

An Appeal For the Old Soldiers

Mr. Leak Asks that Every- one Do All Possible To Make the Reunion a Success.

Peter's Creek, Va., July 1.
To My Old Confederate Comrades of Stokes County:
The 3rd day of August, 1907, is the day set for our reunion, and I am quite anxious for every true Confederate soldier in the county to be on hand by 9 o'clock, A. M., on that day and let us use every effort to make that day one of the grandest days in the history of the county. And now, to the good people of Stokes county, will you be as kind in the future as you have been in the past and lend us all the aid and assistance you can to make the day one long to be remembered. I appeal especially to the young ladies and young men to do all you can to aid us in our reunion by lending your presence and bringing a big basket of good things for the old soldiers to eat.
Now in order to procure the service of a good brass band for the occasion, I hope the people generally, who are able and willing, will aid us in the way of a small contribution to compensate the band for their services; and I want to say to the young ladies and young men who feel an interest in our reunion to go to work and see how much each one can raise for the purpose of paying the band, and report the amount collected every week to the Reporter, in order that we may know whether to get the band or not. I am sure whenever the ladies and young men become interested, there can be no failure.
Now, in conclusion, I will say that I am willing to do all I can for the occasion, and I dare say others will do the same. There is no class of men living that I esteem higher than a true Veteran, and I am willing to do almost anything in my power for their comfort and pleasure. So let us all unite and make it a gala day for the old war-worn and battle-scarred soldiers, as we will soon cross over the river, and may God bless them and the good people comfort them what little time they may remain on earth.
We will also have speaking on that day by some able speaker, and we don't want any other amusements on that day only a good old Confederate reunion. I hope to meet a big crowd—a sober crowd, and have a good time generally.

Respectfully,
JAMES A. LEAK.

FRANCISCO.

Francisco, June 28.—We are having lots of sickness in this neighborhood. Mrs. Lizzie Beasley, who has been very low for almost five weeks, is not any better, we are sorry to note. Mrs. Beasley's daughter, Mary, passed away the 18th inst. Mary had been down 45 days with fever, mumps and whooping cough. She was buried at the family graveyard. The funeral services were conducted by Elders Stone and Wright. Mary will be greatly missed. She leaves, besides a host of friends, a father, mother, three brothers and five sisters to mourn her sad departure.
Miss Nannie Hill visited her cousin, Miss Mollie Hill, Saturday and Sunday.

Don't think Messrs. S. M. Hill and Alvis Smith got to see their girls Sunday as Alvis couldn't catch old Bill.

Mrs. Joshua Smith and daughter, Miss Claudia, visited down on Snow Creek Saturday and Sunday.

Think there will be a wedding quite soon as Mr. Joe Francis calls on Miss Dester every other night.

MOLLIE AND NANNIE.

DALTON.

Dalton, July 2.—Mr. Matthew Phillips spent one night last week with his parents, Dr. and Mrs. Phillips.

Mr. J. L. Wall gave an ice-cream supper down on Depot Square last Saturday night. Quite a crowd was out and seemed to be enjoyed by all.

Mr. and Mrs. Ham Keiger and children spent Saturday night and Sunday with her parents, Mr. C. J. Shultz, at Dalton.

Mr. Edgar Spainhower, whose home is at King, but now holds a position with the N. & W. railroad at Roanoke, called on Miss Lula Shultz Saturday night.

Mr. Edwin Kiser and family spent Sunday at Mrs. S. F. Coe's. Mr. Sally Stoltz was a caller at Dalton Sunday.

Several from here attended the union meeting at Shilo.

Mr. Lonnie Coe and Miss Hattie Dodson, Mr. Sally Stoltz and Miss Maud Coe attended the union meeting. They report hearing two good sermons and a pleasant day.

Miss Dera Tuttle and Mr. Robe Coe spent yesterday at Mrs. Coe's. Miss Dera and Mr. Reuben Tuttle spent Monday night at Mrs. Coe's.

Several from around here are expecting to visit the springs on July 4th.

"ME."

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FIVE-YEAR CERTIFICATES.

Supt. Joyner Issues Directions To Those Who Expect To Apply For Teachers' Five-Year Certificates.

State Supt. of Public Instruction J. Y. Joyner has issued complete directions to those who expect to make application for teachers' five-year certificates. The directions are printed below in full, as follows:

FIVE-YEAR STATE TEACHER'S CERTIFICATE.

1. All applicants for five-year State certificates are required by law to file with their applications "a statement from the County Superintendent of Public Instruction of the county in which the applicant last taught, that the applicant holds a first-grade certificate and has taught successfully at least one year."

2. The examination for these certificates will cover all the subjects named in section 4087 of the Public School Laws. 3. The examination will be held by the County Superintendent at the regular time and place fixed by section 4162 of the Public School Law for the examination of teachers for county certificates.

HIGH SCHOOL TEACHER'S CERTIFICATE.

1. The law requires all applications for high school teacher's certificates to be filed with the State Superintendent of Public Instruction.

2. The law forbids any person to teach any subject in a public high school established under the high school act of the General Assembly of 1907 who does not hold a high school teacher's certificate covering that subject.

3. The first examination of applicants for high school teacher's certificates will be held by the County Superintendent of Instruction of each county on July 25, 1907. All applications for this examination must be filed with the State Superintendent of Public Instruction on or before July 11, 1907. Blanks for such applications will be furnished to any applicant by the County Superintendent or the State Superintendent. Every applicant is required to fill out one of these blank applications and furnish the information asked therein. The questions for the examination will be prepared by the State Board of Examiners, papers will be graded, and the certificates issued by said board.

4. Every applicant who is a college graduate must file with the State Board of Examiners a certificate from the president or the secretary of the college attended as to graduation and standing, and furnish such other evidence of his preparation and experience in the high school work as may be required, before any application for a high school teacher's certificate without examination will be considered by the board.

5. The examination for the high school teacher's certificate will cover the usual high school branches, including History, State, National, and General; English Grammar, Literature and Composition; Advanced Arithmetic, Algebra, and Geometry; Physiology, Agriculture, and Physics; Civil Government; Theory and Practice of Teaching. All applicants must pass satisfactory examinations in the foregoing branches.

In addition to these subjects, examinations will be given in the following subjects, and those passing successful examinations in those subjects will have them specified on their certificates, and will be entitled to teach the specified subjects in the public high schools:

GREEK: Grammar and composition, and 4 Books of the Anabasis.

LATIN: Grammar and composition, 4 Books of Caesar, 4 Orations of Cicero, and 6 Books of Virgil's Aeneid.

GERMAN: Grammar and composition and literature.

FRENCH: Grammar and composition and literature.

6. No person can be employed as principal of a public high school, or as the only teacher of high school subjects in said school, whose high school certificate does not cover Latin or Greek.

7. All applicants for a high school teacher's certificate holding a first-grade teacher's certificate issued within two years preceding the examination or a five-year State certificate will be excused from examination in those subjects covered by those certificates, provided satisfactory evidence of such certificate is filed with the State Board of Examiners. 8. The high school teacher's certificate will be valid for three years and subject to renewal without examination by the State Board of Examinations, upon such terms as may be prescribed by said board.

SMITHS.

Smiths, July 1.—We are having plenty of rain and crops are looking fine so far.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Burge, of near Danbury, visited Mr. Burge's father, Mr. J. M. Burge, Saturday and Sunday. Mr. Burge reports a short crop of tobacco. Mr. J. M. Burge fell short a half crop of tobacco this year. He generally makes about 12 barns on his place, but will make about four. Mr. C. W. Sands will make about two barns, while he has been making 15 barns or more. Mr. Alex Rogers will make about 1,000 pounds.

Mr. W. C. Mabe has rented from Mr. Alex Rogers for next year.

Wheat crops are fine in this section.

Dr. Lon Pringle is in the hole about a miller. Are we going to get any grinding done? Hurry up Doctor, and get you a miller.

Mr. Jesse Shelton sports Miss Evaline Sands. We think he will get the best of Mr. Ed.

We guess there will be a large crowd at Danbury Thursday, July 4th, to see the two crack teams of the county play ball. Hurry up, John Abe, or you'll get beat.

Well, I will close for this time, wishing the Reporter well.

SLICK AS AN EEL.

WESTFIELD.

The farmers in this section are nearly through cutting their crop of wheat which is the best that has been in several years.

Mr. Reid Bonduant and Miss Anna Martin visited in this section Sunday.

Mrs. Nancy Morefield returned to her home in Oklahoma this week after an extended visit to friends and relatives in this section.

Rev. Derry Collins visited Rev. J. H. Wright Saturday and preached at State Line Saturday.

THE CHARMING WOMAN

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MARRIAGE ON DANBURY ROUTE 1

Mr. J. W. Fagg and Miss Mary Nelson Plight Their Troth—Mr. W. H. Flinchum Has a Fox—Everybody Going to the Footwashing.

Danbury Route 1, July 2.—The people in this section are done harvesting, and say they have the best crop of wheat they have ever made for years, and are nearly ready for the machine at any time.

Mr. Jas. Flinchum visited at Mr. W. P. Ray's Sunday. He was accompanied home by little Miss Mary Ray, who will spend a few days.

The many friends of Miss Mary Nelson were very much surprised when it was learned that she was to be married to Mr. J. W. Fagg at 10 o'clock Sunday morning. Mr. Fagg is a son of Mr. John Fagg, and is an honest and hard-working man. Miss Mary is the beautiful and charming daughter of Mrs. Lou Ida Nelson. Mr. Fagg is to be congratulated upon winning so lovable a girl. Only a few of their friends were present to witness the ceremony, and to say goodbye to Miss Mary.

Miss Lucy Ray, we suppose, is very light-hearted this week as Mr. Ernest Nelson spent Sunday evening there.

Mrs. Walter Flinchum and little son, Morehead, visited Mrs. Ruth Nunn Sunday, who was very sick from the effects of a spider bite.

Mr. W. H. Flinchum has a large grey fox confined in a box which he caught in a trap by the foot. The fox has been catching chickens, and Mr. Flinchum set the trap and caught him. If some hunter with dogs would come around, he could have a fine race.

Mrs. Hardin Flinchum visited her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Ham Mabe, who resides at Winston, Saturday, returning Sunday. Mrs. Mabe has been right sick, but is improving.

Everybody is fixing to attend the foot washing at Piney Grove Sunday, July 7th.

"WELL WISHER."

Mr. J. R. Lewellyn, a prominent lawyer of Dobs. n., 55 years old, died in a hospital at Greensboro Monday. His death was caused by uraemic poisoning superinduced by white swelling, with which he had been afflicted since boyhood.

SEE the Edison Canning outfit before buying a canner. Sold by J. Walter Tuttle, King Route 1. Size 37 in. long, 15 in. wide, 18 in. high, holds 35 gallons water. Will steam 24 3-lb. cans and cook 48. All complete for \$10.00.

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George W. Fulton has come back and is now with J. A. Payne in the shop repairing and horse shoeing business at Walnut Cove, N. C.

Notice.

Having qualified as administrator of the estate of Lewis Love, decd., notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to said estate to make payment, and all persons holding claims against said estate are hereby notified to present them to me duly authenticated, for payment, on or before the 30th day of June, 1908, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. This the 7th day of June, 1907.

JAS. S. LOVE,
Administrator of Lewis Love.
Tobaccoville, N. C., R. F. D. No. 2,
N. O. Petree, Atty. for adm.

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Report of the Treasurer of Stokes County For the Year Ending June 30, 1907.

RECEIPTS AND SOURCES.

Balance June 30, 1906,	\$ 1,299.14
brought forward,	
COUNTY FUNDS FOR YEAR.	
General State and County poll tax,	4,609.00
General property tax,	4,090.28
Fines, forfeitures and penalties,	996.42
From sale of school property,	118.00
County Superintendent, examination fees,	21.00
Total county funds for the year,	9,834.70
FUNDS FROM STATE.	
From first \$100,000,	1001.48
From second \$100,000,	484.93
From loan fund,	900.00
From State for Libraries,	35.00
Total funds from State,	2,424.41
PRIVATE DONATIONS.	
For libraries,	6.25
Desks for buildings,	9.70
Total from private donations,	15.95
Total funds from all sources,	\$13,574.20

EXPENDITURES.

SPENT FOR TEACHING AND SUPERVISION.	
County Superintendent,	\$ 500.00
White teachers,	8,877.16
Colored teachers,	810.79
Total spent for teachers and superintendent,	10,187.95
SPENT FOR BUILDINGS AND SUPPLIES.	
Fuel and janitors,	102.69
Furniture—desks, stoves, blackboards, etc.,	127.91
Libraries,	106.25
Insurance and rent,	15.00
Installments on loan fund,	364.86
New buildings, repairs and sites (white),	924.07
New buildings, repairs and sites (colored),	1,057.41
Total spent for buildings and supplies,	2,697.69
SPENT FOR ADMINISTRATION.	
Treasurer, two per cent. on disbursements,	266.16
Mileage and per diem of County Board,	43.80
Census and Committeesmen,	154.14
Errors, overcharges, borrowed money,	1.88
All other expenses,	222.58
Total for administration,	688.56
Total expenditures for all purposes,	\$13,574.20

The foregoing is a true statement of the receipts and expenditures of the Treasurer of the County Board of Education of Stokes County, for the year ending June 30, 1907, as required by Section 4158 of the School Law.

A. F. CHRISTIAN,
Treasurer Stokes County.

This report was examined and approved by the County Board of Education on the 1st day of July, 1907, as required by Section 4160, Revised of 1905.

R. E. SMITH, Chm.,
N. A. MARTIN,
E. FULP,
County Board of Education,
Stokes County.

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