

# LOCAL

**A. C. L. PASSENGER TRAIN SCHEDULES:**

Southbound.	
No. 22.	6:23 A. M.
No. 23.	5:48 P. M.
No. 24.	11:12 P. M.
Northbound.	
No. 25.	12:52 P. M.
No. 26.	11:42 P. M.
No. 24.	6:23 A. M.

Mr. P. F. Pope, of Coats, was in town today.

Editor A. M. Moore, of the Fayetteville Index, was in the city Tuesday.

Mr. Jesse Norris, an automobile man of Raleigh, was in town Tuesday.

Mrs. T. E. Hood, of Smithfield, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Wallace Coltrane.

Miss Mary Ames, of Fort Norfolk, Virginia, was a recent guest of Mrs. Granville Tilghman.

Mr. Jas. Bain, who has been employed at Wilmington for the past few months, is here.

Miss Liza Gough, who has been visiting in the city, returned to her home at Lumberton Monday afternoon.

Mr. Archie Hooks, who is with Alex Sprunt & Sons, cotton factors, spent Monday at Four Oaks on business.

Miss Florence Duncan, who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Pope, returned to her home at Roseboro Monday.

Mr. Willard Jackson, who is attending the Page School of Pharmacy at Raleigh, spent the week-end here with his people.

Hon. J. R. Haggert, of Lillington, was nominated and confirmed by the General Assembly last Monday as a director for the school for the Feeble Minded at Kinston.

Country produce is coming to this market in large quantities at this time. Eggs are bringing from 12 1/2 to 15 cents. Grown hens are being sold at 25 cents, while young chickens are scarce.

Mr. J. W. Whitehead, the Atlantic Coast Line agent at this place, is still in Florida in a hospital. Late reports from his bedside are that he is improving, which is pleasant news for his large circle of friends.

Miss Olive Traylor, of Baltimore, arrived in town Monday morning. She will head a class of milliners at Goldstein's. Miss Traylor says that the spring opening of the stock of spring hats will be in his store. The date of his spring opening will be announced later.

The remaining part of the Moses Tripp store on East Broad street is being removed. It will be remembered that this building was partially destroyed by fire during the Christmas holidays. Since the fire it has remained untouched. It is Mr. Tripp's intention to place a nice brick structure on the lot as soon as he can do so.

Some of the local automobile men are considering the jitney bus service. Since Dunn has no trolley lines, enterprising automobile operators believe that cars can be operated on a regular schedule to points in and near town at a profit. Of course the population is limited and the idea new, but the service can be started in a small way and the public educated to patronize it.

Miss Margaret Eames, a native Baltimorean, arrived in Dunn last Friday. She has come to take charge of the millinery department at D. Fleishman & Bros.' store. This is her first season in our town. She has had years of experience in millinery and comes here as an expert with all the latest in women's headgear. The spring opening at this large establishment will be announced later.

The service at the Presbyterian Church Sunday morning was largely attended. Special music was rendered and Misses Liza Gough, of Lumberton, and Iva Pearson aided the choir. Rev. A. R. McQueen preached an able and instructive sermon, full of food for thought. At the evening service Miss Kitty Poole, of the Meredith faculty sang a solo which was enjoyed very much by the congregation.

Rev. Baylus Cade filled the pulpit at the Baptist Church Sunday at both morning and evening services. At the morning service special music was rendered by Misses Poole and Johnson, of the Meredith faculty. A large congregation was present. Rev. Baylus Cade, assistant pastor, is conducting a series of meetings each evening this week at the church. Good congregations are attending every service. His sermons are full of scripture and instructive.

Cotton continues to come in to this market. Last Saturday 120 bales were marketed. On Monday 60 bales were sold. The prices range around 8 cents and the grades are good. There is still large amounts of this sticky staple yet unsold, the farmers selling only when they are in need of supplies and when the market brightens. It has been the policy of the farmers in this section to sell the low grades of cotton immediately after picking and to hold the high grades for better prices.

Mr. Thomas Abdo, of Smithfield, was in the city Sunday.

Dr. E. L. Warren made a professional trip to Raleigh Wednesday.

Mr. Sam Parker made a trip to Goldsboro the latter part of last week.

The Christmas Club at the First National Bank has opened. Have you joined?

Mrs. J. W. Jordan and Mrs. B. O. Townsend went down to Fayetteville this afternoon.

Mrs. Geo. E. Prince returned from Richmond this afternoon where she went on a business trip.

Messrs. Geo. L. Cannady and A. L. Newberry returned from Fayetteville today where they went on a business trip.

Messrs. T. L. Bass, of Sampson, and A. C. Bass, of Greenville, South Carolina, were visitors in the city recently.

Dr. Jesse Coltrane, a prominent dentist of Zebulon, spent Sunday and Monday with his brother, Dr. Wallace Coltrane.

The opening of the Christmas Club at the First National Bank runs through two weeks, during which period members will be received at all times during banking hours.

The baseball nine of the Dunn Graded Schools played a nine of boys who styled themselves as the "Town Boys" Tuesday afternoon. The score was 9 to 0 in favor of the school team.

The baseball team of the Dunn Graded School journeyed to Four Oaks today to meet the school team at that place. At this writing a report from the game has not been received.

Last Monday evening a party of young people of the city enjoyed a small informal dance at the Hall on West Broad Street. Some of those present were Misses Erma Nixon, Isabelle Young, Mary McKay, Sue Smith and Janie Jackson, Messrs. J. Pearsall, H. C. Lee, Claudi Gardner, Mr. Walker, of Fayetteville.

The plan that the First National Bank offers to the public to save money by depositing in the "Christmas Club" is a great one. The Club is run in three classes, the 25c class, the 50c class and the \$1.00 class. The "Club" runs 40 weeks ending December 14th, 1915. Their check is then mailed to each member just in time for Christmas shopping and comes at a good time for all.

A new firm has recently been organized in Dunn. It is styled as the Pearson Electric Company, with Messrs. William and Jere Pearson as partners. The firm has rented a store and will carry a stock of electrical supplies and will contract for both inside and outdoor electrical wiring. The young men are home boys and are progressive. They deserve and will get the patronage of home people.

The First National Bank of Dunn has again inaugurated a Christmas Savings Club. It will be remembered that this institution conducted such a club during 1914. It was a marked success and many savers received checks just before Christmas last year. The enrolling of names for the ensuing year will continue for two weeks. There are three classes in the club, i. e., 25c class, 50c class and \$1.00 class. Any of these is a good class to get into.

A representative of the Radcliffe Yecuum Bureau was in town a few days ago conferring with local people about securing a series of high class attractions for next fall and winter. Nothing definite was done, but the representative will return to the city in the near future and it is hoped that he will close a contract with Dunn people. This town needs a high class yecuum course. The artists that the same would bring to our people; and the grade of the performances, would more than repay the parties interested financially and would be a great source of pleasure to lovers of high class amusement and pleasure.

### MR. ERNEST NEIGHBORS RECOVERING

Mr. Ernest Neighbors, son of Mr. S. C. Neighbors, who lives about three miles north of Dunn, is slowly recovering after a painful accident two weeks ago. He was handling some dynamite blasting caps when they suddenly exploded. He was terribly shocked and his eyes were affected to such an extent that he lost his sight. On Tuesday morning Mr. Neighbors in company with his father and brother, Messrs. S. C. and John Neighbors, and Dr. I. F. Hicks went to Fayetteville to consult Dr. H. W. Lilly at the Cumberland Hospital. An examination was made and treatment given. At this time it is not definitely known that his sight will be restored.

### A "NEEDMORE" FIGHT

Last Monday night "Needmore," one of the outlying negro districts to the south of town, was the scene of negro fracas of unusually ferocity. A quarrel developed among the denizens of that locality and finally reached its climax when Mary McNeill drew up her shooting iron and fired it at Harriet Byrd. Harriet is not seriously wounded however, and will be able to attend trial Thursday morning when Mary and she will have it out before Judge Smith.

### THE CHATTERBOX CLUB MEETS

The Chatterbox Club met with Miss Lucile Harris last Friday afternoon. After spending an hour or so industriously sewing, the hostess brought forth refreshments. Two courses were served, a fruit course followed by hot chocolate and wafers. Those present were: Misses Iva Battle, Corinna Jackson, Ruby Godwin, Rachel Clifford, Myrtice Pittman, Emma Lee, Margaret Moore.

### "A BOX OF MONKEYS" WELL RECEIVED

The entertainment given by the ladies of the Methodist church last Friday evening proved to be a success from all points of view. The playlet, "A Box of Monkeys," was one of the best amateur productions ever seen here. All of the "actors" fitted into their parts with ease and grace and acquitted themselves creditably. The second part of the program was given over to Madame Blvatski's Grand Orchestra. The young ladies presented a pleasing appearance in their picturesque uniforms. Their music—and it was music—pleased the audience immensely. The old-time selections were interspersed with latest song hits and a little of the high-brow stuff was thrown in to make it varied. The proceeds amounted to fifty dollars approximately and as stated heretofore will go to the building fund of the Methodist Church.

Mrs. Wallace Coltrane in the part of Mrs. Ondego Jones was very good. She portrayed the part of reserved lady of rank with much ease. Miss Mary Freeman as Lady Guinevere Llandapore, of the English peerage, was well received by the audience. Miss Carrie Wilson as Sierris Bengaline captivated the audience with her work and showed the talent of an expert. The male parts were taken by Messrs. T. C. Young and Prentiss Ezell. M. Young as Edward Ralston, the owner of an American Gold mine, and Mr. Ezell as Chauncey Oglethorpe, the partner of Ralston, were very good in their parts.

The entertainment was so well received in Dunn that those who have in charge are contemplating putting it on at nearby towns. If such be done it will no doubt be received with crowded houses at every performance.

### THE HIGHSMITH FARM

One afternoon last week Doctor Charles Highsmith came sailing by the Dispatch office in Mr. W. E. Howard's brand new Maxwell. He called on G. Byron Ford, William Pearson and the writer and asked "Don't you want to go out to my farm?" and without hesitation the three yelled in unison "You bet." The general physician brought the machine to a stop and the three clambered aboard. He pushed the button and away the car sped. It maneuvered its way through the streets until it came to the National Highway at the graded school building. After getting on the big road, Doctor Highsmith opened the clutch until the speedometer registered 25 miles per hour, and presently Mr. J. C. Barrington's place was reached. Turning to the left here, the car continued its journey for a mile probably and rolled up to the Doctor's farm. All jumped to the ground and the visitors straightway began to look around to see what sort of a place a town physician conducts.

The farm is not a large one—its area is about 40 acres, but neat and comfy-looking. The outhouses are located conveniently and well arranged. Things in general looked business-like and prosperous.

The doctor showed the party his cows, white not a standard breed, are good animals and give gallons of rich milk every day. His herd is a small one at present but he means to add to it from time to time. The hogs are of good stock also, and the chickens are of various breeds.

It is Doctor Highsmith's intention to raise cattle principally. He does not hope to get into it on as large a scale as he western farmers, but he is going to give the cattle raising business a decent trial. Too it is probable that he will establish a dairy—on a small scale at first and later increasing its capacity.

### Mrs. Goldstein Hostess to Visitor

Last Thursday afternoon Mrs. Klila Goldstein entertained at a St. Patrick's party in honor of the following visitors to Dunn: Miss Mary Ames, of Fort Norfolk, Virginia; Miss Erma Nixon, of Charleston, South Carolina; and Miss Freda Isaacs, of Goldsboro. Auction bridge was the game of the afternoon. Mrs. C. L. Wilson won first prize, a leather score pad. The consolation, a handsomely embossed deck of playing cards, went to Mrs. E. F. Young. Pretty hand carved silver picture frames were presented to the honor guests.

The decorations were very exquisite and tastefully arranged. The drawing room, in which the card tables were placed, was adorned with hot house flowers. The card tables were adorned with violets, green carnations and ferns. The score cards used were very pretty, and had a shamrock painted on each. The favors were small green hats filled with mints.

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### MISSES JOHNSON AND POOLE PLEASE AN AUDIENCE

Perhaps no one has been more charmingly entertained than the audience who gathered in the Metropolitan Monday evening last. Misses Johnson and Poole entertained a large number of friends at a musical affair. Miss Johnson's soprano solo of "Daddy" and Miss Poole's selections from the Piano were very well received. Miss Poole's soprano solo of "Annie Laurie," "The Tenting Tonight," and "All Through the Night" were sung together with the two young ladies and these familiar numbers appealed to all. Miss Gertrude Jackson, one of our local musicians, aided at the piano in several numbers.

### BIRTHDAY PARTY

Miss Dewey Jones celebrated her seventeenth birthday anniversary Tuesday evening in grand style. At the home of her father, Mr. Ed Jones, on Harnett Street she entertained a large number of her friends on this happy occasion.

At 8:30 the young people began to arrive and were received by Mrs. C. L. Guy, and were served punch by Mr. Al Westbrook and Miss Annie Wade. After the guests had assembled in the parlors, rook games were played and selections on the Piano rendered by Misses Pauline Blaylock and Iva Battle. The feature of the evening was a very unique contest, which furnished much amusement and merriment to all. A table was placed in the center of the group of young folks, and upon the table were fourteen different articles used in the household. It was permitted to stay in view one and a half minutes and then removed. All were given pencil and paper upon which they were to write what they had seen. Miss Mary Martin received the prize for guessing the highest number of articles correctly. Mr. John Ben Hatcher gracefully presented the prize. Toward the latter part of the evening cream and cake were served, and shortly afterwards the guests made their departure voting Miss Dewey as an ideal hostess.

Those present were Misses Kate Smith, Pauline Blaylock, Gilchrist, Bonnie Sessoms, Pauline Hassell, Minnie Guy, Iva Battle, Vera Barnes, Geneva Barnes, Grace Cheatham, Mary Martin, Annie Wade and Eva Cole; Messrs. Al Westbrook, Craven Ezell, Dick Taylor, Willie Newberry, Eugene Naylor, Lewis Adley, John Ben Hatcher, J. D. Hogard, Jas. Pope, A. C. Parker and Perry Godwin.

### DR. J. T. GIBBS TO BE HERE SUNDAY

Dr. J. T. Gibbs, presiding elder of the Fayetteville district, will be here next Sunday and Monday. He will preach at the Methodist Church at both morning and evening services. On Monday morning at 10 o'clock the Quarterly Conference will be held. The public generally is invited to hear Dr. Gibbs at the Sunday services. He is an able divine and the church-going public will have the opportunity to hear most excellent sermons.

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This is an easy way to save money MEMBERS may join the Club at any time this week, or join next week by making two weeks payment at that time. Call at the bank and ask about the Club and you will be gladly furnished with full information.

### Professional Cards

Miss Emille Gertrude Jackson teacher of Piano, Harmony and Theory Telephone 152.

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JACOB WEST RECEIVES WAR CLAIM

The War Claims bill, which passed both houses of Congress in the last days of the recent session, awards a large number of claims to North Carolina citizens and institutions. The name of Jacob West, of Harnett County, appears in the list. He will receive \$215. This is for damages inflicted by federal troops during the Civil War.

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## J. E. FLACK

Local Agent

**PROTRACTED MEETING AT BENSON**

We are requested to announce that a series of protracted meetings will begin at the Baptist church at Benson at an early date. The pastor will be assisted by Rev. W. J. Jones, of Salemburg.

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