new Ford touring car.

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## NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATRIX.

The undersigned having qualified as administratrix of the estate of E. H. Cook, deceased, late of Chatham county, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the said estate to present them, duly verified, to the undersigned, on or before the 12th day of February, 1924, or this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery. All persons owing the said estate will please come forward and make immediate payment to the undersigned. This the 12th day of Feb. 1923.

Mrs. MAUDE COOK, Administratrix.  
W. P. HORTON, Attorney. Mch-22-R-P

BUILD A HOME NOW!

## DEATH OF J. A. HAMLET.

The community was saddened to learn of the death of Mr. Jasper N. Hamlet, which took place at his home four miles northwest of Pittsboro, early Friday morning, aged 69 years and four months.

About nine years ago Mr. Hamlet suffered a stroke of paralysis from which he never entirely recovered. Since then he has had three other strokes, the fourth one taking place the fore part of last week, this later causing his death.

Mr. Hamlet was well known in Chatham and his friends were numbered by those who knew him. A kind hearted husband and father and an excellent neighbor, he will be missed in his immediate neighborhood. Besides his widow he leaves one daughter, Mrs. Jeter Perry, and one brother, Mr. C. C. Hamlet, to mourn his death. The funeral services were held at the house at 11 o'clock conducted by Rev. C. E. Byrd, and the interment took place at Brown's Chapel Methodist cemetery Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

## Free Flower Seeds

You will be glad to know that Hastings' "The South's Southerner" will give away about 1,000,000 packets of seed of the South's most popular flowers this spring.

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## CERTIFICATE OF DISSOLUTION.

State of North Carolina, Department of State.

To all to whom these presents may come—Greeting:

Whereas, It appears to my satisfaction, by duly authenticated record of the proceedings for the voluntary dissolution thereof by the unanimous consent of all the stockholders, deposited in my office, that the M. J. Boling Lumber Company, a corporation of this State, whose principal office is situated near Greensboro in the town of Siler City, county of Chatham, State of North Carolina, C. B. Thomas being the agent therein and in charge thereof, upon whom process may be served, has complied with the requirements of Chapter 22, Consolidated Statutes, entitled "Corporations," preliminary to the issuing of this certificate of dissolution:

Now, therefore, I, W. N. Everett, Secretary of the State of North Carolina, do hereby certify that the said corporation did, on the 21st day of February 1923, file in my office a duly executed and attested consent in writing to the dissolution of said corporation, executed by all the stockholders thereof, which said consent and the record of the proceedings aforesaid are now on file in my said office as provided by law.

In testimony whereof, I have here to set by hand and affixed my official seal at Raleigh, this 21st day of February, A. D., 1923.

N. W. EVERETT,  
Secretary of State.

Apr. 5-R-C.

## NOTICE OF SALE OF LAND.

North Carolina, Chatham county.

Under and by virtue of the power of sale conferred upon the undersigned by mortgage deed executed by Joe Alston on the 22nd day of March, 1921, to W. M. Perry and W. R. Perry, and duly transferred by W. M. and W. R. Perry to the Chatham Oil & Fertilizer Company (on May the 1st, 1921,) which said mortgage is duly registered in the office of the Register of Deeds of Chatham county, in book "FS" at page 413, to secure the payment of a certain bond therein described and default having been made in the payment of said bond, the undersigned will offer for sale at public auction for cash to the highest bidder at the court house door in Pittsboro, North Carolina, on the 31st day of March, 1923, at 12 o'clock noon,

the following described tract of land lying and being in Center township, Chatham county, North Carolina, and described as follows:

On the east by J. D. Womble; on the north by Ike Straughan; on the south by Gattis Dixon and on the west by Ike Straughan; containing by estimation eight (8) acres more or less; or all the right, title and interest which I have to and in the said eight (8) acre tract.

This the 23rd day of February, 1923  
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W. P. HORTON, Assignee.  
Attorney. Mch22-4cR

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## SILER CITY SCHOOL NEWS.

The fifth and last meeting of the teachers' Reading Circle group for this section of the county, was held at the local school Friday afternoon. Nineteen teachers completed the work as outlined by the State Department of Education.

The sixth month of school work ending March the 16th, brings the total enrollment up to 427, with an enrollment for the sixth month of 391. The average attendance for the month was 846.5, against 813.9 last month.

Honor roll for the sixth month is as follows:

First grade—Goldston Dark, Winder Edwards, Adolphus Johnson, Stedman Kivett, Lafayette Wrenn, Frank Bray, Frances Elkins, W. B. Harper, Garland Light.

Second grade—Janette Fox, Lila Womble.

Third grade—Frank Jenkins, Amick, Maulden, Grady Phillips, Evans Stone, Lois White, Lloyd Womble.

Fourth grade—Agnes McPherson, Edna Teague, Swannie Marley, Berta Bray, Margaret Harris, Juanita Johnson, Wade Lowe, Voyd Smith, Albert Lowe, Estie Lowe.

Fifth grade—Benton Bray, Ruth Marley.

Sixth grade—Marian Cooper, Martha Lane, Burdine Womble, Geraldine Walker, Inez Marley, Buster Edwards, Cecil Bean.

Seventh grade—Ernestine Phillips, Kelfer Ivay, Leisel Womble.

Eighth grade—Nartialia Bray, Jennie Lynn Fox, Louise Marley, Ethel Maulden, Edith Small.

Ninth grade—Iris Reitzel.

## ROUTE TWO LOCALS.

Pittsboro, Rt. 2, March 19.—Misses Nannie and Fannie Johnson and Miss Mae Pendergraph spent the week-end with Misses Ida and Mabel Woody.

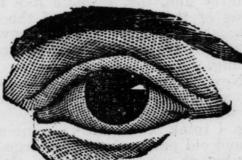
Miss Hayes Ferguson spent Saturday night with Mrs. A. E. Cockman. Mrs. A. E. Cockman spent a few days with her mother, Mrs. W. H. Ferguson.

Mr. C. S. Burke has been very sick but is improving. DILLY

## THE END OF A FAMILY.

In 1911 J. D. Bryson, a machinist of Greensboro, was killed while working at the Southern shops in Spencer. There was a wife and daughter left. The daughter, Vonnie B. Bryson, in 1912, was struck by an Atlantic Coast Line train at Rocky Mount and instantly killed. Monday night last Mrs. Bryson was struck by an automobile in Greensboro and died five minutes later. She was 70 years old.

## HAVE YOUR EYES EXAMINED BY AN EXPERT—COSTS NO MORE.



Dr. J. C. Mann, the well known eyesight Specialist and Optician will be at Dr. Farrell's office, Pittsboro, N. C., every fourth Tuesday in each month. Headache relieved when caused by eye strain. When he fits you with glasses you have the satisfaction of knowing that they are correct. Make a note of the date and see him if your eyes are weak. His next visit will be Tuesday, March 27th.

## It Depends on Style and Quality

A successful opening depends on the style and quality displayed.

We had them at our opening, we will have them this week, we will have them in all the bright Easter Coloring the week following.

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