

BEACON FLASHES.

Col. W. F. Beasley of Baltimore, was in town Tuesday.

Glad to see Mr. A. C. Wentz of Roper, in town Monday.

Mr. J. F. Snell of Cherry, was here Monday.

Commissioner J. W. Starr was in the city Monday.

Mr. J. E. Singleton of near Roper, was in town Monday.

Dr. Cecil Hassell of Greenville was in town this week.

Mr. N. W. Spruill of near Roper, was among our visitors Wednesday.

Mrs. Jos. Sitterson of Roper, was the guest of Mrs. W. W. Scarborough this week.

Mr. and Mrs. N. B. Mizelle of Roper, were among the visitors to our city this week.

Misses Millie and Jessie Spruill of Roper, were in town shopping Monday.

County treasurer, A. L. Holmes, of Creswell, was in town on business on Monday.

The Plymouth High School base ball team played with the team at Washington Wednesday.

Mr. Watson Sherrod of Enfield has been in and around Plymouth for the past few days.

Read the story of a "Bashful Man and Demure Maiden" in next week's issue of The Beacon.

Messers W. W., E. R., and E. F. Spruill of Cherry made us a pleasant call while in town yesterday.

Misses Dorothy Hart, Sue Sawyer, Jessie Spruill and Mrs. W. T. Spruill of Roper were in town shopping Wednesday.

The Commissioners were in special session Monday at which time it was decided that the new court house was to be built on the lot now occupied.

Mr. C. B. Fagan of Dardens, and Misses Leigh Tarkenton and Bernice Fagan, teachers of Roper Graded School, were in town Saturday.

Mrs. Eloise Ralph and daughter, Miss Katie, of Ayden, are visiting Mrs. Ralph's daughter, Mrs. Roy Swain, and other relatives and friends in town.

Mesdames J. M. Horton, L. P. Hornthal, W. B. Watts, R. W. Johnston, Miss Martha Hornthal and Mr. J. K. Reid motored to Washington yesterday.

The "Silver Chain" was delightfully entertained yesterday afternoon by Mrs. W. H. Gurkin at "Elmwood," her beautiful country home near town.

Atty. Van B. Martin was called to Northampton County this week on account of the death of his uncle. Mr. Martin was accompanied by his family.

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Mrs. Loane Entertains.

The Literary Club was entertained Thursday afternoon by Mrs. C. D. Loane.

Edgar Allen Poe was the appointed subject for the afternoon, and an interesting sketch of his life was read by Mrs. L. L. Owens.

"The Raven" and "Annabel Lee" were read by Mesdames R. W. Johnston and R. P. Walker. A committee of five ladies was appointed to investigate the sanitary conditions of the school building and to confer with the board on plans for bettering same.

There were ten members present and the roll call was answered with quotations from Poe.

Quietly Married.

On Tuesday morning of this week at 11:30 o'clock, the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Ange was the scene of very quiet, though pretty marriage, when their daughter, Miss Maude, became the bride of Atty. W. L. Whitley of Columbia.

None but the immediate friends and relatives of the fam-



REV. D. C. TREMAINE

Evangelist, who is conducting a series of meetings at the Christian Church, will give a free lecture Sunday afternoon at 2:30, and everybody is invited to come out and hear this great man.

The subject of the lecture is "Man's Place in the World," and the press of the North proclaim it as one of the greatest popular religious lectures on the American platform.

ily were present, and the services were very quietly and impressively solemnized.

The bride is the beautiful 20-year daughter of Mr. W. W. Ange, a prominent civil engineer of our city. She enjoys a great number of friends, and by her gentle and sweet disposition she has become quite a favorite among the little folks, while she enjoys the respect and admiration of the older ones.

The groom is the popular young mayor of the thriving little city of Columbia, he is also prominently identified with the bar of that place, being associated with Atty. Mark Majette, he has become well known among the legal profession of this district.

They left on the north-bound train for Norfolk and other points north, where they will spend a few days, when they will return to Columbia.

The Beacon extends hearty congratulations to the popular young couple, and give them every good wish for a long, happy and prosperous life.

The New Court House.

The question of where the new court house was to be built was brought up in the special meeting of the Board of County Commissioners here Monday, May 7th.

Dr. L. W. White, representing the owner of the Hampton lot on the corner of Water and Adams streets made a proposition to the commissioners in which he offered to trade 100x200 feet of this lot for the lot where the court house is now located, with the buildings upon it, the county to use court house, vaults and other buildings thereon free of rent until the new building was ready for occupancy. This proposition was considered for a few minutes and then accepted by the commissioners.

Some of our people were not entirely satisfied with this arrangement, and on Monday while Chairman Starr was in town attending to some other business, an extemporaneous meeting was held. Mr. Satterthwaite was present, and Mr. Spruill was 'phoned, but due to the short notice which was given, he was unable to attend. At this meeting a petition was presented asking the commissioners to recind their agreement to Dr. White's offer, suggesting that the new building be erected where the old one now stands, Mr. W. R. Hampton, representing the owner of the lot in question, made a second proposition in which it was agreed to allow 150 feet to front on Water St. (The first proposition would have necessitated the building to front on Adams Street.)

After some deliberation this proposition was rejected, and it was finally decided that the new building be erected where the old one now stands, on the corner of Main and Adams Streets.

The county chain gang is now at work demolishing the old building.

Musical Concert Appreciated

On Tuesday night a musical concert was given by the young people for the benefit of the organ fund of the Grace Episcopal Church, at the Majestic Theatre. The occasion was well attended, and most generously applauded.

The program was arranged by Mesdames J. M. Horton and W. B. Watts, who, for the past week or two have worked energetically in preparing for the event. That their efforts were successful was fully attested by the almost incessant applause.

The entertainment opened with "The Star Spangled Banner," sung in anison by all the participants, while the audience stood until the last note had died away.

Little Miss Elizabeth Scarborough sang "Cross My Heart and Hope to Die," and after repeated applause appeared again, at which time she sang "Mother's Rosary."

A male quartette composed of Messers. David Harlow, Louis and Lloyd Horton and J. K. Reid rendered "Someone's More Lonesome Than You," and were called back repeatedly by the audience.

One of the most pleasing numbers on the program was a duet, "Army Blues" by Master Bosie Horton and Louis Philip Hornthal, who were called back by the audience until they were almost exhausted.

"Somewhere a Voice is Calling" by Miss Mary Smith, who, in her winsome appearance and perfect voice, held the audience breathless throughout the rendition.

Little Louis Philip Hornthal, dressed in the costume of an American infantryman, sang clearly, "America, Here's My Boy!"

The male quartette then sang "Buddah Brown" and were applauded as before.

"Land of the Sky-Blue Water" sung by Miss Martha Hornthal was executed most sweetly, and received a round of well merited applause.

Miss Doris Owens and Master Bosie Horton entering in a dance, rendered in a most pleasing manner "Where The Dark-Eyed Susans Grow." They were called back several times by the enthusiastic audience, who seemed to appreciate them more and more as they came out.

A comic duet "Pray For The Lights to Go Out" by Messers. Louis and Lloyd Horton, was tremendously appreciated.

"I've Lost You, So Why Should I Care?" by Mr. Louis Horton was no less appreciated.

"Two Eyes of Gray" by Miss Gladys Hornthal was greeted with an abundance of appreciation by the audience, who clamored for her return. On again entering the stage she sang most bewitchingly "The Road That Leads To Love."

The program closed with "Dixie" sung by the entire company. The piano accompaniment was played by Mrs. W. B. Watts.

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE SALE.

Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage executed on February 4, 1916, by S. W. Morris and wife Ella J. Morris to Louis W. Gaylord, which mortgage is registered in Book 67, page 185, of the records of the Register of Deeds of Washington County, default having been made in the payment of said mortgage, the undersigned will sell, for cash, to the highest bidder, on Monday, the 18th day of June, 1917, at 12:30 o'clock P. M., before the Court House door of Washington County, at Plymouth, North Carolina, the following described real estate:

Lying and being in the County of Washington, Plymouth Township, and known and designated as follows:

Being the two-sixths interest of S. W. Morris and wife, Ella J. Morris, in the tract of land whereon the said Morris now live, situated on Long Ridge Road and adjoining the lands of W. R. Mizell, John Perry, John Gurganus and others, containing 300 acres, more or less.

Also all of the interest of the said S. W. Morris and wife, Ella J. Morris, in and to all other lands held by the Morris Heirs as tenants in common.

Terms of sale, cash.
This May 15, 1917.
LOUIS W. GAYLORD,
By GEORGE HACKNEY JR.,
Owner of the Debt.

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA DEPARTMENT OF STATE.

CERTIFICATE OF DISSOLUTION. To All to Whom These Presents May Come—Greeting:

Whereas, It appears to my satisfaction, by duly authenticated record of the proceedings for the voluntary dissolution thereof by the unanimous consent of all the stockholders, deposited in my office, that the Plymouth Land & Investment Company, a corporation of this State, whose principal office is situated in the town of Plymouth, County of Washington, State of North Carolina (W. B. Watts being the agent therein and in charge thereof, upon whom process may be served), has complied with the requirements of Chapter 21, Revisal of 1905, entitled "Corporations," preliminary to the issuing of this Certificate of Dissolution:

Now, Therefore, I, J. Bryan Grimes, Secretary of State of the State of North Carolina, do hereby certify that the said corporation did, on the 20 day of April, 1917, file in my office a duly executed and attested consent in writing to the dissolution of said corporation, executed by all the stockholders thereof, which said consent and the record of the proceedings aforesaid are now on file in my said office as provided by law.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereto set my hand and affixed my official seal at Raleigh, this 20 day of April, A. D., 1917
(Seal) J. BRYAN GRIMES,
Secretary of State.

NOTICE OF SUMMONS

Minnie Bemby vs Garfield Bemby.

The defendant above named will take notice that an action entitled as above has been commenced in the Superior Court of Washington County for an absolute divorce; and the said defendant will further take notice that he is required to appear at the next term of the Superior Court of the said county to be held on the 1st Monday in June, 1917, at the court house in said county, in Plymouth, N. C., and answer or demur to the complaint in said action, or the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded in said complaint. This 16th day April, 1917.
C. V. W. AUSBON,
Clerk Superior Court.

ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS ON BOND SALE.

The Board of Education of Washington County will, on the 14th day of May, 1917, at their office in Plymouth, N. C., receive bids for \$15,000.00 "School-house Bonds," authorized by the qualified voters in the Creswell High School Graded District. Said Board will receive bids on 5, 5 1/2 or 6 per cent. bonds. Said bonds to mature at the expiration of twenty years. Said Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.
This the 12th day of April, 1917.
C. J. NORMAN, Chairman.

DR. J. C. COGGINS.

ATTORNEY-AT-LAW
Plymouth, N. C.

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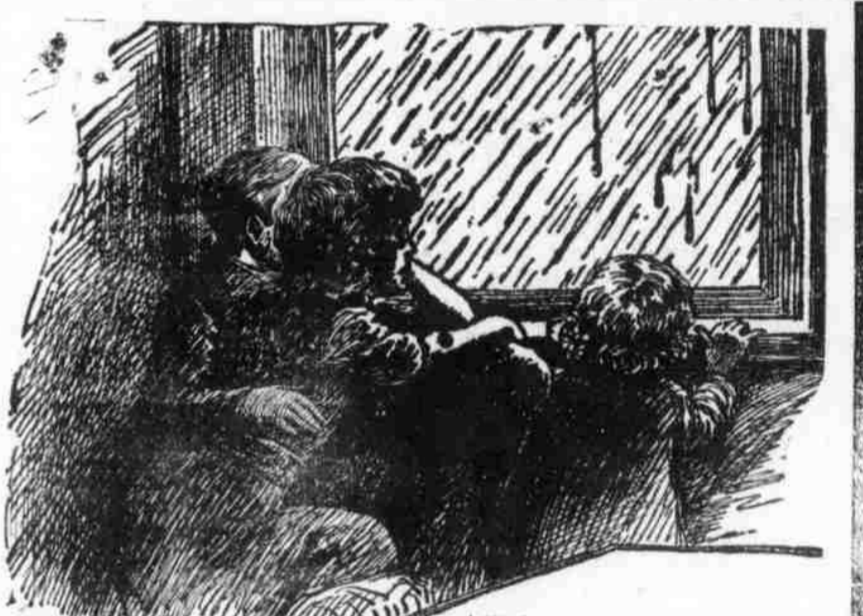
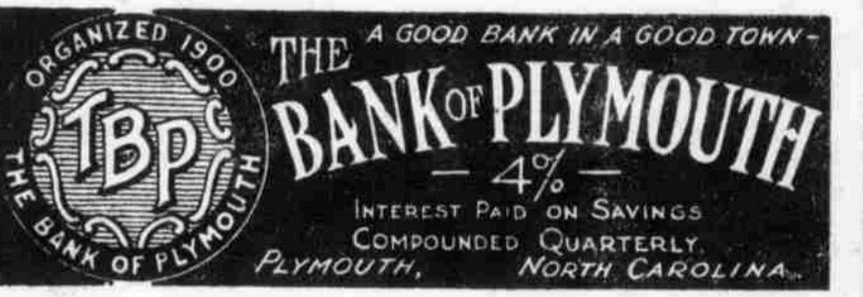
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