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Wednesday, Dec. 6, 1911.

Organize the civic league.

What is the matter with the Graham Fire boys. They are all right alright.

We take off our hat to you brave fire laddies of our sister town of Graham.

Don't sit around and tell how bad the town looks and unsanitary it is but be present at the organization of the civic league.

If you want sanitary conditions in Burlington go to the mass meeting at the Baptist Church Friday night and assist in organizing a civic league.

A mass meeting on municipal sanitation will be held at the Baptist Church Friday night. Dr. Delia Dixon Carroll will be present. If you believe in civic improvements don't fail to go. If you don't believe go anyway.

The citizens of Burlington should feel proud of their water system, with eight streams of water playing upon the fire at one time, and the pressure showing no signs of weakening is something to be proud of.

The fire boys may not be above criticism for the many blunders apparently made in their methods of fire fighting at the recent fire, but all will admit that they saved thousands upon thousands of dollars worth of property. We must be charitable enough to overlook their blunders, and say all praise to our fire boys.

When it comes to making time there is no flies upon the Greensboro fire laddies, 32 minutes with an eight minute stop at Glen Raven siding owing to a freight in the way is no bad record for time from Greensboro to Burlington. We are deeply grateful to all these brave fire laddies, and feel sure that our own boys are willing to reciprocate at the first opportunity.

Tobacco Market Sound and Solid
Although one of our warehouses was burned first of the week our tobacco market will continue to have record breaking sales unhurt. Mr. Morgan has secured the old railroad shop buildings and will give his customers the best of service. While the loss of the fire was heavy it will inconvenience the market but little.

Exit Crowson, Enter Andrews.
Our neighbor and esteemed contemporary, The News has a new owner and Editor in the person of Rev'd Mr. Robert M. Andrews, Mr. Crowson the former owner and Editor having sold his interest to the new owner. We welcome Mr. Andrews into the fraternal, and bid adieu to Brother Crowson. We wish for both of you, health, wealth, and success in your new home.

Welcome, Thrice Welcome.

We welcome The Reverend Mr. Andrews into the Newspaper fold. And assure him of our hearty support to every measure that tends to the moral, social, and spiritual uplift of man. The writer has known Mr. Andrews from boyhood, and know him to be an honest upright christian gentleman, worthy of the respect and confidence of the reading public, as well as the support and encouragement of the law abiding and peace loving citizenship of the old North state, we do not know whether the News under the new management will be democratic or no, but we know that the Editor has the courage and ability to maintain his convictions what ever they may be and that he will do it at all hazard. We may not be able to follow you politically Mr. Andrews, but aside from politics we hope to be able to back you up in trying to correct the many evils that exist in the future within our beloved community. The Dispatch stands for everything noble and inspiring, in the News we hope for an able ally. We again welcome you Mr. Andrews and extend you the right hand of fellowship in the newspaper fraternity. May you continue to live among us and prosper even if you have to do it to the financial detriment of our own sheet. The Dispatch.

Resolutions of Respect.

The following resolutions were adopted by the Sunday School of the Burlington Reformed church Sunday Nov. 26th 1911 by rising vote, followed by brief prayer.
J. R. Hoffman, Supt.
C. G. Slaughter, Sec.

Whereas in His all-wise Providence Almighty God our Heavenly Father removed from earth to eternity on the 25th day of Nov. 1911 the soul of our beloved brother, Wm. Mitchell Cates, who for two years from Sept. 1 1911 served as the faithful Supt. of our Sunday School. Therefore be it Resolved, that we record our confident faith in the Providence of God and humbly bow to the same.

Resolved, 2nd, That we express our most sincere sympathy to the widow, children and entire family connection in this sore bereavement.

Resolved 3rd, -that a copy of these resolutions be placed in our minute book, another copy be sent to the family and also to the city papers for publication.

Thompson-May.

At 8:30 p. m. last Wednesday Nov 29th in the presence of a few friends in the Reformed parsonage here Mr. Herbert Thompson of Alamance County and Miss Sarah May of Guilford county became husband and wife under the beautiful ceremony of the Reformed Church, spoken by Rev. J. D. Andrew.
They begin life with the good wishes of a host of friends.

Notice of Sale of Real Estate.

By virtue of the power contained in a certain deed in trust executed to Central Loan & Trust Co., on the 22nd day of June, 1910, by R. J. Hopkins and wife, and duly registered in the office of the register of Deeds of Alamance County, N. C., in book No. —, page No. —, to secure the payment of a certain bond, and the holder thereof having applied to the Central Loan & Trust Co., Trustee, to make sale of the real estate therein conveyed in accordance with the conditions contained in said deed in trust, we will expose to public sale at the highest bidder for cash at the court house door of the County of Alamance, N. C., on Sat., Jan. 6th, 1912, at the hour of eleven o'clock a. m., the land conveyed in said deed in trust, to wit:

A certain track or parcel of land in East Burlington, Alamance County, North Carolina, near Anthony's Saw Mill, described as follows:

Beginning at Elizabeth Andrews, Northwest corner thence N. 86 1/2 deg. W. 3 chs. to a stake, thence S. 2 1/2 deg. W. 3.33 1-3 chs. to a stake, thence N. 88 1/2 deg. E. 3 chs. to a stake, corner of Elizabeth Andrews, thence with her line N. 2 1/2 deg. E. to the beginning, containing one acre more or less. This being the land of the said J. H. L. Hopkins, the deceased, and this land was willed to R. J. Hopkins and Margaret Hopkins, and this deed of trust made by the said R. J. Hopkins and wife, conveys only one-half interest in the said land here-in described.

This the 29th. day of Nov. 1911 The Central Loan & Trust Co., Trustee.

R. F. U. No. 2.

Miss Effie Isley of Raleigh spent last Friday and Saturday on No. 8 visiting her parents Rev. and Mrs. A. F. Isley.

Thanks to Andy J. Ross for a nice mess of "sassage". It was fine.

Thanks to our friends for work on the roads.

We had the pleasure of meeting our good old friend Zan Barnwell and wife last week. Zan is on Mebane R. F. D. No. 3. There is a warm place in our room for these good folks.

Jno. B. Contrall is having his house painted. Helps the looks.

Geo. Thomas one of our first class No. 8 painters is doing the work.

No. 8 is noted for its painters. Prof. J. H. Allen of Mt. Ulla N. C. visited his wife and baby at W. A. Lewis' last week, we were glad to shake his hand. Allen is alright.

Miss Nettie Albright our charming teacher at Isley's school, went to the teachers "to do" at Raleigh last week. She reports a fine time.

Ben L. Simpson is finishing up the job of painting on the Morrow Hotel which means a good job.

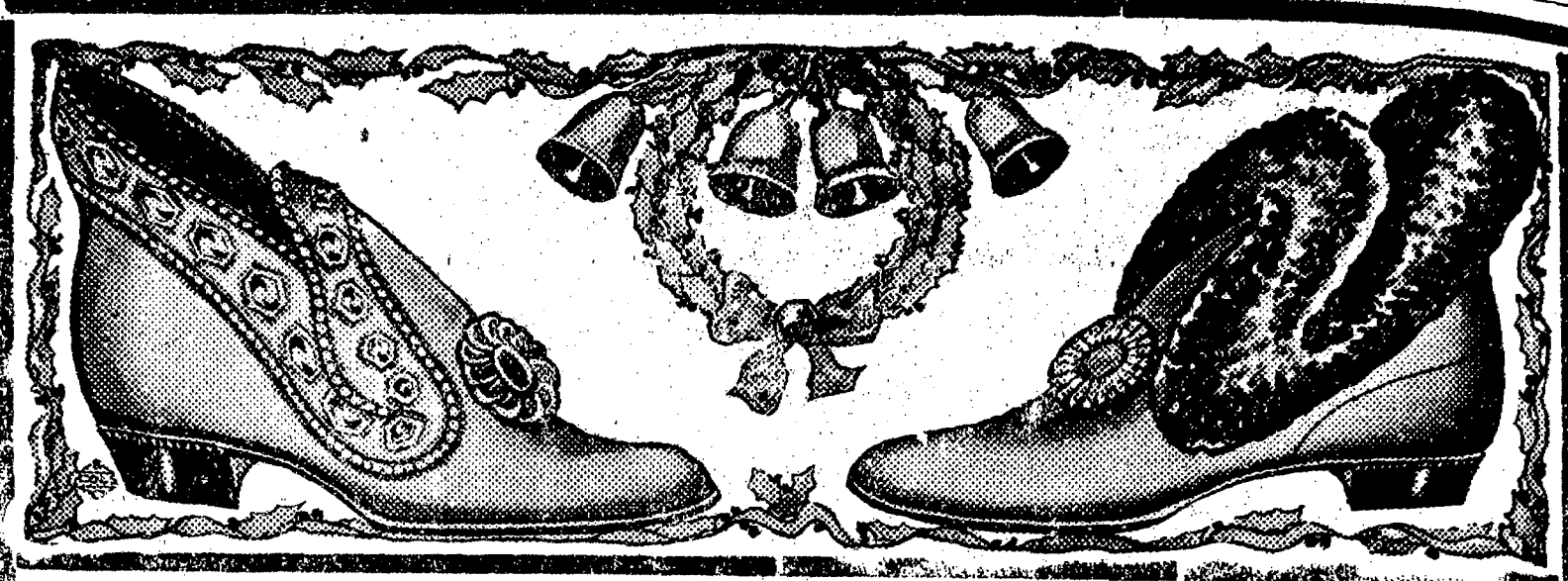
Mrs. Hays took me with her to Hillsboro last Thursday. We had a nice time. When we got in a car with a quantity of school teachers in the car were 23 women and 3 men. One time in our life we kept quiet.

Planning to Go Housekeeping



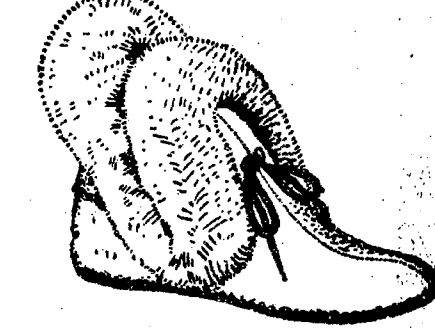
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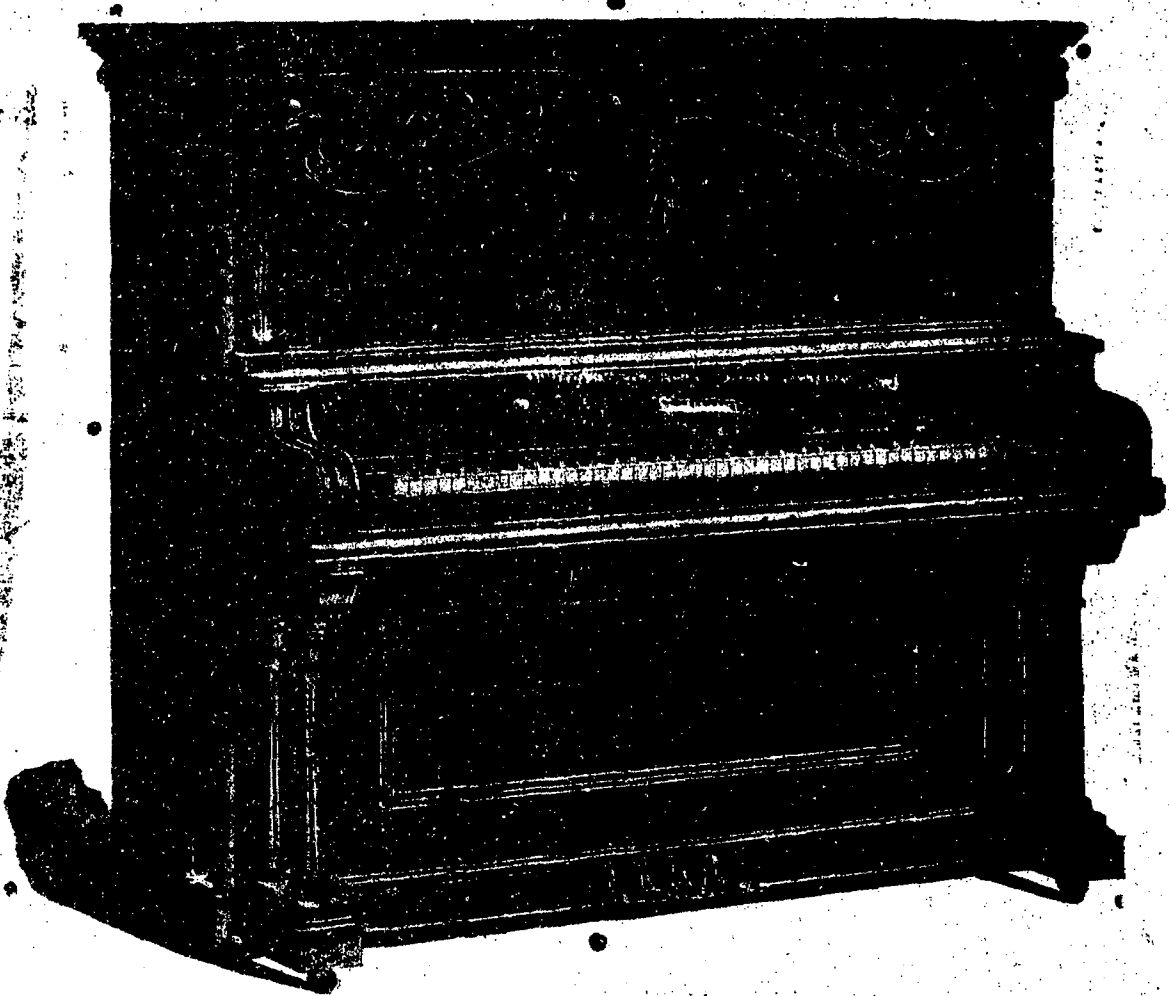
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