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# Orange Grove Items.

Happy New Year to everybody. May all have a grand, glorious, profit issued. ble and happy year.

Mr. M. L. Cates came in a little late for Christmas, but we will try to make it pleasant for him anyway. He thinks he will stay with us now

Miss Gracie Lloyd has been confined to her home with rheumatism for several days, but we are glad to learn that she is improving.

Mr. E. N. Cates who has been making his home in Mebane spent the holidays with us. He opened up his headquarters on "Round Knob" and there received and entertained his many

Mr. Eugene Cates of New York City spent a few days with his mother Mrs. M. Cates during the holidays. Mr. Cates lett this State about seventeen years ago, and about fourteen years ago visited his relatives and friends. his was his second visit. He married New York lady several years ago, ndit seems he will make New York s permanet home. He hold eaponsible position with the New York and New Heaven Railroad.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Crawford of Mehane and Mr. and Mrs. Chas. M. Crawford of Greensboro and Mr. John Crawford of Charlotte visited their mother and other relatives during Christmas.

Luther Cheek of Durham spent few days with relatives and friends turing Christmas.

Miss Thelma Reynolds after being n school at Charlotte for the past year and one half is now at home and will probably be with us for awhile. Miss Reynolds intended to enter the Teacher Training School at Greenville, N. C., but we understand was not able to secure a room owing to the crowded condition of the school.

Misses Estelle and Nannie Lloyd and Miss Lu'a Roberson who are teaching in the public schools of the county spent the holidays with relatives.

We learn that Mr. Carroll formerly got" married a few days ago To him and Mrs. J. B. Baity. we extend congratulation to the bride pathy Come up Hugh and bring

Miss Lois Cates spent a few days in Efland Burlington with her brother during Christmas. Miss Cates has not been well lately, but we are glad she is in-

Messis, Hiram Cheek and Chandler Lates of Mars Hill school spent the helidays with relatives. Mr. Cates mismps nearly all the time since he and Minnie Murray and Bessie Baity can'e home, but is improving now.

At a joint meeting of the Baraca and following resolutions of respect were unanimously passed: Great Creator in His

hless wisdom, knowing rk for the good of ss a true and Christmas. Baraca and pint meeting the death friend and feeling the er of God, and

to endow with a vine decree that took him from Resolved Second, That in his death his daughter Mrs. J. J. Brown last

we loose one of our most faithful and devoted members, a tireless worker for the interest of both classes; champion of the character of our young Sharpe, Jr. who accidently got his those with whom he associated.

Resolved Third, Knowing his deep interest in the Sunday School work we feel that we can do honor to his memory by a renewed interest in this great work, and by showing that devotion to duty which he magnified. Resolved Fourth, That we as sons and daughters of our Maker, and brothers and sisters in the great work and all the readers of the Leader. of our Divine President and Ruley, feel a very close relation hip existing between our departed President and ourselves; therefore, being members of one great family we are better able to extend to the samened relatives our deepest sympathy We give to them in heir great bereavement our friendhip, love and prayers, and their troubled souls we point to the one wlo said to the waves "Peace, be still."

# An Ideal Woman's Laxa-

Who wants to take salts, or castor oil, when there is nothing better than bowel troubles. They act gently and naturally on the stomach and liver, stimulate and regulate your bowels at d tone up the entire system. Price 25c. At all Druggists. H. E. Bucklen & Co. much.---Michelet. Philadelphia or St. Louis

#### Scott-Mebane.

The following invitation has been

Mr. and Mrs. James Alexander Mebane request the honor of your presence at the marriage of their daughter Maude

Mr. Arthur Neal Scott on the evening of Wednesday the twenty first of January at nine o'clock Trinity Episcopal Church

#### Efland Items.

South Boston Virginia

Misses Annie Jordan and Wellie Strowd spent Tuesday before Xmas in Durham shopping.

Miss Mattie Pickard of Burlington spent part of the holidays in Efland visiting her friend Miss Bessie Baity. Mr. and Mrs. Niel Faucett of Raleigh

Mr. and Mrs. William Thompson, Jr. of Mebane visited Mr. Thompsons father wno is in feeble health

Mrs. Jack Price of Burlington i spending son etime with her parents Mr. Chas. L. Boggs went down to

Hillsboro Monday on business. Mr. Winfield Spainhour and son-inlaw Mr. Coll Carwell of Winston-Salem spent part of the holidays visiting To The Voters of Orange Messrs. T. R. Fitzpatrick and J. R

Mr. W. E. Thompson has gone to Pittsboro on a business trip.

Misses Maggie and Pearl Tapp and brother George visited their grand mother Mrs. A. Thompson in Chatham the latter part of Christmas.

Misses Lula and Bertie Pratt of Norlina visited their mother during the

Mr. Gene Stanford of Lurham came up Sunday and returned to his work

of Orange Grove "went and gone and Monday night to see his parents Mr.

Messrs. Marvin and Ed Pratt of Norlina spent Christmos at home with their mather Mrs. Alice Pratt near

holidays.

relatives in Durham Christmas.

Miss Bessie Hooks of Winston-Salem pus been confined to his room with spent Christmas here with Misses Annie

Miss Sallie Tapp of Durham spent the holidays at home with her parents Philathea Classes on Sunday the Mr. and Mrs. Richard Tapp near Efland

Mr. Joe Thompson of Mebane visited his cousins Messrs. Robert and Willie Sharpe Saturday and Sunday Messrs. Coll and Ernest Forrest

of our class, and and took a hunt the latter part of but that's when every dog gets his due.

Mildred of High Point, visited relatives South of Efland Christmas week. Miss Sallie Efland teacher near Crapel

Hill spent last week at home with her understand that parents Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Efland Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Smith and little

urn to dust at his girl Mabel of Greensboro spent a few humbly though sadly to days with relatives near Efland last

> M. A. J. Gordon of Hillsboro visited Sunday and Monday We are glad to note that Mr. Robert

womanhood; a soldier fighting for the lower right limb badly mashed is we would like such parties to kindly happiness, pleasure and uplifting of getting on nicely and able to walk appreciate our position and discontinue with the aid of a stick.

We are sorry to note the serious illness of Mr. W. R. Thompson near Efland. Mr. Thompson is suffering with a complication of diseases and his friends have little hopes of his recovery.

A Happy New Year to the Editor "Pompy"

# The Leader Advertisers

Changes will be noted in the advertisement of H. E. Wilkinson Co., Ellis, Stone and Co., Durham, Mebane Supply Co., J. M. Hendrix Co. Greensboro, Pridgen and Jones, Durham, I. J. Mazur, L. B. and J. D. Whitted, Burlington. Each of these firms have been advertising in the Leader for the st and have enjoyed and unusual good trade, and are now thanking their customers for their patronage. They are all good people, splendid people, we know them personally and know they are appreciative. They will treat you right. The Leader will Dr. King's New Life Pills for all thank you to all ways give to them the prefference in your trade.

> Woman's happiness is in obeying. She objects to men who abdicate too

#### In Memory of Margaret Gill

On Sunday morning Dec. 28, 1913 the death angel visited the home of G. W. Gill, and claimed for its victim his beloved sister, Margaret aged 81 years 2 months and 5 days. Very early in life she chose that good part which shall never be taken away from her, uniting with the church at Hawfields of which she was a member at the time of her death. She had been confired to her bed for more than 8 months She suffered much but bore it with Christain patience. She was a kind, affectionace, relative friend and neighbor, was loved by everybody. All was shore. She leaves 2 sisters, 2 brothers and a host of relatives and friends to mourn her departure. She was laid to rest in the cemetery an Monday folvisited friends in Efland during the lowing, the burial being conducted by her pastor, Rev. Mr. Goodman. "Her Niece."

#### Fine Fellows.

Mebane will offer upon the hymeneal alter next week, and week after two Mr. and Mrs. Jack Smith near Efland, of her best young men. Girls you must take good care of them. They will treat you right. Fine fellows, are Arthur Scott, and Charlie Dillard.

# County.

I announce myself as candidate for one of the state senatorships from the 18th District, subject to the action of the Democratic primary. Frank Nash

### Gossiping Neighbors The Cause.

Goaded by small town gossip, W. E. Peay shot and killed himself as he lay in bed at his home in Kuttawa, Ky. Peay had failed in business and when Mr. Jesse Baity of Norlina came up his wife, who was formerly a music teacher, departed to earn money to help him, neighbors started a story that she had deserted him. - Greensboro

Miss Zora McCauley of Durham visited entirely too much satisfaction. Gossip relatives West of Efland during the is born of ignorance and the devil, and The gossipers of Kattawa, Ky., have secured immediately and Dr. Walter not credited themselves whith murder, thing. Goggipers, anywhere, never from home. seriously consider that they will be held accountable "sometime" for their visited their uncle Mr. J. McAdams victims downslide if small or great, Be charitable by discrediting gossip Rev. and Mrs D. R. Williams and when it comes to you and never repeat children Ralph and Arnold and Miss it. If you eyer happens to be a victim of gossip, stop up your ears, grit your teeth and stand pat, or they'll get you.

# Extremely Annoying.

Mr. - has complained to us that he is much disturbed by the neighbors use of his phone and under the circumstances he does not feel disposed to pay rent on a phone that is continually causing him so much trouble and annoyance. We hardly care to lose a good customer for no customer at all, and using a phone that they do not pay for. Home Telephone Co.

# Lost

Large brown Shepherd dog, weighing fifty or sixty pounds, extra long nose. Small scar on right front leg. Reward if returned or information as to his whereabouts. W. W. Corbett, Mebane, N. C.

To be happy the passion must be cheerful and gay, not gloomy and melencholy. A propensity to hope and joy is real riches; one to fear and sorrow, real poverty .-- Hume.

# Gasoline Engine For Sale.

One Perless Engine 5 hp for sale : a bargain in good repair. Apply to Preston Gray, Jr. Bingham School, Mebane, N. C.

Remember, that he is indeed the wisest and the happiest man who, by constant attention of thought, discovers the greatest opportunity of doing Where'er a noble deed is wrought, good, and with ardent and animated Where'er is spoken a noble thought, resolution breaks through every opposi- Our hearts in glad surprise tion that he may improve the opportu- To higher levels rise. nities. --- Doddridge.

# Alumni Meeting.

The second annual meeting of the Alumni Society of Cedar Grove Academy was held in the Academy on Monday December 29th, sixteen of the Alumn were present and twelve guests. The President and Vice-President were

among those absent. After a delightfully served banquet had been enjoyed the business of the society was taden up as required by the constitution the election of new officers was held, Mr. Robert H. Lindsay of Atlanta was reelected President, Miss Maud Faucette of Efland was June 30 last, by more than twenty elected Vice-President and Mr. Sam million pounds. The exact figures for fifteen years are gathered together, in W. Hughes was elected Sec. and Treas. the year are 96 46,019, as compiled by Mrs. J. S. Wells of Reidsville, Miss A. Commissioner done for her but God knew best, and H. Hughes of Cedar Grove, Mr. R. C. H. Osborn is we feel that she is not dead but that Hughes and the Vice-President were State whi her lamp is burning on a brighter made a committee of arrangement for Carolina the next meeting.

No program had been prearranged on this ma but several vocal solos and duets, a 719,723,04. short talk by Mr. J. G Walker, and a stamps wa general conversation afforded much pleasure to those present, after which niuety-six million total went into plug the party rejuctantly deparated at 11:30 tobacco, the western, or fifth district,

# Resigns Position

Mr. A. P. Long has recently resigned his position as Constable of Mebane. Mr. Long was efficient and attended the duties of his office with credit, but the "charm and attraction" of his job vanished when on Christmas night in trying to make an arrest of a negro, was overpowered and disarmed of his thirty-four million dollars. valuable "billy."

Mr. Long declares he is done with the job forever, however the real object of his resignation was the remuneration was too small for the time it consumed from his regular

Bliss Nicholson, aged 19 years, son they smile and chuckle when one of a fractured skull which resulted in their victims becomes discouraged? death soon after. Medical aid was Walker took the injured man in his automobile starting to a hospital in Greensoh no, but it is practically the same boro, but he died when only a few miles

Young Nicholson was a nephew of Mr. John Nicholson of this place.

# List of Letters Advertised

For the week ending Jan. 3 1914. 1 Letter for Miss Sarah Ranner " Miss Martha McCauley " Miss S. A. Holt " Miss Mollie Martin " Mr. W. M. Holt " Mr. Joey Lineman " Mr. Carl Holt " Mr. Wilson Jeffers " Mr. Gene Hicks " Mr Jennie Banns " Mr. Baxter Fuller " Mr. Fred Hagan " Mr. Joseph Wade " Mr. Walter Rickark

" Mr. Robert Malone. These letters will be sent to the Dead Letter Office Jan. 17 1914. If not called for. In calling please give date

J, T. Dick, P. M. Mebane, N. C.

# Passing The Time o' Day

Two puzzled Irishmen, who had started out very early one morning for their work, were at a loss to know the time, owing to their clocks having stop-

"Sure," said Pat, "we're too late, for there's the sun up." "That's not the sun," said Mick, "it's the moon."

Just then they met a tramp coming along the road. "If you plaze," said Pat, "will you

tell us is that the sun or the moon?" "I don't know," said the tramp; "I'm a stranger here, myself."-London Evening Standard.

God and our good cause fight upon our side. - Shakespeare.

-Longfellow.

# NORTH CAROLINA

#### Beats All Rest of States in father, a "horrible mistake." Manufacture of Tobacco.

North Carolina led every other State in the Union in the manufacture of tobacco during the fiscal year ending language in the open classroom, where Internal Revenue W. annual report. The nes nearest to North i with 73,220, he stamps used 419. The roducts was \$7,-

Forty-six milnon pounds of this making forty-two million pounds as compared to the two million manufactrict. There were nearly fifty thousand pounds of twist and other forms of leaf. The eastern district outstripped the west in the production of smoking tobacco, manufacturing thirty-one million pounds out of a total of who was frenzied with drink, he was of this, while the eastern contributed sausage, eaten in an uncooked con-

NEARLY ONE FOURTH IN NORTH

CAROLINA. The comparison between North Carolina's production and that of other Sates does not sink in until the total of the United States is compared with show that 1 41 per cent of the 8,000,ufactured ninety-six million pounds. The entire United States manufactured four hundred and thirty-five million pounds. North Carolina manufactured nearly one-fourth of all the tobacco manufactured in the United

by only forty-two factories, whereas ounce of its small might and barking New York State has 578 factories and as loudly as possibe. Mr. Ed. Murray and wife visited or lead you down, down, he is farmer of the Friendship section near yet is way down the list in quantity Presently Harry triumphantly enterperfectly satisfied. Isn,t the satisperfectly satisfied. Isn,t the satisfaction of the gossipers similar? Don't while out with his brother chopping ufactured only twenty-three million is followed me home."—Judge.

IN THE EASTERN DISTRICT.

Louisiana and three districts in New four million cigars. This, however, was surpassed by a great many States. North Carolina manufactured no snuff and no fine-cut tubacco.

Commissioner Osborn earnestly recommends in his report that every dealer in leaf tobacco be required to give bond, the minimum penalty of which shall not be less than \$100. Each dealer in leaf tobacco, he says, should be required to make an inventory of stock on January 1 of each year and should render his report of transactions in leaf tobacco quarterly or monthly or such periods as the commissoner might require.

# Sudden Death

Mrs Martha L. Taylor of Rock Dale, Ga. was visiting her daughter, Mrs. J. W. Minton, during Christmas, when she was taken suddenly ill December

Maybe New York, as predicted, will "before long do away with noise," but so far nobody has been bold enough to prophesy that the day will come when Atlanta will cease to blow its own trumpet.

# Florida Sunshine.

Why is the wife always ready to believe the worst? Obstinate people are those who do not think as we do.

some people look a fright? One thing certain-the man who Sentinel. looks up most sees the most sunshine. Women are always constructing The silence often of pure innocence

As a means of dunning a man for a bill, isn't the telepeone a great convenience?

with which to mend broken hearts, Corventes. brokes promises, etc.

Job never had to wait fifteen min- Or worth the possesing, utes on the corner in the cold for a Can life be a blessing if love were street car and then got on the wrong one. - Timef-Union Philosopher.

#### Sex Hygiene in Schools A "Horrible Disgrace."

feaching the secrets of sex-hyginne n the public schools of the State. Gov. Dunne told the Illinois Teachers Association is to his mind as a husband and a

"The teachings of the Christian and Jewish religions inculcate chastity and modesty," he said. "Modesty is the crowning glory of girlhood and womanhood, and the teaching of such subjects even in the most chaste and guarded children between the ages of six and my humble judgment, will rob girlhood and advantages as the Southern transof its modesty and boyhood of its

# of Uncooked Pork

To prevent the spread of trichinosis the Department of Agriculture has issued a warning against the consum ption of raw or partialy cooked pork products, the declared source of the disease. In many districts of the tuted by the eastern or fourth dis- country, particularly in sections with large foreign populations, the statement said, large quantities of pork are consumed during the Christmas season, frequently resulting in serious illness

if not in fatalities. The department asserts that during fifty millions. The tax paid the gov- November and December 1911, 58 ernment for manufacturing this to- cases of trichinosis terminated tatally bacco was \$96,496,538. The western in one California community. In each district paid sixty-two million dollars instance the disease was traced to

The disease is caused by a parasite, micropic in size, found in hog flesh and there is no krown effective method of treatment. Statistics based upon inspections by Government scientists during a period of nine years North Carolina. North Carolina man- | 000 hogs examined were infected with trichinosis.

# Little Harry and The Dog.

Little Harry wanted a dog, He had many arguments with his mother on States. The valus of the stamps used the subject. He was sent to a near-by in North Carolina's finished product grocery. He was gone so long that was seven million dollars. It was thir- his mother became anxious. Stepping Bliss Nicholson, of Near ty-four million for the United States. to a window, she saw Harry down the great sacrifice.

North Carolina paid ninety-six millions street manfully pulling on a rope, the Customer-Bu Burlington, Suffered Frac- to the government in tobacco taxes. other end of which was tied around your goods. How do you make a livhis rash deed, he gave the gossipers tured Skull Which Caused four hundred and thirty two millions four hundred and thirty two millions. resisting every step. Braced on all Clothier-I make a small profit on the This immense product was put out fours, it was pulling back with every paper and strings.-St, Paul Dispatch.

The day returns and brings us the The eastern district of North Caro- petty round of irritating concerns and lina used six million pounds of to- duties. Help us to play the man, help bacco for the manufacture of 1,547,- us to perform them with laughter and 268,500 cigarettes, the west none. This kind faces, let cheerfulness abound record was surpassed by Virginia, with industry. Give us to go blithely to our business all this day, bring us York. North Carolina's thirty-one to our resting beds weary and content cigar factories made more than forty- and undishonored and grant us in the end the gift of sleer. -R. L. Steven- of the sand and act as a protection to

# Go lo Church, Taft Cure.

The filth of society will not need to be realistically exposed to public view when more of our citizens go to church and are thus led to understanding their own personal responsibilities," said former President Taft, as he placed a blue button-emblem of the everybodyat-church Sunday movement-on his coat lapel.

"There is great need of widespread church-going to-day in order to offset the evil results of an ill-advised emotionalism that seems to be sweeping throughout our land," said the former

# Parcel Post and Farmers

After January 1 parcel post pack-29th and died the following day. Acute ages weighing tifty pounds can be pneumonia was the cause. She was carried within the first two zones. The 69 years old. Mr and Mrs. Minton change is made on the theory that it accompanied the remains to Rock Dale. will help the farmers and merchants to make a much wider use of the new

It has certainly seemed strange that more farmers have not made an effort so use the parcel post. Next summer, when fifty pounds can be carried, it would seem certain that market gardeners can use it to excellent advantage in disposing of their products and that farmers will find it beneficial

The parcel post system is going to offer the farmers a fine opportunity in respect to packages within the first Wonder if it is timidity that makes and second zones and we feel sure they will take advantage of it.-Winston

ideals-men are always tearing them Persuades, when speaking fails.

There is a time for some things and a time for all things; a time for great Flattery is a pretty good cement things and a time for small things.-

Can life be a blessing

# Get Busy.

We have it on the authority of the Wilmington Star that during the current year the Atlastic Coast Line Railroad has been [instrumental in bringing into its territory three thousand settlers, and it is probably not venturing to much to say that the other Southern trunk lines can show records in this respect equally as good. But why leave it to the railways to do all the important and necessary work in this direction? If the Southern States as States and the various communities therein were half as active and energetic in advertising their opportunities those of the territories which they severally traverse, the statement is a safe one that the South's population Warning Against Eating would increase by leaps and bounds. Why not get busy and keep busy?-Va. Pilot.

#### Narrow Escape.

The Irishman was relating to some friends in Glasgow how one night on retiring to bed he fancied he saw a ghost, and having a revolver handy, he fired at it. Next morning he examined the object he had shot and discovered it to be his shirt.

"What did you do then?" exclaimed one of the company. "Bedad, I just thanked Heaven I wasn't inside ov it," replied Pat. -

London Tit-Bits. Happiness is often our next-door neighbor, but we fail to meet her because of our lack of neighborliness .-

Love is round, beneath, above thee, God, the Omnipresent One.

-E. B. Browning. C'ouds or no clouds, it is soul-inspiring to stand forinst the finest surf bathing in the world at Galveston and watch Old Mr. Sun plurge happily into his western bed of roses. - Galyeston Daily News.

# Paper and Strin Profits.

Clothier-I sell you that coat at a

Customer-But you say that of all

"Genuine happiness is like a genuine ghost, everybody talks about them and seems tew belief in them, but i guess

noboddy aint seen none yet." Screening Land From Sandstorms. The agricultural department of the Belgium government is preparing to undertake one of the most extensive schemes for tree planting ever attempted. The line of sand dunes that reaches along almost the entire seaboard, from Ostend to the Dunch frontier, will be covered with trees, which will at the same time stop the drifting

the fertile land behind the proposed

tree belt.

"'Less' Miserables." A servant girl who had been to a cinematograph theater was asked by her mistress how she had enjoyed herself. "Not very much, mum," she replied. "The pictures were all so gloomy and sad. Nearly everyone died in them, and there was hardly one that you could laugh at. "I think it will be better next week," she added, hopefully, "for as I came out I

saw a notice that they were going

to have 'Les Miserables!' "-London Landlords Too Greedy Attempts to fix by statute the wages of agricultural laborers in England

were largely responsible for the great revolt of 1381, or "Wat Tyler's rebel lion." It represented the despairing effort of landowners to get back to the level of wages before the black death same to make labor dear. But the lord of the manor overshot the mark. He wanted the day wage kept down to four cents to six cents a day Had he put six cents to eight cents in the schedule there might have been no rebellion.

Enemies of Household Pest. Among the enemies of the house fly, including fungus diseases, protozoa, nematodes, mites, spiders, the house centipede, parasitic insects, birds, and fly-catching rats, Mr. H. E. Ewing of Corvallis, Ore., describes in Entomological News a strange parasite which attaches itself to the ventral body wall of the fly. It belongs to the gamasid family, and as it feeds it hangs on in a manner nicely calculated not to throw the fly out of balance in flying.

Diogenes' Tub.

The tub in which Diogenes, the cynic, made his home, was a great earthen jar discarded from the Cybele temple. It had been used for wine or oil for the sacrifice of the temple and was sufficiently large to allow the philosopher a reclining place. The truth of the tale has been called into question, although it is said that during the Peloponnesian war the Athenians dwelt in just such vessels, and that even after the death of Diogenes such receptacles were used as dwelling places by the poor.