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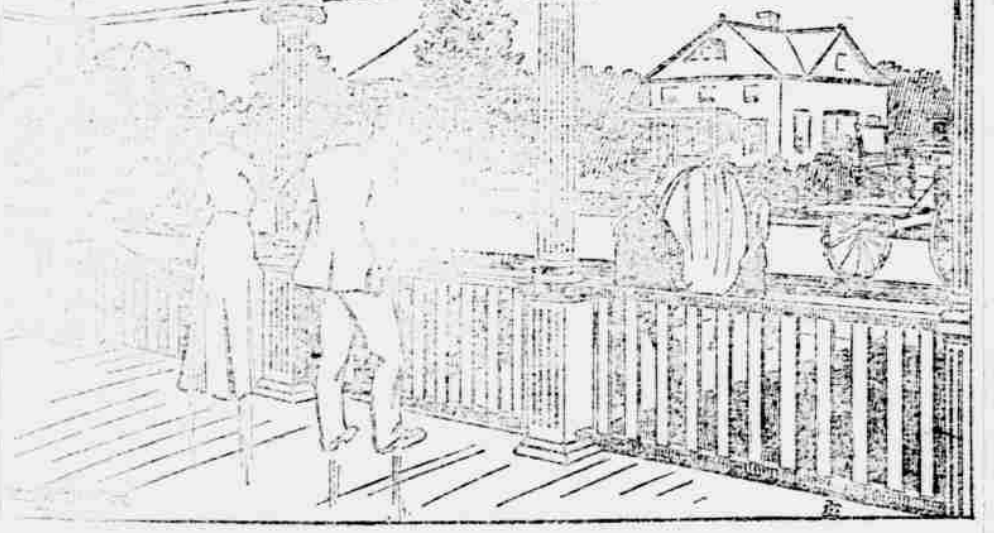
by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness...

THIS SPACE BELONGS TO The Crescent Pharmacy

Who are to open the new Drug Store in a part of the building now occupied by N. B. Josey Company...

Further Announcement Later.

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We pride ourselves upon our delivery system, and have perfected it to such an extent that it is almost impossible for a single item to go astray...

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LOCAL NEWS.

Items Gathered From the Town and Country.

Mr. Henry B. Jones is clerking for Jas. L. Josey.

The wind certainly did blow all day Friday. We have heard of no serious damage done, however.

The Board of Education at Halifax Monday apportioned \$1.00 per capita for all the public school of county.

Mr. E. W. Staton now occupies the W. W. Pope residence on the corner of 11th and Roanoke streets, Mr. Pope having moved back to his farm in the country.

During the wind storm last Friday, a negro man near Palmyra, went to sleep and when he awoke found that the sides of his house had been blown away. This was all the damage done.

Rev. Raymond Browning, the popular North Carolina evangelist, with his home at Hixton, and Miss Mollie LaFite, of Hot Springs, Ark., were married during Christmas week.

Mrs. L. R. Cherry has given up the hotel business and has moved to the Peyton Keel residence on Main street. Mr. J. A. Harrison is conducting the hotel vacated by Mrs. Cherry.

We stated last week that Mr. J. L. Josey would have charge of the mercantile business of the N. B. Josey Co. This was not quite correct for Mr. Josey will conduct the business in his own name.

There are in force today in the Building and Loan Association 926 shares. Do you own any of these? Why not take advantage of the easy opportunity to save a part of your earnings each week?

Mrs. A. Paul Kitchin gave an informal entertainment last Thursday night in honor of her sister, Mrs. J. P. Wimberley, of Battleboro. Quite a number of friends were present and the evening passed off very pleasantly.

The Round Table Club.

Mrs. H. J. Clark proved a most gracious hostess at the meeting of the Round Table Club on Saturday afternoon, January 4th. Ten members were present, and Mrs. Butterworth as guest.

After some time spent in study the discussion on current events was very ably led by Mrs. G. W. Albertson. The Christmas decorations and delicious punch helped to make the holiday meeting a most enjoyable one.

The club will meet with Mrs. E. T. Whitehead on January 18th.

Back City Items.

Oak City, Jan. 6.—Miss Helen Council, of Hamilton, has been visiting J. C. Ross and family.

Miss Bessie Casper was married to Geo. L. Daniels New Year's eve. The ceremony was performed in Tarboro by Rev. Dr. Jones, pastor of the Methodist church of that place. The marriage was a surprise to the many friends of the young couple.

W. E. Barrett has moved from his farm to take up his residence in Oak City. Lucias Davenport, of Speeds, spent Sunday here as the guest of Miss Jessie House.

Mr. Pradley and family, of Tarboro, have taken the Whitehurst place. Mrs. H. S. Everett and little daughter, Gladys, are spending a few days in Robertsonville.

Mr. and Mrs. Carson were the guests of Mrs. Charley and Willie Havel last Saturday and Sunday. Mrs. Carson was Miss Tealma Beverley, of Bethel and was married New Year's eve to Mr. Carson, of Madison, N. C.

Master Byram, of Farmville, has been visiting at the home of W. E. Barrett.

Roy House has returned to Wake Forest after his vacation during the holidays.

Mrs. Spencer Hines entertained a few guests at supper New Year's night.

J. L. Hines and Tom Savage spent the latter part of last week hunting and fishing on Roanoke river.

Mrs. J. L. Hines has returned from a trip to Norfolk.

Bernard L. Hines, of Forteca Monroe (youngest son of J. L. Hines) has been appointed assistant to the Dental Surgeon again this year and is now visiting among the different forts of Va., Md., and Del.

Mizzell-Eure.

Suffolk, Va., Dec. 30.—James B. Mizell and Miss Lula Eure, both of Suffolk, were married this morning at the study of Rev. W. W. Staley on Main street.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hillary Eure. The bride and groom will reside in Suffolk.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

The Coming, Going and Whereabouts of Our People and Other Folks.

Mr. H. W. Mixon, of Henderson, was here Tuesday.

Mr. Jas. L. Josey is in Baltimore this week buying goods.

Mr. Allison Dunn, of Greenville, was here on business Friday.

Mr. O. K. Taylor, of Whitakers, was here on business Tuesday.

Mr. Willie H. Allsbrook went to Rocky Mount Monday on business.

Mr. Charlie Daniel, of Weldon, was here for a short while Saturday.

Miss Dorothy Dunn spent part of last week in Enfield visiting relatives.

Miss Juanita Pittman, of Tarboro, is here on a visit to friends and relatives.

Mr. N. E. Allsbrook, of Louisburg, was here several days the past week.

Mr. T. W. Fenner, of Raleigh, was here several days during the week.

Miss Elmyra Jenkins, of Roanoke Rapids, has been here on a visit the past week.

Mr. H. J. Warren, of Whitakers, was here Sunday to see his son, Mr. R. P. Weaver.

Miss Eunice Pope, of Crowleys, spent Sunday here with her sister, Miss Aileen Pope.

Mr. J. L. Dunn, who for the past several months has been in Miami, Fla., is at home.

Miss Laura Alice Robert, of Macon, Ga., has been here the past week visiting relatives.

Miss Elizabeth Gray Dana has been in Kinston the past week visiting friends and relatives.

Miss Nellie Register returned home Monday night after spending two weeks in Suffolk, Va.

Mr. Walter Strang, of Louisiana, visited the family of Mr. and Mrs. Berry Price during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Allsbrook left for Richmond some days ago, after spending a few days here with relatives.

Mr. John W. House, of Oak City, a former citizen of this county, was here some days ago and paid the editor a pleasant visit.

Mr. Carl Hassell spent a day and night with his mother, Mrs. Mittie Hassell, before returning to his medical studies in Baltimore.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Purinton and children have returned from Baltimore, Md., where they spent two weeks or more with relatives.

Miss Annie Cherry returned to her school at Dunn Tuesday, having been detained home several days on account of the illness of her mother, Mrs. W. R. Cherry.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. McDowell have returned from their bridal tour, and are living at the home of Mr. McDowell's mother, Mrs. Olivia McDowell, on Church street.

Congressman Charles Killeb left Sunday for Washington, D. C., to resume his duties as a member of Congress. He was detained at home several days on account of the illness of Mrs. Killeb.

The New Druggist.

Mr. J. K. Brown, of Greenville, who will have charge as manager of the new drug store, has arrived and is getting things in readiness for the opening of the business, which will be done just as soon as the carpenter work is finished and the fixtures arrive.

Mr. Brown comes to our town highly recommended not only as an experienced pharmacist but as a fine young man in every respect.

Dr. O. P. Smith, who is largely interested in the drug store, will have his office located in the rear of the store.

White Woman (Miss) Inmate of Paul Barrage.

Enfield, Jan. 2.—Superintendent Laughlinhouse of the penitentiary reports that the dyke of the State Farm on Roanoke River, on which the convicts have been at work since last August, when not busy with the crops, will be completed about February 1. The cost is \$30,000 and 2,000 acres which have been overgrown for ten years.

The oldest inmate of the penitentiary is a white woman who has been there for 34 years. She would be pardoned but for the fact that she has no home.

On the second floor is the "penitentiary baby," Thomas Noel, who was born in Rowan county jail, and is nearly two years old. He had a Christmas tree, and this was a great delight to him and to the women, too, most of the latter being murderers. The "penitentiary baby" makes a rush for the front door every time it opens. Evidently, liberty looks good to him.

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Notice!

All persons are hereby forbidden in any way to obstruct the drains or other side of the public roads in Greeneboro, Scotland Neck, Roanoke and Palmyra townships, under penalty of the law. Those who have obstructed by filling in said drains with poles or other material are ordered to immediately remove said obstructions. Do not allow your place to be dragged away by the drains. Otherwise the drains will be dug to the road level. We cannot have good roads unless the drains are kept open. We expect to all the citizens of said townships to cooperate with us in keeping said drains open at all times.

J. H. DARDEN, Supt. Greeneboro Township. I. H. STURN, Supt. Scot. Neck Township. W. O. ALLSBROOK, Supt. Roanoke Township. R. H. WHITE, Supt. Palmyra Township. This January 7, 1913.

Notice of Sale.

By virtue of power vested in me by that deed of trust executed to me on the 1st day of March, 1911, by William Watson, Peter Dorsett and Arthur Staton, Trustees of the Endow of Green of the Mill & Hill Lodge No. 101, I will, on Saturday, the 5th day of February, 1913, between the hours of twelve and one o'clock, in front of Burroughs-Pittman-Wheeler Company's store, sell to the highest bidder, for cash, the following described real estate, being, heirs and assigns of the County of Halifax, and State of North Carolina, and more fully described as follows:

Being the tract of land which Trustees of the aforesaid Lodge purchased from Arthur Staton, and wife, Cassie, on the 20th day of January, 1911, and which is recorded in the Register of Deeds Office of Halifax County, in Book 275, page 552, to which reference may be had, and more fully described as follows: Beginning at a point between the two roads leading from Mullen's X-Roads to Balkour Dunn's store and from Mullen's X-Roads to White's X-Roads, thence running in a westerly direction along the road leading to White's X-Roads 40 yards to a hickum bush, thence running in a northerly direction 50 yards to a stake, thence running in an easterly direction 70 yards to a stake, thence running in a southerly direction 40 yards to a stake, the beginning and estimated to contain one-half an acre, on which there is a two-story building. This the 8th day of January, 1913. S. A. DUNN, Trustee.

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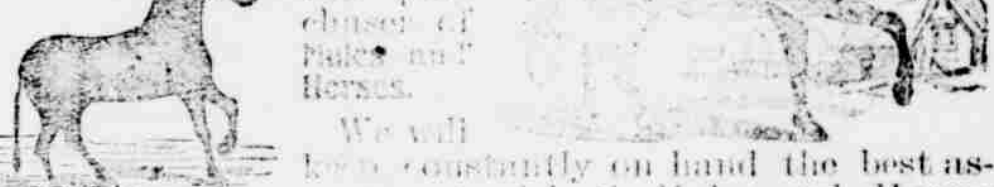
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A Banking Statement!

Table with columns for date and amount. Includes entries for November 26, 1912, with Capital \$25,000.00, Surplus 12,500.00, Deposits 152,561.00, Cash item None, Overdrafts None.

Is this the best statement of any of our local institutions? Not so, readers; not of the majority of North Carolina banks. But we take pleasure in complimenting The Scotland Neck Bank, on the record in fighting home banking methods. The above is their last report.

We will place a small bet that the president, the cashier and the directors of The Scotland Neck Bank are up-standing men who are not afraid to lose customers by attending to business along business lines. May The Scotland Neck Bank keep up its honorable record, and may Tarboro banks equal it before very long. Overdrafts are more convenient to the customer than creditable to the bank which allows them.—Tarboro Southerner.

We are naturally pleased at this mention of our efforts. It has been the aim of the officers and directors of this institution to eliminate the practice of overdrafts, as is shown by our reports to the Corporation Commission for the past twelve months as follows:

Table showing overdraft statistics: December 5, 1911 \$21.33, February 20, 1912 35, April 18, 1912 113.59, June 14, 1912 71.52, September 4, 1912 15.00, AND November 20, 1912 None.

Help us to maintain this record. In all matters coming under its direction this bank uses the same efforts for the welfare of the general public.

The Scotland Neck Bank, Scotland Neck, North Carolina.