

IN LINE WITH THE VERY BEST

North Carolina Especially Rich in Lands in the East--No Finer Trucking Section in the Country--Gulf Stream Flows Near to Coast

Eastern North Carolina is beginning to command something of the attention which its proven potentialities are due. "The logic of the situation here," observes The Wilmington Star in this connection, "is an incomparable climate and a region of vast productiveness while the nearness of the region to a great consuming population in the North is an assurance that land values in eastern North Carolina are not only permanent but inevitably will increase as the possibilities of this part of the country become known and undergo the development of which it is capable." Within 24 hours of the great Northern markets by refrigerator train, eastern North Carolina truckers of Florida, Texas and other more southerly sections an advantage for which their earlier season does not by any means compensate. At the same time the comparative earliness of its season operates as a decided advantage over coast truckers farther north, whose proximity to market since the eastern North Carolina trucker is near enough, constitutes no sufficient offset. The Star notes with gratification the fact that not only have better productive methods increased the corn yield, giving farmers a surplus for sale where they formerly bought from the West, but that shipping green corn or "roasting-ears" to Northern markets has sprung up as a new industry. "This season," says our observant contemporary, "immense quantities of green corn have been shipped to the Northern markets by farmers who a few years ago did not dream that they could do a good business growing corn for the table." On July 14th over two thousand crates of table corn were shipped from Clinton, Sampson county—showing, we note with pleasure, that work did not stop throughout the State on this great convention day. Eastern North Carolina, in short, is rising to the level of its newly discovered opportunities.

The gulf stream from the south comes very near Wilmington, while the cold arctic current which washes our Atlantic coast and is largely responsible for its greater coldness as compared with corresponding latitudes across the ocean or on our own Pacific coast undergoes wide deflection by the jutting triangle apexed at Cape Hatteras. Probably the sounds and sandbanks which have been often execrated for their effect upon navigability make some return by rendering this section especially suitable for the trucker's purposes. At any rate, climate here is mild out of relation to its latitude as compared with other coast neighborhoods. The ocean, a tempering influence even when chilled by cold currents, is more than ordinarily kind. Southeastern North Carolina, in particular, can compare with neighborhoods considerably farther south. And, as The Star says, excellent trucking land is abundant. A section which thought its principal source of wealth gone when the pine forests had been cut away has discovered a new source not liable

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to exhaustion. Land once considered so worthless that a man's poverty was said to increase with the amount he owned is making men rich. Native people are learning the use of their opportunity and settlers are coming in. We felicitate eastern North Carolina. It has struck the full trend of that varied but everywhere substantial progress which pervades the State.—Charlotte Observer.

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EVERETT ITEMS

J. S. Ayers went to Goose Nest Tuesday.

D. J. Meeks is on the sick list this week.

Dr. Williams went to Williamston Sunday.

C. H. Rawls, Robersonville, was here Tuesday.

J. L. Gurganus spent Sunday night in the country.

C. B. Riddick spent Sunday night in the country.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Barnhill went to Bear Grass Sunday.

Mr. Harrell, of Norfolk, was in town Tuesday on business.

Miss Roland Moore is spending this week in Robersonville.

Miss Hattie James is spending this week in Robersonville.

Chas. B. Riddick, of Buies Creek, is visiting his parents here.

Messrs. Keel and Daniels, of Robersonville, were here Sunday.

Miss Eubanks, of Hassell, is visiting Miss Vada Wynn this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Cherry spent Sunday in the country with their parents.

A number of our people are attending the carnival at Robersonville this week.

J. P. Ward, of Kinston, was the guest of Miss Euzela Riddick Saturday and Sunday.

J. D. Woolard, of Robersonville, spent Saturday night at the home of his sister, Mrs. J. S. Peel.

Miss Fannie Woolard has returned from an extended visit to her sister, who lives in Baltimore.

Miss Mary York, of near Williamston, spent Sunday here with her cousin, Miss Pearl Malloy.

Everetts and Robersonville crossed bats on the diamond of the latter last Thursday. The game was an interesting one, ending in a score of 2 to 1 in favor of Everetts.

Farmers Institute

We are indebted to our Congressman, Hon. John H. Small, for a farmers meeting to be held at the Court House Tuesday, August 2nd, 1910, at 10 a. m.

Mr. Small, who is always on the alert and ready to help his people, has procured the services of the following gentlemen, who will conduct the institute.

Curtis H. Kyle, whose object will be "farm management and soils for corn and cotton." J. P. Campbell, general field agent for the South in the farmers operative demonstrative work, who will discuss "soils, their renovation and restoration." H. Matthewson, who will discuss "tobacco culture," generally. E. Lester Boykin, who will discuss "good roads and how to secure them." These are all great subjects and largely affect our county.

Hon. John H. Small will also be present and help in the work. Session both before and after noon.

DARDENS ITEMS

Mrs. Annie Bateman is visiting relatives in Norfolk.

Miss Neva Swinson and brother, John, left last week for Norfolk.

Messrs. Price and Bond made a business trip to Williamston Monday.

Mrs. C. C. Fagan, who has been sick several weeks, is able to be out again.

Miss Carrie Jenkins, of Bethel, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Lloyd Waters.

Mrs. David Swinson has returned from a visit to her children in Norfolk.

Miss Bernice Fagan left Tuesday for a trip to Norfolk and Ocean View, Va.

Miss Georgie Ward, of Jamesville, spent last week with Mrs. Hamilton.

Miss Donnie Gardner spent Sunday with Miss Ida Stillman near Plymouth.

Rev. Mr. Mizell filled his appointment at the Disciple Church here Sunday.

Mrs. W. T. Coburn is teaching the "Piney Woods" school about two miles from here.

Mrs. Hoyle Davenport and Mrs. Gardner were guests of Mrs. Preston Swinson Monday.

Miss Gladys Coburn, after visiting her grandparents here, has returned to home in Buell, Va.

Noah Jackson continues quite feeble. He is at the home of his son, James Jackson, of this place.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Gurkin were guests in the home of Mrs. Gurkin's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Swinson, Sunday.

School began here Monday with Prof. Eason, of Wilson, as principal, and Miss Janie Jenkins, of Williamston, as assistant.

Mr. and Mrs. A. T. King have returned to their home in Portsmouth, Va., after a pleasant visit here with relatives and friends.

HASSELL ITEMS

Will Hyman left Monday.

Alex Haislip is in Norfolk now.

Mrs. B. Downs is very sick this week.

T. H. Johnson spent Sunday at home.

Miss Nannie Haislip spent Monday here.

Miss Phon Fleming is visiting near Palmyra.

Henry Cherry was here from Speed Monday.

Miss Louise Salsbury left for Hobgood Sunday.

G. F. Roberson spent Sunday night at Plymouth.

G. F. Roberson made a short trip to Parmele Saturday.

Charlie Purvis spent Sunday at the home of T. H. Rawls.

Miss Selma Fleming returned from Baltimore last week.

Robert Salsbury is spending a few days near Speed this week.

R. H. Salsbury, Jr., spent Monday in Scotland Neck on business.

Miss Ethel Bolin, of Greenville, is visiting Miss Hilda Knight this week.

Misses Bessie and Myrtle Roberson spent Sunday with Miss Lishie Coborn.

OAK CITY ITEMS

N. F. Brown was in town Monday.

F. Willie Johnson was in town Sunday.

Mrs. C. M. Hurst is on the sick list this week.

Joe Earley, of Palmyra, was in town Monday.

John Evans, of Hamilton, was in town Tuesday.

T. H. Johnson, of Hassell, was in town Sunday.

Robert Salsbury, of Hassell, was in town Monday.

John Rook was in town Monday.

Keneth Raynor, of Colerain, was in town Monday.

W. W. Balland, of Norfolk, was in town Monday.

T. K. Weyher, of Kinston, was in town Tuesday.

Miss Lizzie Harrell was on our streets Wednesday.

Henry Daniels, of Williamston, is in town this week.

Vance Cuberson, of Hamilton, was in town Tuesday.

Misses Hannah and Myrtle Long were in town Tuesday.

Herman Hedgepeth, of Hobgood, was in town last Friday.

Jessie F. Crisp spent Monday with his parents near Robersonville.

Johnnie Kitrell, of Greenville, passed through town one day last week.

Frank Harrell, who has been in the employ of the N. Y. P. & N. R. Co., came home Sunday to spend a few days with his mother.

Miss Ada Bell Tew and brother, Brantley, left Tuesday for their home in Port Norfolk, Va., after spending the past week here with relatives.

Dr. M. I. Fleming, Will Rhodes, Bogue Slade, Bruce Sherrrod, E. A. Council and George Brown were guests of the Oak City Bathing Club Sunday.

Dr. M. I. Fleming, of Hamilton, was in town Monday to see little Virginia Hines, who has been very sick for the past week, but it is now thought that she will soon be out again.

The new Conclave of Improved Order of Heptasoph is growing and doing fine. It was organized June the 27th, with thirty-one charter members and have made two additions since and an application is before the Lodge at present to be passed on. We trust that our little order will continue to grow and prosper. A meeting is held every Tuesday night and very enjoyable evenings are spent.

Kerosene Kills Lockjaw Germs

Immediately a child sustains an injury from fireworks, but especially the toy pistol and the giant firecracker, a physician should be summoned, who will inject an immunizing dose of tetanus antitoxin.—Dr. John B. Huber in the American Review of Reviews.

In connection with which Dr. R. B. Glasgow, editor of the Burlington (N. J.) Gazette, says this which we publish with pleasure for the benefit of those concerned:

The above will appeal to the professional mind at once, but what answer will you make to him who asks what may be done pending the coming of the doctor?

That is easy, as the Koran says—saturate the wound with ordinary kerosene.

That is all.

That is cheap, easy, simple and sure.—Sel.

Advice For Young Men

Remember, my son, you have to work. Whether you handle a pick or a pen, a wheelbarrow or a set of books, dig ditches or edit a paper, ring an auction bell or write funny things, you must work. If you look around you will see the men who work the hardest.

Don't be afraid of killing yourself with overwork. It is beyond your power to do that on the sunny side of thirty. They die sometimes, but it is because they quit work at 6 p. m. and don't get home till 2 a. m. It is the interval that kills, my son. The work gives you an appetite for your meals; it lends solidity to your slumbers; it gives you a perfect and grateful appreciation of a holiday.

There are young men who do not work, but the world is not proud of them. It does not know their names even; it simply speaks of them as "old So-and-So's boys." Nobody likes them; the great, busy world doesn't know that they are there. So find out what you want to be and do, and take off your coat and make a dust in the world. The busier you are the less harm you will be apt to get into, the sweeter will be your sleep, the brighter and happier your holidays and the better satisfied the world will be with you.—Bob Burdette.

A Frightful Wreck

of train, automobile or buggy may cause cuts, bruises, abrasions, sprains or wounds that demand Bucklen's Arnica Salve—earth's greatest healer. Quick relief and prompt cure results. For burns, boils, sores of all kinds, eczema, chapped hands and lips, sore eyes or corns, its supreme. Surest pile cure. 25c. at all druggists.

Second Tour Oxford Orphanage Singing Class

After almost a month at Oxford, following its first or eastern tour, the Oxford Orphanage Singing Class will, about July 21st, start upon its second or western tour.

Thus far this year the Class has seemed to meet with exceptional success and excellent are the prospects for the second or western trip.

The concerts of the children are of great merit, interesting, refreshing, helpful. They are really worth more than the price of admission.

The Oxford Orphanage is now attempting to care for about 330 of the homeless children of our State and to prepare them for useful lives. Since its establishment in 1872 it has been a greatly used agency in the salvation of souls in the rescue of lives for service to God and humanity.

The visits of these bright, attractive, well trained children, who give a delightful concert, cannot fail to deepen interest in this institution and in the other splendid orphanages of North Carolina.

We bespeak for the Oxford Orphanage Singing Class of 1910 in its tour so soon to begin even larger patronage than ever before from all of our people.

Those Pies of Boyhood

How delicious were the pies of boyhood. No pies now ever taste so good, what's changed? the pies? No. Its you. You've lost the strong, healthy stomach, the vigorous liver, the active kidneys, the regular bowels of boyhood. Your digestion is poor and you blame the food. What's needed? A complete toning up by Electric Bitters of all organs of digestion—stomach, liver, kidneys, bowels—Try them. They'll restore your boyhood appetite and appreciation of food and fairly saturate your body with new health, strength and vigor. 50c. at all druggists.

AN OLD BIDDY DISPLAYS TALENT

Deposited an Egg Painted in True Artistic Style--Probably a Warning to Chicken Thieves--Quite a Curiosity.

"There is nothing new under the sun" so they say, and yet strange things happen every day, the like of which has not been seen before. Nature is full of surprises and there are none to perfectly interpret her mysteries. One reads of the spectacular and curious happenings, and often it comes under the eye. To a plain old hen belongs the honor of furnishing the suspicious of this community with a strange sight. Tuesday morning, this industrious chick, belonging to Stephen Latham, a colored man living in West Williamston, deposited an egg in the nest, as usual. Latham's wife later took the egg out, and behold! it was an Easter beauty in July! The hen not belonging to that branch of the church which celebrates Easter, was not up on the church calendar and so had made the blunder in dates. The surfaces of the egg was painted in a very dark blue shade, and the figure thereon represented a man in armor—perhaps a knight of ye olden times. In his hand was a spear which he seemed about to cast at something. That is one version of the the egg story. Another is that some midnight marauder went after that old hen and so badly scared her that the form of the thief was photographed on the shell. At any rate, it is a curiosity and well worth seeing. The colored population have not been alarmed so much since Halley's measly old comet disappeared. They predict dire disasters, and no doubt it is a warning from the unknown world to those who have such an enormous appetite for chicken. If every hen has the artistic to that degree that she can get a picture of thieves, then there is work for the police, and the chickens should be given the reward for apprehending the prowlers. The old hen has been depositing the regulation white fruit every day since her wonderful picture painting.

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Williamston Wins Two Out of Three

Williamston's team again shows up in good form by taking two games out of the three played this week. On Monday they were defeated by Tarboro in a slow game played nearly altogether in the rain.

Tuesday they took one away from Farmville in a fast and snappy contest. Ward, who has pitched all three games, with Jordan behind the bat, seemed to gain strength each day, having struck out thirteen of those who faced him on the Farmville diamond, while Jordan allowed no base stealing. On Wednesday the same battery proved too much for Greenville, taking a game from them by a score of 5 to 1.

The features of the games has been the pitching of Ward, catching of Jordan and heavy batting of the entire team. Gurganus and Watts have distinguished themselves with the willow. Teel's playing on short has been of the fastest type. The team leaves today for Aulander to play two games.—"Dope."