

FARMER NOTES

Miss Ada Monroe and Messrs. Ernest Slack and Frank Smith, who are attending school here, visited home folks at Why Not and Jackson Springs Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. Walter Morgan, son of M. N. Morgan, of Farmer, and Miss Bertie May Chandler, daughter of Mr. James Chandler, of New Hope, were married October 13th. The marriage took place at Eleazer church, Rev. Mr. Williams, pastor of the church, performing the ceremony. The bridal party returned to Mr. Chandler's where an elegant dinner was served, and late in the afternoon arrived at the home of the groom. There a bountiful supper was prepared, and a few chosen friends gave them welcome. Toward the close of the evening, a merry "bell crowd" welcomed the young couple in the old fashioned noisy style. The many friends of the young people wish them happiness and success in their journey through life.

OPENING OF SCHOOLS

Central Falls school opened Monday with 65 students in attendance and Misses Lela Pritchard and Ulah Williams as teachers. Quite a number of patrons were present and several short talks were made. County Superintendent Bulla attended the opening of the school.

West Bend school, with 25 pupils enrolled, and Mrs. Cephas Bowman as teacher opened Monday.

The school at Ulah with good attendance and Mr. W. M. Hurley as teacher began Monday of last week.

New Center school with Miss Hester Stuart as teacher, opened Monday.

Coleridge graded school, Prof. D. E. Highfill, principal, and Misses Mary Bowman and Mary White, assistants, opened Monday. Over 100 were enrolled.

Pisgah school, taught by Miss Jessie Lee Cox, opened Monday with good attendance.

IN AND AROUND STEEDS.

Mr. P. S. Page has returned from a visit to Asheboro and Burlington, and his many friends here are glad to have him back.

Miss Verina Moffitt is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Henry Williamson, this week.

Mrs. L. J. Hancock spent a few days last week with her sister, Mrs. J. W. Steed.

Mrs. Martin Page and daughter, of Norman, visited at Mr. Luther Page's last week.

Miss Lucy Bean has returned to her home in Biscoe after visiting relatives here.

Our farmers have harvested an unusually large crop of hay this fall. The corn and potato crops are also good.

Some of our citizens are cutting and hauling chair timber to be shipped to the factories in Asheboro.

A good many of our young men will attend the State Fair this week.

The music of the "Possum dog" is heard in our forest again, and that reminds us: Persimmons are ripe. Surely we live in a land of plenty.

THE COURIER CONTEST PRIZES

The Ford automobile is too well known to need any word of description. Suffice it to say that a Ford 5-passenger touring car is the first grand prize in The Courier's subscription contest. These cars are for sale in Asheboro by the Asheboro Motor Car Company, and the Courier car may be seen at their garage.

The second prize, the standard high grade York piano, is on exhibition at The Courier office and you are invited to come in and look it over. Mr. A. N. Culom sells these pianos and the number he has sold in the county testifies to their sterling worth and their immense popularity.

The handsome bedroom suit, which is the third prize, may be seen at Lambert's Grocery, next door to The Courier office. This suit of furniture is a thing of beauty and it would look well in your house. This suit cannot be duplicated anywhere for less than \$125 which is the price you would have to pay for the one The Courier is giving away absolutely free were you to buy it from the furniture dealer.

Rock Hill buggies may be seen anywhere in the county, but the one which The Courier will give away as the fourth prize is at the McCrary-Redding Hardware Company. This buggy is well worth the effort it will take to win it and the winner will be proud of the prize.

The fifth prize, a high grade cooking range, is on exhibition at the McCrary-Redding Hardware Co., which Co. sells these ranges. The Courier will give one of them absolutely free to the contestant securing the fifth largest number of votes in the contest.

The Free sewing machine, sold by Mr. D. A. Cornelison, at Seagrove may be seen at The Courier office, or if you can't come to The Courier office, Mr. Cornelison will be glad to show you one just like the one we are giving for a district prize.

COLERIDGE ITEMS

Coleridge Red Sox Make Good Record of Central Falls Mill Moved.—Graded School Opens.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Caveness, of Asheboro, were in town Tuesday.

Mr. L. C. Linkreun, of New York City, was in town one day last week on business.

The Coleridge Red Sox have gone into winter quarters after having played twelve games the last season, winning eight and losing four. The team organized late in the season and only played a few games. We are proud to say they did not lose a single game on the home diamond during the season. They hope to have a still better team next year.

Mrs. Dr. Hayworth and daughter, Miss Golda, returned home Sunday after a few days stay at Jackson Springs.

The office of the Central Falls Mills has been moved from this place to Asheboro and Mr. J. M. Caveness has been elected secretary and treasurer.

Miss Mary White, of Mebane, arrived Saturday, and Miss Mary Bowman, of Liberty, arrived Sunday, to assume their positions as teachers in the graded school.

Coleridge graded school opened last Monday with a large attendance. We hope to make this one of the best school years in the history of the school. Prof. D. E. Highfill is principal with Misses Bowman and White assistants. Mr. Highfill is a former teacher of the school, having taught two terms before. We are glad to have him back.

Wonder if the Republicans are higher tax and low cotton now? Guess they have cut their cry to high tax alone.

Mrs. Bowman, of Liberty, visited at the Riverside Hotel Sunday.

RANDLEMAN SOCIAL

Entertainment in Honor of Teachers—Meeting of Betterment Society.

Last Friday evening Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Mathews delightfully entertained at their home on Main Street in honor of the teachers of the Randleman Graded School.

The parlor and hall were beautifully decorated with cut flowers and potted plants.

Five tables were arranged for rock and this was played progressively.

After the game Miss Clara Wall assisted the hostess in serving delicious block cream, cake and mints.

Those enjoying Mr. and Mrs. Mathews hospitality were:

Misses Mary Swain, Cordia Wall, Ellen Barker, Mary Allen Bulla, Maud Fox, Clara Wall, Mary Gray Newlin, Jessie Woollen, Prof. N. F. Farlow, Dr. O. L. Fox, Messrs. J. O. Pickard, A. B. Beasley, John Fox, Chas. Brown, John Woolen, D. Sutcliff, and Mr. and Mrs. Smith.

A spelling bee will be given by the Betterment Society in the graded school building, Saturday, October 23, beginning at 8 o'clock. Everybody, young and old, invited to come.

After the spelling bee refreshments will be served. There will be a registration fee of five cents.

The Betterment Society of Randleman held their regular monthly meeting at the graded school building, Friday afternoon. Plans for improvements on the school building and the grounds were discussed. The following officers were elected for the coming year: Mrs. R. P. Deal, president; Mrs. W. I. Sumner, vice-president; Miss Maud Fox, secretary; Mrs. R. W. Farlow, treasurer; Miss Jessie Woollen, corresponding secretary.

PLANS FOR NATIONAL DEFENSE

Administration program for National defense to be recommended to the forthcoming session of Congress proposing a total expenditure on the Army and Navy next year of about \$400,000,000 is practically completed. Secretary Garrison's plan, approved by the President, calls for an increase of \$75,000,000 in the War Department's annual appropriation, to be used for augmenting the regular army to 140,000 men and the creation of a new continental army of 400,000 men, which together with the militia of 125,000 would give the United States a military force in time of need of 685,000.

Approval has been given to the proposal of Secretary Daniels and the general board of the Navy for a five-year naval construction program to cost \$500,000,000, giving the Navy 10 new dreadnoughts and six battle cruisers as well as more than 70 submarines, 50 destroyers, 10 scout cruisers and a host of auxiliary ships.

WILSON WILL DO NO CAMPAIGNING.

President Wilson has planned to take no active part in the 1916 convention campaign, but will spend the summer at his summer home near Long Branch, N. J. Later he may write a number of letters on the issues and receive political leaders.

TRINITY NEWS

Miss Parkin Hostess to Book Club—Mr. Chapin Returns Home.

Miss Nell Parkin was hostess Saturday afternoon to the Trinity Book Club. The graciousness and warmth of manner with which the Misses Parkin dispense hospitality always assures their guests a pleasant hour, and to the usual features of the club they added some very charming guests in Miss Ellis, of Trinity; Misses Terry, Polly Heitman, and Ruth Faison, of High Point; and Miss Virginia Redding, of Caraway. Vocal and piano solos and recitations interspersed with the usual quota of friendly conversation, and a delicious salad course, filled the hour pleasantly and made the afternoon one to be remembered.

Mrs. F. H. Wood and Master Robert Ellis, who went to Greensboro for a few days last week to visit relatives and to take in the fair, returned to their home Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Leach and Mr. David White, Jr., went to the Greensboro fair last Wednesday.

Attorney Bruce Craven and family attended the Greensboro fair Wednesday.

Mr. Chapin, who has been visiting his daughter, Mrs. Bruce Craven, left Thursday morning for his home at Mocksville. Mr. Chapin is 87 years old and almost blind, but walks quick and brisk as the usual man would at 65 and finds no difficulty in making the trip from Mocksville to Raleigh, Durham, and Trinity, and back to Mocksville once or twice a year to visit his daughters who live at these places. He keeps up with the affairs of the day and is so bright and chatty that old and young enjoy his visits and are sorry to see him leave.

Miss Lyde Leach and Miss Birdie White spent Sunday with Miss Grace Hunt and Miss Maude Fuller at Pleasant Hill.

Mr. Morris Brame and wife motored over Sunday and brought their mother, Mrs. Cornelia Brame, who will spend the winter with her son and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Brame. Mr. and Mrs. Brame left Monday morning for their home.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Peace spent the week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Leach.

Mrs. O. W. Carr, with Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Pepper and Mr. David White, Jr., motored to High Point Sunday to attend the revival services at the Wesley Memorial church and spent the day with Dr. and Mrs. Dred Peacock.

The Woman's Missionary Society will meet Tuesday at 3 o'clock.

Mr. W. H. Hayes, who spent the week at home, says that business is improving and that sales are good.

COUNTY TEACHERS' MEETING

Asheboro, N. C., Oct. 21, 1915. To the Teachers and Committeemen of Randolph county:

The first county teachers' meeting for the school term will be held Saturday, October 30th, at Asheboro, in the Graded School Auditorium. It is earnestly desired that every teacher in the county be present and take part in the program. Paul Jones, who is State lecturer for the Jr. O. U. A. M., is to be present and give an address on the subject of adult illiteracy and its elimination.

Dr. Jones, Health Officer for Guilford county, will make an address on the subject of health in the public schools.

The Board of Education, at its last meeting, passed a resolution asking that all teachers attend the County meetings. This will be the only one before Christmas, therefore I urgently request you to attend.

A special invitation is extended the committeemen to be present for the program will be as helpful for them as for the teachers.

Would suggest that you bring lunch. The Woman's Club of Asheboro will furnish hot coffee and sandwiches.

Registers, report blanks and cards will be distributed.

The meeting will begin promptly at 10:30.

Yours truly,
T. FLETCHER BULLA,
Co. Supt.

BENJAMIN MILLIKAN DEAD

Mr. Benjamin Millikan, father of J. M. Millikan, clerk of the United States Court, died Thursday morning at the home of his son in Greensboro, with whom he had been making his home for some time. He was 84 years of age and was a native of this county.

Mr. Millikan was a former sheriff of Randolph county having been elected to that office over John W. McNairy in 1878 by a majority of six votes.

Mr. Millikan was a member of the Friends' church at Guilford College. Funeral services were conducted Friday at Marlboro church in this county by Rev. Albert Peels, of Guilford College, and the remains were interred in the family cemetery.

Tuesday of last week was the 423rd anniversary of the discovery of America by Christopher Columbus.

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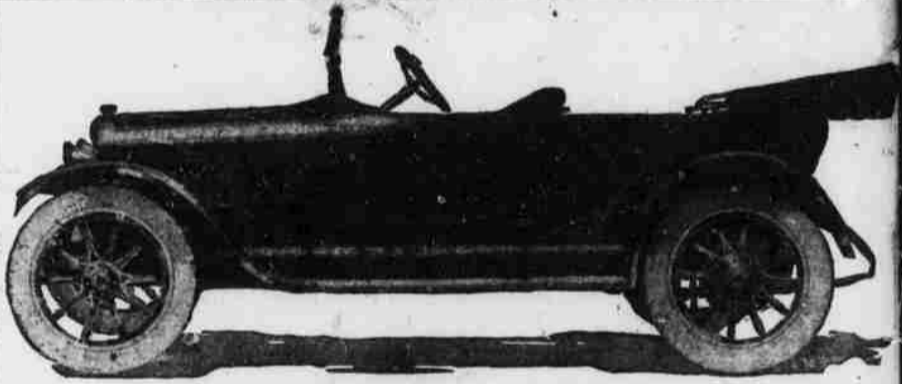
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It was the expectation of the Wilson Administration and Congress that under more liberal custom rates the total receipts, while more evenly distributed, would not be greatly diminished, and that the loss of revenue in providing for free sugar and molasses, effective May 1 next, would be more than offset by the income tax. That this hope would not be realized was plainly seen last year when the emergency war taxes were levied.

In their conclusion to ask Congress for a renewal of the war taxes and the repeal of the free-sugar and molasses clause of the tariff, the President and Secretary of the Treasury are fully justified by facts. The sit-

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DEATH OF MISS DUNEN

Miss Minnie Dunen, aged 20 years, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Dunen, of High Rock Route 1, died Monday, a victim of the Great War Plague and was buried in the Springs cemetery Tuesday.

Miss Dunen was a highly respectable young lady of excellent character and her community has been much by her death.