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more prosperous.

the present road law we might make the roads better.

power last fall on the promises made to a people who saw that a continuance on her downward career meant destruction to North Carolina. The white people overleaped party lines and carried the banner of Democraey to victory, believing that the pledges of the party would be faithfully kept.

They so fixed the school law as to ashore." place only white men in charge of white schools; they gave to the of this town to a firm in Alexandria, State institutions just and honest valued at \$1,100.00. Mr. C. D. government; they gave evidence of Loane left for Alexandria Monday, economy in all their dealings; they abolished all unnecessary offices; ble. It is hoped that Capt. Hill and they did not forget the Confederate his crew had been rescued and are visit to Norfolk. soldier; they have made it possible for the State to have an election law that means for all time "White Rule;" they have made great and good laws in regard to railroad corporations; they have arranged to pay off the State debt; they have improved the insanity laws; they have enacted perhaps the best Revenue law ever enacted; they have given us separate cars for the races. They have done all things well, and while some may feel that this or that might have been done or left undone, let us not murmur, but with one accord, say amen

BETTER ROADS NEEDED.

EDITOR BEACON :- I wrote the Chair'm, of the Board of county Commissioners a letter recently, suggesting that he arrange to have a meeting of the citizens of Wash. ington county some day during April court for the purpose of discussing the "County Road Question."

I do not know what action he will take, and therefore suggest to all interested, that a convention be arranged for the purpose. and at the time suggested above.

The necessity of good roads has been forced upon our people by the miserable not to say infamous, plight the roads of the county are now i n, and I am clearly of the opinion that if w would get together and discuss the mat: r dispassionately we could reach sensible conclusions and would put in motion action that would result in doing great good.

Concerted action in this matter would do wonders, and therefore I hope my suggestion will meet with favor.

It would give me pleasure to devote some time and money to securing better roads for the county, and I am confident that many others would do likewise if they could be assured that their aid would be wisely expended. Yours truly,

WM. F. BEASLEY.

March 6, 1899,

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The Annual Offering in all the churches of this communion for Foreign Missions is the first Sunday in March.

We are reminded or the rapid growth of this religious body. In only about 75 years this people have come to number more than 1,000,000 communicants in this country alone. Last year they made a gain of no less than 50,000, and their war cry this year is a gain of 100,000 They have more than 10,000 churches and about 6,000 ministers. They are building up a In this issue will be found a com- number of splendid educational justitumunication from Col. Wm. F. Beas- tions in different parts of the country. ley, who suggests, and we think very Last year for all missions they raised more wisely, too, that our people meet in than \$500,000. They are calling for \$1 000,000 this year, and not without hope of

The Jubilee of their organized missionary It is a fact that good roads is a work is to be observed October 13th-19th mark of civilization; that where you of this year, at Cincinnati, Ohio, where the find good roads you find also a pros- American Christian Missionary Society was perous country. They enhance the organized for Home and Foreign Missions value of property and make a people in 1849. Alexander Campbell was the first president. Fully 10,000 delegates are expected to attend the Jubilee Convention. We know that this county is not The great Music Hall of Cincinnati has financially able just now to make her already been secured, and other large roads good, but by co-operating with buildings will be used. No doubt there will be a creditable representation from the church in this place,

Geo. B. Secord, the well known contrac-THE Democratic party came into Chamberlain's Cough Remedy in my family for a long time and have found it superior to any other," For sale by all drug-

THE SCHR. REYNOLDS LOST.

The following dispatch dated from Alexandria, Va., March 11th, was published last Sunday:

"The Potomac river steamer Wakefield, The people are not disappointed; which has arrived here reports that the schooner Annie E. Reynolds from Plymouth. N. C., for Alexandria was wrecked their Representatives spent sixty days near Point Lookout on Chesapeake Bay, in the Legislative halls at Raleigh, during Tuesday night's storm, and Captain B, L. Hill and a crew of six men are said carrying out those pledges. They to be lost. * * A trunk belonging to so legislated as to place this State in the hands of the Anglo Saxon race. one of the crew and a piece of timber on which a sailor had written the supposed fate that awaited the vessel were washed

> The Reynolds had in a cargo of shingles consigned by Loane & C hoping to have a wrecking crew save



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TACKED TOGETHER BY A "BEACON" GIRL.

Miss Nannie B. Lucas was in our midst Saturday and Sunday.

Mr T. S. Swain's family have been quite sick with grip the past week,

Miss Eleanor Tarkenton was the guest of Miss Pauline Snell Sunday.

Rev. Mr. Swain, Supt. of free schools, made a visit to our teacher and school last Mr. R. E. Elliott has a beautiful supply

of spring goods, and is ready to serve cus-

Mr. Bob Bruer and mother spent Sunday with Mr. L. B. Hardison's family, near Scuppernong.

The changeable weather keeps our fish-ermen bine. Very few fish have been caught, and prices are dull.

Rev. D. A. Braswell filled his regular appointment Sunday morning and delivered an excellent sermon.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Wynne made a fly-ing trip to Mr. C. V. White's last week,

returning to Mr. Bob Bodwells. Mr. W. B. Hodges made a short trip to Hyde Co, last week and returned with his wife and little daughter, Miss Nannie.

Mr. J. F. Snell accompanied his mother, Mrs. Ann Snell, to Mr. W. J. Starr's, near Creswell, where she will spend some time.

The Sunday School treat was a success, especially for our little folks, who enjoyed the delicious cake, candy and cream more than any one else.

Our people met at Rehoboth Sunday evening to practice the Easter hymns, and also enjoyed the bible service conducted by Rey. D. A. Braswell.

Miss Isolind Lucas of Roper, was the guest of Mr. T. S. Swain's family and Miss Ordie Woodley last week. She returned home Sunday with her father, Mr. Stuart Lucas. Come again, Miss Isolind.

Miss Miunie White of Edenton, was the guest of her brothers Mess C. V, and J B. White, from Saturday until Monday. It is always pleasant to see our old associates, but their visits are too brief.

Misses Mary and Carrie Newberry of Scuppernong, and Miss Ailene Owens of Tyrrell Co., were among the visitors at Rehoboth Sunday, also the guests of Mrs. R. E. Elliott and Miss Ordie Woodley.

Mr. Wilson Chesson was called to Parmele Saturday on account of his father's death, Mr, Charles Chesson, who was an old resident of this community. We extend our sympathies to the bereaved fam-

Mrs. H. H. Tarkenton and Misses Min-nie White and May Wynne spent Monday at the fishery, the guests of Mess. J. B. White and E. T. Bruer's families. They felt repaid for their trip having enjoyed a model fish dinner.

Rev. E. Edwards, pastor of the English Baptist Church at Minersville, Pa., when suffering with rheumatism, was advised to try Chamberlain's Pain Balm. He says: "A few applications of this liniment proved of great service to me. It subdued the inflammation and relieved the pain. Should any sufferer profit by giving Pain Balm a trial it will please me." For sale by all

ROPER RIPPLES

Miss Anna Savage is visiting Miss Claude Chesson at Mackey's Ferry.

Mrs. Walker, mother of Mr. L. G. Roper has gone with her two grand children on a

Mrs. W. A. Forbes has been very sick, but we are glad to report that she is some better at this writing. Mr. G. W. Dixon and Miss Isolind Ches-

son will be united in the holy bonds of matrimony Wednesday 15th inst. Mrs. Latham, of Pantego, who is visiting her daughter. Mrs. E. W. Clark, is quite

sick with lagrippe, also Mrs. Clark. Elder E. P. Willis held quarterly meeting in Hebron church Saturday and Sunday. He preached excellent sermons both Sunday morning and night.

Show in town, the street parade was grand, but was hardly visible to the naked eye, we had to lend our ears as it consisted of a bass and kettle drum and a following

of the small boys. The Haygood Epworth League held its regular monthly meeting at the home of the President this time, Mr. E. S. Christian. Had a nice meeting, unusual rush of business and an addition of seven new members We hope to make this the finest League in

There is a very attractive piece of "Swine" in our town, which some of the boys will find out to their own hort. Boys she can make your hearts ache but it is according to the way the "Winfalls" whether she will heal any of the wounds inflicted by Cupid's darts.

I have been afflicted with rheumatism for fourteen years and nothing seemed to give any relief. I was able to be around all the time, but constantly suffering. I had tried everything I could hear of and at last was told to try Chamberlain's Pain Balm, which I did, and was immediately relieved and in a short time cured. I am happy to say that it has not since returned .- JOSH. EDGAR, Germantown, Cal. For sale by all drug-

NOTICE!

Upon the written request of Joseph Skittletharpe, a member of the Board of County Commissioners, notice is hereby Valuable Farm for Sale given that there will be a called meeting of the Board on Friday the 17th day of March 1899, for the transaction of important business.

This 7th day of March 1899, JAS. A. CHESSON,

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10,000 Yards, yd wide Percals 7 cts per yard. 2.000 Yards Fine India Linen from 5 to 131 cts per yard. 20,000 Yards Cambric's 4c. per yard. 100 Doz. Ladies' fine cotton Hose from 4 to 18 cts per pair.

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from 20 cents a pair up. 500 Pairs Ladies' Fine Shoes from 64 cents a pair up.

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