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LOCALS AND PERSONALS OF INTEREST TO Farmville and Surrounding Sections

LIFE INSURANCE AT COST M. V. HORTON.

Miss Etta Gay was a wife's visitor last week.

Mr. T. C. Turnage spent Monday in Greenville.

Mr. J. T. Sutton spent Easter at Fields, with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Townsend spent Easter in Greenville.

Mr. A. C. Monk spent several days this week in Aberdeen.

Miss Gertrude Eason was a Greenville visitor Monday.

Miss Beat Dail of Snow Hill is visiting relatives in the city.

Mr. Fugean Lane paid Fountain a business visit Wednesday.

Mr. Joe Whitley spent the week-end with relatives in Selma.

Friends of Mrs. F. C. Patterson will regret to learn of her illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Garland Holden went to Snow Hill for the week-end.

Mr. T. E. Hooker of Greenville, spent Tuesday in Farmville.

Miss Minnie Bryant, of Saratoga, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Frank Davis.

Miss McGee went to Mt. Olive Friday to spend Easter with relatives.

Mr. H. M. Phillips, of Greenville, spent a few days in the city this week.

Mrs. Alice King spent several days last week with Mrs. C. E. Moore in Wilson.

Mr. J. I. Morgan left Wednesday for Norfolk to be gone several days on business.

Mrs. Helen White, of Greenville, was the guest of Mrs. Roscoe Fields last week.

Dr. Annie Joyner, of Greenville, paid Farmville a professional visit Tuesday.

See the big half-page advertisement of The John Flanagan Buggy Co. in this issue.

Note the special announcement in the advertisement of Teel Smith Co. in this issue.

Mr. K. S. Shaw returned Wednesday night from a few days visit to his old home in Halifax.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Cohen and sister, Mrs. Markowitz, of New York, spent a few days here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Fitzhugh Wallace of Keansville, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Moore, Jr. Sunday.

Rev. S. T. Moyle returned Tuesday afternoon from a short visit to friends and relatives in Rocky Mount.

Mr. J. D. Ridehour is in the city this week, giving a special sale on Majestic Ranges at the Hub Hardware Co.

Mr. J. D. Gates went by Raleigh Saturday afternoon and spent the week-end with his family who recently moved to the Capitol city from Durham.

Mrs. S. T. Moyle's sister Mrs. Strickland, of Nashville, is visiting her, Master Paul Moyle returned with her.

Mr. and Mrs. John Carter, Mr. John Green and mother motored from Wilson to spend last Sunday with friends.

The junior Missionary society will have cakes on sale in the Joyner Furniture Store next Saturday, April 29th.

Mr. E. Egan Lane, the real estate man, has a change of advertisement in this issue. Read what he has to say.

Miss Vivian Dail of the Eastern Carolina Training School of Greenville spent the week-end with Miss Annie Dail.

Miss Ada Gray Dixon, with two friends, Misses Hardison and Reddick, spent the week-end with her parents near town.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Deans, of Wilson, spent a few days in the city this week visiting their daughter, Mrs. B. A. Joyner.

The children of the Methodist Sunday school were given an Easter egg hunt Tuesday afternoon at Mrs. J. W. Lovelace's.

We are requested to announce that Rev. C. B. Mashburn, of Jarvisburg, will conduct services at the Christian church here Sunday.

Friends of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Humphrey will regret to learn that they are planning to make their home in Wilson after the present.

Misses Maude Lassiter and Johnnie Patrick, of Snow Hill, spent a few days in Farmville this week the guests of Mrs. E. C. Beaman.

Mr. D. D. Haskett, of Greenville, was in town Wednesday with ferns and other plants and will return again Saturday or early next week.

The new and attractive home of Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Joyner on North Main street has recently been completed and they moved into same last week.

Mr. J. T. Sutton went to La Grange last Tuesday evening where he attended a formal Easter dance given by the Cotillion Club of that place. Mr. Sutton reports a pleasant trip.

Easter services were held in the Baptist and Episcopal churches. A large crowd was present at both places, and the music and flowers with the splendid sermons added to the solemnity of the day.

Mr. J. T. Thorne went to Raleigh Thursday to attend the Democratic Convention. A thousand delegates are expected to be in attendance and they are planning to make it the strongest ever held in North Carolina.

Mr. J. B. Murphy, who has been running a meat market in the old town hall, has purchased the stock of groceries of Mr. Watt Parker and has moved his market into this building, where he invites you to pay him a visit.

Messrs. Pippin & Shackelford are this week moving their market and stock of groceries from their present location in tobacco town to the store building on Wilson street formerly occupied by Mr. H. L. Humphrey. They expect to have everything in

NEXT WEEK IS "CLEAN-UP" WEEK FOR THE TOWN OF FARMVILLE

See That Your Premises from Front to the Extreme Back Corner are Put in a Clean and Sanitary Condition During Next Week. A Day or Two Prevention Now May Save a Life Later.

Remember next week is clean-up week for Farmville. Let each and every person in the town do his or her part in making Farmville a sanitary town in the real true sense.

Bynum School Closes May 1st

Dr. H. O. Alexander, President State Farmer's Union will deliver the address. Basket Picnic Dinner to be Served on Grounds.

On Wednesday of next week, May 3rd, Dr. H. O. Alexander of Charlotte, president of the North Carolina Farmer's Union will deliver the address at the closing exercises of Bynum School. He is one of the real leaders for good in the State and is a thinker and speaker of ability.

A cordial invitation is extended the general public, as well as all members of the Union, to be present that day and hear Dr. Alexander. Speaking at eleven o'clock, followed by a basket picnic dinner which will be served on the grounds.

readiness in their new quarters by May 1st. Watch the columns of The Enterprise for an advertisement from this firm next week.

The "Battle Cry of Peace" is scheduled to be shown at the opera house in Tarboro the first of next week. See display advertisement in this issue giving the dates and other information, and make your plans now to see this wonderful attraction.

Nearly every large town in Eastern North Carolina is planning to have a Chautauqua this season. These are splendid advertisements for a town, and the splendid service they render in an educational way is of untold value. We hope Farmville may soon boast of one.

We notice some nice looking Strawberries on the market this week that were home grown. This is right early for them considering the cool days we've had. No doubt cotton and tobacco are big money crops, but with the soil we have in this section, our folks should grow fine truck and produce for their own consumption, and save the market man's price.

We can't begin to appreciate the value and comfort of good lights until we are suddenly left with out them. It is so with all modern improvements, and even the fellow who opposes them must admit their need after trying them awhile. So when our community makes strides toward better living facilities let us do our part with our might.

Farmville School Closes May 16-17-18

Closing Exercises of the Graded School Begins Tuesday Night, May 16. Hon. T. W. Bickett Delivers Address Thursday Afternoon the 18th

Superintendent McLean and his teachers are going to depart some what from the cut and dried order of commencement this year and are planning for a basket picnic on the school grounds. Along with the festival there will also be a graduating class—a class that has finished the four year work offered in the high school—there will probably be a baccalaureate sermon delivered by some distinguished preacher in one of the local churches; if so this will be preached Tuesday night May 16 before the graduates and the older pupils and their friends. On Wednesday night the pupils of the Music Class will probably give their final concert in the opera house, after which the music medal and the diplomas will probably be presented. Owing to the small number in the graduating class it has been deemed wise not to undertake class exercises.

Thursday will be the big day; for then it is planned that the picnic will be held and friends and patrons are invited to come and bring their baskets. In addition to the good things to eat the Hon. T. W. Bickett, one of the greatest orators in the state, has consented to be present and deliver the address of the occasion. The minor details have not been worked out yet but the general plan is given that the public might know what to expect.

Lang's Cross Roads School.

(Special to The Enterprise) The closing exercises of Lang's Cross Roads were held Friday night with brilliant success. Lawyer F. C. Harding of Greenville, delivered the closing address which was unanimously enjoyed. Miss Blanche Flanagan won the prize for perfect attendance and Master Tommie Boyd for improving the most in writing.

Sunday afternoon Rev. J. E. Kirk, of Farmville, held services and Easter exercises were given by the children, after services the teachers gave the children an Easter egg hunt which they thoroughly enjoyed.

FOUNTAIN DEPARTMENT

By A. F. EASON, Reporter

Local Happenings Wise and Otherwise

Mr. M. V. Horton was in town Monday.

Mr. C. C. Baker paid Wilson a business visit Wednesday.

Dr. E. Bruce Deasley spent Sunday visiting in Shawboro.

Mrs. W. R. Crisp spent last week visiting near Macclisfield.

Mr. R. A. Gardner and family spent Sunday visiting out of town.

The W. O. W., of this place, held their regular meeting here Monday night.

Messrs. Abner Eason and W. J. Tugwell went to Greenville Saturday.

Messrs. G. W. Jefferson and M. E. Smith paid Wilson a business visit Monday.

Prof. Norman Johnson held services at Shiver's Hill school house Sunday afternoon.

Messrs. J. Y. Monk and J. Lloyd Horton, of Farmville, were in town a short while Sunday.

Messrs. Hardy Johnson, C. L. M. C. and V. E. Owens spent Sunday visiting in Winterville.

Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Eagles, of Saratoga, spent last week in town visiting Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Eagles.

Mr. J. P. Killebrew spent a part of the week visiting his son, Mr. Jno. Killebrew, of Rosemary.

Dr. E. Bruce Deasley spent last Thursday in Durham attending the N. C. Medical meeting.

Mr. M. E. Lane, who is in school at Trinity College, Durham, spent the week end here at his home.

The Falkland and Fountain schools will cross bats in a game of ball here Saturday, 29th at 2:30 p. m. Be sure to see the game.

Messrs. G. H. Harris and M. W. Owens, who for the past several months have been in school at Piedmont High School, Lenoir, have returned home to spend the summer.

Fountain was again defeated by Farmville Saturday P. M., the score being 10 to 7. Pittman who opened the game for the locals was very wild, and Farmville scored their 9 runs on him, although it was not altogether his fault which caused Fountain's defeat, as the fielding was bad and the entire team was wild. Lowe was put in the box in the sixth inning and pitched the remainder of the game. In the 4 innings he pitched he struck out 8 men. His masterly pitching

Candidate For Register of Deeds.

To the Democratic Voters of Pitt County.

I hereby announce my Candidacy for the Office of Register of Deeds of Pitt County, Subject to the action of the Democratic Primary of Pitt County. Brascoy Bell.

For County Treasurer.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for County Treasurer, subject to Democratic primary of Pitt county. W. B. WILSON.

Navigating to the Pale and Slabby The Old Southern general strengthening bank, crowd of T. C. WILSON, and T. C. WILSON and others, who are the blood, inside the ground. A true T. C. W. for adults and children, age

caused the Farmville team to look as they believed in which craft as he tossed his "funny ball" over and the Farmville boys would fan at the wind. Jefferson caught Lowe and, and his excellent work behind the bat made him as popular as a catch as pitch, and he surely deserves the title "The Wonder of Fountain." Dupree pitched a good game for Farmville and the entire team played well.

To The People of Pitt County.

In announcing myself a democratic candidate for the House of Representatives, I wish to say that I am not seeking this office for self aggrandizement, for you have already once before bestowed its Honors upon me, and I know from experience that the expense incident to the office far exceed the compensation allowed.

However, I have been persuaded by some of my friends that my experience in good roads legislation places me in a position to be of valuable service to the best interest of the county and state in the next General Assembly. Therefore I have consented to place my name before you, if you want me I will be glad to serve you to the best of my ability, but I have neither time nor money with which to make a vigorous campaign for an office the chief emolument of which is a deficit bank account.

If my candidacy meets with your approval and I should again be as highly honored, my prime object will be to serve the will of the majority as best I understand it. For I do not believe any law of magnitude should be enacted without giving the voters the right to accept or reject the same if they desire to do so.

Believing that the future progress and prosperity of the state and county depends largely on the development of our road system, I shall if elected do all in my power to enact a law authorizing the state to fund its credit to the townships, so that when a township undertakes to construct a system of good roads, the money can be had on state 4 per cent bonds instead of township 6 per cent bonds. That is the state borrows the money and lends it to the townships taking the townships taking the township bonds as security. Townships in other states are building roads under this system and saving millions of dollars, why should not we have the same advantage?

Another object that I have in asking you to send me to the Legislature, is to secure for our East Carolina Teachers Training School more appropriations from the state. The school is doing a great work and needs enlargement. It should not be held back.

My past experience with attempted prohibitory legislation has taught me, that to stop, look and listen is the best policy in such matters.

If you should again deem me worthy to represent you in the Legislature it will be my policy to inquire of your sentiment on all public questions of whatever nature.

Respectfully yours, D. W. CLARK