

R. F. D. No. 7.

Mrs. Kate and Fannie Compton were the guests of their uncle, Mr. H. M. Fowler of Greensboro, Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. A. E. Sykes has two children that are right sick with pneumonia. He has a trained nurse waiting on them.

Mrs. Colon Durham spent last week visiting her parents and old friends at Siler City.

Mr. Lee Fowler has accepted a position at Roxboro. Sorry to see him leave.

Mrs. Arthur Heritage leaves this week for Florida.

The friends of Captain W. M. Andrews will be pleased to know that he is now able to be out again.

Miss Blanche Harris, one of the teachers at Bellemont, visited her parents at Siler City Saturday and Sunday, returning to her work Monday.

Rock Creek R. F. D. 1.

Mr. J. M. Thompson is wearing a broad smile over the arrival of a baby boy at his house.

Mr. W. R. Andrew of Raleigh is visiting his mother Mrs. Amy Andrew.

Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Hodgkin and daughter of near Liberty visited at T. E. and S. F. Thompson's last week.

Mr. William Duncan of Chatham visited his daughter Mrs. H. C. Well's recently.

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Thompson took dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Hinshaw in Liberty Thursday.

Mr. A. L. Stagg left last week for his home in Ind. after spending several days with his mother and sister.

Elon College Items.

Prof. and Mrs. W. P. Lawrence attended the funeral of Mr. J. A. Dickey at Union Ridge on Wednesday last.

Mr. E. H. Hines of McLeansburg visited the village Monday.

Miss Huldah Slaughter of Goldsboro was a pleasant weekend visitor with Miss Louise McKay of the village last week.

Those of the college who attended the funeral of Mr. J. A. Dickey were: Misses Clunts and Davidson and Messrs. R. E. Lincoln, A. L. Lincoln, H. P. Cline, Jr., R. A. Campbell, C. J. Fetton, W. B. Lawrence, John H. Watson, and president Harper.

Among those from a distant who attended the entertainment and Banquet given by the Cleo society were: Messrs. L. E. Holland, Franklin, Va., J. S. Lincoln, Rock Hill, S. C., W. W. Roberts, Norfolk, Va., Jas. P. Farmer, News Ferry, Va., Carr Harden, Durham, N. C.

Miss Isadorea Nicholson, of Graham was a pleasant caller in the home of Miss Clara Hughes for a few days during last week.

Mr. Harrison Thompson spent Sunday in Durham.

Mr. Joe James is improving slowly.

Miss Elizabeth Brom of Gibsonville attended the entertainment Thursday night.

We are sorry to see Mr. Harrison Thompson leave us. Mr. Trolinger of Burlington has charge of the Electric plant now.

Work has begun on the Dormitory now.

Mrs. Lawrence Sutton of Gibsonville died Monday. She had been sick a short while.

Our county roads are in very bad condition.

Mr. Heenan and Miss Jodie Huffines spent Sunday with Mr. J. C. Whitsell on No. 4.

Mr. M. R. Cook and J. R. Shepherd spent Saturday in Greensboro on business.

Wonder what's become of Highland Baseball team.

Mr. D. P. Howell of Chapel Hill spent last Monday in Elion visiting friends.

Mrs. Joins Boarding house caught fire Sunday, burning up one bed and a trunk. There was quite an excitement but the fire was controlled.

HAW RIVER ITEMS.

Mr. D. F. Sapp of Lancaster, S. C. spent a few days very pleasantly at Haw River last week with his daughter Mrs. Virgil Clark. Her brother, we like good people to visit us.

Rev. B. H. Dunbar preached Sunday at the usual evening in the chapel of this people.

Our townsman, H. E. McPherson is somewhere in the Eastern part of the state in the fruit rice business. We wish him good luck.

Mr. J. D. Wilkins of Union Ridge was in town Saturday and Sunday shaking hands with friends. He left Monday for Durham on business.

Drs. J. W. and S. D. McPherson left last week for where they will spend some days with their brother Marvin who is up there in school. They will be gone several days. We wish for them a pleasant trip.

There is so much mud our Rural Carrier can hardly make schedule time. It's so hard on his horse.

The many friends of W. E. Payne will be glad to learn that he was operated on at the hospital at Greensboro last week and is doing nicely. We hope he can soon come home to his family.

Messrs. Stanley Bowles and Thomas Bullard, better known as Buss, have formed a co-partnership and when you want a shave or hair cut, just call on them and they will do you nicely.

We were somewhat alarmed on last Thursday night it seemed as if we were going to be blown away. We are glad it was no worse.

Capt. Henry Blount of Wilson Humorist and manufacture of Laughter gave his mastery creation of wit, humor, eloquence and oratory at the Aycock Graded School Feb. 26. Owing to the weather and mud there was not a large attendance. Mr. Blount is an old vet. He was a Captain in the 47th Regt., was captured at Petersburg just before the surrender. His is full of life a fun.

Capt. S. A. Vest has been making preparation to go into the poultry business. Perhaps he can furnish his friends with eggs for Easter and chickens later in the spring.

Mrs. Tealia Trolinger, an aged lady, died near here Sunday. Was laid away here by loving hands to await the resurrection morning. We were told that she was upwards of 75. We never met her. We hope she has gone to the bright home on high.

The Holt Literary Society of the graded school gave their first Annual meeting to the public last Thursday night. Every one enjoyed the occasion.

Mr. A. Q. Purcell and Master Ben spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. B. Goodman.

Miss Belle Murray who was mentioned the other week as going to Baltimore has returned and will display the nicest stock of millinery that has ever been shown in Haw River.

Miss Violet Massey of Durham was a pleasant visitor in the home of Mrs. Ben Clark Saturday and Sunday. We hope her stay was pleasant.

Mr. J. C. Lloyd of Burlington spent Sunday evening very pleasantly in East Trolinwood. Judging from the frequent visits we suspect the wedding bells will ring soon.

The Daughters of Confederacy are meeting with more success on the street cars than they anticipated. We take off our bonnets and make our best bows to the Metropolitan agent for valuable service rendered us.

We are glad to know that Prof. Wright is going to engage in the poultry business and will soon be able to furnish us with eggs and chickens.

A crowd of our young folks visited Mr. and Mrs. John Mahoney last Tuesday evening and every one present spent an enjoyable evening.

Prizes for Boys' Corn Club of Alamance County.

A few weeks ago we announced the prizes that are offered by the Dept. of Agriculture to this agricultural district, which includes several counties. We are glad to offer the long list of prizes below to the boys of Alamance alone. These prizes are made possible purely by the generosity and interest of the companies and individuals who have given these valuable prizes.

The prizes will be awarded next fall after the corn has been raised and measured, one prize to each contestant after the following order:

1. B. Goodman Suit of Clothes \$15.00.
2. Holt & May (best plow on earth) Chataanooga Chill 2-horse 10.00.
3. A. M. Hadley, Suit of Clothes \$10.00.
4. Coble-Bradshaw Co., Saddle & Bridle \$8.00.
5. R. W. Scott, Pair of Goats, \$7.50.
6. M. B. Smith Furniture Co. Trunk \$6.00.
7. National Bank of Alamance Savings Dept. Pass Book Credit \$5.00.
8. Graham Hardware Co. Imperial Plow, \$5.00.
9. N. S. Cardwell, Lynchburg Steel Plow, \$5.00.
10. Green & McClure Furniture Co., Rocking Chair, \$5.00.
11. "Crack and Joe", Craddock-Terry Shoes, \$4.00.
12. Foster Shoe Co., 1 pr. of Shoes, \$4.00.
13. J. D. & L. B. Whitted, Hat, \$3.50.
14. C. F. Neese, Watch Chain Gold Filled, \$3.25.
15. M. R. Rives & Bro., Hat \$3.00.

16. Jos. A. Isley & Bro., Shces \$3.00.
17. Hico Milling Co., 1 barrel Hico Best Flour, \$3.00.
18. Alamance Insurance & Real Estate Co., Gold Coin, \$2.50.
19. Alamance Pharmacy Fountain Pen, \$2.50.
20. Freeman Drug Co., Razor and Pocket Book, \$2.25.
22. Graham Drug Co., Fountain Pen, \$2.00.
23. W. J. Nicks, Bag of Guano 8-2-2.
24. R. M. Andrews, Years Subscription to Burlington News.
25. Dr. R. M. Morrow, Sprouting, "Mattock".

The same rules will hold that are used by the State Department of Agriculture. Those rules are as follows:

1. All members must be under 18 years of age Aug. 1 1912.
 2. Each boy must plant one acre of corn in one piece (4840sq. yds.) doing all the work himself, except that small boys may hire their land broken.
 3. No member must use more than \$10.00 worth of Commercial Fertilizer.
 4. Each member must keep a record of his work, amount of manure and fertilizers used and make out a report on the special blank which will be furnished him.
 5. Each member must read the instructions sent him by the Department of Agriculture.
- It is very essential that the measurement of the land and corn be made accurate. Hence we shall ask that each member of the club get some school committee to help and to witness the measurement of both the land and the corn. We are very anxious for a large number of boys to join in the Corn Club work that the instructions may be received, that the tests may be made and that the production may be increased and made more pleasant and profitable.
- If there are boys who have not yet joined and will send me their name and full address I shall be glad to forward them to the State Department of Agriculture for membership.
- J. B. Robertson,
Supt. of schools.

The Latest Fashion New From Paris

The special French correspondent of the Woman's Home Companion publishes in the March number the latest fashion news from Paris. Following is a brief extract:

"Many very soft satin blouses are seen in such colors as taupe-gray, prune, bright purple, and black, combined with white. These are very simple in design. The neck is cut low, and generally finished with a plain, round, white mull collar which sometimes is made a bit more elaborate by hand-embroidery. The back of the blouse is perfectly plain, and the white is attractively introduced as a vest ornamented with little buttons matching in color the blouse.

"It is quite the fashion these days to combine a brilliant color with a more subdued one, as Oxford gray and Chinese blue. Many blue shades and brown tones will be worn. At the most exclusive houses we find cinnamon-brown fabrics, and others in the cop-de-roche, that burnt-orange shade of which the Parisienne is so fond."

Congress can add materially to its luster by doing something.


They are throwing bombs in darkest Macedonia and in China. It is too much to hope that Chicago's dynamiters have gone thither.

The Imperial Tailors

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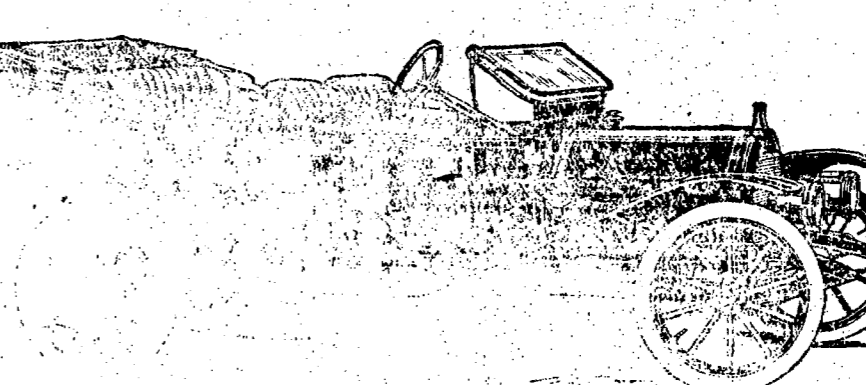
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We have the 1912 models in stock and will be glad to show them to you any time. Make a demonstration appointment with us either by letter or wire. If you are going to buy a car this spring, it will pay you to investigate the HUPMOBILE before you make a selection.

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I. J. Mazur's Great Opportunity Sale.

New spring goods are coming in daily. We must clear our shelves and tables from our winter stocks. We are not looking for any profits. We just want to see them go.


1500 pairs of Men's, Ladies and Children's shoes will be sold at and below cost, all good and new styles.
450 men's pants will be sacrificed.
125 men's suits will be sold for a price as never before in this locality.

In fact every piece of goods bought for this winter will be sold at and below cost. Come and get a good bargain. You have a good chance now.

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Burlington, N. C.

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After a brief Committees repre lotte and Raleigh's of the Republican tive Committee he last Wednesday it hold the Republica vention at Raleigh Although a strong by Charlotte, Ral the fact that she l commodious audit hotel accomodation convention would square deal by the city.

Although the which had been pl man Morehead co the Republican S Committee was n until Wednesday meeting of the con day afternoon R gan to gather at Monday night an flock to that ca train, until a grea North Carolina's patriotic sons we ly to be excelle ic gathering whic ent on May 15th gates to a nation.

The banquet John Motley M out prominently banquets of the perhaps the g ever given by a the state. While were issued for be held in the was changed to auditorium beca mense crowd wh ter accomodated board was spres equal to those of ace, which was fine speeches wh hospitality of head was mar strated by that of citizens. T the spread on ti they appreciate they were ther acquainted with discuss the pres the present day up to the glory the Republican with a big S w ery Republican up cheer after climax of the was reached.

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