

Route Eight News.

E. E. Pennington had the misfortune to get tangled up in a runaway some days ago and his shoulder was badly wrenched. Glad to see him out again.

Mrs. M. C. Ireland, after spending several weeks in Alamance, visiting, has returned to her home in Greensboro.

Mrs. E. E. Pennington spent a week in Chester, Pa., visiting friends and relatives.

Mrs. J. W. Sykes visited her mother, Mrs. Jennie Boon at Brown Summit last week.

The Stony Creek Milling Co., started up their roller mill recently. They are at the old Sartin Mill place. This mill fills a long felt want and under the management of J. H. Wilkins, Oscar Wilkins and Will Sartin will build up a good patronage. May they do well. They are clever gentlemen and deserve the support of the community.

Mrs. George Wyatt is spending a few days with her mother, Mrs. J. M. Hayes, who is right sick. We think she is improving some—it is a bad case of indigestion.

We sympathize with our friend and patron in the death of his little 3-months-old child. May the good Lord comfort the grieving parents.

Miss Mamie Harris has returned from a visit to Greensboro.

Mrs. P. E. Troxler is on the sick list this week. Hope it is nothing serious.

Something like Cold Weather this week—better hunt 'em up and put 'em on.

We had several items of interest handed in last week but as we were not on the route they got misplaced. Please hand them in on Monday and oblige. CARRIER.

Whitsett News Items.

Students continue to arrive almost every day to enter school. The latest arrivals represent Wayne and Rockingham counties.

Many visitors have been here for the past few days. Miss Lida Jones, of Raleigh; Jose Armas, Esq., of Cuba, with his two sons who have been students here for the past three years; Mr. S. Harris, of the University; W. L. Loy, Trinity College.

Two special sermons have been preached in the chapel during the past few days, one on The Model Young Man—Daniel; and the other on What Think Ye of Christ? Both were well received by large congregations.

There is always much interest around a school in watching the success of former students and graduates. The following Whitsett students have recently entered active work: Dr. M. R. Troxler has located at Burlington for the practice of medicine; Dr. T. L. Spoon, at Gibsonville as a dentist; Dr. E. R. Troxler, dentist, at Reidsville; H. A. Tolson has just passed the Supreme Court examination as a lawyer; W. H. Lee in the law

class at Wake Forest has been chosen as solicitor; C. W. Carrick, of the Senior Class at the same place has been elected class poet.

There is much fine material for the base ball team among the new men entering this year, and interest in athletics promises to run high. Several of the best players from the team last year are now on the grounds, and there will be hot contests for many of the places by several new men. An inter-society game was pulley off Thursday afternoon that excited much interest.

The condition of the markets for cotton and tobacco will cause numbers of students to enter school late this fall. Already many letters have been received from students who will enter, but who cannot be here for the opening on account of the market conditions.

Rev. R. E. Redding and D. P. Clapp are in Milton this week attending the sessions of Orange Presbytery.

Rev. W. S. Hales filled his appointment at the M. E. Church last Sunday preaching on Conditions of Successful Living. Rev. D. C. Cox will fill his regular appointment at the Reformed Church Sunday, 13th. The usual lectures on Sunday evening in the chapel will be a feature of this year's work. This course of lectures met with much success last year.

The Barnes Mercantile Company, which has just opened a general store here, is meeting with a fine trade. They are located just adjoining the postoffice.

Miss Essie Wheeler has gone to take charge of a school in Vance county where she taught last year with much success.

Altamahaw No. 1 Items.

Fall weather is with us again. Fire feels fine these cool mornings.

Mr. Fred Faucette, of Durham, is spending several days with his father on No. 1, J. W. Faucette. His wife and also with him.

John Faucette, Jr., returned to his work at Durham Wednesday morning. He spent a few days on No. 1, last week, visiting his father. We are glad to see him again on No. 1.

Mr. Jack Lowe, our miller at The C. S. Harris, of the University; W. L. Loy, Trinity College.

Quite a crowd visited Uncle Buck Sunday, namely: Misses Annie Matkins, Bessie Smith, Alene Bouldin and Messrs. Arthur Smith, Will Saunders, Ed Underwood and John Matkins. They all took a walk Sunday afternoon going with Miss Bessie home, and enjoyed some very fine cider. Hope we will have the pleasure of going again for we do love cider.

Mrs. Lula Jordan and baby are visiting her mother this week. Mrs. J. R. Smith.

The mind is ever the dupe of the heart.—La Rochefoucauld.

Textile Trade's Bright Outlook.

Tariffs are of no consequence at this time as the war puts up barriers safer than the highest imaginable protective tariff, but the questions of labor and of dyestuffs make complications of a most serious character that will tax the ingenuity of our textile captains to the utmost. But the delays will be but temporary, as our dyestuff experts will work out something to meet the situation, and labor will be forthcoming when the real call is sounded.

We are passing a period when cool heads and careful action are important. We have the golden opportunity forcing itself upon us, and yet we must get away from our old habit of hard and fast rules for the conduct of business that have kept up out of foreign markets for so many years. Because the business is forced upon us is no reason why we should not open new markets in the way the Germans, French and English have been so successful. This is, do business in the way trade asks that it be done, and not as we do it here.

Perhaps the most serious difficulty will be in the labor sufficient to operate all of our textile equipment. Hundreds of our foreign mill workers are on their way to the war and many of them are benefitting the industry in particular and the country in general going. The I. W. W. ranks are being thinned out, and as each undesirable departs a real worker will come forward to take his place, and as to the matter of dyestuffs the labor shortage will be only temporary. Now is the time to modify our so-called child labor laws and let 5,000 husky boys and girls get back into the mills and satisfy their ambition to become breadwinners rather than idlers. The outlook has never been brighter for the textile industry.—Fibre and Fabric.

Chance for Right Man.

She had entered a Third Avenue jewelry store with a typical Bowery gait, and was walking up to a clerk, she handed out a ring and brusquely queried:

"What's it worth?"

"Very little," he answered after a brief glance.

"Do you call it a diamond?"

"No; it is not a diamond."

"Didn't cost \$500 did it?"

"Oh, no."

"About 75 cents, eh?"

"That would be nearer its value I think. I hope you didn't buy that for a diamond ring?"

"No, I didn't. My feller gave it to me for an engagement ring."

"I see," said the clerk, as he turned his head away to smile.

"Said it was a \$500 proof of his love."

"Yes."

"I've been a little suspicious all along, but didn't want to raise a row. Only glass, eh? Seventy-five cents buys 'em anywhere? Well, the engagement is off, the fellow has got the cold throw-down, and I'm ready for the next. See?"—Washington Herald.

We have an idea Japan is one nation that is into the thing because she wanted to be; it suited all but a few of the elder statesmen.

Henry Clews thinks it's the duty of the United States, with reference to the doings of Europe, to call a halt. Maybe so; but would it come?

These here beachous autumn mornings the air has quite a tang of ice, and we wonder whether Uncle Mose has kept our topepat neat and nice.

Maybe if the belligerents in Colorado will agree to keep the peace for three years, they will by the end of that time have forgotten what started the war.

Will he very esteemed Washington Star kindly inform a palpitant world what the Dickens a "shedaddle" is?

Aren't you glad your forepas and foremas emigrated from Europe when the emigrating was good?

A tightwad is a man who has more money than friends and is glad of it.

RETURN OF A GREAT FAVORITE.

Great Sun Brothers' Aggregation Is Coming Here.

Under the same management for 22 years, the Sun Brothers' World's Progressive Show, is enjoying its usual prosperity this season. It is coming here and everything will again be new.

Everybody will want to see this great show. Two performances will be given, afternoon and night. The big Imperial programme that is presented in the Big Top, numbers among its scenic favorites some of the best acts and most expensive features that can be secured.

The seven Wallets, Australian Equestrian experts, are known all over the globe as the World's champions. 25 up-to-date and funny clowns cause oceans of laughter at every performance. These funny men are the pick of the profession.

Dean, and his matchless band and orchestra, are the harmony attraction and will be heard afternoon and night in delightful musical surprises. The marvelous trained elephants, known everywhere as the "greatest ever" will furnish an act that will move than astound you.

Over a hundred cleverest exponents of the art of entertainment, will meet in friendly rivalry for championship honors.

The menagerie and will beast section is first class. The Sun Brothers' Show has always been famed for its menagerie, and this year finds the German Zoological Annex carried, one of the most complete extant, exhibiting rare and costly animals from every section of the globe.

This high class tented exposition will appear at Burlington, September 19.

Says the Reidsville Review: "Starvation is not staring Rockingham people in the face regardless of the short crop of tobacco. Cattle raising this year was on a much larger scale than ever before, and he who thinks the average farmer in this county will not be prepared to 'live at home' for some time or come has another guess coming to him."—Rockingham should worry.

I can not but take notice of the wonderful love of God for mankind, who, in order to encourage obedience to his laws, has annexed a present as well as a future reward to a good life, and has so interwoven our duty and happiness together, that while we are discharging our obligations to the one, we are, at the same time, making the best provisions for the other.—Melmoth.

Much learning shows how little mortals know; Much wealth, how little worldlings can enjoy. —Young.

Beneath the rule of men entirely great The pen is mightier than the sword. —Bulwer-Lytton.

RINGLING CIRCUS IS ANNOUNCED.

World's Greatest Shows and Spectacle "Solomon and the Queen of Sheba" Now on Way.

Official information confirms the announcement that on Oct. 2 Ringling Brothers' circus will give two performances in Durham.

Many new features have been added this year, the most notable of which is the spectacle "Solomon and the Queen of Sheba." This colossal production is presented with a cast of 1,250 people, a ballet of 300 dancing girls, 735 horses, 32 camels and a trainload of scenery, costumes and properties on the biggest stage in the world.

Following the spectacle, a circus program of unusual brilliancy will be presented, including an array of foreign and American acts new to the circus world. The menagerie contains 1,003 wild animals. 41 elephants, five giraffes and a "baby zoo" The circus is transported on 98 double length cars. Special arrangements have been made by the railroad to accommodate the crowds that will visit the circus from this city and the surrounding country.



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