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Are You Going to Take a Vacation?

Vacation is the talk of the season. Every nine or ten people are planning to take a vacation trip, sometime, somewhere during the summer. Where to go is the question. Be this understood: The most picturesque and otherwise attractive resorts are not always the safest. Your first consideration should be: Where can I find rest and recreation without jeopardizing my health? On making your choice look well to these facts: 1st, That the supply of drinking water comes not from shallow wells or from other sources likely to be polluted. 2nd, that flies and mosquitoes are well screened against. 3rd, That there are sanitary arrangements for the disposal of sewerage. Know these things and your chances for having typhoid, malaria and many other diseases will be greatly diminished. The vacationist by all means should be vaccinated against typhoid. This preventive measure is so simple and yet so effective that no man or woman should consider himself ready till he has taken this treatment. You can get the typhoid vaccine either by writing to the State Laboratory of Hygiene, Raleigh, N. C., or applying to your own physician. In either case allow yourself plenty of time. Four weeks at least are necessary in which to get the vaccine and take the treatment. If further information regarding this treatment is desired, write the State Board of Health, Raleigh, N. C.

Birthday Party

On last Thursday evening, Miss Eva Peel entertained a large number of friends in honor of her seventeenth birthday at her home on Haughton St. There were contests arranged for the pleasure of the guests, and a prize offered for the successful contestant. Ice cream and cake were served at a late hour and enjoyed as the night was exceedingly warm. Miss Peel was the recipient of many pretty gifts.

Hamilton Items

Miss Lou Brown Mayo left Monday for Tarboro to attend the Jones-Mayo marriage.

Miss Fannie spent the weekend in Tarboro.

Quila Hyman left for his home in Tarboro Saturday.

Mesdames B. L. Long and J. B. Cloman left Friday for Gainsville, Ga., to visit Mrs. Walter Deal.

Mrs. C. H. Baker and daughter are at home after a visit to High Point.

Dr. and Mrs. Edgar Long were here Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Salsbury spent last week in Norfolk.

Mrs. B. B. Sherrad and daughter and Mrs. R. W. Salsbury spent Tuesday in Greenville.

Miss Mary Louise Carstarphen is the guest of Mrs. Harry Waldo.

J. P. Boyle went to Norfolk Tuesday.

C. D. Carstarphen and children spent Sunday here.

D. E. Taylor and Asa Johnson went to Scotland Neck Sunday.

Mrs. F. L. Haislip and children spent Sunday in Hobgood.

Mrs. B. F. Myers went to Kelford Friday.

LOCAL

Pictures Framed.

The Glorious Fourth tomorrow. Full moon on the 7th, at 8 a.m. Clean up and slow up or the cop will get you.

Boys and Girls—don't forget your day at Majestic Exhibit. Get a free souvenir and special prize. Read ad. in this paper.

FOR SALE.—Feather beds in excellent condition cheap for each. Apply to Dr. J. S. Rhodes, City.

People who know are going to buy a Majestic Range during Demonstration week. You would too if you knew. Read big ad. in this paper.

Pictures.

Household Economy—the main spring to reduce the high cost of living. Start at the vital point, Your Range. See ad in this issue.

Pictures Framed at Courtney's.

Mack S. Taylor left Monday morning for Parmele where he has contracted to erect the Graded School building there.

Nice line of picture moulding at Courtney's.

LOST—A fox terrier, white with black spot in face. Finder return to L. B. Wynn and receive reward.

Imported melons at 75 cents have been in town this week and are still here.

Church Street has been graded by the road force and presents a more attractive appearance than heretofore.

A special feature tomorrow night at the Gaiety Theatre—"Triumph of an Emperor." It will be interesting, see it.

The Baraca Class of the Baptist Church meets every Sunday morning at 9:45. Men from 16 to 35 are especially invited.

During an electric storm of last Thursday, the gin house of J. G. Staton was struck by lightning and set on fire. It was discovered in time to extinguish.

There were no services at the the Christian Church on Sunday, as the pastor, Rev. G. H. Fern, has resigned and left North Carolina to make his home in Kentucky, his native State.

Jack Everett, a colored man living in town, struck his wife with a beer bottle on Sunday and severely injured her. He was arrested by Sheriff Crawford and bound over to court under bond.

Several have been held up for speeding and forced to pay fines. There are others who will get in the toils of the law if they continue to disregard the advice of citizens just because the policeman is not near.

The first cotton bloom brought to the office, was found among many others in the field of Wm. Slade, and was presented by Master James Edwin Harrell on the 27th. Reports show that many farmers have found blooms in their fields.

Pleasing Large Crowds

Harradan's show under a large tent with ample reserved seat space, is exhibiting here this week in the vicinity of the depot. Large crowds have gone every night and been entertained. It is clean and one gets more for ten cents than at many shows for 25 cents. There is a moving picture feature each night for 5 cents extra.

Martin All Right

All the "blue imps" which disturbed the dreams of the farmers of Martin County during the recent dry spell, have taken their departure and instead visions of bursting barns, swelled bank accounts and other pleasing conditions have appeared in the minds and hearts of these same tillers of the soil. A ride over the county will make it plain from whence cometh such happy dreams. King Cotton is lifting his lordly head, the dark green coloring making a beautiful picture on every farm in the county. Never has it been so prolific at this season of the year. Corn, that mighty staple provided for man and beast, is laughing with glee in the fields, and fertilization for the production of the golden ears has already begun, one with ears attuned to the sounds of nature can hear the movement of the rapid growth going on in stalk and blade. Tobacco, for which the county has become famous within ten years, though the stand is not as perfect as usual, is spreading its broad, gummy leaves over the fields giving promise of big sales and high prices when the season opens. Then one sees the biggest asset which the county has, peanuts, which grow in no other section quite so perfect and abundant, and they are making a cloth of green over the broad acres and beneath the soil the succulent nuts are forming, which will make the farmer more independent this fall.

Fruits on the trees and berries on the bushes, furnish the thrifty housewives with abundance for canning, preserving and pies for the noonday meals. Soon native grown melons will stock the markets and with plenty of fresh vegetables will complete the list of good things given for man's delight.

If in the next few months, Nature shall continue her work along lines made to produce effects which combined with man's energy, bring treasures from the soil, then this county will still keep its place among the list of those where it is sweet to dwell. For these and other blessings of peace and freedom from pestilence, the people of Martin should and are deeply grateful in this blessed year of 1914.

MANY ARE GLAD OVER LIVER TONE

Former Sufferers From Constipation Now Improved Without Taking Unpleasant Calomel

Many, many thousands of people who formerly suffered from constipation are delighted with the relief brought them by taking Dodson's Liver Tone instead of disagreeable and often dangerous calomel.

Calomel is a poison, a form of mercury, dangerous to many people and causing unpleasant after-effects for nearly everyone who tries it.

Dodson's Liver Tone is recommended as a perfectly safe and reliable remedy to take the place of calomel. This is exactly what it is made for and has been made for ever since the first bottle was put up and sold. It is widely imitated. So be careful to get the original.

Dodson's Liver Tone is sold and guaranteed by Saunders & Fowden who will refund purchase price (50c.) instantly with a smile if you are in any way dissatisfied. Dodson's Liver Tone is a palatable vegetable-liquid. Its action is easy and natural, with no gripe

The Majestic Range

The first essential to good housekeeping is a good range in a comfortable kitchen. People recognizing this fact buy the Majestic Range, which is on sale at the store of Hoyt Hardware Co. Ask the following users of the range and get the facts: Mesdames W. A. Ellison, A. R. Dunning, Alonzo Hassell, W. C. Manning, J. G. Godard, B. F. Godwin, J. H. Saunders, J. A. Everett, M. W. Ballard, Amos Perry, J. D. Lilley, Geo. E. Roberson and W. E. Daniel.

Make the Roads Good

It takes people long years sometimes to change their ideas about things, especially if it means a putting off of the old and putting on the new. Oftentimes forward movements engender strife, which for a time upsets the quiet of a neighborhood. Opponents of any new thing so often make the matter personal, as if the entire sentiment was a hit at them and their liberties. And this results, in many cases in clogging the wheels of progress and life drags where otherwise it might have been full of rich, red blood.

Take the question of good roads and analyze the feelings of some citizens, and you will find that their opposition has none of the public spirit which makes for the betterment of the country. They imagine that a bond issue, however small, is but a chain which other people are trying to place about their necks so as to drag them down. They fail to note that the citizens who are working for better highways must come under the same requirements, and in many cases, bear heavier taxes, for it is usually true that the well-to-do men are the ones agitating the question.

Martin County has only three townships which have issued bonds. Not a single one of these would vote contrary if the question should come up again. In fact the vote would be larger in all of them. This is certainly true of Williamston Township, where the roads have been so much improved that people from all sections who visit here, speak of the beauty and convenience of them. If the other townships would connect their main roads with the county seat's roads, there would be much cause for pride.

Hamilton Township will vote for the third time on the question on July 14th, and it is earnestly hoped that the people will see the great value of improved highways, and give a good majority for them.

A Splendid Concert

The best number on the list of entertainments which have come to the Opera House this year, was the Cosmos Quintette last week. Owing to the extreme heat, the audience was not as large as was expected, and those who failed to attend missed something attractive. Every number on the programme was rendered with the skill of artists, and two local singers, Miss Irma Woodhouse and H. A. Biggs, added much to the enjoyment. It is seldom that a more pleasing programme is heard in Williamston.

no pain and the after-effects are agreeable. Dodson's Liver Tone does not interfere with your regular duties, habits and diet, and builds and strengthens instead of weakening you or knocking you all out for days, as calomel and strong purgatives so often do. Dodson's may do for you what it has for all these other happy thousands of people.

PERSONAL

Mrs. Eli Gurganus is at home from Richmond.

J. H. Martin is here from Hamilton.

Mr. and Mrs. P. F. Apfel went to Virginia Beach on Saturday.

W. H. Stallings is visiting relatives in Dunn.

F. W. Hoyt and son spent Sunday in Washington.

Rev. and Mrs. J. D. Howell and family have returned from a visit to relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Thrower arrived Friday from Vaughn to visit relatives here.

H. H. Pope and family spent Sunday here.

Misses Josephine Robertson and Mary King Ellison went to Robersonville Sunday.

Miss Fannie Biggs Martin has returned from a trip to New York and other points of interest.

Messrs. W. B. Rodman, Jr., and Macon Jordan were here from Washington Tuesday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Harrison motored here from Palmyra Sunday and spent the day with relatives.

Mrs. J. G. Staton left Wednesday to visit friends and relatives in Virginia.

Dr. J. A. White was in town Sunday from Hobgood.

Miss Fannie Murt Manning is at home from a visit to Washington.

Miss Martha Ward is visiting in Lexington.

Mrs. Elizabeth Hurt, of Scotland Neck, is the guest of Mrs. H. D. Cook.

Capt. T. W. Tilghman spent Wednesday in town on business.

J. P. Simpson with a party of friends motored to Whitakers Thursday to attend the races.

Frank Kellinger, who has been in Chattanooga, Tenn., for the past year, is visiting relatives here.

W. B. Watts with a party of friends motored here from Plymouth Wednesday.

The banks here will be closed tomorrow as it is the Glorious Fourth.

Oak City Items

Frank Hitch, of Hobgood, was in town Monday.

Wilber Worseley and Mr. Nobles, of Hamilton, were in town Sunday.

Miss Lula Jones, of Rocky Mount, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Hardy Council.

Prof. J. D. Everett, of Weldon, was the guest of his brother Saturday.

Willie Tew, of Port Norfolk, spent the week with J. W. Hines.

Mrs. Lula Hurst, of Tarboro, was the guest of relatives here this week.

Jim Rawls and Miss Lottie Inscow were here on Sunday from Hamilton.

Prof. F. G. Whitaker, of Horse Shoe, has been the guest of Miss Lizzie Harrell since last Thursday.

Misses Anna Mae and Lizzie Harrell and Lila Philpot left Monday for Virginia Beach.

Miss Daisy Council and Mr. Jack Hyman were married Sunday, June 21st., in the Methodist parsonage at Scotland Neck, Rev. Singleton officiating. They are at home at the home of the bride's father.

A Parable on Young Men

"Verily in this day and generation the father raiseth up his son on the streets and sidewalks. He layeth around the soda fountain and imbueh slop and hook-worms. He groweth in knowledge of nothing except [cigarettes and cuss words.

"When he attaineth the age of 19 he acquires a suit of clothes turned up at the bottom two furlongs above his feet. He displayeth a pair of noisy sox, with purple background and violet to the front. He weareth low cut shoes and a green tie. He looketh like a banana merchant on the streets of Cairo. The end of his head resembles the inside of a pumpkin.

"He falleth in love with a spindle ankle girl with pink ribbon on her head, and he craveth for an automobile that he may ride forth in springtime. He thinketh work is sinful. He scattereth his mother's pin money like a cyclone scattereth a rail fence. He sitteth up at night to write poetry, and giveth no thought to the multiplication table. His mind turneth to the vanities of life, and not the high cost of bread.

"Verily, verily! he needeth a board applied vigorously to the southwest corner of his anatomy. He thinketh his father a plodder and his mother a back number.

"He pictureth to himself great riches suddenly acquired. He dreameth of automobiles and private cars.

"Yes, he thinketh himself the real stuff. He butteth in where he is not wanted; he criticiseth his elders, he purchaseth cheap perfume and smelleth louder than a billy goat.

"When he groweth up he getteth a job as clerk in a store at \$1.00 a day and swipeth extra from his boss until he is caught." — Ex.

At The Training School

(Contributed)

Miss Bernice Fagan is at home from the Training School at Greenville. Miss Fagan has been very popular with her school mates during the three years that she has spent in school, having twice been elected president of her classes, and elected to represent the Y. W. C. A. in Asheville, but had to decline the honor as she was not a member of any Church. She has also been elected president of the Sidney Lanier Society for next year, when she graduates.

Miss Fagan is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Fagan, of Dardens, and adds another to the list of Martin County's women who are making good at college.

Mr. A. R. Dunning For Representative

Editor, ENTERPRISE:— Since no one has announced himself as a candidate for the Legislature from Martin County, I conclude that we have drifted back to the true Democratic principle of letting the office seek the man instead of the man the office, which should be a source of much gratification to the public.

I beg to suggest the name of Mr. A. R. Dunning, who represented us in the last Legislature, and, no doubt, gained much information and experience, which will be of great value to the citizens of the county, should they again choose him as Representative.

A Democrat.