

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

BIBLE THOUGHT FOR TODAY.

Read the Sanford Fountain Pen offer in this paper and get busy.

Reward of the Righteous.

Mark the perfect man and behold the upright: for the end of that man is peace.—Psalm 37:37.

Miss Nell Perry spent this weekend in Bonlee as the guest of Mrs. C. C. Brewer.

A full report of the recent Boll Weevil Convention will appear in this paper next week.

Rev. and Mrs. O. I. Hinson, Mrs. M. M. Fox and Miss Evelyn Fox spent Monday in Durham.

The eighth grade basketball team recently defeated the high school team 3 to 0. They were happy victors.

Mrs. Dewey Fox and little daughter are spending this week with friends and relatives in Durham.

See the sheriff's tax round ad in this issue and save the penalty on your taxes by seeing him at your nearest point.

Mrs. J. B. Webster and little son, of Albemarle, are visiting Mrs. Olive Webster. J. B. Webster spent Sunday here with his family.

Miss Winnie Durham, who is a trained nurse, of Greensboro, spent several days here recently with her brother, W. S. Durham and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Fore, of Lakeview, arrived Saturday for a visit of a few days to the parents of Mrs. Fore, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Edwards.

Mr. J. P. Sanders, of Charlotte, route 3, writes us and sends a renewal of his paper to July, 1924. He says that he "can't do without the old home paper."

A picnic will be held at Moses school house on Easter Monday, April 2nd. There will also be an egg hunt and we are asked to tell everybody to be present.

Fred Justice has just received a large spraying outfit which he will use in his peach orchard this year. Despite the recent freeze Mr. Justice is expecting a good crop.

Miss Pearl Wiggins, of Wendell, and Misses Naomi Wilson and Mary Currin, of Meredith college, Raleigh, spent the week-end with Miss Jewel Smith at her home on Siler City, rt. 1.

Spencer Hackney and his granddaughter, Miss Ada Buckner, have gone for a week's visit to his son, Rev. J. W. Hackney, who is pastor of Stony Creek Methodist church, near Morganton.

"A card of thanks" coming to us from Bennett is so worded that we fear someone has an axe to grind, especially as there is an absence of a signature and the letter is not definite in its purpose.

The merchants here are doing a good business and all are prepared to take care of the demands of the people for their wants. The advertisers in this paper are doing an especially good business.

Mr. Dewey Terry, of Chatham county, and Miss Velma Wood of Mebane, were married a few nights ago at the home of Mr. J. M. Buckner, the officiating justice of the peace says the Alamance gleaner.

The Sanford \$5.00 Fountain Pen that we are offering for four new subscribers, has never been equaled in the State. Get us four new subscribers, send us the \$6.00 and we will prepay a pen to you. Act today.

Secretary Gobble, of the State Sunday school work, addressed interested congregations at both West End and First Methodist churches this afternoon. He is an earnest speaker and was heard with appreciation.

Friends here of Miss McCoy Burkehead, of Asheboro, who has frequently visited her aunt, Mrs. W. S. Durham was recently married to J. H. Forrester, of Greensboro, the ceremony having been performed in that city.

Remember Clean-Up week in Chatham county for the week of April 2 to 8. There are ads in this paper that call your attention to the requisites for an effect—read them. In fact you lose if you fail to read every ad in the paper.

Dr. J. D. Greeg is not only a competent and well qualified dentist in Siler City, but he is developing a wonderful enterprise in the business of the Globe Plant Company at Liberty. Shipments are now being made into five States and the business is spreading. This is the only firm within reach of this territory that handles plants in a manner that insures safe delivery and a guarantee of no loss from decay. It promises to be a leading industry in a short time.

FUNNY, ISN'T IT?

By Sam Little, Ada (Okla.) Evening News.
Isn't it funny? That a man who thinks he is a business man will get up in the morning from a newspaper advertised mattress, shave with an advertised razor, and put on advertised underwear, advertised shirt, collar, tie and shoes, seat himself at the table and eat advertised breakfast food, drink advertised coffee, put on an advertised hat, light an advertised cigarette, ride to his place of business in an advertised car, seat himself at an advertised desk, in an advertised chair, then turn down a newspaper advertising solicitor on grounds that advertising does not pay.

Clayton and Bert Richardson, of Greensboro, spent Sunday here with relatives.

Dr. J. D. Gregg and family and P. J. Reitzel motored to the Sandhill section Sunday.

Claimed by Death.

For the second time within a week death entered the home of Mrs. Myrtle Hardin Thursday night at which time her daughter, little Gertrude, was claimed. Her death following so closely upon that of her sister, Florence, makes doubly sad the experience of the mother and for her only surviving child, a son, Raymond Hardin.

The remains were taken to Caribton, Saturday afternoon for burial by the side of her sister and father, Rev. O. I. Hinson, of this place, conducting the service.

Dath of Jesse Welch.
After an illness of several months from a leaking heart, Jesse Welch, age 40 years, died at his home here in the northern part of town Friday night. He and his family only recently moved here from the neighborhood of Bear Creek.

His body was taken today to Lee county, near Sanford, for burial. Surviving are his wife and three children besides a number of relatives in the southern part of this county.

He was a son of Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Welch who, with three brothers and five sisters, survive. The brothers are, Will, John and Duncan Welsh; the sisters are, Mrs. G. W. Lemmons, Siler City; Mrs. Elsie Green, South Carolina; Mrs. Jas Brown, Kimesville; Misses Mossie and Julia Ann, at home.

Mr. Welch was born November 25, 1882.

DYING REQUEST NOT HEEDED.

Tarboro Southerner.
Just last week a very old colored woman died in No. 13 township. Her dying request was to bury her in a white coffin, but her friends went contrary to her wishes and put her in a black coffin.

On that night her many friends went to pay their last respects and during the late hours of the night her "spirit" came back and showered hail on top of the house. The people inside became frightened and ran out, after seeing the stars shining brightly, they decided to go back. There was nothing to be frightened over, so the deacon said "let's sing number 120." About that time there was a great commotion in one corner of the house, and the mantel fell, and right then and there it became time for somebody to move.

One good sister fell out the door while the balance passed over her—she got out alive but somewhat disfigured. One brother ran over the table and turned the lamp over, but took good care not to let the light go out. He was somewhat delayed in getting out and being behind, he joined the aviation corps at the door. Another man had a sprained knee, but when last seen he was running on an advanced spark. It was said that his speed would make a Ford turn green with envy.

I guess people will comply with dying requests in these parts hereafter.

Hope for a Star Mail Route.

Durham Herald.
Hopes for the establishment of the star mail route from Durham to Siler City through Chapel Hill, Pittsboro and other points, have been revived. Letters have been written to the Senators of this State and to Congressman Steadman asking that they use their influence towards having the route established.

A representative from the post office department recently went over the proposed route and although he did not make a definite statement as to his opinion regarding the route he left the impression with those who accompanied him on the route that was thought to be extremely favorable for the route.

Through inaugurating the mail route and with the automobiles running on a regular schedule it is claimed that the mail service to the people along the route proposed will be improved, thereby permitting people to get mail from points along the route quicker than at present.

WEATHER FORECAST.

The following is the weather forecast, calculated by De Voe, for the week beginning tomorrow.

March 30-31—warmer.
April 1—Storm over the lakes will move southwest. April 2-3—rain and snow over the northern States. April 4-5—Cold and blustery.

MY NATIVE LAND.

(Sir Walter Scott.)
Breathes there the man with soul so dead,
Who never to himself hath said;
This is my own, my native land!
Whose heart hath ne'er within him burned,
As home his footsteps he hath turned,
From wandering on a foreign strand!
If such there breathe, go mark him well;
For him no minstrel raptures swell;
High though his titles, proud his name,
Boundless his wealth as wish can claim,
Despite those titles, power and pelf,
The wretch, concentered all in self,
Living, shall forfeit fair renown,
And doubly dying, shall go down
To vile the dust from whence he sprung,
Unwept, unhonored, and unsung.

Friday and Saturday, March 30 and 31, also at a matinee Saturday afternoon.

This picture is an eight reel production of "The Unpardonable Sin," a masterpiece written by Maj. Rupert Hughes, getting its name from the Bible and based on recent war conditions in Germany and France.

It has been tremendously successful everywhere it has been shown and we are pleased that we have been able to secure it for our patrons.

Because we want it seen by everyone in this community we have put the price within reach of all, the price being only 35 cents.

Also we will show on these dates, the big serial, "The Timber Queen," new running.

Don't forget the dates next Friday and Saturday, March 30 and 31.
GEORGE ROBERTS, Manager.

DEATH OF YOUNG LADY.

Miss Florence Hardin, the 15-year-old daughter of Mrs. Myrtle Hardin, died at her home in Siler City, Wednesday night, March 21st, at 8 o'clock following an illness of two weeks. She first had measles and a few days ago developed pneumonia which was not able to overcome the complication.

Miss Hardin had only lived here a few months, but during that time had made for herself a warm circle of friends, being an unusually sweet spirited girl.

Her body was taken to Caribton Thursday afternoon for burial by the side of her father, who died five years ago. The service was conducted from the Methodist church at that place by her pastor, Rev. O. I. Hinson.

Surviving are her mother, Mrs. Myrtle Hardin, a sister, little Gertrude, who is herself ill with pneumonia, and a brother, Raymond Hardin, all of this place.

Business Appearances.

Some farmers are hauling guano from the towns to their farms in the country, while others are hauling cross ties, cedar logs and lumber from the country to the towns. It is a busy scene in some of these places to watch the many wagons coming and going loaded down with something that pays them money and something that they have to pay for. It is a busy time with the farmers in Chatham now.

Henry Ford Buys Coal Lands Along Kentucky River.

Lexington, Ky., March 22.—It became known today that Henry Ford has bought 125,000 acres of coal land on the Kentucky River, in Clay and Leslie counties, at a price said to run from twelve to twenty million dollars.

On March 18th, Hickory Mt. held the banner for attendance over the country schools, having a total attendance of 57 against 23 at Mt. Vernon and 21 at Providence.

A new inspiration has come to some of the people around Blue Rock who live four miles from Providence. They have about concluded that a Ford truck can haul something besides cross ties, corn and meat. And why should it not haul 15 boys and girls to Sunday school every Sunday? It will not hurt the truck to go to Sunday school.

Young Taft Talley will be rendering a fine service to his community by driving that truck, loaded with his young friends each Sunday to Providence. It is time to dust all the old buggies and wagons, and load them up for a great forward march on to Sunday school and church. Remember it is more important to feed the minds and the souls than it is to feed the body.

Let everybody make a special effort to stand by his Sunday school and church on Easter Sunday.

Preaching by the pastor at Hickory Mt. at 11 a. m. At 7:30 p. m. at First church, there will be an Easter song service given by the splendid choir.

The Epworth League meets at 6:45 and prayer services Wednesday at 7:30 p. m. A cordial welcome to visitors and strangers.

Star Mail Route.

At the request of Burke Hobgood, secretary of the Durham chamber of commerce, Senator Overman has taken up with the postoffice department the data of obtaining a star route between Siler City and Durham.

This matter has been pending for some time, but the senator has directed that a full report of the matter be made, and he will do everything possible to obtain this mail route for the people living in that vicinity.

High School Debate.

Next Friday night at the town hall there will be a debate to which all patrons of the school and other citizens of the community are urged to attend.

Much interest centers around this event as it is one which the local school is competing against the high school of Troy.

The affirmative will be upheld by Misses Juanita Gregg and Mildred Dorsett against the negative from Troy, while Len Paschal and Clarence Simpson will go to Troy on the same date and debate an affirmative team from that school.

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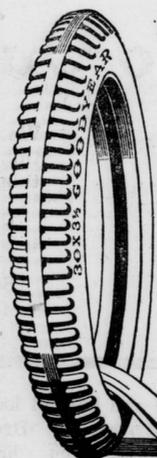
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