

CHATHAM BRIEFS

Rabbits are ripe.
The next stop—Thanksgiving.
Grain and grass must precede dairy-
"A hen in the hen house is worth
two in the tree top."
Everybody is happy. The state
and county fairs are over.
Only 55 more days to Christmas.
Hurry to do your trading early.
One of the biggest frosts of the
season came last Thursday morning.
Hundreds of tourists are passing
through Pittsboro every day, headed
for the south.
Miss Marie Brown, of Raleigh, re-
cently visited her parents here, Mr.
and Mrs. J. O. Brown.
County commissioners and the
board of education were in session last
Monday. Proceedings will be publish-
ed next week.
Several new dwellings are being
built in Pittsboro. They are for the
owners to live in. None are being re-
nted for the renters.
Much rain has fell here Sunday
and Sunday night, but the creeks and
rivers were not much benefited, as
there was a slow, steady rain.
Miss Truman Fields, while crack-
ing her car last Friday, the Ford got
bad and kicked the young lady, the
kick breaking her right arm.
A big flock of wild geese flew ov-
er this section last Thursday, head-
ed for the south. That's a good sign
that warm weather has gone.
Mr. Ralph Johnson, of New Bern,
who has been here on a visit to his
parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. John-
son, has returned to his home.
John Mitchell, of Bessemer City,
was the best judge of seeds and plants
among the club boys at the State
fair. Lee Ingie, of Whitsett, was a
close second.
Mr. Glivian Overacre is in a hospi-
tal in Durham where he was operat-
ed on last Friday afternoon for ap-
pendicitis. His young friends will be
glad to know that he is recovering
nicely.
Many of our people went to see the
animals at the different circuses in
Durham, Raleigh and Sanford last
week. Of course after seeing the ani-
mals they had to sit down and rest
while in the big tents.
Tom Tarheel says that there seem
to be as many plans for fighting the
boll weevil as there are boll weevils
and he is going to follow the plan
tested and approved by those who
have studied the matter years.
Mr. W. H. Garner is cutting in the
able lines in Pittsboro that he has
erected for his telephone system here.
This not only eliminates many un-
nearly wires but puts the system in
first class shape and enlarges the ca-
pacity for service.
Many new residences have been
erected in Pittsboro during the year
and several more are now in course
of construction, yet there is a great
demand for homes. In many instances
two and three families are occupying
the same dwelling, while the board-
ing houses are all full.
If anyone of our readers is inclined
to save money and to buy economical-
ly, there is no excuse for losing the
privilege. In this paper is many ad-
vertisements that bid you welcome
and offer special considerations. If
you want the right kind of a trade
and fair treatment, always spend your
money with an advertiser. They are
always reliable and can be trusted.
At a Halloween party given by the
ladies of the Episcopal church Tues-
day night of last week, Miss Jennie
Dunn won the prize cake as the
most beautiful young lady, and the
prize for the best costume was won
by Miss Margaret Brooks. The party
was easily one of the most entertain-
ing that has been given in Pittsboro
in a long while. The proceeds were
for the benefit of the church and a
nice sum was realized.
We regret that we cannot have any
more reading matter in The Record
than we have this week, or that we
have had during the past two or three
weeks, but the electric current is such
that we are compelled to do the best
we can. We have shortened some of
the communications from time to
time and curtailed other good reading
matter simply because we had no
"juice" to run our linotype.
The folks over at Corinth and
Brickhaven are very anxious to get
the Chautauqua another year. They
have a plan for fifty people to take
10 stock in the Chautauqua, issuing
therefor \$10 worth of tickets. They
back only a few names, and inasmuch
as Pittsboro will not have the Chau-
tauqua will not be held here next
year, some of our folks might feel in-
clined to help our neighbors out. The
Record starts the list in Pittsboro for
share and if there are others, take
the matter up with Mr. Frank Nash,
at Corinth.
Mr. Frank Nash, of Corinth, was in
to see us Monday. He was enroute to
Raleigh where he will make arrange-
ments for an advertisement in The
Record next week, announcing the vir-
tues of the Carolina Power Company's
Preferred Stock. This is a tax-free
investment and a good one. If any of
our readers have a few surplus dol-
lars it would be a wise thing to write
to Mr. Nash. The stock can be bought
for cash or on the instalment plan. It
pays a good per cent and is a
safe investment for those who want
to put their dollars to work.

Miss Blanche Lindley spent the week end with her parents.
Mrs. C. A. Brown spent the week end in Durham visiting relatives.
Watch The Record next week for a page ad of opportunities from W. L. London & Son.
Cotton was selling in Raleigh last Tuesday at 30 1-2 cents and at Pittsboro at 30 cents.
Mrs. John R. Goodwin spent the week end with Mrs. W. M. Lindley on route 2, Snow Camp.
Everybody should go to Sanford on Tuesday, the 13th, if you like real pleasure and amusement.
During the past week there has been killed more than a dozen people in North Carolina by automobiles. There are entirely too many drunkards and careless people at the steering wheel.
Wrenn Brothers tell The Record that they will have a full line of gifts and Christmas goods on display in their store in Siler City next week. Motto: Shop early and avoid the rush.
The ad. of Allen Brothers, offering the Powell farm for sale in another column, is one that you may read with profit. If you want a small farm and a home near town, it gives you an opportunity.
John Fike, colored, who runs a farm about three miles south of town, left home Sunday and got full of mean liquor, remained out in the rain Sunday night, and when found Monday morning he was unconscious and remained so until he died some-time Monday night.

LaSalle Quartett will be at the court house tonight, (Wednesday) at 8 o'clock. Admission 25 and 50 cents. This will be a good, clean entertain-ment and you will miss a treat if you fail to be present. This entertainment is a series of programs that is to be presented during the winter.
DEATH OF A GOOD WOMAN.
Just as we go to press on Tuesday night, we learn that Mrs. W. E. Brooks died at her home in Pittsboro about six o'clock. She has suffered many months from an incurable ma- lady and her true christian spirit has been fully demonstrated in her faith-ful, patient suffering. Realizing that her end was near, she smiled and gave every evidence of the great faith she had in the God she loved.
Mr. Brooks was 45 years old last September and she was generally known and universally loved. During her days of health and physical endur-ance, she was ever ready to assist in any capacity where her presence, help or influence would benefit. Her great friendship for The Record and its editor shall ever be cherished as the years come and go. She was alike to all, regarding everyone for their true worth and she always fully demon-strated a christian character.
She was a loyal and devoted mem-ber of St. Bartholomew's Episcopal church in Pittsboro, and her burial will take place in the historic old cem-etry, the time to be decided on alter.
Besides her faithful and devoted husband, Mr. Will E. Brooks, she is survived by two brothers, Robert Sutphin, of Virginia, and James Sutphin, who is located in California. Four sisters, Mrs. John Thames, Washing- ton, D. C., Miss Irene Sutphin, of Oteen, Mrs. Cooper Harris, of Pitts- boro and a sister in California.
We deeply sympathize with her loved ones, her multitude of friends and the scores of sorrowing acquaint-ances, in the loss of so good a woman.

M. P. CONFERENCE CLOSSES.
The 98th annual session of the Meth- odist Protestant Conference, in ses- sion in Thomasville at the new Com- munity church, since Wednesday of last week, came to a close last Mon- day.
Appointments of interest to the peo- ple of Chatham county are as follows:
Siler City—A. D. Shelton; Saxa- pahaw—H. L. Iseley; Spring Church —H. S. B. Thompson; Stanley—Atlas Ridge.
The Conference was largely attend- ed and one of the most successful in many years.

NEWS NOTES FROM MT. ZION.
Moncure, Rt. 2, Nov. 5.—Miss Jamie Clegg began teaching in the Chatham school on the 29th of October.
The people in the Mt. Zion com- munity regretted that it was so cold last Sunday afternoon, which pre- vented the preaching service.
As it was not convenient for the pastor to be with us, he had sent Prof. W. R. Thompson to make a talk. Mr. Thompson came during the progress of Sunday school. The doors and windows were all closed, and there were no cars in the grove, and no doubt, he thought that he was the only person present. Therefore, he turned his car and went back to Pitts- boro.
Rev. J. J. Boone, the pastor, will preach at Mt. Zion next Sunday after- noon at the regular time. We hope the weather will be pretty so that we shall have a good congregation.
Mt. Zion is usually one of the first churches on the circuit to pay the pastor and we want to be the first one this year.
We want Mr. Boone back with us another year and we expect to have him back. We are anxious for him to go to Conference paid in full and that this will be the most enjoyable Conference he has attended.

Bill Maxwell, 83, in prison at Wau- pon, Wis., for murder, entered on his 52nd year recently.
WANTED AN EXPERIENCED
Cook who will stay on the lot. Ap- ply to Daniel L. Bell, Pittsboro.
LANDS POSTED—Please remember my lands are posted. J. W. Wom- ble.

BUILD A HOME NOW!

OBSERVATIONS.

By Rambler.
"This is going to be a hard winter," remarked our weather man, "because the chimney sweeps left us so soon."
"I guess Pittsboro will not get a circus this year," spoke an old citizen yesterday. "Well, it don't make any difference. I can't go circuses on- ly to look at the monkeys."
"I understand that some of Pitts- boro's fine artists are to give a play at the auditorium when the doors are thrown open to the public," said a lady, "and we are going to make some money. The play has not been an- nounced yet, but it's going to be a good one, and I want the citizens to hold in their laughs until they see what Pittsboro folks can do."
"That was a narrow escape those young people had a few nights ago," remarked a citizen. "That telephone pole that stands on the corner below the Methodist church should be re- moved. Not only that, the deep ditch on the opposite side of the street should be filled up. A car coming from the south has to turn too quick on this particular corner for safety. The lives of those young people were certainly saved by the mercy of God."

"Pittsboro is not behind other towns and is ahead of some of the smaller ones," said a citizen, talking about camp grounds for tourists. "Mr. Ar- thur London was a vacant lot in rear of his store and by his consent many tourists stop there. It helps advertise Pittsboro, because these peo- ple find such good accommodations there they tell others. It's a mighty kind act of Mr. London and the town appreciates it."

GENERAL NEWS BRIEFS.

Short Items of Common Interest to All.

Washington—Cholera killed approx- imately four per cent of the hogs on farms in the United States during the past year.
Washington—Commissioner Blair has issued an order to collector of in- ternal revenue to invoke penalties hereafter in all cases of improperly executed sales tax returns by mer- chants.
Columbus, Ga.—James Batson, 21, stopped his wife, Mrs. Ruth Batson, 15, on the streets and after engaging her in a conversation, cut her throat from ear to ear, the police said, and then shot himself through the head. He died a short time later. Mrs. Bat- son is expected to die.
Alexandria, Va.—With solemn rit- ual, in the presence of the nation's highest officials and one of the largest gatherings of Blue Lodge Masons in history, the cornerstone of the lofty national memorial which will be erected by the Free Masons of Amer- ica to their revered craftsman, Geo. Washington, was laid.
Danville, Va.—A. C. Conway has returned from Deep river coal field in Chatham county, North Carolina, and reports that mining operations were expected to be in full swing by November 15th. The shaft has been sunk 100 feet during the past few months and the coal seam measures, he states, four feet. About 150 tons of surface coal has been mined.

STRANGE AND CURIOUS.

Peculiarities That Will Astonish Almost Anyone.
There are 47 letters in the Japan- ese alphabet.
The anchors on the U. S. S. Color- ado weigh 99,000 pounds.
Confronted by a bandit pistol, Sam- uel Wynegar, 52, died of fright.
A blind man in South Boston, Mass. has read the Bible through 15 times.
A Company in Abilene, Kan., com- pels its employees to save one-tenth of their wages, or get out.
A boy in the zoo in New York offer- ed a peanut to a polar bear and the animal eat off his hand.
Louis Goodman, of New York, stole a kiss from Mrs. Alice Mercer, of that city, and had to pay \$5,000 for it.
Lieutenant M. L. Elliott, a fier, flew half a mile at Mitchell field, N. Y., with his plane turned bottom up- wards.
The cost of sickness in the United States costs more than a billion dol- lars a year. More than 3,000,000 peo- ple are sick today.
Waves at Long Beach, N. Y., wash- ed many bottles of liquor ashore and people of that town are filling their cellars with good liquor.
Zack Wilcox, of Sacramento, is going to will his whiskers to the Whiskereno Club, of which he is a member. They are 14 feet long.
A Hindu woman, 30 years old, is a modern Sampson. She thinks nothing of raising a stone weighing 240 pounds by means of rope tied to her hair.
Modern medical science can restore life to the body, but the brain re- mains dead. A woman in Atlanta was restored to life three years ago but she is an imbecile.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

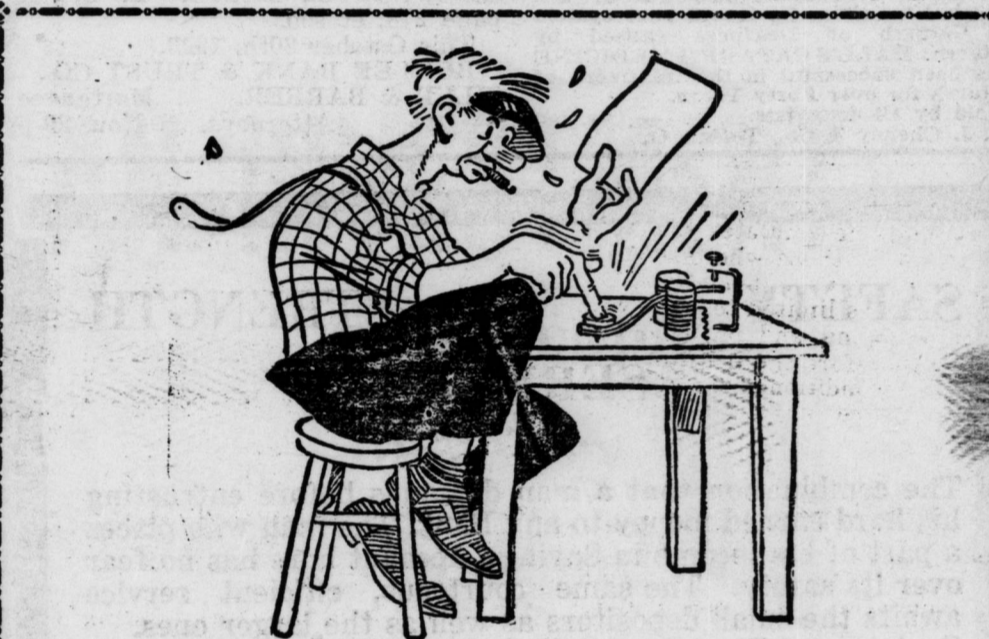
Having qualified as the adminis- trator of the estate of L. W. Tysor, de- ceased, late of the County of Chat- ham, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons holding claims against the said estate to present them duly veri- fied to the undersigned on or before the 18th day of October, 1924, or this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery. All persons owing the said estate will come forward and make immediate settlement.
This the 18th day of October, 1923.
V. R. JOHNSON, O. L. TYSOR,
Attorney, Admr.
Nov. 22-p. Durham, N. C., Rt. 5.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Having qualified as administrator of Mrs. M. C. Brewer, deceased, late of Chatham county, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate to exhibit them to the undersigned on or before the 8th day of November, 1924, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery.
All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment. This 8th day of November, 1923.
GEO. W. BREWER,
Administrator
A. C. RAY, Attorney. Dec13c

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Godman
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Pumps freeze up. Watering troughs have to be chopped open. Water storage tanks are liable to burst. But a MILWAUKEE AIR POWER WATER SYSTEM has nothing to freeze. There is no water storage tank and the piping is carefully put beyond the reach of Jack Frost.
You do not realize fully the benefits of a water system on the farm till the blizzards come.
Don't forget that all the water supplied by the MILWAUKEE SYSTEM comes "Direct from the Well"—absolutely fresh. It costs you nothing to learn the price of a water system for your place. Phone us about it now.
J. M. COUNCILMAN
DEALER, — — — — — BONLEE, N. C.



A Telegram For You
This advertisement is in the form of a telegram to you, to let you know that we have our store and ware- houses stocked with the very choicest of everything that you may need for your feed. We have any amount of oats, hay, feed, grain of all kinds, including sweet feed, chops, etc. We have the kind that stock loves and on which they fatten. We sell cheap as the cheapest and cheaper than the rest. Save money by calling on us and getting a good, guaranteed feed.
Our retail store is filled with good things to eat of the highest, staple quality and are selling at a small margin of profit. We always sell sugar just a little less and the BEST flour in Chatham county can be had at our store for the lowest price. It MUST be good. All the heavy gro- ceries and much of the staple articles. If you want to save money, get service and quality, call to see us.
T. M. Bland & Co.,
Near Depot. — — — — — Pittsboro, N. C.

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When you check your list of Christmas gifts, you'll agree with us that a selection from our extraordinary Jewelry stock will make the ideal presentation for permanence and appreciation.
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The Place
We are stocked with Stoves, Heaters, Ranges and the ac- cessories. We have the very best and the price is low. See us at once for your needs. We call especial attention to our Rockwood Cast Range and The Allen Prince Steel Range. There are no better made. If you are in the market look them over before you buy. In fact we can save you money on any kind of Hardware.
The Chatham Hardware Co.,
UNDERTAKERS and FUNERAL DIRECTORS.
Court House Square Pittsboro, N. C.

Richardson Bros.,
We now have cabbage plants in stock for sale. Early Jer- sey Wakefield. We will mail them parcel post prepaid to any address in North Carolina at the following prices:
For 100 ————— 30c.
For 200 ————— 55c.
For 500 ————— \$1.40
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