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**Haw River Items.**

Rev. B. T. Hurley of Trinity College, spent the holidays here, we hope he had a pleasant stay. Ben Robertson of Durham, spent Easter with his people. Miss Woodfin Chambers and Mrs. M. J. Brady of Raleigh, spent Easter at the home of B. S. Robertson. Miss Bessie McPherson and Mawin spent Sunday here. Hubert Hill of Raleigh spent several days here last week. C. R. Faucette, our popular telegraph operator spent Monday at Brown Summit. Quite a number of our people went to Carr's farm Easter Monday, and report an enjoyable time. Mrs. Annie Brooks and Buck Brooks left Wednesday for Raleigh. They will be gone for some time. Alf Simpson of Elon College spent the Easter holidays at home. Willie Purcell spent Easter at home. Bun Coble of Roanoke Rapids is here visiting his parents. Several of our people have been making war on the finy tribe with good success. Mrs. Fred Smith of Salisbury is here visiting her mother Mr. H. H. Simpson. John Lloyd of Oxford spent Easter here shaking hands with his many friends. But he spent most of his time in East Trolnwood, but he couldn't help it. She is O. K. We regret that Mrs. J. Stewart continues feeble, we hope she will soon recover. We are glad to see W. H. Anderson out after a few days illness. Rev. Wicker filled his regular appointment at the Christian church Sunday morning. Our people were delightfully entertained Sunday morning by a special Easter program, prepared by the choir, which was composed of people from the different churches. Misses Ruth Rankin and Patsy Robertson rendered solos, which were enjoyed by all present. Sunday night the children's program was rendered well. Every child showed that it had been well trained. The

house was packed to the utmost. The exercises were thoroughly enjoyed by all present. Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Franklin and children of Burlington spent Sunday at the home of Mrs. S. A. Vest. Mrs. Fred Smith returned to her home in Salisbury Sunday after spending several days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Simpson. Mr. Smith came down Saturday and accompanied her home. Mrs. Arthur Neese returned to her home in Lexington Sunday after visiting her mother, Mrs. J. R. Steuart. Mrs. M. E. Workman of Mebane is visiting her sister Mrs. G. W. P. Gates and will spend the summer with her. Mrs. L. S. Franklin and daughter Margaret of Dalas, Texas spent Sunday at the home of Mrs. S. A. Vest. Albert Parham Jr. spent Saturday and Sunday in Greensboro. Alf Simpson of Elon College spent Sunday here. Clarence Spoon spent Saturday and Sunday with his people. Mrs. J. W. McPherson went to Greensboro Saturday. W. P. Williamson spent Sunday in Greensboro. The pulpit of the M. E. church was gracefully filled by Rev. Slaughter of Durham Sunday morning and night. He preached for Rev. B. T. Hurley, who will have charge of this work from now on. We are glad to welcome Brother Hurley in our midst as one of our pastors. Miss Pauline Bridgers returned to her home in Raleigh last week. Miss Helen Massey is visiting her parents in Durham this week, Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Massey. Miss F. J. Cates after spending the winter with her brother, returned to her home near Orange Grove to spend the summer we hope she will have a pleasant stay.

**Oakdale Dots.**  
The mad dogs made their appearance again a few days ago. Went to S. L. Spoon's, bit three of his dogs. When his son Tom came upon the scene it made for

him and having no other weapon than a mattock he proceeded to use it, by so doing killed the dog. It came from in the direction of Pleasant Hill church. It was a nice treat to visit the closing exercises of Cross Roads and Liberty schools at Cross Roads. The children showed they had been well trained. After their say we had a splendid talk from Rev. P. H. Fleming, County Superintendent, telling how and where the tax money goes that is put in his hands, something we never heard before. At Liberty we had the pleasure of having our Gov. W. W. Kitchen on education, showing we must educate our children or they cannot compete with the world. Mr. Fide Hornaday had a horse to get a very bad kick a few days ago which is doing better since being treated by Drs. Spoon and Hornaday our young veterinarian doctors who are spending a few days with their parents. After which they will locate in Burlington for practice. There being so much rain the farmers are behind corn planting they seem to not be fretting much as they remember that the "Bible" says there shall always be a seed time and harvest. Wheat, Oats and Rye are looking fine, if nothing hinders there will be a fine crop made. Floyd, Fred, and Effey Spoon spent Tuesday night with their parents and took in the rain and exhibition at Liberty Wednesday in spite of the threatening weather and rain several attended. We suppose there will not be much honey eat around Oakdale this year as nearly all the bees are dead so far as reported some have lost all, some nearly all, one man had 6 lost all, another 14 lost 12, this has been a very bad spring on bees, there being so much rain.

**K. F. D. No. 7.**  
We "reniged" last week is the reason our Editorial did not appear in this paper and if you were disappointed don't blame the paper. Our farmers are very busy and every body works even "father" and Monre Linnens. If the leaves get grown by the 10th. of May this year they will have to get as busy as the farmers.

**B. A. Sellars & Son.**

**After Easter News from Alamance County's Leading Dress Goods Store. Right Thing at the Right Time at Right Prices.**

**Messaline and Foulard Silks**

There appears to be no let up in the rush for Messalines and Foulards. We still have a good selection of spot proof Foulards selected with the view of having something different, prices 50, 75 and 95 cents. Messalines in all the leading colors 36 in. at \$1.00 per yard.

**After Easter Silky Silks**

We couldn't tell you about all the styles we have in these dainty, sheer Fabrics in soft silk and cotton mixtures designed purposely to suit the present styles. Jacqueline, Ascot and Queen at 39 cents. Derpionne Tussah and Luna at 25 cents.

**What 25 cents will do.**

You can get Mercerized Satine Soliel in all shades, one of the newest fabrics brought out this season, takes the place and prettier than 40 cent Repp or Poplin.

**A World of White Goods.**

We are showing all that is worth while in French Lawns, Batiste, Dimities, Percales, Long Cloth, Nainsooks, Piques' Swisses, Flaxons and Crispetts.

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Are chosen by women of fashionable taste who care for comfort and style. We have added many new models and are showing the most complete line in our city. We ask you inspect one of the quality, fit, style and comfort of these renowned corsets. Priced \$1.00 to \$3.00.

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**A Big Special**

In sheer French Lawns, white only. The greatest white goods bargain of the season no more after this lot is sold. 200 yards in lot. 40 in. double fold 15c. quality 10cents.

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Esq. John Dixon and wife returned home from a three weeks visit to Dr. P. A. Dixon the Esq's son at Roanoke Va. last week. The Esq. says they had an enjoyable visit, and that those Roanokers are curious people. They are just crowded up there and pay from 12 to 15 hundred dollars a front foot for their city lots and build from 7 to 9 story building on them while all around there is so much land it is just piled up from 2 to 3 thousand ft. high, so high that they look like thunder heads all around and you can see the Sun only for a while during the Middle of the day. The Esq. says the fact is he didn't see it at all most of the time he was there, then hastily added that it was cloudy and raining most of the time. If Mrs. Dixon had not been over there we would suspect that the Esq. prowled around after dark and kept late hours then slept during the day but of course Mrs. Dixon would soon put a stop to any thing of that sort. Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Sharpe visited at J. K. Isleys Sunday. Wonder what is the matter Miss Permelia Watkins for the past few weeks? Perhaps Sidney has too much business at Burlington to suit her. Joseph W. Rich visited his brother at Belmont Saturday night and Sunday. He looked pretty sleepy at Church Sunday so we guess Joe and his "brother" had lots to talk about Saturday night. Jacob Sharpe crossed over Rock Creek again Sunday. Must be some attraction over at the "Cedars" for him. Early and Kate Edwards spent Sunday with their uncle J. W. H. Isley. Newton Fosters moved his family from Kimesville to Belmont last Tuesday. Lonnie Watkins visited his people on No 7 Sunday. Misses Swannie and Flossie Isley visited Mrs. Will Isley at Belmont Sunday. Miss Bessie Sharpe spent Sunday at Belmont with her sister Mrs. Jesse Redden. Charlie H. Isley left last Friday for the eastern part of the state to take orders for Nursery stock. Mrs. J. W. Rich who has been sick a week or so is improving. Sidney Russell and Willie Meacham were in Burlington Sunday.

Mr. Joe Brooks desires to thank Mr. Faucett who found his suit case No 6 who brought it to Burlington, the papers who kindly published the notice of his loss, and No 7 for bringing it out to him. Joe surely was delighted to get that suit case back again and as soon as he got hold of it he started for the house on the run to tell his five or six orphans and the widow about it. Zeb Isleys "blue flowers" returned Saturday night as the girl was in town. We won't tell her name this time for fear she might blush. Guess they had a nice time at the candy pulling at P. A. Capps as the kids were all there. Charles Nicholson was a pleasant visitor at O. L. Smiths Sunday evening and also Sunday night. Boyed Shepard felt blue last week as his best girl went home on a visit but he will change this week as she returned Sunday evening. Misses Blanche Boon and Ethel Coble was out promenading Sunday. Walter and Bertie Shoe spent Sunday at Alamance. Esq. W. A. Tinnin paid six dollars for some Sicillian Butter Cup Eggs, the new breed of chickens that are said to lay 300 eggs a year and now has 24 little chicks hatched out. If he raises a dozen pullets the egg market is liable to sag considerably next spring unless the demand increases.

**Liberty No 3 Items.**  
Mrs. Maude Isley of Greensboro is visiting her father Dr. Albright. D. H. Lashley and family visited Clay Teagues Sunday week. Willie Murchson has just finished his new well. Mrs. Rosa Workman Luther and Maro Emma visited at Willie Eulisses Easter Sunday. Thomas Carter went to Greensboro to attend the Baraca Convention Saturday. Miss Myrtle Carter visited her aunt Mrs. Mattie Pike Saturday night of Siler City No 1. Mr. and Mrs. Nuto Isley Luther Workman and Miss Flossie Coble called to see Miss Blanche Teague Sunday after Easter. Rev. Nance preached an excellent sermon at Pleasant Union

**Sunday afternoon.**  
Mrs. Jesse Kivett has been on the sick list for several days glad to say she is improving. Mrs. Decie Jones spent Saturday night with Mrs. Birdie Jones. Mr. and Mrs. Wayland McPherson visited P. D. Teague's Sunday. Mr. Robert McPherson and Miss Etta Cheek of Snow Camp were buggy riding on R. 3 Sunday evening. Mrs. Alleen Moody has been sick but is able to be out again. Dace Hodgins spent Saturday and Sunday at Swepsonville. Miss Denna Hinshaw visited Miss Minnie Hodgins Sunday evening. Mrs. H. V. Hodgins spent Saturday night with her mother Mrs. A. H. Way. Mrs. James Jones visited at J. B. Jones Sunday. Thomas Carter spent Saturday and Sunday in Greensboro. Miss Annie Jones of Wilmington N. C. spent a few days last week with her uncle Jack Overman. George Pike called to see his best girl Sunday. Johnie Hinshaw has built him a new shop we suppose Johnie is going into business right. There was quite a crowd of people attended the Commencement at Liberty N. C. the 19th. they report a nice time and we suppose they did the way it rained. M. F. Hornaday Mrs. Julia Hornaday and little Irene visited Mrs. Boon Greenson Sunday near Mount Hope. we feel kinder sorry for Mr. M. F. H. since the widow Stroude has moved to Greensboro.

**Sad Death of a Mother.**  
Mrs. Martha Jane Steley wife of Mr. George Staley died in her home at Carolina Mills April 23rd 1911 aged 36 yrs. 1 mo. and 16 da. Her death was caused by paralysis. She and Mr. Staley had been married about 11 years and in this time 7 children were born 4 of whom are still living. She had been a member of Maple Grove M. P. Church and before her death assured her husband of being ready to meet her Lord. She was buried at Carolina Apr. 24th the funeral being held in the Church by Rev. J. D. Andrew of Burlington.

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