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has offered \$5.00 in gold to the man or woman who will buy the largest sum of mortgage bonds from either of the Trust Companies, at Burlington, N. C., on this day. We have at this time \$15,000.00 worth of mortgage bonds secured by first mortgage on real estate in this country. These bonds range in denominations from \$100.00 up to \$1,000.00, and our company guarantees the payment of the principal and six per cent interest, and we pay the interest promptly semi-annually.

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Up to date S horse  
 Good as new ap-  
 and Moon.  
 N. C.

See H. W. Trollin  
 seed at reasonable

people attended  
 Mrs. Joe Clark at  
 Wednesday a  
 was. We exten-  
 to the heraver

M. W. Carl were  
 Monday shopping.  
 Mrs. J. O. Corbett  
 attended the mar-  
 Mrs. Charlie Albright at  
 N. C.  
 Mrs. McPherson gave a  
 of Mrs. Gill from  
 N. C. Wednesday  
 present were  
 Mrs. Emma Williamson,  
 and Wilson William-  
 Mrs. Frazier.  
 and Gathie spent Wed-  
 with the writer.  
 her company. Hope  
 again.

Mr. Mann has returned  
 Chapel Hill where  
 several days visiting her  
 L. N. Mann.  
 Nathan and Willie  
 Greensboro N. C.  
 Mr. Samuel Windy's  
 on their way to Ral-

Miss and George Mc-  
 Sunday night with  
 Alice Newlin and Mary  
 Alma Stockard ent-  
 the young people at the  
 Samuel Windy's Sat-  
 night. Those present were  
 Beulah and Donald Mann,  
 Roberson, Laura Marlett,  
 Bessie, Bert Thompson,  
 Walters, George and Don-  
 Bate.

Miss Georgia McBane visited

Miss Mattie Winingham Sunday  
 evening.  
 Mrs. R. J. McPherson visited  
 her mother Mrs. Sis McBane  
 Saturday night and Sunday.  
 Mr. William Thompson died  
 Sunday evening and was buried  
 Monday evening at Bethel. He  
 had been sick for several days.

### R F. D. No. 3.

J. J. Thompson left for  
 Greensboro Monday, where he  
 goes to resume his work painting.  
 He is at work on the Guilford  
 Hotel.

Mr. W. D. Caffy is right sick.  
 He had something like a stroke  
 of paralysis last week. Hope it  
 will not prove serious.

Mr. Smith of Charleston S. C.  
 spent part of last week with his  
 father, J. F. Smith on No. 8.

J. C. Taylor of Oxford spent  
 one day last week visiting his  
 sister Mrs. J. M. Hays, the  
 woman who cooks at our house.  
 Thanks to Had Isley, Mrs. J. D.  
 Barnette, Mrs. Story and Uncle  
 Brooks Crisman for nice vegeta-  
 bles. We appreciate this kind-  
 ness.

J. Frank Barker is singing  
 Rock away baby to a little "Wood-  
 row Wilson Barker." Good luck  
 to the little fellow.

During the storm Sunday  
 night lightning struck Sam  
 Somers house but did not dam-  
 age it much also struck two trees  
 in Jim McCullochs yard.  
 They say Erly Lowe has a girl  
 on No. 8 and he wont let her  
 ride with any one but himself.  
 Now that's a little bit selfish.  
 We attended the St. Johns  
 Day picnic at Oxford on Thurs-  
 day. We were entertained by  
 Mr. D. N. Hunt, Rural Carrier  
 and we certainly enjoyed the  
 visit with this pleasant family.  
 At Oxford we met several of  
 our friends and enjoyed the visit  
 so much. Miss Margaret Hays  
 went with us. As usual it rained  
 in Oxford. Arthur Garrison of  
 No. 8 and Will Trollinger of  
 Glenco also went to Oxford  
 Thursday.

The Best Hot Weather Tonic  
 GROVE'S TASTELESS CHILL TONIC enriches the  
 blood, builds up the whole system and will won-  
 derfully strengthen and fortify you to withstand  
 the depressing effect of the hot summer. 50c.

### Oakdale Items.

Harvest is over and the farm-  
 ers are in a rush to get their  
 grain thrashed out to get it on  
 the market.

We understand that Mr. Spoons  
 thresher come but was not what  
 he wanted and did not accept it,  
 but says he is going to get a new  
 one before he starts out. So we  
 need not be impatient.

Miss Alice Spoon is visiting  
 relatives in Burlington.  
 We are sorry to hear of the  
 death of Miss Letha Clapp Sun-  
 day morning. She was  
 buried at Mt. Zion Monday 23rd.

Dr. T. L. Spoon has been assist-  
 ing Dr. Long of Graham at his  
 dental work for the past week.

### To Celebrate August Fifth.

The Progressive party will be  
 one year old on August 5. Plans  
 are under way all over the coun-  
 try for a special celebration of  
 Founders Day. The idea was  
 suggested at the recent Missou-  
 ri State-wide conference in St.  
 Louis, where a proposition was  
 made that each county in Missou-  
 ri should have a rally on that  
 day. This led to the suggestion  
 that the day's celebration should  
 be turned into basket picnics  
 wherever possible, at points  
 selected by the county chairmen.  
 The idea was immensely popular,  
 and Walter Brown, of Ohio head  
 of the organization work of the  
 National Committee, who was  
 at the St. Louis meeting, at once  
 took it up with other States.  
 The result will be a nation-wide  
 series of county Progressive pic-  
 nics or other meetings on August  
 5.

### Races to Dying Wife; Expires.

New Bedford, Mass., June 28.  
 —Capt. Horace P. Smith, who  
 raced 1,000 miles from the Hat-  
 teras whaling grounds to the bed-  
 side of his dying wife, had a  
 few days with her and then fell  
 dead himself. His wife can live  
 only a short time.  
 Captain Smith commanded the  
 whaler A. M. Nicholson. The  
 owners when Mrs. Smith was  
 taken ill sent a tug and secured  
 the whaling grounds till they  
 found the vessel. The tug rac-

ed for port, arrived here and  
 Smith hurried to the bedside of  
 his wife. Last night he went to  
 his South Dartmouth home for a  
 visit, was stricken ill and died in  
 an hour.

### LIST OF UNCLAIMED LETTERS

Remaining in Post office at  
 Burlington, N. C., June 14, 1913.  
 LADIES:  
 Miss Bula Graham, Miss Bula  
 Jordan.  
 Gentleman.  
 Mr. W. T. Lewis, Harrison  
 Moore, W. J. Mebane, Cook &  
 Williams, Rnig Dang Co.  
 Persons calling for any of these  
 letters will please say "Adver-  
 tised," and give date of adver-  
 tised list.  
 J. Zeb. Wadler, P. M.

### Lightning Brought An Instant Death.

A bolt of lightning struck and  
 instantly killed W. J. Fausett  
 Saturday night at his home west  
 of Greensboro near South Dairy  
 street. His dead body was dis-  
 covered by neighbors Sunday  
 morning on the front porch of  
 his home, and in the lock was  
 the door key which it is believed  
 he was just preparing to turn  
 when the bolt came.

Mr. Fausett, who was a man of  
 65 years of age, lived alone and  
 late Saturday afternoon was vis-  
 iting at the home of his cousin,  
 W. P. Thompson, who lives half  
 a block away. When the storm  
 came up Mr. Fausett declared  
 he must go home and get his  
 coat and despite the protesta-  
 tions of his cousin, would not  
 stay until the storm was over.  
 The dead man was laying on  
 his back when found. In the  
 brim of his hat was a hole the  
 size of a hatpin point and on his  
 left temple was a scar half an  
 inch long. His hair was burned  
 and there were burns on his chest.  
 Otherwise his body was not in-  
 jured or marked. Supposedly he  
 was stopping to unlock the door  
 when the bolt came and knocked  
 him backwards. When first  
 discovered it was suspected that  
 foul play had been practiced

and County Coroner W. W. Wood  
 and health superintendent  
 Dr. W. M. Jones, were  
 called. It was found that the  
 signs pointed unmistakably to  
 lightning and no investigation by  
 jury was made.

Apparently the lightning came  
 in two main bolts, while a third  
 bolt is supposed to have brought  
 about the death. Signs showed  
 that the lightning had struck the  
 corner of the house on his left,  
 ripped off weather boards along  
 the front, ranged upward to the  
 roof and scattered shingles there,  
 and going to the ground on the  
 other side of the house. A tree  
 was ripped and a post on the  
 porch had been split. Mr. Fau-  
 sett was standing between two  
 "grounds" and the third small  
 bolt is supposed to have branch-  
 ed off and struck him in the temple.

Mr. Fausett moved to Greens-  
 boro six months ago from Meba-  
 ne, where his wife died two  
 years ago. He had no children  
 and his nearest relatives were  
 W. P. Thompson, at whose home  
 he was visiting before he went  
 to his own home, and J. S. Thom-  
 pson, of 301 Wainman street.  
 He is said to have been worth  
 considerable money.

The body was removed to the  
 undertaker rooms of Huntly-  
 Stockton-Hill company and Sun-  
 day afternoon was taken through  
 the country to Long's chapel in  
 Aitance county, six miles north  
 of Haw River, where the funeral  
 was held at 6 o'clock. Relatives  
 from Greensboro accompanied  
 the remains to the resting place.  
 Greensboro News.

### The King of All Laxatives.

For constipation, headaches,  
 indigestion and dyspepsia, use  
 Dr. King's New Life Pills. Paul  
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 box at home." Get a box and  
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### Deaf and Dumb Wedding At Elon College.

Elon College, June 23, 1913.—  
 A most singular marriage was  
 that performed here tonight by  
 Rev. J. W. Patton in the parlor  
 of Dr. J. O. Atkinson's home  
 when two deaf and dumb mutes  
 were wedded. A large crowd  
 had assembled to observe how  
 the minister would get over the  
 difficulties of his task. He did  
 the thing beautifully. It hap-  
 pened in this manner.

Both the contracting parties  
 could read, having been educated  
 at Morganton, N. C. and of  
 course could talk on their fingers  
 but Rev. Mr. Patton could not so  
 talk. He had a third party stand  
 between them and follow the  
 words of the ceremony while he  
 read, they looking on and also  
 reading when it came time for  
 an answer, they both bowed.

The contracting parties were  
 Mr. Hugh Love Barber and Miss  
 Bertha Ronebud Rich. Their  
 home will be in the City of  
 Greensboro, N. C., where Mr.  
 Hugh Barber holds a position  
 with the Cone Printing Co.

Ground was broken today for  
 the Young Ladies Hall which is  
 to be a handsome brick structure  
 on the west side of the campus.  
 On last Wednesday the con-  
 tract was let for the construction  
 of the new 50,000 gal. water  
 tank which will supply water to  
 the college and town.

### Cures Old Sores, Other Remedies Won't Cure

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