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AT THE CAPITAL OF BANNER.

A Copper Still, Much Cider and Many Watermelons Destroyed in Pleasant Grove Township. Railroad Bond Issue Gets Small Vote—Only Two Votes Cast in the Negative. Brief Mention of the Comers and Goers.

Benson, August 30.—Mr. A. W. Hodges returned the first of the week from a several days visit to relatives in South Carolina.

Mrs. C. L. Godley, of Smithfield, was here for a few days the first of the week visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Abernathy, of Kipling, N. C., recently visited here at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. T. Lanier.

Mrs. J. T. Stanford returned Wednesday from Florence, S. C., where she has been for several days with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. George Holland returned Tuesday from Baltimore, Philadelphia and other cities where they have been buying goods.

Mrs. A. L. Goodrich, after spending several days here at the home of Capt. and Mrs. J. W. Goodrich, left the first of the week for Wilmington.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Hodges returned Wednesday from Loris, S. C., where they have been for the past two weeks on business.

Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Britt, Mrs. Ligon and Miss Julia Canaday spent Wednesday in Raleigh shopping.

Miss Vallie Hill returned the first of the week from a month's vacation to her home near Sanford.

Mr. John Eason and daughters, of Savannah, Ga., recently spent several days here visiting relatives and friends.

Miss Flonnie Barbour, of Cleveland township, is visiting relatives near Benson for a few days.

Mr. J. Will Moore went up to Lillington Monday on business matters, returning home that afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Underwood and Mr. and Mrs. D. Heber Creech, of Smithfield, were in the city Sunday visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Barbour who have been spending several days here at the home of their son, Arlando Barbour, left today for their home at Angier.

Mr. E. P. Powell went up to Sanford Saturday and spent Sunday there with relatives.

Mrs. R. E. L. Skinner and son, Oliver Lee Skinner, of Durham, have been here this week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. Gilbert.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Farmer and children, of Ashton, Ga., were here this week visiting their brother, Mr. Red Farmer for a few days.

Mr. Henry Lambert, of Bartlesville, Oklahoma, and Mr. Roof Coats, of Pleasant Grove, were here Monday on business matters for a few hours.

Mr. and Mrs. P. B. Johnson and children went up to Raleigh Monday, spending the day there shopping.

Mr. W. O. Rackley went down to Sampson County Sunday and spent the day with his mother in Lower Sampson.

Rev. and Mrs. J. M. Duncan were in the city a few days this week spending the time with friends here.

Mr. Jesse McLamb went up to Selma and Smithfield Monday on business matters.

Deputy Marshal George Moore went up to Raleigh the first of the week on business for the Government.

Mrs. Anna Creech went to Richmond the first of the week to spend a few days on business.

Mesdames W. H. Royal, J. L. Hall, J. W. Whittenton and Martha Jackson attended the Red Cross meeting at Smithfield Monday.

Mrs. W. H. Rowland went down to Falcon the first of the week and spent

a few days attending the Camp Meeting there.

Miss Callie Turlington returned home from Wilson Tuesday where she has been spending a few days visiting.

Mrs. Ed. Weeks, of Valdosta, Ga., has been here this week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Barefoot went to Raleigh Tuesday on business matters, returning home the same day.

Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Barbour and son, O. A. Barbour, Jr., have been spending a few days in Elevation township this week at the home of Mr. Robert C. Barbour.

Miss Muriel Ellington, of Raleigh, arrived yesterday and will spend some time visiting here at the home of Dr. F. T. Moore.

Messrs. Stephen Parrish, James Parrish, Jenkins Johnson and Ben F. Johnson, all of Elevation township, were here Wednesday on business matters.

Dr. Thel Hooks, of Smithfield, was here the first of the week on business for a short while.

Mr. Loyd Parrish, of Elevation, was a visitor to our city Wednesday.

Mr. Eugene Jernigan, of our city, who has been working near Philadelphia for the past two months, came home this week.

Little Misses Janie Bell Royal and Lucy Royal, daughters of Mr. Jeff Royal, of Georgetown, S. C., were here this week visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Britt.

Mr. Lonnie Hall happened to the misfortune to get his leg broke while unloading a car of cross ties here the first of the week. One of the heavy timbers fell on his leg and snapped it in two. He is getting along very nicely, however, and will likely be out soon.

Messrs. J. M. Britt, Rufus Britt, A. L. Stephenson, Jim Raynor, Ezra Parker, J. M. Morgan, E. F. Moore, J. L. Hall and Chief Henry attended the Recorder's Court at Smithfield Tuesday.

Misses Nola and Ila Ennis, of Buie's Creek, have been spending the week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Williams.

Mrs. C. H. Biggs and children, of Lillington, are spending a few days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Hall.

Mr. J. E. Kelly, of Mount Olive, Vice-President of the Citizens Bank of that city, was here yesterday on business matters.

Miss Myrtle Moore, of Richmond, visited Miss Hattie Allen for a day or two the first of the week, returning home Wednesday.

Mr. A. C. Oneal, of Hopewell, Va., is here this week visiting relatives. He will return the last of the week to resume his work.

Masters David Barefoot and Carl Barefoot are visiting relatives in Sampson County for the past few days.

Mr. J. H. Godwin left last night for Norfolk where he will be for a few days on business matters.

Misses Maud Hall and Jewel Hall, of Fayetteville, are here for a few days visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Canaday.

Miss Annie Peacock, of Smithfield, was here for a few days this week visiting Miss Leola Smith.

The Bond Election went off quietly here Tuesday only a few votes being cast. The vote stood 35 for and 2 votes against the bond issue. The purpose of the bond issue is for the building of a railroad which is to come from Sanford, through Benson, to Swansboro.

Deputy United States Marshal George Moore, J. P. Stell, Richardson and R. L. Flowers captured a large still in Pleasant Grove township near the home of Everett Stephenson yesterday afternoon. The still was made of copper, and of fifty-gallon capacity, and the officers say it was the best

outfit that they have had the pleasure of visiting during their official career. About 20 barrels of cider, beer and other substances were destroyed, as well as 150 of the finest watermelons that have been seen in many a day. The officers say that they almost wept at having to destroy so many fine melons when they bring such fancy prices on the market.

Mr. Lonnie Mahler, son of our townsman, Mr. Manly Mahler, died yesterday of typhoid fever in West Virginia, where he has been working for the past three months. His remains will be brought here for burial today and buried in the City Cemetery. Mr. Mahler was a bright young man and only about twenty years old.

ONE MILLION TESTAMENTS FOR FIGHTING MEN ORDERED.

New York, Aug. 28.—An order for one million khaki pocket testaments for American soldiers and sailors has been placed by the National War Work Council of the Y. M. C. A. of the American Bible society, it was announced today. President James Wood of the Bible society said the books will be furnished without cost and the money for printing them will be raised by popular subscription under a "special fund for soldiers and sailors."

The first delivery of 100,000 testaments to the Y. M. C. A. will be made early in October, it was said, and a slightly larger number will be made each succeeding month.

MICRO ITEMS.

Miss Roxie Johnson, of Middlesex, spent part of last week with Miss Patsy Smith.

Miss Catherine Johnson, of Benson, spent last week with her sister, Mrs. W. C. Pearce.

Mr. Frank Collier returned to Petersburg yesterday, after a visit of two weeks to his father, Rev. J. T. Collier.

Miss Sadie Bagley is in Richmond buying up her fall stock of millinery.

Miss Patsy Smith left yesterday for Petersburg to spend a few days with her brother, Mr. W. R. Smith.

Miss Myrtle Korngay, of Pine Level, and Miss Mason, of Princeton, are spending this week with Mrs. C. A. Fitzgerald.

Mr. W. L. Barden and sister, Miss Alma, are visiting relatives and friends in South Carolina.

The Micro W. O. W. Camp had a very successful picnic last Friday. Mr. Bryan, of Norfolk, was present and delivered a very good address. All present enjoyed the occasion very much.

Mrs. D. C. Smith is spending this week with her daughter, Mrs. Bezzell Coats, of Bethesda.

Mr. Hobson Creech, of Bethany, spent Saturday night with Mr. C. L. Batten.

Mr. J. H. Broadwell spent last Saturday in Kenly.

Dr. B. L. Aycock, of Princeton, spent last Sunday with his mother, Mrs. B. L. Aycock.

Mr. E. H. Aycock spent a few days last week with his mother, Mrs. B. L. Aycock.

Mr. C. A. Fitzgerald has just purchased a \$1450 Olds Mobile car.

REPORTER.

Micro, N. C., Aug. 27th.

NOTICE.

My son, Harvey M. Lee, aged 16 years, left my home on August 19th, 1917, without my consent. This is to warn all persons against hiring him, feeding him, clothing him, making trades or contracts with him, or giving him aid in any way.

IRA LEE, SR.

Four Oaks, N. C., Route No. 3, August 27, 1917.

CHILDREN HAVE ADENOIDS.

State Board of Health Issues Bulletin Urging Quick Action on Part of Patients.

About ten per cent of all the children have adenoids to some extent, claims the State Board of Health in a special bulletin just issued, and of particular interest now as a new school term approaches and preparations are being made for medical inspection work.

According to the State Board, the disease usually begins about the second, third or fourth year, increasing in severity up to the eighth, ninth or tenth year. Then it decreases, disappearing, perhaps, between the child's eleventh and fourteenth years.

This does not mean, of course, that adenoids are not serious. As a fact, the disease may and frequently does mar the child's features, stature, efficiency and character for life.

"Now," says the State Board's Bulletin, "Any disease of such frequency in children and of such far reaching consequences imposes the duty upon every intelligent and considerate parent to suspect or recognize that disease so that the proper treatment may be applied before permanent injury results."

Adenoids are described as little tumors in the throat just above the back of the opening of the nose into the mouth and in front of the opening of the two small tubes by which the ears are connected with the upper part of the throat. In detail, they interfere with the breathing; alter the child's voice to a stuffy quality; remove to a certain extent the sense of smell; create a new facial expression of open mouth, overlapping teeth, short upper lip, small and narrow nose and high arched eyebrows; and interfere with the hearing, causing various degrees of deafness.

As for the treatment, the bulletin says: "When the adenoids are recognizable they are doing harm. If the child is under eight or nine years of age, the harm will almost certainly increase and, perhaps, the injury will become permanent. The operation for adenoids is relatively simple, and the danger is not much greater than the danger of an anaesthetic. In other words, the treatment, as compared with the danger of leaving the adenoids alone, is a minimum danger compared with a maximum danger. Take your child to some physician who is known to treat adenoids, or, if convenient, to a nose and throat specialist."

Wasn't She Right?

The lesson in natural history had been about the rhinoceros, and the teacher wanted to know how well the lesson had been learned. "Now, name something," she said, "that is very dangerous to get near to, and that has horns."

"I know, teacher, I know!" called little Annie Jones.

"Well, Annie, what is it?"

"An automobile."—Our Dumb Animals.

FREE OF CHARGE.

Any adult suffering from cough, cold or bronchitis, is invited to call at the drug store of Crech Drug Co., and get absolutely free, a sample bottle of Boschee's German Syrup, a soothing and healing remedy for all lung troubles, which has a successful record of fifty years. Gives the patient a good night's rest free from coughing, with free expectoration in the morning. Regular sizes, 25 and 75 cents. For sale in all civilized countries.—Adv.

FARM FOR SALE—50 ACRES, 30 acres cleared, good house, barns, pack-house, tobacco barns, good pasture, two miles of railroad. Address owner, Box 52, Selma, N. C.

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CLOTHES
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TO OUR
Autumn Sale

The season is just beginning, and we have the largest One Store in this vicinity, which is now filled from basement to top story with

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Dry Goods
Groceries
Buggies, Wagons, Harness
and Farm Hardware

We don't advertise low prices, but if you make us a call we shall give you Quality and a best price.

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Smithfield's Leading Grocer

The Best is None Too Good For OUR Customers!

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