

NEWS FROM TRINITY

The oyster supper given for the benefit of the Ladies Aid Society Saturday evening was quite a success, though there were very few out of town people present. Trinity always patronizes anything.

W. S. Weeks, of Charlotte, spent the week end with his mother, Mrs. Jane Weeks. His many friends, particularly those giving the oyster supper, were glad to see "Buck" out.

Prof. Harvey Craven, of New Bern, spent Saturday night with his brother Mr. Bruce Craven. Many of his friends had the pleasure of shaking his hand.

Misses Olive Johnson, Blanche Farlow and Elsie Johnson spent the week end with Misses Flossie and Clarice Welborn.

D. M. Ballance and family were with their mother Sunday.

Charles Redding and family were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Elder Friday.

David White is quite sick with la-grippe. His friends hope to see him out again, soon.

Mrs. J. C. Pepper, who has had a severe attack of la-grippe, we are glad to say is much better.

Capt. Parkin's friends were indeed, glad to see him occupying his accustomed place at Sabbath School.

Spurgeon White, of Greensboro, spent Sunday in town.

Misses Martha, Lydie and Minnie Leach, who have been quite sick with la-grippe are out again we are glad to say.

Rev. Mr. Crowder gave us an excellent sermon Sunday night and the beautiful quartette rendered by Mr. W. F. Ellis and Miss Nell Parkin with Prof. D. C. Johnson and Mr. Joe Parkin, added much to the enjoyment of the service.

Mr. Hubert Osborne, of High Point, brought his sister down to the oyster supper Saturday evening.

Rufus Reddick and Miss Sadie went to Thomasville Sunday to visit relatives.

If this good weather continues, Mr. John Hill hopes to be able to get to work on the county roads.

Mrs. C. M. Pepper is confined to her room with cold.

Mrs. Mollie Thompson Johnson, has been unable to get out for several days on account of a "twist" in her hip.

Donald McCull, of Thomasville, was in town Saturday.

Miss Pearl Haines is visiting her sister, Mrs. D. M. Ballance, of High Point.

STALEY NOTES

After spending the winter here, E. R. Coleman returned to his home in Lebanon, Pa., last week.

A. L. McArthur has returned home from Fayetteville, where he was called to the bedside of his sister, Mrs. E. L. Davis, who died last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. O. White, of Baltimore, Md., who are spending the winter here, made a business trip to Greensboro last week.

The Staley Literary Society, which meets every Wednesday night, is progressing very nicely and interesting topics are discussed.

Miss Maude Foushee has returned home from Greensboro to spend a few days with relatives.

After spending several weeks in Florida, J. C. Cox has returned home. The school, which is being taught by Mr. Shelly Frazier and Miss Ruby Staley, of Liberty, is progressing nicely. Much work is being done in preparing the contestants for the county contest.

An entertainment will be given at Staley school house, February 27, in introducing the play: "And the Lamp Went Out", also including tableaux, drills and pantomimes. Refreshments will be served after the exercises. The proceeds are to be used for the benefit of the Methodist and Baptist churches. The public is cordially invited.

HOW MR. DAVIS GOT RID OF A BAD COLD

"Some time ago I had a very bad cold," writes Lewis T. Davis, Blackwater, Del. "My brother McCabe Davis gave me a small bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. After taking this I bought half a dozen bottles of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. I have not been troubled since." For sale by all dealers.

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LUMBER BUSINESS GOOD

Guilford Lumber Manufacturing Company Loses No Time on Account of War.

The business being conducted by the Guilford Lumber Manufacturing Company, which is located south of the Southern depot, shows that the demoralization of building by war times has not seriously effected the company. A reporter for the Record visited the plant this morning and was impressed by the quantity of lumber that is being handled. The manufacturing end of the business has gone on without hitch, not a day having been lost on account of financial stringency, the manager stated on inquiry, and there are no indications that the market has been hurt in the line sufficiently to cause any curtailment of production. The business of this particular concern is growing and while the expansion for the year so far is not considerable, there has been no appreciable loss.—Greensboro Record.

TO HELP THE SCHOOL CHILDREN

The bulletin described below would probably be a help to many of our schools in preparing for County Commencement:

Extension Bulletin No. 2 of the University is entitled "Addresses on Education for use in Declaiming, Essay Writing and Reading." It contains material especially suitable for boys and girls who are interested in declaimations and essays. It contains extracts from addresses by educational leaders of the last few decades: Joyner, Alderman, Battle, Melver, Claxton, Noble and many others. In a number of counties this bulletin is being used as a source of selections for the Declamation Contests at the approaching County Commencements.

A postal addressed to the Bureau of Extension, Chapel Hill, N. C., will bring this bulletin to you.

WHY NOT ITEMS

Ernest Slack and sister, Miss Martha, who are in school at Farmer, spent from Thursday till Monday with relatives. They were accompanied by Wade Kearns and Carl Lassiter.

Elsie King spent Sunday afternoon in Ashboro.

J. C. Cornelson spent Sunday at Mr. Elkanah Bean's in Montgomery.

H. L. Garney, of Star, spent part of last week with his mother, Mrs. G. F. Garner.

Miss Annie Fox and Mr. M. C. Auman spent a short time in Star Sunday afternoon.

Misses Mabel and Hester Stuart, A. F. Lowdermilk and L. E. Cagle went to Elton Sunday to hear Rev. Apple of Elton College preach.

Miss Ada Monroe and brother, Harry, spent Saturday night with their aunt, Mrs. A. C. Lowdermilk.

NEWS FROM FULLERS

Miss Fannie Trotter died of consumption last Thursday, and was buried at Tabernacle. Rev. J. M. Varner conducted the funeral.

Mrs. Lundy Loflin has been quite sick for several days, but is improving.

There was an old fashioned spelling bee at Pierce's school house Friday night.

Mr. Sam Kindley and Miss Minnie Hunt were married last Monday.

Miss Sallie Varner, who has been quite sick of typhoid fever for some time, is improving.

Mrs. J. M. Varner visited her sister, Mrs. J. O. Kearns, at Farmer last Thursday.

John M. Pearce, who lived alone near Spring Hope, was burned so badly last Saturday night that he died a few hours later. When neighbors reached the scene of the tragedy, the house was falling in and Mr. Pearce was found nearly with his clothes burned off, his body almost a cinder, and he unable to tell how the accident happened. The man was known to be drinking heavily in the early part of the night.

THE HOUSE FOR STATE HIGHWAY COMMISSION

The Cameron bill creating a State Highway Commission, with some changes, passed the North Carolina House of Representatives this week, and now goes to the Senate for consideration. The original bill carried with it an annual appropriation of \$30,000, but this was reduced to \$19,000 before the bill passed.

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

Insulted Great Scientist.

When a pension was voted to Faraday for his remarkable additions to scientific knowledge, from which untold millions of pounds sterling have been made, the grant was selected to announce the grant, but informed Faraday that he did not think much of this science business, and added: "Now, really, Faraday, it's all a humbug anyway, isn't it?" The insulted scientist refused the pension until other better informed officials apologized humbly for the impertinence of "his lordship."

IRISH CHANNEL CLOSED TO NAVIGATION

The British admiralty announces that the Irish Channel and the North Channel waters lying between England and Scotland and Ireland are closed to mercantile navigation.

YOUR COLD IS DANGEROUS BREAK IT UP—NOW

A cold is readily catching. A run-down system is susceptible to Germs. You owe it to yourself and to others of your household to fight the Germs at once. Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey is fine for Colds and Coughs. It loosens the Mucous, stops the Cough and soothes the Lungs. It's guaranteed. Only 25c. at your Druggist.

Oil for Paint.

For mixing with paint linseed oil is the one which is most commonly used as an ingredient. Other oils might be tried and the best way to test their relative worth is to mix only a small quantity of paint and test the result. Linseed oil, when pure, is excellent, since it oxidizes and becomes thick on exposure to the air. It may be considered the best of all oils for use in paint, putty and other similar substances.

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Trinidad's Mangrove Trees.

The mangrove tree, which is found in Trinidad, is a very peculiar tree. For one thing it sends germinants on the branches, and then the shoots are considerably grown they fall off and take root in the mud. As the young tree grows it sends out fresh roots from its trunk and lower branches, until at last the tree seems to be supported by a network of roots, or complicated series of arches, in the midst of which crabs, aquatic birds and insects take up their abode.

Canada and Europe.

The total area of the Dominion of Canada is only 237,000 square miles less than the whole continent of Europe. In other words, if the state of Texas were added to the Dominion it would be 30,000 square miles larger than all Europe, Great Britain and Ireland.

Last Hole, Indeed.

The story is told of an ancient Scotch golfer whose companion died and was about to be buried. The Scotman struggled out to the cemetery to be present at the interment, and arriving there, did not know where the grave was. He summoned a boy with a whistle. "Whist, lad," he said. "It's a new course. Whaur's the hole?"

Close Connection.

"You don't believe I love you?" she said. And she pressed him for his answer.—Ohio Sun Dial.

Rigne.

A good many people sympathize with the under dog, but they don't want the upper dog to know it.

When Jude Looks Important.

Jude Johnson never looks more important than when he is having his shoes shined with the money his wife took in for washing.—Atchison Globe

As a Financial Proposition.

The pen is mightier than the sword, but it's a safe bet that the sword will lower makes more money than the poet.

Mineral Salt Not Necessary.

Herman Melville found the Marquesas Islanders perfectly healthy; there were no invalids among them, and there was no salt, but such as the girls gathered from the sea—as a luxury to be enjoyed by a chief—at a pinch. Apparently a healthy life can be lived upon only salt as is supplied by the vegetables the earth affords.

KEEP IT HANDY FOR RHEUMATISM

No use to spurn and wince and try to wear out your Rheumatism. It will wear you out instead. Apply some Sloan's Liniment. Need not rub it in—just let it penetrate all through the affected parts, relieve the soreness and draw the pain. You get ease at once and feel so much better you want to go right out and tell other sufferers about Sloan's. Get a bottle of Sloan's Liniment for 25 cents of any druggist and have it in the house—against Colds, Sore and Swollen Joints, Lumbago, Sciatica and like ailments. Your money back if not satisfied, but it does give almost instant relief. Buy a bottle today.

Terrible Thought.

"Brederen," the old darky preacher said, "right in this year connection I wants you to stop and consider what a good man de Lawd was, how he made de moments of time consecutive 'stid of simultaneous, fo', brederen, if our ancestors and our posterity had a both a been boin on dis year yearth at de same time, think what a confusion dere would a been and whar would we a been at?"

Queer Hats of Soldiers.

Korean soldiers wear black or brown felt hats decorated with red horse hair of peacock feathers, and hanging from the sides, over the ears and around their necks, are oval balls of porcelain, amber and a queer kind of gum.

Dyspepsia Routed by Laughter.

You may beat your dyspepsia by looking at it. I sat down at the club lunch opposite an artist suffering from indigestion, myself being a fellow sufferer. I prescribed let's take the absolutely worst things! We ordered roast pork, roly-poly pudding and Scotch ale, laughed all the time at the solemn men who were giving other advice, and—when we met again confessed that our dyspepsia had disappeared in laughter!—London Chronicle.

Diffused as to Needed Sleep.

Sir Philip Sydney calls sleep "the poor man's wealth," and he might have added, "It is every man's health." The "Immortal Alfred" of England divided the day into three portions of eight hours each, assigning one for refreshment and health of the body by sleep and exercise, another for business and the third for study and devotion. Bishop Taylor considered three hours' and Richard Baxter four hours' sleep sufficient for any man.

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NEW SEED STORE IN GREENSBORO

We want to say to the good citizens of Randolph county that we have opened an up-to-date seed store at No. 314 South Elm St., next to Kress 5- and 10-cent store, where we will carry in stock all kinds of grass and clover seed, seed oats, seed wheat, seed rye, seed corn, seed potatoes, etc. But our Specialty will be

Fresh Garden Seeds

of every kind and variety. We buy direct from the growers themselves and get the very best seed that money will pay for, and we will sell as CHEAP, and in many instances CHEAPER than Northern or Western seed houses. And besides this, we pay postage on all Garden Seeds sent by mail. The "Mail Order" part of the business will be our specialty and being right near you, you can order goods one day and get them the next.

Write us for our new price list and let us show you what Uncle Sam's "Parcels Post" and ourselves can do for you.

Your friends,
Scott Seed Company

Inconsistent Man.

When a man marries, he wants an angel; then, after the honeymoon, he grows because he didn't get a cook.

Daily Thought.

Silence is deep as eternity, speech is shallow as time.—Carlyle.

Railroad Ties Used in New York.

Out of the 135,000,000 railroad ties used each year in the United States, New York supplies about six per cent and consumes about 16,000,000.

Wrong Again.

The Doctor—"But, my dear str, you must masticate your food; what were your teeth given you for?" The Sufferer (calmly)—"They weren't given me—I bought 'em."—London Sketch.

Right and Left.

The girl who thinks no man is good enough for her may often be right, but she is more often left.—From "The Wisdom of the Foolish."

One of the Times.

Pintopp—"So you're a traveling man. It must be a trying life." Bagley (yawning)—"It is. We meet awful bores at times."

Simple Explanation.

Mr. Stoney—"What a lot I seem to have learned tonight! How I have benefited by this conversation with you, my dear Miss Dearstone. Somehow your intellect seems to appeal to mine. Are you a literary lady?" Miss Dearstone—"No; I am a teacher in an infant school!"

Crying Baby of Some Use.

A baby "crying in the night and with no language but a cry" found that language in a New Jersey town quite sufficient for the immediate family, as it was information to the effect that the baby was on fire, thereby at the early age of one year saving twenty lives. This ought somewhat to justify that generally acknowledged nonsense, the crying baby.

Hindu Temple in San Francisco.

San Francisco has its Hindu temple, a strange-looking building, with queer ornaments and swelling protuberances on its roof. A gallery, ornamented with plants, runs around the upper part of the building, which is of wood, painted cream color. The general aspect of the building is Moorish.

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25 Head of Well broken HORSES AND MULES at a bargain. Some good Brood Mares in the lot. A. M. Ferree

RULES FOR COUNTRY CORRESPONDENTS

Ten rules for "country correspondents," prepared by an experienced newspaper man:

1. Do not abbreviate.
2. Leave a little space between items.
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2. Leave space between items. For corrections or additions.

3. Give both initials. Write C. H. Brown instead of Mr. Brown or Mr. C. Brown.

4. Write important subjects fully. Do not dismiss the death of a well known pioneer in half a dozen words, but write something of interest concerning him. If suicide or murder, give all the details you can get.

5. Have verbs agree with subjects. Don't say Mr. and Mrs. B. was, but Mr. and Mrs. B. were. Mr. and Mrs. B. may be one Scripturally, but they are two grammatically.

6. Don't use nicknames. Use James Brown instead of Jim Brown, Edward instead of Ed.

7. Give the time in an item. Mr. Brown was in Lanes, the house burned down, are incomplete. Tell when things happened.

8. Divide words correctly. Don't divide such words as enough, e-nough.

9. Don't send articles reflecting upon the character of individuals or firms. The newspaper is not looking for libel suits; neither does it care to right your personal wrongs.

10. Write your name and town at top of page. Last but not most important rule of all. It is most essential that the newspaper know from whom the news is received and from what place.

Important suggestion, though not a rule: Carefully look over your news after it is published and note what changes had to be made.

While the ten rules given above are important as relating to written news, yet there is one rule which supercedes them all—Telephone really important news AT ONCE.

GERMANS TREATED POLISH REFUGEES KINDLY

Germans can the latter appreciate the help given to Belgian refugees by people of Holland and the United States, because it is so much like the kindly treatment given by Germans to Polish refugees in 1830-31. As the homeless wanderers passed through Germany to seek refuge in France they found cordial sympathy everywhere. In almost every town a committee was appointed to raise funds and help them on their way. When they reached Frankfurt-on-Main bands played, salutes were fired, and people uncovered as the exiles passed. Their hotel expenses were paid by German municipalities. A wounded Polish officer who died at a hotel was followed to the grave by thousands. German subjects appealed to their governments to aid Poland. "The Germans then possessed the quality," dryly observes a Danish historian, "which Bismarck afterward laid to their charge as a fault—a fault of which he has since cured them—of being almost more interested in the welfare of other nations than in their own, to the extent even of desiring that welfare when it could only be purchased by some surrender of power on the part of Germany." If a fault, it was a fault on the good side, and that spirit cannot be so dead that Germans are unable to understand how the world feels about Belgium.—Springfield Republican.

DEATH AT CENTRAL FALLS

Mr. Richard R. Allred departed this life on the morning of February 14, at his home in Central Falls. The burial was at Bailey's Grove, funeral services being conducted by Rev. T. F. Sechrest. The deceased was 73 years, 10 months and 21 days old. His widow and one son, Mr. Cyrus Allred, of Ashboro, survive.

DRINK MORE WATER IF KIDNEYS BOTHER

Uric acid in meat excites the kidneys, they become overworked; get sluggish, ache, and feel like lumps of lead. The urine becomes cloudy; the bladder is irritated, and you may be obliged to seek relief two or three times during the night. When the kidneys clog you must help them flush off the body's urinous waste or you'll be a real sick person shortly. At first you feel a dull misery in the kidney region, you suffer from backache, sick headache, dizziness, stomach gets sour, tongue coated and you feel rheumatic twinges when the weather is bad.

Eat less meat, drink lots of water; also get from any pharmacist four ounces of Jad Salts; take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys will then act fine. This famous salt is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and has been used for generations to clean clogged kidneys and stimulate them to normal activity, also to neutralize the acids in urine, so it no longer is a source of irritation, thus ending bladder weakness.

Jad Salts is inexpensive, cannot injure; makes a delightful effervescent lithia-water drink which everyone should take now and then to keep the kidneys clean and active. Druggists here say they sell lots of Jad Salts to folks who believe in overcoming kidney trouble while it is only trouble.

DO YOU FIND FAULT WITH EVERYBODY?

An irritable, fault-finding disposition is often due to a disordered stomach. A man with good digestion is nearly always good natured. A great many have been permanently benefited by Chamberlain's Tablets after years of suffering. These tablets strengthen the stomach and enable it to perform its functions naturally. For sale by all druggists.