

NORTH CAROLINA AND ITS CLIMATE

The Estimate a Northern Places on the State--Greatest Range of Trees and Plant Life--Where Buckwheat and Apples Grow to Perfection.

In one of the excellent letters written by him for The Southern Pines Tourist, Mr. Bion H. Butler discusses the remarkable and almost unique climatic advantages of North Carolina. To his mind—he is a Pennsylvanian by early habitation, we believe, and has traveled widely—the most desirable climate in the United States exists here. Protected by high mountains at one end and tempered by the ocean at the other, North Carolina has a more extended range of temperature than any other state east of the Mississippi valley. Of this range he says: "Up in the mountain counties the climate is much like that around western Pennsylvania, owing to the distance from the coast and the altitude. The people of Mitchell county may be shoveling snow, while the people of Columbus county, in the same State, are eating strawberries and green peas and new cabbages." And again:

On this account North Carolina has the greatest range of trees of any State of the Union. Down by the coast are the palmettos and the semi-tropical vegetation. In the mountains are the hardy spruces, hemlocks and laurels found away up in Canada. The botanist can find more varieties of plant life in shorter range in the State than anywhere else in the entire country. The crop range of the State is also great on that account. Cotton is a favorite crop in one section. In another section they know no more about cotton than farmer of Pennsylvania does. But they know how to make buckwheat and potatoes and apples and the cold weather crops. The buckwheat and the apples of the North Carolina mountain section are famous throughout the land and in some of the foreign territory, for apples have a habit of going away from home.

While recognizing both the superior excellence and range of climatic conditions in North Carolina Mr. Butler extends his praise to all "that long, narrow strip of coast land about a hundred miles in width, reaching from somewhere about Long Island, along the ocean, clear down to the Rio Grande, on the Mexican border." Here he is doubtless governed by the health-resort standpoint. This strip in its lower reaches, has, indeed, the very mild climate for which many people come South, but there are parts of it where conditions do not conduce to the highest human activity and efficiency. Below the North Carolina line, cotton mills on the coast have almost invariably proved failures, and even before water power had become an important consideration, climatic selection had located the center of Southern industrial development in the up-country region. This lower Southern coast region has immense opportunities. The climate is no drawback to most forms of enterprise and greatly assists some, but we do not by any means consider it a positive advantage—Selected.

Never hesitate about giving Chamberlain's Cough Remedy to children. It contains no opium or other narcotics and can be given with implicit confidence. As a quick cure for coughs and colds to which children are susceptible, it is unsurpassed. Sold by Saunders & Fowden and all dealers.

Mrs. A. S. Coffield Hostess

Miss Bettie Morton, who is visiting Mrs. A. S. Coffield, was the honor guest at a "daisy party" given by Mrs. Coffield at her home, Tuesday evening. The decorations consisted of daisies and cut flowers. The pleasure of the evening commenced with the "confession book" in which each one answered very important questions of a personal nature. Then a contest of musical terms afforded much interest. In this contest Miss Lettie Critcher and John W. Hassell won the first prize, the booby going to W. J. Gordon and Miss Eva Wolfe. The vote for the prettiest man and woman was given to Miss Morton Mr. Gordon. Several other attractive features rendered the hours among the most enjoyable spent here this season. Refreshments, as the hostess knows how to serve, gave delight to the guests after the contests were over.

Those present were: Misses Nora, Hannah, Vic and Louise Fowden, Eva Wolfe, Elisabeth Gordon, Mary and Irene Smith, May Bennett, Lettie Critcher and Susie Purvis; Messrs. Leslie Fowden, John Pope, W. J. Gordon, C. C. Chase, Harry Biggs, J. P. Simpson, J. W., Jr. and Maurice Watts, John W. Hassell and Dr. J. S. Rhodes.

Valafuk failed because the author, Father Martin Schleyer of Genoa, refused to accept any suggested modification.

Kidney trouble is particularly to be dreaded because its presence is not usually discovered until it has assumed one of its worst forms—diabetes, dropsy, or Bright's disease. If you suspect that your kidneys are affected, by all means use Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea—the great systemic cleanser and regulator, Saunders & Fowden.

In Germany marriages by any foreign consular officer are strictly prohibited—except where there are special treaty stipulations.

Coburn-Dowell

The following invitation has been received:
Rev. and Mrs. George J. Dowell request the honor of your presence at the marriage of their daughter Rosina to Mr. Rufus Theodore Coburn on Wednesday, June the first nineteen hundred and ten at three o'clock Baptist Church Williamston, North Carolina

Copenhagen is plagued with rats and it has been made a criminal offense to breed rodents for the purpose of securing the bounty offered for rat tails.

A Regular Tom Boy

was Susie—climbing trees and fences, jumping ditches, whittling, always getting scratches, cuts, sprains, bruises, bumps, burns or scalds. But laws! Her mother just applied Bucklen's Arnica Salve and cured her quick. Heals everything healable—Boils, Ulcers, Eczema, Old Sores, Corns or Piles. Try it, 25c at all druggists.

The most valuable pipe in the world is the state pipe of the Shah of Persia. It is set with precious stones, and is worth \$400,000.

Indigestion and constipation upset the entire system—cause a wide range of other ailments. You needn't suffer from any of these troubles. There's certain relief in Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. 35c at all druggists, Saunders & Fowden.

Everetts Scored Splendidly

The educational movement in Martin County has not ceased. People are daily recognizing the fact that better schools and more of them should be the keynote. Everetts, which has been making some needed improvements in buildings recently, has made a glorious record in voting for the establishment of a graded school. Last week the election was held and there was not one dissenting voice. Forty five registered and forty voted, casting it solid for better educational advantages. No town in North Carolina can make a better showing in that line. Nothing can mark a town more than the cooperation of its citizenry on a thing which makes for improvement. The town is small but is setting an example to those larger places which show signs of moss.

An Ideal Husband

is patient, even with a nagging wife, for he knows she needs help. She may be so nervous and run-down in health that trifles annoy her. If she is melancholy, excitable, troubled with loss of appetite, headache, sleeplessness, constipation or fainting and dizzy spells. She needs Electric Bitters—the most wonderful remedy for ailing women. Thousands of sufferers from female troubles, nervous troubles, backache and weak kidneys have used them and become healthy and happy. Try them Only 50c. Satisfaction guaranteed by all druggists.

The Devil of Debt

The devil of debt seems to be on the heels of almost everybody. The bookkeeper's in debt. Ditto the typewriter. Same with the porter and drayman. As for the superintendent, he can't remember when he wasn't. The office boy would be in debt if anybody would trust him. And all of them complaining and acknowledging the miserableness of their condition. Debt is a mortgage on your salary. Debt is a monument to a young man's weakness, a grown man's failure in the University of Life. Debt is discounting tomorrow's opportunity for today's good time. Debt is a quit claim deed to your wife's confidence, your children's ambition and your own self-respect. Debt is a guaranteed insurance policy against happiness. "Then what are we going to do?" says a chorus of young fellows and business men and aspiring women, and laborers and clerks, and managers, and street car conductors, and hundreds more. Do without it! It will take some backbone. It will take some genuine courage. But you'll be able to hold your head up—and that's more than you can do now, you know it.—Ex.

Hardison-Peele

The following invitation has been received:
Mrs. Joseph Henry Peele invites you to be present at the marriage of her daughter Annye Mae Belle to Mr. George Washington Hardison Tuesday morning, June seventh nineteen hundred and ten at seven forty-five o'clock at her residence Williamston, North Carolina No cards in town.

The splendid work of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets is daily coming to light. No such grand remedy for liver and bowel troubles was ever known before. Thousands bless them for curing constipation, sick headache, biliousness, jaundice and indigestion. Sold by Saunders & Fowden and all dealers.

Why Should Judge Manning be "Turned Down"

The people of North Carolina are to be congratulated that they have two such worthy gentlemen, staunch Democrats and eminent jurists as Judges Manning and Allen as aspirants for the high and honorable office of Associate Justice of our Supreme Court, because either of them would fill that position with credit to himself and honor to the State. And yet, while this is true, we think that Democratic usage and common fairness demand the nomination of Judge Manning.

During the forty-two years, since 1868, that our judges have been nominated by political conventions and elected by a vote of the people, no Democratic State Convention has "turned down," or refused to nominate, the appointee of the Governor, and only four district conventions have refused to nominate the judge of a district who had been appointed by him. So that according to Democratic usage Judge Manning should be nominated.

Common fairness also demands his nomination, and the people of North Carolina are fair-minded. Judge Manning has "made good" the Governor's appointment of him, for he has surely met the high expectations of his many friends who urged his appointment. He has worn the judicial ermine most worthily, and his opinions are ranked among the best ever delivered by any judge of our Supreme Court. Now lawyer doubts his fitness for the office. In character, legal learning, party service and judicial temperament he is worthy of receiving the endorsement by his party of the Governor's appointment. And why should he not receive it? The only objection suggested is that another good Democrat wants it!

Is this a sufficient reason for "turning down" Judge Manning and rebuking Governor Kitchin for appointing him? While, of course the Democratic party has the power to rebuke a Governor for any appointment made by him, yet does Governor Kitchin deserve such a rebuke in his appointment of Judge Manning? If Governor Kitchin had appointed Judge Allen instead of Judge Manning, when both were aspirants for appointment, and he had discharged the duties of his office as well as Judge Manning has (and we do not doubt that he would have done) then we would have urged Judge Allen's nomination for the same reasons about given for Judge Manning's nomination.

In this connection we may mention the Democrats of this State, so far back as 1898, thought Judge Manning worthy of judicial honors, for at the election that year he was their candidate for judge of the Fifth Judicial District, and received more votes than any other Democratic candidate on the State ticket, although all were defeated by the Fusion ticket.—The Chatham Record, April 27, 1910.

Lion Fondles A Child

In Pittsburg a savage lion fondled the hand that a child thrust into his cage. Danger to a child is sometimes great when least regarded. Often it comes through Colds, Croup, and Whooping Cough. They slay thousands that Dr. King's New Discovery could have saved. "A few doses cured our baby of a very bad case of Croup," writes Mrs. George B. Davis, of Flat Rock, N. C. "We always give it to him when he takes cold. It's a wonderful medicine for babies." Best for Coughs, Colds, LaGrippe, Asthma, Hemorrhages, Weak Lungs. 50c. \$1.00. Trial bottle free. Guaranteed by all druggists.

Notice to Telephone Subscribers

Subscribers of the Williamston Telephone Company will please make the following changes in Telephone Directory of July 1st, 1909: Change Daniel & Staton from 102 to 114-3 1/2; J. B. Hardison from 102 to 114-1 1/2; Simon E. Hardison from 102 to 114-4.

Discontinue the following: Ice House; Adams & Ward; Ellington & Leggett; Ben Ward; Jno. E. Pope.

Add to Directory the following new subscribers: Bunch, E. P., Residence No. 126; Dixie Tobacco Warehouse No. 121; Gurganus, George N., Residence No. 127; Hoyt, F. W., Residence No. 120; Hopkins, J. W., Residence No. 114-3; Leggett, W. H., Market No. 52; Mobley, Sidney A., Stables 122; Residence No. 123; Peed, Thos. A., Residence No. 87; Pope, Mrs. Bettie, Residence No. 88; Peel, R. J., Residence No. 125; Peel, Jas. S., Office No. 103 1/2 1; Roanoke Warehouse, Office 89; Simpson, J. Paul., Office No. 17; Ward, J. Herbert, Market No. 44; Waters, Jas. B., Residence No. 124; Williams, Dr. John W., Office No. 103 3/2; H. M. Burras, Residence No. 128; S. W. Manning, Store No. 114 2; James A. Roberson, Residence No. 114-1/2 1; J. W. Watts & Co., Stables No. 37; Gurganus, J. Henry, Residence 109 4; Griffin, Wm. W., Residence 102 4; Hardison, Joseph A., Residence 114 2 1/2; Leggett, W. H. Residence 78; Stubbs, Harry W., Office 130; Taylor, Eli, Residence, 107-1/2 1; Harrison, Louis C., Residence 73; Simpson, J. Paul, Farm 107 5; Carper, John L., Residence, 131; Cook, John S., Store, 132; Bymum Wynn No. 112-2 1/2; Cherry & Clark, No. 103 1 1/2 1/2; Baltimore Tailoring House No. 31; Meeks Mercantile Co., Everetts toll station 103-2 1/2; William H. Daniel No. 114 1 1/2 1/2; Henry Roberson No. 114 1/2 1/2 1; J. L. Peel and J. R. Griffin No. 114-5; Ed Daniel No. 114-4 1/2; O. C. Prices' Pressing Club No. 58; T. S. Hadley No. 107 1/2 1/2.

JAMESVILLE CENTRAL

A. C. L. R. R. Depot No. 8, Brown Bros. store No. 6, S. R., Biggs Drug Co. No. 3, B. S. Edwards residence No. 13, W. H. Ellison store No. 5, Dr. U. S. Hassell store No. 10, Lilley & Martin store No. 11, Dr. J. E. Smithwick residence No. 7, W. H. Stallings store No. 9, W. W. Waters, store No. 12, Geo. S. Williams office No. 8, Norfolk & Southern R. R. No. 12.

Respectfully,
Williamston Telephone Co.,
This April 14th, 1910.

Commencement Exercises

Littleton College for women has a splendid record and grows in popularity. The closing exercises are always attractive. This year they will be unusually so and the patrons of the school are proud of its success. The following program will be rendered:

Senior Class Day, Tuesday, May, 24th, 6:30 p. m.
Art Exhibit, Wednesday, May 25th, 10 to 11 a. m.
Annual Sermon, Wednesday, May 25, 11 a. m.—Rev. R. H. Broom, President Elder, Elizabeth City District.
Graduating Exercises, Thursday, May 26th, 10 a. m.
Literary Address, Thursday, May 26th, 11 a. m.—President W. S. Poteat, Wake Forest College.
Commencement Exercises, Thursday, May 26th, 8 p. m.

If your appetite is poor, your whole body must be insufficiently nourished—weakness and disease must result. There's nothing like Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea to create a healthy appetite. Tea or Tablets, 35c. Saunders & Fowden.

ROBERSONVILLE NEWS ITEMS

Local Happenings and People who are Coming and Going, Here, There and Yonder as Gathered by our Regular Correspondent.

William Taylor spent Sunday in Tarboro.

Mrs. A. R. Dunning was here Monday.

Henry Roberson left Tuesday for Richmond.

Mrs. Gray Barnhill spent Thursday in town.

L. T. Roberson, of Ayden, spent Sunday here.

Willie Roebuck is on the sick list this week.

Roy Carson, of Jamesville, spent Sunday here.

Miss Clyde Tripp is on the sick list this week.

M. C. Ross, of Bonneron, was in town Monday.

Elder G. D. Roberson left Monday for Baltimore.

W. L. Riddick, of Williamston, was in town Sunday.

Miss Blanche Daniel is visiting in Hamilton this week.

Mrs. Jessie Ward returned home from Ahoskie Saturday.

Miss Dora Johnson, of Gold Point, was in town Sunday.

Rev. Mr. Howard filled his regular appointment here Sunday.

Johnnie Edmondson, of Rocky Mount, was in town Monday.

Joe Ward, of Wilson, is spending some time here with his brother.

Miss Clarine Schull, of Ahoskie, is visiting her cousin, Mrs. Jesse Ward.

Mrs. John Perkins and Miss Susie Ross, of Stokes, were in town Monday.

Miss Isabelle Morton and Pearl Roberson spent Saturday and Sunday in Tarboro.

Mrs. Maggie Taylor is on the sick list this week. Her many friends wish her a speedy recovery.

Quite a number of boys and girls attended the birthday party of Miss Hilda Knight near Hassell, Wednesday evening.

A touch of rheumatism, or a twinge of neuralgia, whatever the trouble is, Chamberlain's Liniment drives away the pain at once and cures the complaint quickly. First application gives relief. Sold by Saunders & Fowden and all dealers.

Services in Robersonville and Jamesville

On the fifth Sunday in this month (May 29th), Rev. Mr. Gordon will hold service in Robersonville at 11 o'clock a. m., and at Jamesville at 8 p. m. There will be no other service in either town on that Sunday. All cordially invited. Further notice next week.

Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets will clear the sour stomach, sweeten the breath and create a healthy appetite. They promote the flow of gastric juice, thereby inducing good digestion. Sold by Saunders & Fowden and all dealers.

Services at Hamilton

On next Sunday, which is Trinity Sunday, there will be service in St. Martin's Church, Hamilton, at eleven o'clock a. m.—no night service. In the absence of Rev. Mr. Gordon, who is attending the Annual Council at Wilmington, the service will be in charge of the lay reader, Mr. E. B. Darden.