

**R. F. D. No. 8.**

Ira Somers and sister Miss Ethel spent Saturday and Sunday visiting Miss Mary Hayes and Mrs. Martha Lea in Burlington. Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Reid of Althamaw No. 1 spent Sunday at W. A. Lowe's.

P. M. Somers and wife spent Sunday at J. W. Somers'.

W. J. Brooks our No. 2 carrier is taking his vacation. He spent one day on No. 8 at G. E. Faucette's.

Mrs. Graber of Illinois is visiting her nephew G. E. Faucette.

Little Francis Somers of Althamaw No. 2 spent part of last week visiting Grace Somers.

Misses Alice and Elma Phibbs of Greensboro are visiting this week at W. A. Lowe's.

Thanks to Mrs. Matlock for a nice treat of ice cream and cake, we enjoyed it very much.

Thanks to W. A. Paschal, E. W. Ross and Mrs. Barnett for nice fruit this week. Also to Mrs. George Barker for some nice vegetables.

Mrs. M. L. Angell of Raleigh is visiting at J. M. Story's.

There was a quiet Home Wednesday at Ben Simpson's last Wednesday when Jasper Kernodle and Miss Oenie were made one by our good friend Rev. A. F. Isley. We wish them a long and happy life.

**R. F. D. No. 7.**

Miss Sarah Siler, who has been sick for the past several months, died last Friday morning and was buried Saturday.

Mr. D. C. Holt, returned to his work at Oxford last week after spending a few days at home.

Miss Birde Holt spent one day last week in Raleigh.

Mr. L. M. Holt visited the Sunday School at Belmont last Sunday.

Mr. Banks and Itura Quakenbush and Mr. J. H. Braxton and wife of Burlington spent Sunday at Mr. A. B. Holts.

Mr. Oscar Culler came home last Sunday. Our beyond the "quarter" have had but very little attention this year but as this is election year we are expecting them to be put in good shape before November. The Convict force graded and worked up the approaches for the new Steel Bridge, to be put in at the. Thos. C. Foust ford over little Alamance last week the are now getting out rock for abutments. Let the good work go on.

**R. F. D. 10**

Now that harvest is about over the farmers are getting busy plowing and mowing.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Isley spent Sunday with their daughter Mrs. C. L. Graves on Route No. 1.

Thanks to Messrs. T. A. Smith and J. M. Shoffner and others for nice fruit during the past week.

Mrs. R. C. Euliss was somewhat surprised Sunday when all of her children assembled at her home and set a surprise dinner. There was lots of good things to eat and it was enjoyed by all who were present. May Mrs. Euliss live to enjoy many more surprise dinners.

Misses Eugenia and Espa Clapp spent Monday in Burlington shopping.

Attorney J. F. Greason of Sapulpa Okla. is spending a short while at the home of his parents Mr. and Mrs. M. N. Greason.

**HAW RIVER ITEMS.**

Mrs. Bessie Neese of Lexington after spending about three weeks visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Stuart and a host of friends. She left Sunday for her home. She has many friends it was here where she found one to walk with her through life.

One of our young sports took his best girl out buggy riding he stopped at a certain place and failed to hitch his horse. Ask Ed Coble whos corn his horse ate down and where did he get a horse to carry his girl-home. Young man hitch your horse next time.

Miss Ila Bason is visiting relatives in Danville Va., for a few days we hope for her a pleasant stay.

Our Genial Operator took a flying trip to Brown's Summit last Sunday his plea was to see his mother but we suspect there was other valuable attractions. Clifford is all O. K. Mrs. J. M. Gillispie and her sister Miss Elmira Cates visited their sister Mrs. Ardell Boggs. Miss Elmira remained a few days. Mrs. Gillispie returned home Monday evening.

Mrs. Annie Stebbins of Burlington

is in town visiting relatives and friends her little daughter Pauline and Benie were here Sunday evening Mrs. Stebbins is still with us. She once lived here.

The writer in company with his better half joined the Durham Sunday School last Thursday June 20 and visited the Baptist Orphanage at Thomsville. It was our first visit there. We had heard a great deal said about it but the half has not been told. We were told that there was about 405 Orphans there and they were clustered around by two hundred thousand Baptist of the state, and are well cared for in every respect. We were met by Rev. M. L. Kesler the efficient Manager who gave us a most cordial welcome. We heard the Orphans sing which show the work of training and pains with them. The Sunday School of Durham was present headed by their Superintendent and by the pastor. With such men to lead the visit would be and was a success. We visited the different departments and found everything in good order and the appearance of the children was all that could be asked. We did not visit the farm only the garden and truck patches the children all appeared glad to see the people visit the home, we visited Charity and Children and found Brother Johnson at his desk full of love and talk he told us he could make a good report for the past year and that the outlook was hopeful, by this time we turned for home and boarded the train for home of many the children gathered at gate to bid us adieu, we could but drop a tear to see mother and children part with tears intermingled we still think how kind our heavenly father was to put into the hearts of so many Baptist to provide such a good home for the Orphan children of our land. The Lord be praised for such a good work.

There are other Orphanages that are doing a good work, everybody that can ought to visit the Orphanage. Thus while at home they would feel a greater interest in the work than every before. Several of our people went to Oxford last Saturday 22 to visit the Orphanage and returned well pleased. A visit to an Orphanage will inspire any one to a greater work.

**A Raleigh Boy Kills Brother**

Raleigh, June 24.—Levene Betts, 15-year-old son of Mrs. Calvine J. (Cheek) Betts, killed his brother Clifton Betts, Sunday afternoon at the Betts home on Boyland avenue Clifton was 20 years old.

The boy's statement of the killing, which is true by the officer, is that he was on a couch in the Betts home trimming his fingernails with a knife when the older brother came through the hall and pushed him back on the couch and holding him there in fun and that in some way, in the scuffle, the fatal cutting occurred. The wound was a stab just over the heart and is as small as a lead pencil, a typical stab rather than a gash. The boy insists that he was not mad and had no intention of cutting his brother. On the other hand the officer are of opinion that anger was engendered in the scuffle the boy described and that, while the lad had no idea of killing his brother, he might have stabbed at him in the brish scuffle.

The officers found the father of the two boys right much intoxicated when they reached the house. They had first heard that the older brother was trying to set his intoxicated father to bed, when the younger brother took the father's part and delt the fatal stab. They do not credit this report now. Levene had left home when the officers reached the house, but another brother went to a neighbor's house and brought him back. The Betts family is a large one and is well connected. Levene is a newsboy and has for along while done a thriving business selling newspapers.

Clinton Betts, the young man killed, was a press feeder in the employ of E. M. Uzzle Company, state printers. The father of the boys is employed by Edwards and Broughton Company.

**The Platform In A Nutshell.**

The republican platform renews allegiance to the principles of the republican party, favors limiting the hours of labors of woman and children and protection of wage earners in dangerous occupation; upholds the authority and integrity of the courts, favors new anti-trust legislation that will make monopoly criminal; reaffirms belief in the protective tariff but promises

reduction in some duties; praises the tariff board; condemns the democratic tariff bills the sixty-second congress as injurious to the county; favors a scientific inquiry into the high cost of living and promises to remove the abuses that exist; favors revision of banking system to prevent panic and the need of better insurance facilities, for the removal of crops in the west and south; urges agricultural credit societies to loan money to farmers; laws to prevent contributions to nominations and elections of president, vice-president, senators, and representatives in Congress; favors treaties with Russia and other countries to prevent discrimination against American citizens; favors the parcel post; promises conservation of natural resources, the maintenance of an adequate navy and revival of the merchant marine; believes that the federal government should assume part control of the Mississippi river and help prevent flood disaster; favors reclamation amid land improvement rivers and harbors; pledges to do all it can to relieve the evil of undesirable immigration; favors ample equipment for lifesaving on ships calls on the public to condemn and punish lynching and to strengthen respect for the law; regards the recall of judges as "unnecessary and unwise" believes in settlement of international disputes by international courts of justice.

**COL. WATTERSON PLEADS FOR PEACE AT BALTIMORE**

Baltimore, June 21.—National Chairman Mack had no statement to make tonight on the temporary chairmanship situation but gave out a telegram he received from Colonel Henry Watterson. The telegram read: "No fair objection to the choice of Judge Parker for temporary chairman can be made by any thoughtful Democrat. As you know, I favored another for that high honor, but what the Democrats of the United States at this time most need and require is the pooling of issues, not the raising of disturbance. I especially hope that Mr. Bryan will see the force of this. Like yourself, I am his friend. We want at Baltimore not a repetition of the disgraceful scene being enacted at Chicago. I fear that if Mr. Bryan, chosen the nominee of the party should begin taking the floor to oppose Judge Parker, once its nominee, he will not only raise the standard of factionism but will run the risk of ending a second Roosevelt, and surely one Roosevelt were enough for all times and both parties. At a turning when the very foundations of our constitutional system are menaced and when upon the wisdom and patriotism of Democracy the future of free government in America may depend it will be criminal to split hairs over a doctrinal difference, if there be any or to dogmatize upon the details of reform. Such words as progressivism and reactionary should have no place in any Democratic lexicon. They belong to the Republicans. They are springs to catch Republican woodcock.

"The Democratic party at Baltimore should present the country a square and solid front, simple, sound, axiomatic platform and a ticket so obvious that no Democrat can find a reason for bolting against it. With such a guaranty of integrity the party cannot fail of the vote of independent and patriotic Americans who are sick alike of double dealing and visionary empiricism."

"Henry Watterson."

Mr. J. T. Foister who once resided here was in town Friday.



# JUNE Clearance Sale

OF

## Men's and Boy's Clothing

Not in years have we announced greater and better values than in this large Sale of Men's and Boy's Suits and separate Pants. Notwithstanding our unusually large Spring trade, we still have a splendid assortment of Men's fine suits made from cassimers, hard finished worsteds, in the seasons newest colors as well as Blue Serges.

**\$7.50 for Suits former price \$10.00**  
**9.00 for suits former price 12.50**  
**10.00 for suits former price 14.00**  
**12.50 for suits former price 16.50**  
**14.00 for suits former price 18. and 20.00**  
**All others proportionally Reduced**  
**Extra Special**

100—Men's Suits in cassimer and hard finished worsteds Odds and ends from our regular stock only one and two of a kind, but nearly all sizes in the lot. Former prices \$10.00, 12.00, 14.00, 15.00 to 20.00 now on sale at

**One Half Price**  
**Reduced Prices on Boys Suits**  
 We have gone through our stock and find we have 211 Boys Short Pant Suits ranging in sizes from 3 to 18 years Regular prices from \$2.00 3.00 4.00 5.00 to 9.00 at

**One Third Off on Each Suit**  
 100—Pairs Boy's Knickerbocker Pants 50 c. and 75 c. quality 38 c. \$1.00 and \$1.25 quality at 75c.

**Two Splendid Bargains in Men's Shirts**  
 75c. shirts at 59c. \$1.00 shirts at 75c. Extra full cut New shirts of fine Percals and Madras 14 to 17 1-2

**Call in and examine the extra values offered in this Clearance Sale now on at**

# B. A. Sellars & Son.

Leading Clothiers. Burlington, N. C.

**In the Burlington Sunday Schools**  
**Sunday, June 23, 1912.**

Sunday School Totals:

	Attendance	Collection
M. E.	365	\$ 9.24
Baptist	264	6.77
Presbyterian	122	3.60
German Ref.	155	3.32
Christian,		
M. P.	191	3.79
Webb Ave.		
Elmira Chpl		
	962	\$23.40

**MEN'S BIBLE AND BARACA CLASSES' TOTALS.**

	Attendance	Collection
Baptist	67	2.84
Presbyterian	10	1.15
M. P.	33	1.64
German Ref.		
Webb A ve.		
M. E.	88	2.62
Elmira Chpl		
Total today	198	\$ 8.25

John H. Vernon, Secretary

The Red Cross announces that it will open a branch at Chicago Convention, to render first aid, we presume for those who "beaten to a frazzle" and "slugged over the ropes."

What's the use of going to Chicago? You can't stampee a steam roller.

According to John D. Rockefeller anybody can become rich, if. And we have no doubt that is true.

## THE HAMMOCK SEASON

is upon us and we are ready with as fine a variety as anybody could ask. Come and get one that is as comfortable as it is pretty.

While here take a look at the fine refrigerators we are displaying. You will be surprised at the completeness of our collection, the unfailing high quality and the universal moderation in price

### M. B. SMITH.

Burlington, N. C.

**Burlington Drug Co.**

have just opened up a new lot of the finest talcum powder to be had,

Call for Talco Rose, Carnation or Violet.  
 Martha Washington  
 Candy Fresh Friday.

C. V. SELLARS  
**ART STORE,**  
 BURLINGTON, N. C.  
 Carries in stock over  
 300 different patterns  
 of  
**WALL PAPER**  
 No use to order  
 go see it.

**White Wyandotts,**  
**Buff Rocks**  
**Chicken and Eggs**  
 for Sale.  
 15 EGGS \$1.00  
 Write or come and inspect.  
 Poultry Farm.  
**C. L. Isley, Prop.**  
 Southern Poultry Farm  
 Davis Street.

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