

LOCAL

Miss Kathalyn Allen returned Tuesday from a visit to her mother at North Emporia, Va.

Willie Pope and son, Oris, were business visitors in Clinton this week.

Miss Gladys Warren, a member of the graded school faculty, is spending the week end with her parents at Farmville.

Vernon Smith, Jr., a student at Trinity College, spent Thursday here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. V. Smith.

Miss Gertrude Daughtry and Irene Parker, and Perry Crumpler and Scott Price, of Clinton, spent Sunday here with friends.

Mrs. C. C. Butler is spending some time with relatives in Georgetown, S. C. She went down to see her son who is in school there.

Ben Johnson is away this week buying stock for his stables on Lucknow Square.

Yesterday was the big day at the State Fair. A number of Dunn people went, some to attend the fair and some to see the big foot ball game between the University and A. & E. College.

The colored schools of Dunn will open Monday November 8, it was announced today by Prof. J. G. Smith principal, following a conference with the School Board.

Tomorrow is the last day you can register. The books close Saturday afternoon and if you have not attended to this matter you cannot vote in the election November 2nd. Books will be open all day tomorrow. If you have not registered go to the registrar early in the day and have your name placed on the book.

While the gingers in this section of the state who have gotten notices to stop ginning cotton are a little disturbed they are paying but little attention to the threats and most of them are going ahead with their ginning. It is not thought the anonymous letters were backed by any organization of lawbreakers. It is the general opinion that one or two individuals did the work and they do not intend to carry out their threats.

There is nothing to be gained by stopping the gins and it would work a hardship on many farmers who have no place to store their cotton.

Cotton is up about three cents over the low level reached early in the week. The market advances a little each day and at the present rate will be selling around twenty-five cents by the latter part of next week. Farmers all over the south are holding their cotton and if they continue to do so the price is bound to advance. The best grades were selling in Dunn Friday at twenty cents.

The Fayetteville Fair will be held next week. It opens Tuesday and will continue through Friday. The Cape Fear Fair Association will have a good fair this year and are expecting a large crowd. The special attractions are good ones and there will be plenty of amusement for those who attend. The management guarantees clean amusement and that the midway will be a place you can take every member of the family.

The Jonah McPhail gin at Rosin Hill Sampson county was burned last Wednesday afternoon. The fire originated from a hot box in some of the shafting. Calvin King, an old colored man who was an employee of the gin, was killed when a bale of cotton was thrown on him from the platform. There were several bales of cotton on the platform of the gin when the fire started, but all were saved except two. The gin was one of the largest in that section of Sampson county and the loss was heavy on Mr. McPhail, the owner.

Rev. J. M. Daniel returned Wednesday from a business trip to Warrenton.

Mrs. J. B. Heins and children of Blythehood, S. C., are here this week visiting Mrs. H. C. Baucum, at her home on South Layton Avenue.

Newberry Bros., and Cowell, large furniture manufacturers here, closed their plant last week. Lack of demand for their product was the cause of the shut down. It is not known how long the plant will be closed, but it will hardly begin running again until there is a greater demand for furniture. They have a large stock of furniture on hand and there is little demand for it even at a reduced price.

MISS PAULINE BLAYLOCK DEAD

Miss Pauline Blaylock, only daughter of Rev. and Mrs. J. A. Blaylock, who live two miles north of Dunn, died at the home of her parents last Monday afternoon at 4:30 o'clock. The funeral services were conducted from the Free Will Baptist church Wednesday afternoon at 4 o'clock, by her pastor, Rev. J. L. Davis, who was assisted by Rev. Eugene Olive, pastor of the First Baptist church. The burial took place immediately afterwards at Greenwood cemetery. Beautiful selections by the choir and quartette were rendered during the funeral services.

Emma Pauline Blaylock was born in Wilson's Mills, Johnston county, twenty-one years ago. For the past several years she has made Dunn her home, moving here with her parents about fifteen years ago. She was one of the most lovable and attractive young women in the entire community and the announcement of her death, at the tender age of twenty-one, was one of the saddest in the history of the town. She had been lingering between life and death for several weeks, but was conscious and talked with her friends and relatives until a few hours before the end came. She was a member of the Free Will Baptist church and a young woman of high Christian character.

She was taken ill last January while a student at the Greenboro College for Women. This was her third year at the College and she was a member of the junior class. After a few days in the college infirmary she was brought to Dunn where she stayed for several weeks. Upon the advice of her physicians she was taken to Hendersonville early in the spring, where it was thought she would be benefited by the climate of Western Carolina. Her condition did not improve, however, and she was brought back to Dunn three weeks ago, where she constantly grew worse until her suffering was relieved by death last Monday afternoon.

Those of the immediate family who survive are: Rev. and Mrs. J. A. Blaylock, her parents; Alfred Blaylock, Hugh Watson and David, her brothers. The sympathy of the community is extended to the bereaved ones.

The funeral and burial was attended by a large number of her friends who gathered to pay the last tribute of respect. The floral offerings were beautiful.

COLORED DAY AT HARNETT COUNTY FAIR

The colored people had a big time last Friday at the fair. The account of the distance the children paraded in automobiles on Main Street to fair grounds, E. D. Holden, chairman of committee in a few well chosen words called the assembly to order and asked Dr. C. B. Codington to act as master of ceremonies. "America" was sung and prayer was offered by J. W. Calbreth. Dr. Codington very fittingly presented Prof. J. G. Smith who in glowing terms introduced Dr. S. G. Atkins, principal State Normal School, Winston-Salem.

who made one of the best speeches ever delivered in this section to the colored people of the Upper Cape Fear, assembled at the Fair. His subject was "Freedom vs. Slavery." Among the many good things, he said, "That there was an increasing interest of the white man in Negro advancement; that from the governor down to the humblest citizen of our good old commonwealth, stood for Negro progress, and that they would see to it that liberty shall not pass from the face of the earth."

"Freedom is both external and internal. Abraham Lincoln gave us external freedom, but real freedom is internal and comes from within, through education and the proper training of the individual. So, what are you going to do with the individual Negro?"

"This leads us to the true source of education: the home, the school and the church. Let the parents teach in the home by precept and example, for our future is in the home."

"Improve your schools. I mean that you cooperate with your district, city, county and state officials for the improvement of your schools, for these schools will exist as long as your country stands and by God's help our country will stand forever. There are seven wonders of the world but I have recently learned of the eighth wonder: three Negroes agreeing and working together!"

"Now this is your only salvation. Stop building so many churches in your communities. Let all the Methodists belong to one church, all the Baptists belong to one church and let all other creeds do like wise. Then we can cut down the number of ministers we are called upon to support and the running expenses of the many small churches also."

"You can put the money saved by cutting and the duplication of churches into a good first class standard school building in every community, with modern equipment and the best teachers to be had, and the Board of Education and your city officials will help you."

"The man or woman who will start a little school here and there because he does not like some one is a slave still, to ignorance and is incapable of freedom."

After the applause was over Prof. Smith moved that a vote of thanks be extended the fair management through Secretary T. L. Riddle for making it possible for a colored day along with all regular features and attraction also to Dr. Atkins for his splendid address filled with sound counsel and advice.

Supervisors present were Miss A. E. Chesnut, Cumberland; Miss Pearl Alston, Harnett.

Liquor Poured into the Gutter

Columbia, Ga., Oct. 21.—Over 100 gallons of whiskey, at local retail prices valued at about \$2,000, was poured into the gutter in front of the county jail here today under instructions of Sheriff Jesse A. Baird. The liquor was the accumulation of three weeks, and was taken in raids by deputy sheriffs and county police.

A prisoner under sentence of death was married in a New Orleans prison.

BUSINESS LOCAL

LOST—CASE CONTAINING SOME small change. Lost last week at the fair grounds. Return to Dispatch office. 11.

MANTLES.—I CAN SUPPLY YOU with any kind of mantle. Made to order or stock sizes. Workmanship guaranteed. See Gus Newberry, Dunn, N. C. 22 2t.

FINE COWS FOR SALE.—ONE large Jersey cow with calf 28 days old. Has given four gallons milk per day. One Holstein cow with heifer calf four days old. Has given four and one-half gallons milk per day. Jersey cow with calf 3 months old. Two and one-half gallon cow. Young Jersey heifer 21 months old; calf 24 days old. Come take your choice. Prices right, on time or for cash. J. G. Layton, Dunn, No. 3. 22 2t.

DELCO-LIGHT. EVERY USER A BOOSTER. A letter from Mr. W. MacDonald, Grand Rapids, Mich., reads: "In my estimation Delco-Light is as near faultless as a machine can be made. We have had our plant for over two years and have never been without lights in all that time." Write for Catalog.

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20 Per Cent Discount. 20 PER CENT DISCOUNT ON ALL PRICES, DRY GOODS, CLOTHING, LADIES' COATS, DRESSES, COAT SUITS, SWEATERS AND ALL WOOLENS. PERCALES, GINGHAMS AND DOMESTIC COTTONS. MEN'S CLOTHING AND PANTS. ALL SILK HOSIERY. 15 PER CENT REDUCTION ON ALL SHOES, MEN'S, WOMEN'S AND CHILDREN'S. The above named items include everything, nothing excluded. These prices apply to merchandise in stock. New goods coming in at low prices will not bear these discounts. This is clean stock, absolutely without strings. It is simply our desire to meet the discount in prices that is sweeping the country. We will continue to do so, and if necessary mark down 50 per cent, 75 per cent or further. WE HAVE IN THE HOUSE A BETTER LINE OF LADIES' DRESSES AND SUITS THAN YOU WILL FIND, AT LOWER PRICES. WE ALSO HAVE FUR COATS UP TO \$25.00. ALL OF THESE BEAR THE 20 PER CENT REDUCTION. Hassell-Johnson Co. Duke, N. C.

FOR SALE—FINE BIRD DOG, well trained and good retriever. Black and white. Two and one half year old. Extra good finder. Price \$25.00. See A. C. Barnes, Dunn, N. C. 22 2t.

LOST—A LIGHT GREEN COAT with dark spots. Lost on public road between Dunn and Willis Dixon's home. Return to this office and receive \$2.50. 19 2t pd.

THE BIGGEST TRONGEST LINE of shoes in Harnett County, Hassell, Johnson Co., Duke, N. C.

EXPERIENCED BOOKKEEPER and stenographer. Dupn January 1st. Address Dispatch, Dunn, N. C. for further information. 19 4t pd.

15 PER CENT REDUCTION ON Ladies' Fine Bargainable. Hassell, Johnson Co., Duke, N. C.

STOCK FOR SALE.—OUR OCTOBER sale, reduced hamper. Sows \$40.00, pigs 4 months old \$15.00. Hampshire boar, well marked, two years old, \$45. Duroc year old sow, cholera immune, with pedigree, \$35.00. Wakefield cabbage plants ready to ship November 1st. W. S. Hampshire and Farm and Plant Co., Route 6, Box 98, Dunn, N. C. 19 2t pd.

FOR SALE.—HOME COMFORT ranges. Been used only 8 months and practically new. If interested see T. Dixon, Dunn, N. C. 19 4t pd.

NOTICE.—PEOPLE DESIRING homes should know that the real estate man, Geo. L. Connolly, the real estate man, Dunn, N. C.

FOR SALE.—NEW FORD SEDAN can be seen at my garage. Immediate delivery. J. W. Thornton. 17 1t.

FOR SALE.—BUILDING LOT, 140 x 150 feet, well located in residential part of town. Two blocks from graded school lot. Apply at The Dispatch. 16 4t.

FARM AND TRUCK.—LAND FOR sale on easy terms. Located near Dunn, Holly Springs, and Fayetteville and Smithfield. Farms range in size from 50 to 500 acres. Price from \$50 to \$100 per acre. All this property well located, most of it being on highways. Good buildings on property. For further information see or write to Willis Pope, 244t.

HARNETT COUNTY GROWN ABSTRACT. Hassell, Johnson Co., Duke, N. C.

AUTOMOBILE.—I HAVE THE agency for the immediate delivery of any model demonstrated any time. Price \$1,500. Will trade for real estate. See me if interested. Willis Pope, 244t.

WATCH and CLOCK REPAIRING. We have just instituted a repair department for watches and clocks and have employed an expert to direct the work. The Department is equipped with the best and latest machinery, and we will appreciate your patronage. We will carry a first class stock of jewelry, clocks and cut glass in this department. BUTLER BROS. Dunn, N. C.

GIN at "The Big Gin". Don't sell your cotton too fast this year. Store some of it and hold it for a higher price. We have the warehouse and you can borrow money on our receipts. General Utility Company Dunn, N. C.

25c MIDDLING 25c COTTON at Draughton's. Feeling that the business men of Dunn who have profited through the prosperity of our farmers in recent years should bear some of the loss that has come to them through the collapse of cotton prices, we will today begin exchanging our goods for cotton on a basis of— Goods so offered will be sold at the regular prices charged during the present season. When prices began going up during the war period they found us with a large stock of goods that had been bought at low prices. We profited then. When cotton prices began to fall this season we had a tremendous stock bought at high prices. These prices have not fallen. They will not begin to fall until this year's crops have been made into finished goods. The goods were made from cotton that you got forty cents a pound for; from wool that was sold at the peak of the market; from silk that sold at its highest; from the leather bought at war prices. However, you are losing money on your crop. You and your family must be clothed. We profited when you profited. It is justice that we share your loss when you lose. There are no strings to our offer. Bring in your cotton. Buy what you want and pay for it with the cotton at 25 cents a pound. This offer is good until further notice. J. W. Draughton