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WEEK IN TRENTON.

What is Coming and Going, and What They are Doing.

NEWS ABOUT THE TOWN IN GENERAL, ETC.

Rev. Mr. Alderman will preach at old church next Friday night.

Dr. J. B. Koonce spent two days in Press Creek last week.

Rev. J. M. Benson visited Newberne Monday on a business trip.

The town Commissioners held their regular meeting Tuesday Morning.

A large number of citizens from the city were in Trenton last Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Rhodes were a visit to Onslow county last week.

Mr. W. L. Humphrey, of Goldsboro, returned Saturday and Sunday in Trenton.

Mr. S. H. Windley spent several days near Trenton last week.

Mr. Sam Jones near Trenton last week.

Mrs. Amanda Barnes left last Monday for a three weeks visit to friends in Goldsboro.

Mary Jane Bryan, col., was returned jail last Saturday by her bondsman F. Green.

The steamer Howard was well loaded with freight, when it arrived in Trenton Friday night.

Miss Julia Hall, of Newberne, spent a week in Trenton last week, at the home of Mrs. Windley.

Messrs. D. H. Heritage and T. W. Ogden, made a business trip to Newberne one day last week.

Mr. Lou Taylor spent last week on a farm near Dover. He reports the crop of cotton he ever had.

Miss Sallie Benson left today for Hyde county to visit relatives. We hope her trip will be a pleasant one.

The government boat, Gen. Geo. M. came to Trenton last Friday night to look after the condition of the river.

Mr. Charlie Jennett, of Hyde county, had been visiting at Rev. J. M. Cannon, returned home last Saturday morning.

Misses Novella Brogden and Kate Litchett went to Newberne last Friday, where they will spend a few days with friends.

Mr. Will Banks and Miss Nettie Andrews, daughter of J. B. Andrews were married at Cove, by the Rev. Cunningham last Saturday.

We regret to learn that J. J. Chadwick, a hardworking farmer of this county had the misfortune to lose a valuable horse last week.

James Taylor was arrested Monday night by Deputy Sheriff Paul Koonce and Lon Taylor, charged with the theft of a mule from Nat Conoway.

Miss Mary Heritage who has been visiting her aunt, Mrs. L. A. Haywood, returned to her home in Onslow last Friday, accompanied by her brother, Jerry Heritage.

Miss Sallie Whitaker, of Raleigh, who has been visiting the family of her uncle D. W. Whitaker, and other relatives in Trenton, left for Ormandeville last Friday morning to visit friends.

Rev. J. T. Kendall will commence his meetings at Shady Grove the 2nd day in August and at Lee's Chapel the 4th Sunday in August, to continue ten days at each place. Two series on Sunday.

W. H. Cox, our clever Register of Deeds, informs us that the sale of marriage licenses is very quiet. In fact nothing doing. A few, he says, are bought cheap now on account of the stringency in financial affairs.

Sam Lipman expects to go North shortly, and in order to make room for his fall stock, is offering his goods at a very low price. It will be to your advantage to call at his store at once, as there will be a special sale at his store on Saturday. See his new ad.

Miss Dora Taylor went to Dover to visit friends yesterday.

Miss Rena Haywood returned home yesterday from a visit to her aunt, Mrs. White, in Raleigh.

We desire to thank Mr. J. B. McDaniel on behalf of the congregation who worship at Maple Grove M. E. church, for so nicely cleaning up part of the church grove. We feel sure the job will be finished by some one else before the next preaching day.

We had the pleasure of a call last Friday from Mr. C. R. Thomas, one of New Berne's most prominent law yers, who was in Trenton on official business. He spoke very hopefully of Jones getting a railroad from Kinston to some point on the W. N. and N. road, by way of Trenton.

Miss Nettie Brogden returned home last Thursday from a three week's trip to Harlow, Morehead City and Beaufort. She was accompanied by Miss Jesse Bell, who also returned to her home, a few miles in the country the same day. These young ladies report a most enjoyable trip.

Oak Ridge Institute has trained over 3000 of our best business and professional men. Instead of trying to be a college, for which it has ample equipment, it prefers to be a thorough Fitting School, concentrating its energies and efforts to the laying of a broad foundation for scholarship and for life.

We have heard gentlemen say, who are informed, that a railroad from Kinston by way of Trenton to connect at some point on the W. N. and N. road, a distance of 28 miles would contribute more local freight than all the balance of the line. The reasons for this is the rich farming sections through which the road would run. An almost inexhaustible supply of timber lies along the route that is only awaiting transportation to go on the market, besides thousands of bales of cotton that are raised.

In company with W. H. Hammond, Benj. Brock, Jr. and Deputy Sheriff Paul Koonce, we spent a short time in Morehead City last week at the Atlantic Hotel. We found Dr. Blackhall, the proprietor, busily engaged looking after the comfort of his guests.

There is no doubt about one thing, and that is, the Doctor is a born hotel man, and is making a wonderful success of the Atlantic.

If you are fond of sea food, you can get it served at the Atlantic in the most palatable style, or if you want a dry land dish that too can be had, in a most tempting shape.

The Doctor makes every one feel at home who visits the Atlantic. Don't let the season pass without a few days recreation at this celebrated health resort.

A party of gentlemen, one of whom we were which, went out fishing Wednesday morning, and although the waves were rough, we succeeded in catching about sixty trout and black fish in a short while.

Maysville Items.

The new saw mill belonging to Messrs. Foy, Smith & Holland will be ready for work by the last of the week.

Miss Cattie Koonce left Sunday on her way to Trenton. She has been visiting friends at Fowle.

Misses Pennie and May Cox, of Catherine Lake, arrived Friday on their way to Fowle, where they will visit Misses Zoe and Mabel Fosque. We hope the girls a very pleasant visit.

Miss MaBelle Pearce left Saturday to take charge of her office at Scotts Hill. She made many warm friends while with us, who regret very much to see her leave. We often hear it repeated; "It is so dull since Miss MaBelle left." Every effort will be made to get her back, if not in one way probably another. Harshler left with her. The party given in honor of Misses Pearce and Bryan Thursday evening was enjoyed by all. We would like very much to know the fellow who stole our melons just the same.

County Commissioners Meet.

The Commissioners of Jones county held their regular monthly meeting last Monday. Present, J. P. Harper, chairman, S. H. Moore, W. B. Isler, Lewis Bynum and J. H. Bell.

The usual amounts were ordered allowed the outside poor of the county.

Ordered that C. M. Heath be allowed for working the road in Pollockville township, \$15.85.

Perry Jenkins, working road in Trenton township, \$10.85.

Job Metts, working road in Tuckahoe township, \$15.75.

J. W. Bryan poor house account \$12.80

J. A. Kinsey, working road, in Chinguepin township, \$32.48.

J. B. Stanley, jail account \$13.05.

P. C. Foy, working road in White Oak township, \$27.90.

W. H. Cox, account for July county funds, \$20. account for road funds \$1.45.

J. G. Andrews, working road in Beaver Creek township, \$62.85.

Sylvester Small be granted license to peddle in the county of Jones.

K. R. Parsons be allowed \$4. 40 half fee bill.

J. S. Garrett be granted license to retale Liquors near Maysville.

D. W. Whitaker be allowed \$18, as rent from estate of T. J. Whitaker.

Ordered that all road Supervisors stop working road until further orders.

C. J. McDuffy working road in Cypress Creek township \$10.75.

The following amount was allowed the Commissioners as per diem: S. H. Moore, \$2.40, W. B. Isler, \$3.40, J. H. Bell, \$3.20, J. P. Harper, \$2.70, Lewis Bynum, \$3.50.

Dover Items.

MONDAY, AUG. 2. 1897.

We are needing a good rain, crops are looking a little sleepy.

M. Lou Taylor has been having some work done on the county road near here the past week. If we had more Lon's roads would be better.

Messrs. Freeman and W. M. Tynard spent Sunday in Kinston and Institute.

Miss Mary O. Stanton, of LaGrange came Saturday to spend a few days with Mrs. G. W. Richardson.

Mrs. Sudie Arrington, of Newberne, is here visiting Mrs. G. V. Richardson.

Some of our boys are dear lovers of hard cider, and we will be glad when the hard cider season is over.

Miss Meta Outlaw and her father, Mr. F. P. Outlaw, left Thursday to visit friends in Mount Olive, and will return this week.

Miss Maud Arnold has been very sick the past week, but is improving.

Dr. D. W. Duguid and wife left this morning for Kinston where they will spend the day with Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Hines.

Bonus Items.

Miss Laura Green was at home a short while last Sunday.

Messrs Hiram McDaniel, G. I. Taylor, George Pollock and Leroy Pollock attended the picnic at Alum Springs last week. They report a good time.

Mr. J. E. Pollock and Miss Cynthia Cox left Friday for Duplin county to attend the picnic at the Springs.

E. M. Gilbert and Misses Myrtle Whitaker and Lula Gilbert spent Saturday night at Mr. C. Fordham's, of Tuckahoe, and attended the meeting at Pleasant Hill Sunday and at night.

Rev. J. M. Benson will begin the meeting at Shady Grove next Sunday. Rev. Mr. Kendall will assist him in the meeting. He will bring his tent.

STRAYED,

Black Boar, marked, with slit in each ear. Weight about 200 lbs., if fat, left my house about three weeks ago. Any information leading to his recovery will be thankfully received and rewarded.

R. T. JOHNSON,
Trenton N. C.

Let All Work Together.

If we succeed in getting a railroad through Jones county by way of Trenton, its county seat, we must have unanimity of action in the matter. The first and foremost consideration of all the good people of the county should be the importance of building up its county seat. In proportion as this is done to the same extent will prosperity prevail the entire county. Here our courts meet, here the officials of the county meet to transact its business. The people from all sections of the county are drawn to Trenton because of business engagements, that cannot be transacted anywhere else. Hence the importance of making the county seat the center of attraction. Build it up and you at once have a convenient market for all your produce. Instead of selling your eggs at 5 and 6 cents a dozen you will get a price equal to that paid by Newberne or Kinston, and the prices of everything else you have to sell will advance in proportion. If you want high prices you must create a demand, and that can only be done by increasing the consumers. We hope no selfishness will creep into the minds of any one, that is, to sacrifice the good that would accrue to the great majority of our people, because we prefer the road to "run by or through my plantation for my convenience." Let all the citizens of Jones county put their shoulders to the wheel with but one determination, and that is, to get a road, if possible, from Kinston by way of Trenton to connect at some point on the W. N. and N. road.

A Remarkable Cure of Chronic Diarrhoea.

In 1862, when I served my country as a private in Company A, 167th Pennsylvania Volunteers, I contracted chronic diarrhoea. It has given me a great deal of trouble ever since. I have tried a dozen different medicines and several prominent doctors without any permanent relief. Not long ago a friend sent me a sample bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, and after that I bought and took a 50 cent bottle; and now I can say that I am entirely cured. I cannot be thankful enough to you for this great Remedy, and recommend it to all suffering veterans. If in doubt write me. Yours gratefully, Henry Steigberger, Allentown, Pa. Sold by J. P. Brogden, Trenton N. C.

Land Sale.

Having more land than I need I offer for sale 2500 acres of valuable land lying on the road between New Berne and Trenton bounded by Long Branch on the east, by Trent river and others. This land lies within thirteen miles of New Berne, seven miles of Trenton and four of Pollockville. About 750 acres are cleared, the balance in timber. The land is adapted to the growth of cotton, corn, tobacco and truck, in fact almost any crop can be raised. It has transportation twice a week by steamer on Trent river, and a more healthy location cannot be found in Eastern Carolina. It has a two-story building, and all necessary barns and out houses. The land will be divided into small farms if purchaser so desires. This property can be bought on reasonable terms.

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Beaver Creek Items.

Farmers are done their crops and are now curing tobacco, also preparing for the protracted meeting.

Mr. Walter Cox, of Richlands, was visiting friends and relatives last week. When he started home last Sunday he took Miss Lucy Basden with him.

Mr. and Mrs. Joo. Streets, of near Kinston, visited his sister last Sunday and returned Monday.

Mr. Everett Jones and son had a successful hunt last Tuesday.

Mr. Amos Andrews took his best girl to Kinston last Saturday. She reports a nice time.

Mr. Z. Andrews is quite sick, we are sorry to chronicle.

Misses Fannie DeBruhl and Eula Basden made a short trip to Mr. G. T. Basden's last Tuesday.

Mr. G. W. Basden and Master Jimmie went to Richlands last Friday.

Mr. Robt. Scott, of Kinston, is visiting G. W. Andrews and W. F. DeBruhl this week.

Mr. J. G. Andrews has been very sick, but is up again.

Wm. T. DeBruhl and Bobbie Scott made a visit to Mr. E. B. Heath last Saturday and returned Sunday.

DIED.

We regret to announce the death of Mr. Haywood White, at his home in Pollockville last Thursday, of Bright's disease, aged 69 years. Mr. White was one of Jones county's most prominent and useful citizens, a man of high christian character, possessing the confidence and esteem of his fellows. The News extends sympathy to the bereaved ones.

For Sale.

A VALUABLE Tract of Land, containing 900 acres, situated in Jones county, N. C., near Trenton, adjoining the lands of James Redmond and others, known as the Starkey McDaniel lands. For further particulars apply to G. H. ROBERTS, New Berne, N. C.

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