

Society News

One of the prettiest parties of the season was on Friday afternoon when Mrs. R. J. Teague entertained the Friday Afternoon Club. The guests were welcomed by the hostess. Little Miss Ann Margaret Long passed attractive fairy curls carrying out the idea of Washington's birthday. The rooms were lovely with roses, carnations and freesias. Boston-Rook was played at eight tables. A delicious turkey course with all accessories, ice cream moulded in shape of hatchets with cake were served by Mrs. Mammie Merritt, Mrs. M. R. Long and Misses Evie Long and Maude Satterfield. Attractive favors were hatchets and hats filled with candy.

The Study Club met with Mrs. A. B. Stalvey last Thursday afternoon. The program on Damaged Souk was very interesting by Gamabiel Bradford. Miss Julia Yancey told about Benedict Arnold; John Randolph and Paine, the Rebel. Mrs. S. G. Winstead gave sketches of Confederate portraits. The hostess assisted by Mrs. B. B. Matsum served a delicious salad course with coffee, whipped cream and candy.

Mrs. R. H. Gates was hostess to a four-course dinner at her home on Friday evening honoring Misses Claudia Carney and Mildred Satterfield. The out of town guests were the sisters of the hostess, Mr. E. M. Long and Miss Myrtle Long and Dr. R. E. Brooks of Burlington. After a delicious dinner the guests were invited in to the living room where Boston Rook was enjoyed.

The local chapter of the U. D. C. met Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Dallas Long, with Mrs. Long and Mrs. R. J. Teague as joint hostesses. Thirty members were present and a most interesting program was given.

Mrs. A. M. Burns entertained at two delightful dinner parties last week. The first was on Tuesday evening, with covers laid for eight guests. The centerpiece was of yellow callenulus with yellow candles in silver candlesticks making an inviting arrangement for the serving of a four-course menu. Rook was played for a number of progressive after the dinner hour. The ladies present were Mesdames R. J. Teague, T. E. Austin, Preston Satterfield, E. P. Dunlap, W. T. Pass, J. J. Winstead.

Again on Thursday evening, eight ladies were the guests of Mrs. Burns at a four-course dinner which was followed by bridge. Those enjoying this hospitality were as follows: Mesdames M. R. Long, E. V. Boatwright, A. S. deViaming, T. B. Woody, J. W. Noell, L. M. Clark, and W. S. Clary Jr.

BIRTHDAY CELEBRATION

Mrs. L. A. Moore of Brookside celebrated his 32nd birthday with a dinner party. The table was beautifully decorated, a large cake with 32 candles inserted, filling a prominent

place. The following guests were present: Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Moore, Rev. C. D. Bennett, Rev. and Mrs. W. L. Lutz, G. W. Moore, Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Brooks, Mrs. A. E. Jackson, Mr. and Mrs. N. H. Fox, Miss Norma Dickerson, Mrs. John Patten, and Claude Whitfield.

CORN

What Good Seed Means

Boys, are you thinking of how you are going to make the greatest yield of corn on your acre? The boy who plans best then executes, the plan will most likely be the winner. Before we plan we must read or study in order to plan intelligently, therefore read every article in The Courier about corn. You may also secure additional information by writing to the U. S. Department of Agriculture, Washington, D. C. and to the N. C. State Department of Agriculture, Raleigh, for free bulletins on corn.

If you haven't read about the selection of land for corn look up last week's Courier and see what it says. The selection of land is one of your first jobs.

The next job will be the selection of a good variety and the procuring of the best seed of that variety. The selection of the proper kind of seed may mean the difference between success and failure. The investment in good seed will give a greater return than the same amount of money invested in any other way to increase yield. Just think, one ear of corn that is poor in germination or that produces poor plants means about 900 poor or missing hills of corn in a field.

Tests have been made by the experiment stations to find out the varieties giving the best yield in various sections of the state. The varieties giving the best yields for this section of the state are as follows: Biggs Seven-Ear, Latham's Double, Cocks Prolific, Weekley's Improved and Grampian.

It is poor economy to plant cheap and inferior seed. Plant the best and then field select your corn this fall for seed next year.

Read the interesting story of Tom Woodson in "Tom of Peace Valley" and see what good seed corn meant

to this boy in growing some prize acres of corn. This book is by John F. Case, published by J. B. Lippincott Co., Philadelphia.

Corn for good seed should be well cared for through the winter by digging it out. This is done by tying a string around the ears and hanging them up where they will dry or placing them on a seed corn rack built for the purpose. If corn contains excess moisture is allowed to freeze the germ is injured and the vitality may be partially or totally destroyed.

If you are in doubt about your seed corn you had better purchase good seed or that to see if it will germinate. Don't gamble on it coming up. Seed two cents to the International Harvester Co., Agr. Ext. Div., Chicago, Ill. for their bulletin entitled "Seed Corn, do You Know That It Will Grow?"

Drop a card to State Division of Markets, Raleigh, N. C. for information as to where you can get seed corn.—Gep. W. Smith.

"AUNT" MARTHA ANN PHELPS IS DEAD

Miss Martha Ann Phelps, more familiarly known by all her friends as "Aunt" Martha, died at the home of her only brother, Mr. Jim Phelps, in Mebane, Monday about noon. She had been suffering for some time from heart trouble, but never was confined to her bed. She had just laid down for a rest, dropped off to sleep and awoke in Heaven, as she had often expressed her desire to do. She was conscious until the last and talked with members of the family even after lying down.

"Aunt" Martha was born in Person county June 19, 1846 and died February 15, 1926, making her almost 79 years old. She moved to Mebane about seven years ago with her brother and his family from Person county, and although in declining health and not able to get out much she made a host of friends who will miss her.

"Aunt" Martha was the oldest member of the Clement Missionary Baptist church near her old home. To this church she was always a faithful member and in all circles of life she lived the life of a true Christian, she daily conversed with her brother and others about dying, al-

ways saying, "I'm ready to go." The funeral services were held from the home Tuesday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock, conducted by Rev. B. T. Hurdley, Rev. Charlie Hall and Mr. C. G. Gwyn, pastor of Clement church. Interment was made in the Oakwood cemetery.

The floral tributes were many and beautiful and the immense crowd that attended the services, showed the high esteem in which Aunt Martha was held.

She is survived by one brother, Mr. Jim Phelps, five nieces and one nephew, several great great nieces and nephews. The sympathy of the entire community goes out to the bereaved ones in the loss of their beloved sister and aunt, Alabama Enterprise.

START AT THE BOTTOM

Young men not a few desire to start life at the top. It seems to be their ambition to begin where their elders have reached after a long, hard struggle. These youngsters with inverted ambitions seem not to know that about the only successful man who begins at the top is a well digger. The ambition of a whole lot of young men, and young women too, appear to qualify them for nothing more than well digging. On the other hand, the builder must begin at the bottom. Warehouses, skyscrapers, monuments in stone arise from the foundations. In like manner the builders of great fortunes, the leaders in all great constructive enterprises, the builders in every department of human life start with the foundations and there is generally a great amount of hard, heavy

work in laying the foundation, whether it be in building a house or a career. And only he who is willing to do this hard work is likely to succeed in a large way. If most should but desired study the life history of every great and good man, Christian Advocate.

REPORT OF BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

In Account with the Board of County Commissioners for the Fiscal Year ending November 30, 1925.

The Board was in session 21 days. Amt. paid J. R. Franklin, 21 days service as Comr. at

\$5.00 per day \$105.00
To 756 miles travel at 5 cents per mile \$ 37.80

Total \$142.80

Amt. paid B. F. Hestel, 21 days service as Comr. at \$5.00 per day \$105.00

To 504 miles travel at 5 cents per mile \$ 25.20

Total \$130.20

Amt. paid D. M. Cash, 21 days service as Comr. at \$5.00 per day \$105.00

To 630 miles travel at 5 cents per mile \$ 31.50

Total \$136.50

Grand Total \$409.50

L. W. T. Kirby, Register of Deeds, and Ex. Office Clerk to the Board of County Commissioners hereby certify that the above statement is correct and true to the best of my knowledge and belief, and that no unverified accounts have been added.

This the 1st day of January, 1926.
L. W. T. KIRBY,

NOTICE SALE OF LAND

By virtue of Deed of Trust executed by Oscar Gibbs and wife to J. E. Perkins, Trustee, for J. D. Perkins holder of note, and the payment thereof having been demanded, I will as trustee sell to the highest bidder for cash at the court house door in Roxboro, on the 22nd day of March, 1926, the following described land, bounded on the North by the lands of J. E. Montague and the old road leading from Roxboro to Allensville; on the East by Mayo Creek; on the South by Mayo Creek and T. B. Davis; and on the West by T. B. Davis, containing 76 acres more or less.

This February 23rd, 1926.
J. E. PERKINS, Trustee.

FIVE GALS. PAINT FREE

A large paint concern, in furtherance of an advertising and introductory campaign now in progress, offers to give, free of charge, five gallons of its best house paint, any color to one property owner at each post office or on each rural route in this county. This concern wants its paint on a house in each locality this season which is the purpose of this remarkable offer. It also wants a local salesman in each county. Persons interested are requested to write the Central Oil Co., Dept. No. 772, Louisville, Ky.

Attention, Farmers!

Owing to the success of our Fourth Annual SPECIAL FARMERS' SALE, we have decided to continue it through the month of February, in order that all may have an opportunity of taking advantage of the unusually low prices offered. Compare our prices with those of others, and if we do not beat them we will guarantee to equal them. We are the originators of the Special Farmers' Sale, come to us and save money. Read these prices:

Buggy Poles complete with straps and painted..... \$5.00	ZINC COATED AMERICAN FIELD FENCE	No. 62..... \$1.75
Buggy Harness, per set, worth \$25.00..... \$12.50	26 in. with 12 in. stay wires, Per Rod..... 35c	No. 63..... \$2.50
Studebaker One Horse Wagons complete..... \$55.00	26 in. with 6 in. stay wires, Per Rod..... 37c	No. 64..... \$3.00
Bain One Horse Wagon complete..... \$72.50	32 in. with 6 in. stay wires, Per Rod..... 42c	No. 65..... \$3.75
Trace Chains..... \$1.00	39 in. with 6 in. stay wires, Per Rod..... 45c	No. 66..... \$4.50
Wood Hames..... 25c	48 in. Poultry Fence, rod..... 55c	No. 67..... \$5.25
Two Horse Bain Wagon, gears slightly used..... \$75.00	58 in. Poultry Wire, rod..... 60c	No. 68..... \$6.00
One Horse Wagon Beds for Studebaker Wagons..... \$10.00	POULTRY NETTING	3 ft. Poultry Wire, per roll..... \$2.75
Two Horse Bain and Studebaker Wagon Beds, complete..... \$16.00	4 ft. Poultry Wire, per roll..... \$3.75	5 ft. Poultry Wire, per roll..... \$4.75
DISC HARROWS	6 ft. Poultry Wire, per roll..... \$5.75	POULTRY CASTINGS
8-16 Disc Harrows..... \$45.00	GOEBER	No. 20..... \$11.50
8-18 Disc Harrows..... \$47.50	A. C..... \$7.80	No. 10..... \$11.50
SPIKE HARROWS	No. 13..... \$13.00	No. 19..... \$14.00
40 Tooth..... \$15.75	No. 20..... \$15.00	No. 20..... \$15.00
60 Tooth..... \$16.75	KEROSENE ENGINES	No. 13..... \$13.00
HERCULES KEROSENE ENGINES, five horse power, mounted on truck at..... \$115.00	Hercules Kerosene Engines, five horse power, mounted on truck at..... \$115.00	No. 19..... \$14.00
Same with Saw..... \$135.00	Seven H. P. Engine on Truck with Saw..... \$145.00	No. 20..... \$15.00
Same with Saw..... \$165.00	Nine H. P. Engine on Truck with Saw..... \$165.00	POINTS
AXES	Goobar..... 20c	No. 10..... 25c
Kelley Standard and Black Axes at..... \$1.50	A. C..... 30c	No. 13..... 50c
Mattocks, each..... 90c	No. 19..... 52c	No. 19..... 60c
OHIO FEED CUTTER	No. 20..... 60c	LANDSIDES
We offer a few No. 11 cutters at..... \$65.00	Goobar..... 45c	A. C..... 50c
Also have a very good stock of No. 13 Cutters at..... \$80.00	A. C..... 75c	No. 40..... 75c
AUTOMOBILE CHAINS	No. 13..... 90c	No. 41..... 85c
RidOskid Chains, 30x3 1-2..... \$2.25	No. 19..... \$1.00	No. 42..... 90c
RidOskid Chains, 32x3 1-2..... \$2.45	No. 20..... \$1.00	No. 43..... 95c
RidOskid Chains, 33x4..... \$2.60	No. 467..... 45c	No. 44..... 1.00
RidOskid Chains, 34x4..... \$2.75	No. 468..... 45c	No. 45..... 1.05
Weed Chains, 32x3 1-2..... \$4.50	No. 469..... 55c	No. 46..... 1.10
Weed Chains, 34x4..... \$5.25	No. 470..... 75c	No. 47..... 1.15
Weed Chains, 31x4..... \$4.35	No. 471..... 85c	No. 48..... 1.20
Weed Chains, 33x4..... \$4.75	No. 472..... 90c	No. 49..... 1.25
WHEEL BARROWS	MOALBOARDS	Goobar..... \$1.40
Garden Barrows, each..... \$4.75	A. C..... \$1.50	A. C..... \$1.50
Steel Tray Concrete Barrows at..... \$6.50	No. 10..... \$2.10	No. 13..... \$2.75
STEEL RANGES	No. 19..... \$3.00	No. 20..... \$3.25
Coles Hot Blast Ranges, which retail for \$125.00 for..... \$90.00	No. 457..... \$1.45	No. 458..... \$1.45
Colonial Steel Range with reservoir..... \$50.00	No. 459..... \$1.40	No. 460..... \$1.40
Royal Oxmoor Cast Range with 6 cups, retail at \$50.00 for..... \$30.00	No. 461..... \$1.40	No. 462..... \$1.40
Only a limited stock at this price	No. 463..... \$1.40	No. 464..... \$1.40
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	No. 499..... \$1.40	No. 500..... \$1.40

Free

Beginning Feb. 15th we will GIVE FREE TICKETS TO THE PRINCESS THEATRE with your purchases at Cantor's Department Store, where you can save.

CANTOR'S DEPT. STORE



CAR LOAD OF MULES

Just arrived. If mules are what you want see me at Winstead's stables.

W. P. STOCKARD



O. H. Eckhardt car inspector on Southern Railroad says:

"Med-O-Mint has cured me."

For years I was a sufferer from chronic stomach trouble. Nervous Dyspepsia, Indigestion, Constipation, (the terms used by doctors) had me so tightly in their grip, I could not eat or sleep scarcely at all. I was in bad shape, grouchy and unable to work more than half time.

A friend recommended Med-O-Mint. The first dose gave relief. I am now well. Med-O-Mint has cured me.

I think it is the best laxative tonic in the world. Med-O-Mint removes the cause—Try it. Three sizes 25c 50c and \$1.00. Buy it anywhere, or will be sent prepaid upon receipt of price.

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