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NEWS

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GENERAL NEWS BRIEFS.

Short Items of Common Interest to All.

Sioux Falls, Dak.—Gasoline is selling here at 15 1-2 cents a gallon.

Washington—Sanitorium, North Carolina postoffice has been inspected by government authorities.

Washington—A regular transcontinental airplane mail service, operated at night, as well as day, is now assured.

Washington—From January to July 1923 there were 297,104 cars and 29,998 trucks manufactured in the United States.

Los Angeles, Cal.—Gasoline is selling at six cents a gallon here. One man says he can make a small profit on it at that price.

Atlantic City.—Anthracite mine workers' representatives have taken the last step necessary to shut down the mines on September 1.

New York—The shopmen's strike of 1922 cut the Baltimore and Ohio railroad, first six months, \$7,500,000. This was a loss in net income to the railway.

Washington—President Coolidge has been invited to attend the dedication of a memorial to mark the scene where Johnston surrendered to Sherman in 1865. The president may attend.

Chicago—Lack of sense of responsibility, unwillingness to work hard, lack of thoroughness, false notions about salary and promotions, and lack of principle are the five chief reasons why 90 per cent of the boys and girls of the United States lose their first jobs.

Dayton, O.—The Barling bomber, largest airplane in the world, which was successfully flown in a test flight at Wilbur Wright field has a wing spread of 120 feet; the length over all is 60 feet and the height is 28 feet. Fully loaded the ship weighs 20 tons.

A BIG BIRTHDAY DINNER.

(Too late for our last issue.)

Pittsboro, Rt. 3, Aug. 20.—On Sunday, August 19th, the friends and neighbors of Mr. J. D. Jones began to drive into his yard and grove until there were about one hundred and much talking and a general good time was had until 12 o'clock.

The good ladies began to set the table, and the many good things to eat, were spread under the shade of large, fine trees. The large and appreciative crowd then gathered, and after thanks were returned to the good God that makes such pleasant occasions possible, the crowd began to eat. The inner man was well satisfied and that crowd seemed to enjoy themselves to the fullest extent. After the meal had been served, a delicious lot of melons were sliced and greatly enjoyed.

The crowd chatted until late in the afternoon, feeling happy that they had been privileged to be there. The same crowd would be glad to enjoy many more such occasions.

It was the fifty-first anniversary for Mr. Jones. To visit his home makes anyone feel good, and especially on such occasions as this was.

Mrs. Moody, the mother of Mrs. Jones, lives in this home and with her sweet disposition, makes any heart glad to be with her.

A FRIEND.

There Were Others.

As I was putting in a couple of hours loafing around the village store and postoffice I got into conversation with a villager about the war in the East, and in speaking of the nava' battle in the sea of Japan I characterized Togo as the greatest hero of the age.

"Wall, I dunno about that," replied the man. "We've got a few heroes right in this town who hain't so slow. Come down and lemme introduce you to the cooper."

We went down to the cooper shop and I was introduced and when we were outside again my friend said:

"Don't look so much like a hero, does he? But lemme tell you what he did. He went up to the city about a year ago and stayed over night at a hotel. Blew out the six gas jets in his room instead of turning them off, and the gas was going all night. Got up as chipper as a squirrel in the morning and turned two handsprings. The hotel said they had lost \$2,000 worth of gas, but the stuff never made Bill sneeze. Come down and be introduced to the blacksmith."

I followed him and after a second introduction he slapped me on the shoulder and said:

"Nothin' heroic about Jim's look, but lemme tell you sumthin'. He went away to Ohio to visit friends, and they put him in a foldin' bed. The foot riz up and caught him and stood him on his head. He was a prisoner for three days, but he never hollered. Just waited 'til the old bed got tired out and sunk down agin and then he crawled out. Let's go over to the sawmill and see George Coots."

I went over to the mill and got a third introduction and on the way back to the postoffice my friend said:

"George is cross-eyed and red-headed but there are no flies on him. A tin peddler come along last summer and jumped seven feet. George took off his coat and spit on his hands and jumped six inches higher and saved the town from goin' all to smash. Had to bust a lung and break a rib to do it, but that's the kind of stuff he's made of. I don't say that Togo isn't a hero, but when you are talkin' about 'em jest remember that Pittsboro has shoved three of them to the front within a year and has got more comin'."

Gray Hair.—Prevent by brushing the head night and morning with a brush hard enough to irritate the skin somewhat.

NEWS NOTES FROM MT. GILEAD.

Local and Personal News of Interest on Rt. One.

Pittsboro, Rt. 1, Aug. 27.—Mr. and Mrs. John Herndon and little daughter, Elizabeth Pearson of Black Creek, visited their parents last week, Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Herndon.

Mrs. I. J. Morris is spending this week with her sister at Saxapahaw. Mr. Bun Seymore and family, of Raleigh, visited relatives in the Mt. Gilead section last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Hatley, of Raleigh, visited their parents last week.

Rev. Roy A. Morris, Mr. Clyde J. Morris and Miss Ethel Herndon visited friends at Chapel Hill Friday afternoon.

Mr. W. A. Pendergraph and family, of Durham, spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Neal.

Miss Violet Sparrow, of Carrboro, spent last week with Misses Josie and Leonie Neal.

Mr. John Hatley, of Farrington, spent last week at home with his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Johnson, of Apex, spent Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Neal.

Miss Thelma Jones visited relatives

and friends in this section last week. She returned home Sunday accompanied by Mr. Henry Webster, Misses Gertrude, Lillian and Eunice Hatley.

Mr. Lowe Hatley has been very sick for several weeks but is some better.

Mr. Ralph Burnett and family and Mr. Leonard Hatley and family spent Sunday afternoon with Mrs. J. W. Griffin on Pittsboro Rt. 1.

Mrs. J. P. Griffin and family, of Durham, were guests last week of Mrs. W. L. Griffin.

Tar or paint can be removed by sponging well with turpentine.

MONEY!

What Is It Worth?

To the man who hides it away somewhere in the house—it's worth the same at the end of the year as it was at the beginning, plus a lot of worry over its safety.

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