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## JUDGE BOND IN CHATHAM CO.

Speaking of Judge Bond the "Chatham Record" says:

The presiding judge is Hon. William M. Bond, of Edenton, who held our March term, and the favorable impression then made has been increased by his holding this term. His praises are in the mouth of all who have been in the court room and seen him presiding. He is very considerate of the feelings of everybody having business in court and treats all with the utmost courtesy, which is in most pleasing contrast with the conduct of a few of our judges.

The judge's charge to the grand jury was not the ordinary explanation (so often heard) of the crimes of which grand jurors have jurisdiction, but it was an eloquent and forceful appeal for good citizenship among both white and colored, and was listened to with close attention and deep interest not only by the grand jurors but also by all persons in the court room.

A special term of the superior court of this county will be held here beginning on Monday, the 28th of June, and continuing for two weeks unless the business is sooner disposed of, which is not at all probable, for it would take nearly two more weeks to try all the cases now on our civil issue docket. This special term is for the trial of civil cases only.

Judge Bond will hold this special term, he being selected for that purpose by a unanimous request of the lawyers in this county. He seems to be in much demand as the judge for holding special terms, for not only will he hold our term but also a two weeks special term for Montgomery county, beginning the 7th of June, and a two-weeks term for Johnston county, beginning the 19th of July. This is quite complimentary to him and shows the high esteem in which he is held as a learned, impartial and upright judge.

Alluding to the Confederate memorial exercises the same paper says:

"The oration of the occasion was introduced in a few remarks by Mr. H. A. London, who congratulated the audience that they were so fortunate as to have Judge Bond to deliver the address, which was elegant in diction and graceful in delivery. To say that all who had the pleasure of hearing this address were greatly pleased is putting it mildly, for in this address Judge Bond fully sustained his well earned reputation as one of the most eloquent orators in this state. We will not do him the injustice of attempting a synopsis of it."

## Turkey Egg Freak.

There has been on exhibition at Mr. T. E. White's store for several days something out of the ordinary in turkey eggs. This is a case where two eggs, about the usual size of turkey eggs, were laid joined together, not end to end but somewhat at right angles. The shells were soft, but were perfectly formed. This twin egg (or these twin eggs, whichever you prefer) was brought by Mr. J. E. Moran from his farm near Edenton and was looked upon by all who saw it as a curiosity.

Dear Sir:

The National Bureau of Education addressed the following questions to each State Department of Education:

"What is the most important recent step taken in high school work in your State, and what is the most pressing high school need or problem?"

The following states responded that it was the establishing of Farm Life Schools or the need to do so and that they would do so: Alabama, California, Colorado, Tennessee, Texas, Wisconsin, Nevada, New Jersey, North Dakota, Pennsylvania, Rhode Island, Maine, Maryland, Michigan, Missouri, Montana, Nebraska, Connecticut, Georgia, Illinois, Iowa. Our State Department did not reply. Be a Booster. Be cheerfully optimistic. Chowan to the front.

Vote for Chowan county boys and girls by voting for Farm Life School. Investigate before you vote. It must stand the test.

A greater opportunity at lowest cost to all.

Keep bright boys and girls in the county by showing them why it is best to remain here. Work out the problem with the aid of the school.

Study your county to make the most of it. We want more folks to come to our county to live. They will come if we will sell them part of our land and offer them good schools, better than the high school.

Signed

E. J. GRIFFIN,

President of Board of Trade and Farmers' Union.

## REASONS AND ADVANTAGES.

We now pay to support schools of this type in other counties.

By establishing this, we get back more than we pay out.

90% of the pupils do not leave the county for higher education. They only learn by experience which is a costly teacher.

It would also help those who do go out of the county since they would not need to go if they could get it at home.

Subjects studied: Properties of soils, The New Agriculture, Better plants and animals, How plants feed and grow, Soil and its management, Plant food in the soil, Maintaining soil fertility, Barnyard manures, Commercial fertilizers, Relation of type of farming to soil fertility, Drainage, Irrigation and Dry Farming, Corn—small grain, Fiber crops, grasses—Legumes, Forage crops, Roots and Tubers, Sugar crop, Tobacco, Silos and silage, Orchard crop, Wood crop, Plant diseases, Insects on the Farm, Crops in rotation, Spraying, Feeding animals, horses and mules, Dairy Cattle, Dairy products, Beef cattle, Swine, Sheep, Poultry, Business aspects of Farming, Mechanical power on the Farm, Domestic science or Home part of the farm: —Cooking, sewing, canning, selection and study of quality and make and property of cotton—woolen, cotton and linen goods—Food values and properties, Home arrangement, decoration, sanitation, nursing, care and feeding of babies.

## Postal Savings By Mail

Every person in the United States ten years old or over may open an account in a postal savings bank after July 1st, according to an instructive leaflet on the Postal Savings System just issued by Postmaster General Burleson. This important extension of the service will be made possible by permitting persons living in communities so sparsely settled as not to justify the designation of their local post office as regular postal savings banks to open accounts by mail.

Any person who may desire any further information relative to Postal Savings System will call at our office. We will be glad to answer any question, or give the desired information. The Government will safeguard all the moneys placed with it, and you can sleep comfortably after making your deposit.

Respectfully,  
Wm. J. LEARY, Sr.,  
Postmaster,  
Edenton, N. C.

## Cuts Third Set of Teeth.

A Wake Forest dispatch to The Raleigh Times of the 12th says that Mrs. Lizzie Williams, who lives in the vicinity of the Royal Cotton Mill, near there is now cutting her third set of teeth. Mrs. Williams is fifty-five years

old and for the last five years has worn false teeth. She has already had to put aside her false teeth and use those which are not so easily put aside. With good health, a third set of natural teeth and a set of false ones in her trunk, Mrs. Williams doesn't have the least bit of doubt but what she will live to see her 100th birthday. —Gastonia Gazette.

## Hobbsville News.

Miss Douglas Beard spent last week with her sister, Mrs. W. A. Sykes.

Misses Florine and Sallie Blanchard were the guests of Miss Thelma Eason Thursday afternoon.

Miss Etta Phillips spent Monday afternoon at the home of Mr. D. J. Rountree.

Mrs. Laura Elliott and son, Mr. Willie Elliott, of Hertford, spent the week-end with relatives here.

Prayer meeting opened here Sunday night. We had a very good meeting. Everybody is invited to attend. We hope to have Bro. Fallice with us next Sunday night.

Misses Ellie and Audrey Rountree spent Sunday morning with Miss Etta Phillips.

Miss Sallie Blanchard spent Friday afternoon with Miss Ellie Rountree.

Misses Florine and Sallie Blanchard entertained a number

of friends Sunday afternoon.

Mr. Tom Trotman and Miss Laide Hobbs were out driving Friday afternoon.

Mesdames W. A. and M. I. Sykes and little Hallie Sykes, Misses Sallie Blanchard, Iona, Audrey and Ellie Rountree spent Saturday afternoon with Mrs. Sarah Boyce of Selwin.

Miss Iona Rountree called on Miss Fannie Hobbs Sunday morning.

Mr. Floyd Bunch accompanied Miss Lillie King to Sunday school here Sunday morning.

Miss Sallie Blanchard is spending the week with her sister, Mrs. Linwood Brown.

Mr. Isaac Sykes and Miss Pauline Hobbs attended the children's night at Zion's Sunday night.

Messrs Jewell and Titus Ward of Ryland, were in our midst Sunday night.

Mr. Waddell Hobbs spent Sunday afternoon in Gliden.

Mrs. Amos Hobbs spent Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Willie Hollowell of Selwin.

Misses Ellie and Audrey Rountree spent Thursday afternoon with their aunt Mrs. Jennie Russell.

A lazy liver leads to chronic dyspepsia and constipation, weakens the whole system. Doan's Regulents (25c per box) act mildly on the liver and bowels. At all drug stores. adv.

## Corapeake News.

Miss Ruth Lassiter left Saturday for Murfreesboro to attend the commencement exercises at Chowan college and from there she will go to Cenway to visit Miss Rosa Futrell.

Children's Day exercises will be held at Eureka church next Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Mr. J. R. Lassiter called to see Mr. T. W. Riddick Sunday.

Mrs. C. W. Jones spent Monday afternoon with Mrs. Luther Knight.

Mr. W. O. Speight spent Sunday at Middle Swamp with his parents.

Mrs. W. H. Hollowell has returned home from a visit to relatives in Chowan county.

Mrs. Fannie Eure was the guest of Mrs. J. E. Norcume Sunday.

H. L. Barnes of Norfolk spent Friday night with his parents.

Mr. Boscoe Parker of Philadelphia, Pa., is spending a while here with relatives.

Mr. A. L. Lynch was suddenly called to Norfolk Sunday to be with his brother who is in a hospital there.

Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Mathias spent Sunday afternoon with her sister Mrs. James White.

Having closed her school at Mackeys Ferry Miss Judith Lassiter is at home.

## Joppa News Items

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Eason and children visited the Misses Hurdle Sunday afternoon.

Mr. Chester Speight of Sunbury, passed through here Sunday enroute to Belvidere.

Mr. Will Stallings and Miss Cora Rountree attended Sunday school at Muddy Cross Sunday.

Mr. E. L. Hurdle was the guest of Miss Bettie Twine Saturday night.

Mr. A. A. Hurdle of Bosley visited his parental home Sunday.

This community was visited by a pelting hail and wind storm Sunday night and Monday afternoon which did much damage. Trees were uprooted, fences blown down, corn and cotton cut awful and in fact everything that was growing where the storm went. Mrs. J. S. Rountree was badly shocked by the storm Monday afternoon.

## Bosley News Items.

Miss Rosa Hofer returned to her home from Norfolk Saturday night.

An enjoyable evening was spent by many of the young people Saturday at the home of Miss Margaret Rountree. Many games were played after which partners were selected by a jumping string run to the dining room where a delightful refreshment course was served. Those who enjoyed the evening were Misses Anna, Elsie and Maggie Simpson, Leona Ward, Malena Hinton, Eva Barnes and Viva Rector, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hinton, Messrs Maywood, Earnest and Lonnie Spivey, Milton Byrum, Sam Hill, Walter Barnes, Emmet and Charlie Rice, Percy Hobbs, Billie Pruden, Linwood and Wallace Rountree and Wray Applewhite.

Mr. B. H. Ward and family spent Sunday afternoon in Sunbury.

Quite a number of boys and

girls gathered at the home of Mr. L. C. Rountree Sunday afternoon.

After spending the week-end here Messrs Wallace Rountree and Charlie Rice left Monday morning for Norfolk.

Miss Viva Rector left Tuesday for Belhaven where she will join her sister, Miss Rector, enroute to Asheville.

## Drum Hill Items

Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Howell and Master Stanley spent Sunday with relatives near Roduco.

Mr. J. T. Savage and family, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Cross spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Riddick of Middle Swamp.

Mrs. Clyde Waters was the guest of Mrs. Joe Riddick Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Jackson spent Saturday and Sunday with relatives near Holly Neck.

Mrs. Tim Rountree spent part of last week with Mrs. Joe Riddick.

Miss Mildred Jackson is visiting relatives near Norfolk.

Mrs. W. H. Parker and little Hartwell of Portsmouth are visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Baker.

Mr. Joe Riddick and family have moved in their new residence in east Drum Hill.

Mr. Joshua Speight and family moved into the house he recently purchased from Mr. Joe Riddick.

Rev. T. M. Grant filled his regular appointment at Savage's Sunday.

Misses Nina Baker, Mabel Brinkley and Florence Appleby, Messrs. Ballard, Ashboro and Bosman of Suffolk spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Baker.

Mr. Daniel Lassiter of the W. U. Telegraph Co., left Sunday for Reidsville.

Children's Day services will be held at Savage's church fifth Sunday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock.

## Topsy News.

Mrs. D. S. Harrell and children spent last Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Sam Harrell.

Little Miss Fleeta Harrell who has been visiting at her grandfather's returned home last Thursday.

Mrs. A. L. Parker, Jr., and children were the guests of Mrs. D. S. Harrell Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Lucy Harrell spent Saturday afternoon with Mrs. D. S. Harrell.

Mr. Sam Harrell spent Saturday evening in Eure on business. Mr. and Mrs. Abram Parker entertained a number of friends and relatives Sunday.

Mr. Oscar Hayes is wearing a deep smile—"It's a girl."

Mr. and Mrs. Abram Parker spent Saturday evening in Eure shopping.

Miss Polly Eure is recovering from a recent illness.

Mrs. Mary Harrell is on the sick list.

Mrs. Nat Griffin spent Saturday afternoon with Mrs. Mary Harrell.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Carter and family of Roduco spent Sunday with her sister, Mrs. A. L. Parker, Jr.

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The famous little pill  
**Sucken's Arnica Salve**  
The Best Salve in The World.