

### Belvidere Items.

(Received too late for last week).

#### Dr. and Mrs. I. A. Ward Entertain at House Party.

For one week, beginning Monday, August 18, Dr. and Mrs. I. A. Ward entertained at a delightful house party, the guests being Misses Della Lassiter, Corapeake; Genola Ward, Byland; Ola Morehead, Weldon; and Mary Alston, Powellsville; Messrs. W. M. Stevenson, Pendleton; G. A. Trimyer, White Sulphur Springs; W. Va.; Bryon Keeter, Grover; and T. H. Weatherbee, Weldon. The week of gaiety opened Monday evening with an informal reception given by Dr. and Mrs. Ward. Miss Nelle Ward in her usual graceful manner received the guests at the front door and presented them to the receiving line, which was composed of Dr. and Mrs. Ward, Miss Ola Morehead and Mr. W. M. Stevenson, Miss Della Lassiter and Mr. W. M. Hollowell, Miss Mary Alston and Mr. Roy Hollowell, Miss Genola Ward and Mr. George Asbell, Miss Laura Hollowell and Mr. T. H. Weatherbee, Miss Esther Elliott and Mr. G. A. Trimyer, Miss Gertrude Balance and Mr. T. L. Ward, Miss Willietta Coffield and Mr. E. N. Elliott, Miss Fannie Lewis and Mr. T. Ward, Miss Emily Ward and Mr. Bryon Keeter. They then went into the living room where Misses Lammie Wright and Lucy White presided over the punch bowl. In the dining room Norfolk cream and cake were served. Tuesday the members of the house party with a number of invited guests enjoyed a camp supper on the school campus. On Wednesday morning Mrs. Emma White entertained the house guests at cards. Progressive Rook was played after which punch, cream and cake were served. In the afternoon a picnic at Holley's Wharf was enjoyed. Thursday the party with a few invited guests motored to Edenton. Mr. T. C. Perry was host Thursday evening at a watermelon party in honor of the members of the house. Friday morning Mr. B. C. Ward accompanied the guests on an automobile trip sight-seeing. In the afternoon they were invited to the home of Mr. T. B. Ward for dinner. Saturday morning, Mr. T. L. Ward of Byland took the guests motoring and in the evening Messrs. Benzie and Carlyle Ward, John and George Asbell entertained the guests at a delightful surprise party.

After spending a two weeks' vacation at her home here Miss Lucy White returned to Greensboro Monday.

Lula Mae and Ellen Babb of Ivor, Va., spent several days recently with their grandmother, Mrs. Mattie White.

Miss Okie Ralford of Ivor is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Jay Winslow this week.

Misses Willietta Coffield of Edenton, Lula Balance of E. City, Clyde Lewis of Wilmington, Mr. and Mrs. Alyah Lamb of New York have been recent guests at the home of Mr. W. H. Lamb.

Mrs. George White of Guilford College was the guest at Mr. Rufus White's last week.

Mr. Wood Copeland and family are visiting Mrs. Sarah Layden.

After a two weeks' visit to Mantoo Miss Mary Smith came home Tuesday.

The Children's Day exercises at Piney Woods church last Sunday proved a success. The subject "The Ladder of Life" was beautifully illustrated and the exercises and hymns which harmonized with it made it all an impressive service. The program committee wish to extend to Miss Coffield of Edenton special thanks and appreciation for her

assistance in the musical part of the program.

Last Friday afternoon from 4 till 6 o'clock Miss Mary N. White entertained a number of little folks in honor of her nieces, Lula Mae and Ellen Babb. Various games were enjoyed after which cake and cream was served.

#### Henderson Asbell

On Thursday, June 28th, the body of our loving father was laid to rest in the family burial ground. But his soul having heard the command of the King "Come up higher" had winged its way to mansions of delight. He was nearing his 75 year, was a Confederate soldier of the Civil War and one of the oldest members of Bethany M. E. church in which he will be greatly missed for he was always ready to do all he could for its cause. Although there were often great obstacles in his path, yet he always looked to Him who is above all for help, and when toiling at his bench one could often hear the clear, but tremulous strains, "He Leadeth Me." He was known by the community at large to be a man to do all the good he could. One of the striking traits of his character was his devotion to his wife and six children, all of whom survive him. He was always ready to do all he could to make them comfortable and happy. The church has lost a faithful member, the county a loyal citizen and the community one of its best men. All was done for him that loving hands could do, but he could not stay longer, for God had called him to go where He had made a place for him in that beautiful heavenly home. We would not call him back to the sorrows and evils of this life but rejoice in the thought that he is "Safe in the arms of Jesus."

"He is sleeping, only sleeping. And his form is laid away, In the heavenly Father's keeping Till the resurrection day."

"He is sleeping, only sleeping. All his trials have been borne, Resting in his Father's keeping, Till the resurrection morn."

DAUGHTERS.

#### Another Link With Creswell

#### Creswell Citizens Add Their Praise.

Another link with our neighboring town of Creswell is provided in the following grateful and generous statement of a well-known resident there, Mr. Jackson who says:

H. T. Jackson, Creswell, N. C., says: "I suffered from backache and pains across my loins. If I attempted to stoop or lift anything sharp twinges caught me in the small of my back. My kidneys were weak and the kidney secretions were too frequent in passage. The secretions were also highly colored and contained sediment. Since I used Doan's Kidney Pills, the backache has left, together with the pains in my loins. Now I can stand all day long and not have that distressing pain in my back. My kidneys are regular in action, too."

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#### THE CITIZENS BANK IS DISTRIBUTING A VALUABLE HAND BOOK FOR FARMERS.

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#### A Soldier's Side Of It.

We're not ashamed of the uniform And if you're a friend You will never say against it Any word that will offend; It has covered honored bodies, And by heroes had been worn, Since the days of the Republic, When the Stars and Stripes were born.

Uniforms have many patterns; Some are khaki, some are blue And men who choose to wear them Are many patterns, too, Some are sons of wealthy parents, Some are college graduates, Some have many virtues, Some are simply reprobates.

We have many skilled mechanics, Men of brain and letter, who Loyal have served their country That they are a credit to.

No, indeed, they are not angels; Blackguards?—yes, we've some of those,

But when they come into the service

They all wore civilian clothes. Men of all kinds when they're drinking,

Misbehave, act rough and swear; Drunken soldiers or civilians Are disgusting anywhere.

Grant us then your kind forbearance,

We'll appreciate it much more Than a lot of noise and cheering, When we're leaving for a war.

We have sat with you in public, And have smelled your whiskey breath;

Heard remarks, insane and silly, Nearly boring us to death,

Though we've offered no objections When at theatres we met;

Yet you think you should exclude us From the most exclusive set.

If you meet us out in public, On the street or anywhere,

We don't merit sneering glances, Nor patronizing stares;

For we have an honored calling As our garments plainly show, You may be a thief or a parson—

How on earth are we to know?

We don't care about your profession

Occupation or what you do; When you're looking at a soldier

And he's looking back at you; Who is there to judge between us

As we stand there man to man? Only one—the great Almighty,

Name another if you can.

Drop your proud and haughty bearing

And your egotistic pride, Get acquainted with the soldier,

And the heart and soul inside; Test and try to analyze him,

Criticise him through and through And you'll very likely find him

Just as GOOD a man AS YOU.

By Sgt. Geo. C. Smith, Motor Truck Co., No. 47, 2nd North Carolina Infantry, in Camp at Charlotte, N. C.

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#### Partly Worn Clothing Wanted

The Duryea War Relief makes an urgent appeal for partly worn clothing for the sufferers in towns evacuated by the Germans. Those wishing to make up this box, which will be sent in September are requested to send their contributions to Miss May Warren, Queen Street, Edenton, N. C.

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#### Chowan College News

This has been a busy summer at Chowan College. The first three weeks of June was spent in repairing and whitewashing the halls, bed rooms, class-rooms, dining-room, and kitchen. During the last week in June, the Pastors of the Chowan and West Chowan Associations held an Institute at the college.

A "Summer School" for the teachers of Northampton, Hartford and Bertie counties was conducted in the college buildings during four weeks in July.

All of August has been given by the college forces to canning and pickling vegetables. They hope to have, by November, one thousand gallons of canned vegetables stored for winter use.

Miss Beatrice Nye of Winterville, N. O., has been visiting President Lineberry's family.

Miss Georgiana Baldwin, the college house-keeper, who has been at the college all the summer, is visiting her mother at Whitville, N. C. She will return in time for the opening of school.

Nearly all the rooms in the college dormitories are engaged for the fall, and applications are arriving daily. It seems that all the rooms will be engaged by the opening of school.

Mrs. J. O. VanLandingham of Raleigh, N. C., has been spending a few days at the college, visiting Mrs. Lineberry.

The carpenters are at work, building new steps to all the main entrances, moving and repairing a tenant house, and painting the roofs of the main buildings.

The superintendent of the grounds, Mr. Pendograph, has all his hands busy mowing the lawns, trimming the shrubbery, rousing the walks and getting the grounds in a nice condition.

Mrs. Croiland, the college matron, is expected to arrive this week. She will have the buildings cleaned and everything placed in order for the opening of school September 5th.

Both the old and the new teachers seem anxious to begin work, and everyone is predicting a very profitable and prosperous school year.



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#### Notice of Sale of Government Property.

By authority of the Secretary of Commerce and the Commissioner of Fisheries, sealed bids for the purchase of "Launch Petrol," at the Bureau of Fisheries Station, Edenton, North Carolina, will be received at the above station, up to 5 P. M., September 15, 1917. The government reserves the right to reject any and all bids, deemed inconsistent with the value of the boat's equipment. "Launch Petrol" is a twin screw power boat equipped with two 12 1/2 h.p. Lathrop engines. Her length is 45 feet over all, beam 13 ft. and draft 3 1/2 ft. The boat is completely housed, with coxswain cabin, captain's quarters, kitchen, engine room and commodions decks.

Terms: Cash. For further description and information you will correspond with the superintendent.

W. E. MORGAN, Sept., Fisheries Station, Edenton, N. C.

#### Hobbsville News.

After a visit to relatives and friends here Miss Lola Hanton returned to her home in Whaleyville Sunday. She was accompanied home by Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Carter and baby, Misses Claire and Ethel Carter, Messrs. Leon Hobbs and Robert Hofer. Misses Grace Sykes and Lula Beard spent Friday afternoon with Misses Iona and Audrey Rountree.

Miss Sibyl Russell entertained company Friday evening.

Miss Pauline Hobbs has recently concluded a visit to friends and relatives in Norfolk and Suffolk.

Mr. and Mrs. P. D. Hobbs, Messrs. W. D. and Junius Hobbs motored to Portsmouth Saturday and spent the night. They returned Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. D. J. Rountree and daughter, Ellie, spent a few days recently with friends and relatives in Port Norfolk.

After a two weeks' stay with their brother, Mr. W. A. Sykes, Mr. Paul Sykes and sister, Miss Grace, left Wednesday for their home in Woodland.

Messrs. Walter and Wallace Speight, Misses Pauline and Susie Hobbs motored to Ocean View Sunday. Among others who went were Messrs. O. Ward, W. L. Riddick and M. H. Hobbs.

Mrs. Jessie Murray and little son returned home last week after a visit to her sister, Mrs. W. L. Riddick. She was accompanied home by Mrs. Riddick who returned home Monday.

Mrs. M. H. Hobbs and baby spent the week-end in Kingsboro with her mother.

W. S. PRIVOTT,  
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#### Notice. Sale of Real Estate

By virtue of a decree of the Superior Court of Chowan County, N. C., in the special proceedings of A. Bass and wife Mittie Bass, et al., against John Hollowell and wife, Melville H. Hollowell, et al.—I will sell for cash before the court house door in Edenton, N. C., on Saturday the 22nd day of September, 1917, at 12 o'clock M., the following described real estate in Chowan County North Carolina, belonging to the estate of the late Quinton Bass, deceased, to-wit:

(1) Beginning at Brier Hill landing at a Black Gum; thence running James Smith's line to Robert Nixon's line, cornering at Q. T. Bass' and others line at a Black Oak; thence a straight line to Exam Goodwin's and John Bass' line; thence a straight line to the river along said Bass' line; thence along the river to the first station, containing fifty acres, more or less, and being the property conveyed to Quinton Bass by William M. Myers and wife, Lavonia Myers, April 10th, 1885, by deed duly recorded in office of Register of Deeds for Chowan County, in deed book "T" page 232-3.

(2) Beginning at a Gum in White's Landing Road, which divides the Augustus Bass tract from the land herein described; thence running South 45 degrees West, along said divisional line, to a corner, the Southwest point of the Quinton Bass property; thence North one-half degree East 24 1-10 chains to a Hay and Gum corner; thence North 86 degrees East to White's Landing Road; and continuing in a straight line from said road to a stake; thence South 20 degrees West to a Gum and continuing in a straight line from said Gum to White's Landing Road, and up the road to beginning point, containing forty-four acres, more or less, and being that part remaining of the Perry Abbey tract after a conveyance of forty-four acres, more or less, to Augustus Bass by Quinton Bass, by deed duly recorded in office of Register of Deeds for Chowan County, in book "P" page 156, reference to which is made.

This 20th day of August, 1917.  
H. M. LEARY,  
Commissioner.

#### Notice

Under and by virtue of a deed of trust executed to W. A. Privott by the Farmers Educational Co-Operative Union of America, Macedonia Local No. 2184, dated December 30, 1912, and registered in Book No. 23, pages 296-7, Register of Deeds' office for Chowan County, N. C., default having been made in the payment of the notes secured by said instrument, I will sell for cash before the Court House door in Edenton, N. C., on Saturday the 22nd day of September, 1917, at 12 o'clock M., the following described tract of land in Second Township, said County and State:

Beginning at an iron stake on West side of Macedonia Road at Miller's line, thence Westwardly along Miller's line 44 yards to an iron stake; thence North westerly parallel with the said Macedonia Road 55 yards to a gum; thence Eastwardly parallel with Miller's line 44 yards to Miller's corner, place of beginning, containing 1 acre, more or less.

This 20th day of August, 1917.  
W. S. PRIVOTT,  
Trustee.

H. R. LEARY,  
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