LOCAL

Cohn Tart of Raleigh, spent the week end here with relatives.

Miss Mary Jones, of Grimesland, is the guest this week of Miss Florence Holliday.

William Wade of Wilmington spent the week end here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Martin L. Wade.

Pat Jones has returned to his home here from Wake Forest College where he was a student the past year.

Ben Fleishman, of Baltimore, Md., president of the Fleishman Bros. chain of stores, was in Dunn Monday the guest of his son, S. Fleishman, Jr.

Mrs. Mary Mitchell, returned to Raleigh Sunday after spending a week here with her mother, Mrs. Emily Pearson.

Marion A. Lee has returned to Dunn from Washington, where he has been working for the past several months.

Geo. Grantham, Jr., and Jake Wade, students at the University, spent the week end here with relatives.

John C. Hodges, who has been assisting in a special sale of dry goods in Wilson for the past several weeks has returned to his home in Dunn.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Rigby of Manning, S. C., spent the week end here with their daughter, Miss Susan A. Rigby, a member of the graded school faculty.

Rev. E. N. Johnson, Casper C. Warren and Dr. C. D. Bain returned Monday from Jacksonville, Fla., where they attend the Southern Baptist convention.

Charlie W. Harris left Monday for Western Carolina. He has a position as traveling salesman and his work will keep him in the western part of the State during the summer.

The next annual reunion of the Confederate veterans will take place in Richmond, Va. Reduced rates will be given on all the railroads. The reunion will be held June 19 to 22nd inclusive.

Dr. H. C. Turlington has returned from New York City and resumed his practice here. He went to New York several days ago to take a special course in the treatment of baby diseases.

Alfred Schmidt, the original instructor of the Dunn Concert band, and for a year editor of the Benson Review, has located at Morenci, Michigan, where he is publishing the Morenci Observer.

Misses Mary Whiting McKay, Ina Massengill, Aileen McKay, Ethel Dawson and Kathleen Holland, who were students the past year at the Pineland School for Girls, have returned to their respective homes here for the summer.

James Adley, who has been in a Fayetteville hospital for the past three weeks suffering from injuries received in an automobile wreck, continues to improve. He will probably be able to return home within the next few days.

Miss Johnson, of the graded school faculty, will give a music recital at the opera house Friday evening at 8 o'clock. The public is cordially invited to attend. Miss Johnson is arranging an interesting program and will appreciate a good attendance.

The minstrel show given at the opera house Friday night by the junior class of the Dunn High school, under the direction of Miss Ipock, was well attended. Those who participated did their part well and the performance was thoroughly enjoyed by the audience.

The commencement exercises of the Harnett County Training school begins Sunday, May 28th. The annual sermon will be preached by Rev. M. L. Dawson, of Smithfield, at the A. M. E. Zion church, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon Sunday. The public is invited to hear him.

At a meeting of the State Democratic Executive committee in Raleigh last week Mrs. J. J. Wade was elected as a member from the sixth district along with five other women. Ernest F. Young, also of Dunn, is a member of the executive committee, being named by the State convention in Raleigh in April.

The Baraca Class of the First Baptist Church will entertain the Philathea Class at a fish fry to be given at Rhodes' Pond, Friday evening, May 26th. Members of both classes will meet at Fitchett's Drug store at 6 o'clock where automobiles will be in waiting to take them to the scene of the picnic. A great time is anticipated.

The Dunn High school baseball team defeated the team from Angier school on the local diamond yesterday afternoon by a score of 8 to 1. Both teams played a splendid game of ball, but the local boys had the visiting players outclassed. At no time during the game was there any doubt as to the final result. The game was featured by the pitching of Shell for Dunn, holding Angier to two hits.

Everybody in Dunn who is interested in Dunn having a first class baseball team this season should attend a meeting to be held in the offices of the chamber of commerce tonight. At the meeting tonight an effort will also be made to organize a gymnasium club. Both of these projects are worthy ones and should merit the support of the public spirited citizens of Dunn. Attend the meeting tonight and help the promoters organize.

"THE DISTRICT SCHOOL' TO BE GIVEN THURSDAY NIGHT

"The District School" which was announced for Tuesday night in the last issue of the Dispatch has been postponed until Thursday night, May 25th.

You cannot afford to miss this good chance to laugh. If you have the blues or even expect to have them, come and seize this chance to take a tonic against them. Mr. Goldstein's pranks, Miss Erwin's giggles, Mr. Grantham's scrapes and the way Mr. Clifford handles them all are a sure cure for the blues.

Admission price is 50c for adults and 25c for all school children.

Below is a list of the cast of characters.

School Committee

Uriah Perkins, Chairman, Mr. H. L. Godwin.
Josiah Billaker, Mr. Snipes.
John Smith, Mr. Grantham.

Applicants to Teach

Miss Dashaway, Miss Madie Bell.
Miss Shary, Mrs. Vinson.
Miss Simple, Miss Henderson.
Mr Hezekiah Pendergrass, Mr. J. C. Clifford.

Pupils

Matilda Billings, Ruth Westbrook.
Ruth Ketchum, Mrs. Mary Butt.
Faithful Snooks, Miss Henderson.
Clorinda Juyser, Mrs. H. S. McKay.
Susan Crowfoot, Matibel Godwin.
Sally Brown, Mrs. Vinson.
Samantha Piper, Miss Ervin.
Dorcas Doolittle, Miss Dendy.
Mehitable Jones, Marjorie Godwin.
David Snobs, Mr. W. S. Snipes,
Billy Crowfoot, Mr. T. L Riddle.
Sim Dipsey, Mr. G. K. Grantham.
Obadiah Buzzard, Mr. E. Goldstein.
Jeremiah Jenkins, Mr. O P. Shell.
Stephen Tucker, Earl Barefoot.
Bobby O. Lee, Bill Newberry.
Samuel Snooks, Mr. Bullard.

MUSIC DEPARTMENT OF WOMEN'S CLUB NOTES

The Music Department of Woman's Club met Friday, May 18th at the club rooms.

After the usual business period the following program was carried out:

Piano solo, Valse Chromatique—Godard—Miss Eleanor Hatcher.

Paper; Famous Legends of Famous Music—Louis C, Elson—Miss Agnes Ellis.

Vocal Duet, Good Bye—Abt—Mrs. Harper Holliday, and Mrs. Herbert McKay.

Paper, Self Study in the art of singing—Galli Curci—Mrs. James Renthing.

Piano Duet, Wandering Jew—Burg Miller—Misses Gertrude Jackson and Eelanor Hatcher.

Mrs. Arthur Pope and Harper Holliday, who were hostesses at this meeting, served cream and angel food cake, followed by nuts.

Class Celebrates Anniversary

Wednesday afternoon the Volunteer Wesley Class of the M. E. Sunday School composed of married ladies, celebrated the ninth anniversary of the organization of the class, in the church basement. The class has fifty-two members and about forty other guests were invited for this occasion. The inclement weather, however, prevented a number from being present.

The room was attractively decorated with Dorothy Perkins roses and sweet peas, Mrs. Eliza Williamson having had charge of the decorations.

After the guests had assembled the program of the afternoon began with the singing of the class song, which was composed by the teacher of the class, Mrs. T. L. H. Young.

Mrs. J. J. Broadhurst was chairman of the committee on entertainment and quite a number of interesting stunts were planned. After the song, the secretary, Mrs. E. S. Sanders, called the roll, each one being asked to respond with a joke or conundrum. Following this, a potato race was engaged in, furnishing quite a bit of fun. Then an art exhibition took place. Different ones were asked to illustrate nursery rhymes on the board, the other guests to guess the rhyme from the drawings. An "advertisement contest" came next, which consisted of pictures used in advertisements—the article advertised to be guessed. Then came a "Pillow-Dex" contest which closed that part of the program.

Delicious refreshments in the form of fruit punch and wafers were served by Mrs. Hal C. Hood, Mrs. Ella Baker and Mrs. D. H. Tuttle.

Before the departure of the guests, the class presented the teacher, Mrs. T. L. H. Young, with a lovely bouquet of flowers. Mrs. T. R. Hood presented the bouquet. Mrs. Young with appropriate words thanked the donors and thanked especially the committees who had made possible the successful social event of the afternoon. It was one of the most enjoyable anniversary parties yet given by the class.—Smithfield Herald.

WILL OF MRS. ELIZABETH LEAVES ALL TO CHILDREN

The will of Mrs. Elizabeth Matthews, who died a few days ago, is being probated today in the Clerk's office. It is said the estate is worth about $100,000. Mrs. Matthews bequeaths the entire property including notes and mortgages, bank, stock, hosiery mill stock, oil mill stock at Dunn and deposits in banks, to her grandchildren, namely, Charlie B. Matthews, Nathan A. Matthews, Lonney T. Matthews, Norman Matthews, Alice Sikes, Laura Matthews, Mary Cornealy Matthews, John Hardee, Jo Hardee, Walton Hardee, Ida Dean, Lilly Cotton, Rosa Jarmon, Flory Arnold.

Nathan A. Matthews and John Hardee are appointed executors.—Harnett County News.

BIG RAILROAD DEAL

New Orleans, May 17.—In what is said to be the largest railroad deal made in the South in the last twenty-five years, William Edenborn, owner of the Louisiana Railway and Navigation company, announced here today that he had concluded arrangements to purchase a branch of the Missouri, Kansas and Texas Railroad in Texas and Louisiana.

The People Can Rule

News and Observer.

The people can rule under the primary system whenever they are willing to take the trouble to do so. Government will be responsive to an awakened and militant electorate, but it will drift into the hands of special interests or machine politicians, generally working together, if the people are not willing to fight for the control of their own affairs.

The tendency in all parties is for the few, who have some axe to grind, to control. Congress is full of men who have lost touch with their people, who serve special interests or do the bidding of some political boss. They will continue to misgovern if the people are too indifferent to demand clean men who take orders from none. There was recently a striking illustration of what the people can do. Illinois had a representative, Mr. Copley, a member of the Ways and Means Committee, a man of large wealth, who helped the interests to write tariff schedules for their own enrichment. To the surprise of most people he was defeated for renomination. How was it done? Here is the explanation as given by Mr. Reed, his successful opponent:

"The campaign was waged against the system by which a dozen men of great wealth dominate the action of congress on matters of tariff and taxation and use their great power to secure legislative protection of their own interests. . . . urged the necessity of having a people's bloc' to oppose this 'millionaires' bloc,' to return the power of government to the people".

The people have only themselves to blame if their public servants listen to decrees of privilege and fail to represent the People. The people can rule if they have courage and convictions and organization.

COUNTY CLUB GIRLS MAY GET TRAINING

Miss Bridge Announces Program To Be Held In Raleigh June 19 to 24

The annual short course for Club Girls will be held at Peace Institute, Raleigh, June 19-24. The list of representatives from this county must be sent to the State office before June 1st.

The following is the tentative schedule for this year.

7:00—Rising bell.
7:05-7:20—Getting up exercises.
8:00—Breakfast.
8:4-10:30—Interior decoration and sewing problems.
10:45-12:30—Jelly making and other income earning features.
12:45—Luncheon.
1:45—Basketry.
3:00-4:00—Rest period.
4:00—Amusement and night seeing trip over Raleigh.
6:30—Supper.
7:30—Stunts and party and special talks on personal hygiene, table etiquette and social life.
9:30—Room bell.
10:00—Quiet hour.

Last year Harnett county had only two representatives, Miss Velma Senter from Kipling and Miss Maisie Patterson from Coats. These two girls are going back and want several other girls from the county to join them.

If you want any additional information write Miss S. Elizabeth Bridge county home demonstration agent, Lillington.

There are eighteen girls' clubs in the county and it is hoped that a large delegation will go from the county. Miss Bridge will go up with the girls who attend.

Engagement Announced

Fayetteville, May 19.—Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Jordan announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Leota, to Mr. Roscoe Allen Barber on Thursday, the first of June, nineteen hundred and twenty-two, Fayetteville, N. C.

Miss Jordan, pretty and possessed with a most attractive personality, during the past winter has made her home in Rocky Mount with her aunt, Mrs. J. C. Stout. She is quite popular among a large circle of friends, not only in this city but in Rocky Mount.

Mr. Barber is the son of Mrs. Perrin M. Barber of Benson, but for the past few years has been with the Atlantic Coast Line in Rocky Mount.

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC

This is to notify those who have had business dealings with us not to pay any notes or accounts to B. A. Hodges. The partnership between us no longer exists, and all accounts and notes are payable to the undersigned. Notes made payable to either of us, or to us jointly, should not be paid to him.

GEO. T. HODGES.

Dunn, May 23, 1922. 2t pd.

Mathis-Jernigan

All things considered, there occurred on May the 12th, an event of unusual interest to the people about Cooper and to others who have kept track of passing events in that hustling community during the past year. On the day mentioned Mr. Adley Mathis and Miss Ruby Jernigan were happily united in the Holy bonds of matrimony. Mr. Mathis is the son of Mrs. Alex Mathis, who for many years has been the efficient and obliging post-master as well as having large farming and mercantile interests at Cooper. The bride is the fourteen year old daughter of Amnie and Cora Belle Jernigan of Cooper.

The bride's mother will be remembered as the slayer of Quimby Sewell about a year ago, but who was completely exonerated by a Sampson County jury. By a queer turn of chance the young couple are staying in the house occupied by Mr. Sewell at the time of his untimely demise. Their friends join in wishing joy to the union.

SAMPSON NEWS SLINGER.

AUTRYVILLE NEWS

(By D. W. HALL.)

The closing excreises of the Autryville graded school was held Monday and Tuesday nights of the past week.

We are informed that the commencement of the Stedman school will be held Thursday night, Friday and Friday night May 18 and 19th.

Mr. H. Stevenson, list taker for Dismal township, is busy these days listing taxes.

The officers of the Long Branch Sunday school which was organized recently are as follows. F. J. Sessoms superintendent; A. S. Hall, choir director; Miss Hosa Autry, secretary; T. L. Hall teacher for the larger Bible class; Daniel Currie, teacher for larger quarterly class; Miss Martha Ann Hall, teacher for the smaller quarterly class; Miss Ruby Tyndall Cord, teacher.

A group commencement of schools was held at the Orange school house not long since, composed of Orange, Clement, and Purdom schools.

Miss Leila Mae Sessoms of the 7th grade from the Clement school received a diploma, she having made the best speech of any.

Miss Lona McPhail and Miss Bessie Williams was the teachers for the Clement school the past winter. We are unable to give names of teachers of the other schools.

Mr. G. C. McCrimmons and sister, Miss Kenneth McCrimmons of Moore County were down not long since to visit relatives in this section.

BUSINESS LOCAL

LAKE WOCCOMAW—SIX ROOM furnished cottages on the beautiful lake for rent by week, month or season. For information write Oscar High, Whiteville, N. C. 19 4tp.

HEADACHE, NEURALGIA, BACKache, pains of women, colds and grippe quickly relieved with Byrd's Headache Remedy. 12 tfc.

HOUSE FOR RENT. — 5-ROOM dwelling with lights, water and bath, on Denton street. Apply to Dr. Jas. R. Bullard. 12 tfc.

FOR RENT—SIX ROOM HOUSE all modern conveniences. Good neighborhood. See W. D. Holland. tfc.

WANTED.—FORTY NICE THRIFTY shoats and I want to sell 500 bushels of corn and four nice farms, any size. Will allow 20 cents per pound for cotton for first payment in 1922. J. G. Layton, Dunn, N. C. 16 3t pd.

BYRD'S HEADACHE REMEDY does not contain Acetanilid and does not depress the heart. It is guaranteed by your druggist. 12tfc.

NOTICE—I HAVE THREE OR four good used cars of different makes that I would trade for vacant lots or farm property. See E. V. Gainey. 21 tf.

WANTED: SALESMAN WITH CAR. Cord and Fabric tires at prices below competitors. $100.00 and expenses. Hydro Vulcan Tire Company, 1104 S. Michigan Ave., Chicago, Illinois. 1tpd.