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A WEEK IN TRENTON.

People Coming and Going, and What They are Doing.

NEWS ABOUT THE TOWN IN GENERAL, ETC.

Mr. T. B. Epoch, of Cove, was in our city Monday.

Mr. N. J. Leary spent a couple of days with us recently.

Mr. Leon Dawson, of Maple Cypress spent Sunday in our city.

Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Whitaker at services at Shady Grove Sunday.

Messrs. S. Barker and H. H. Windley went to Tuckahoe last week.

Miss Birdie Koonce went to Onslow county last week to visit relatives.

Mr. Gus May was a Trenton visitor recently. All were glad to see Gus.

Newton G. Bond, of Jacksonville and former police of Trenton, is in town.

Messrs. S. E. and Paul Koonce attended services at Piney Grove Sunday.

Lanoreth's celebrated Turnip Seed can be found at W. C. Kinsey's.

Misses Alice Hines and Mattie Nobles are visiting at Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Koonce.

Reverends Alderman and Taylor commenced a protracted meeting at Piney Grove Sunday.

Master Harry Humphrey, of Goldsboro is visiting friends and relatives in Trenton.

Murray Whitaker, Albert Coble and Clarence Benson went to Shady Grove Sunday.

Mrs. S. H. Gilliam, who has been visiting in Pittsboro returned home last week.

Master Frank George, of Newberne, spent a few days with Master Harry Brogden last week.

D. H. Herritage accompanied by W. C. McAllister went to his farm on Cypress Creek Sunday.

Miss Estelle Murray, who has been visiting in Greenville returned home last Friday evening.

Miss Joe Franck, accompanied by Mr. Albert Coble spent last Friday and Saturday in Kinston.

Mr. Richard Francks and Master Grover Whitaker, made a flying trip to Pollockville last week.

Messrs. Julian Bender and Dr. S. E. Koonce of Pollockville, were in our midst last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tobe Bender, of Pollockville, spent a short while in Trenton Sunday, visiting friends.

Rev. Mr. Taylor filled the appointment of Rev. Mr. Alderman, at the Baptist church Friday evening.

Mr. J. B. Koonce went to Tuckahoe last Friday, where he will spend several days visiting friends and relatives.

Miss L'essa Smith, accompanied by Mr. Leon Dawson, left Monday for Maple Cypress, to visit relatives and friends.

Mrs. E. A. Rhodes, of Trenton, who is teaching school at Tuckahoe, made a visit home Saturday accompanied by Mr. Dan Dixon.

Rev. J. M. Beason began protracted meeting, with Rev. J. T. Kendall to assist him, at Shady Grove Sunday, and will continue ten days.

Mr. Redon Jones, of near Trenton, brought us the name of V. A. Pollock, of Bonus, as a subscriber to the News. Many thanks to Mr. Jones.

Messrs. Lou Taylor, E. L. Hardy, E. G. Pridgen, R. L. White, M. H. Dawson and Joe McDaniel attended church at Shady Grove last Sunday.

Mrs. Indiana Windley and daughter Miss Jennie, returned home Sunday, accompanied by Messrs. James T. and Ben Taylor, after an extended tour through Jones and surrounding counties visiting friends and relatives.

Mr. John Andrews, of near Trenton, while at the wood pile a few days ago, accidentally hurt his hand badly. We hope it will not terminate seriously.

Misses Rena Haywood, Bessie Claytor, Fannie and Lottie Whitaker, and Messrs. Sim Haywood, and Richard Francks, attended services at Shady Grove Sunday.

The Grist mill of Mr. J. P. Brogden is now in excellent condition, the work being completed a few days ago, and the recent rains raised the pond sufficient for him to grind.

Prof. W. H. Rhodes, principal of the Trenton High School, is having a very handsome descriptive catalogue of the school printed at this office which will make its appearance in a few days.

We received last Friday night on the steamer Howard, one of the handsomest stocks of stationary that can be found in any printing office, and we are now prepared to do all kinds of job printing.

Mr. W. H. Waters, of Dover, paid the News a very pleasant visit Saturday and settled his subscription, and wished a continuation of the same. We wish him all the success possible.

The recent rain revived everything wonderfully, although it brought with it weather that felt more like Fall than the middle of summer. Blankets were in demand for a few nights.

The steamer Howard made its regular trip to Trenton, last Friday evening laden with freight. On and after August 16th, it will make two trips a week, Mondays and Fridays, returning the following day.

A railroad through Jones would not do harm, as is thought by some, but otherwise would bring prosperity to all besides build up our waste lands, develop our trucking industry, and do many things that without a railroad, could not be done.

Miss Cattie Koonce returned home a few days ago from a visit to friends in the county, accompanied by Misses Annie Bryan and Jessie Bell, who spent the day in Trenton, returning in the evening accompanied by Miss Sue May Kinsey, who will visit Miss Bell.

The merchants in Jones and surrounding counties are supplying themselves with large stocks of goods for the Fall trade. We would advise, if they wish to double the amount of business they have done in the past, that they advertise in the columns of the News.

Sam Lipman is now in Baltimore, and writes that he will be at home in a few days, and bring with him the handsomest stock of goods that has ever been in Jones county. He invites you all to call and see him when he returns, and be convinced that his stock is the best that can be had in the North.

There is one thing that the editor of the News is unalterably opposed to, and that is the promiscuous bathing in the surf by men and women, and especially so since many of the suits worn are vulgar and indecent. Modesty is one virtue that a lady cannot well have too much of.

It is with much gratification we note the election of Mr. C. E. Foy as one of the directors of the Wilmington and Newberne Railroad. Mr. Foy is a native of Jones and his county feels justly proud of the honor bestowed upon one of our sons. We are sure the wise counsel of Mr. Foy in the affairs of the road will add much to its success.

We call your attention to the new ad of Sam Yoffe, which you will find on another page. He is now making room for his Fall stock, and is selling goods for anything he can get, rather than carry them over.

Mr. J. P. Brogden has just received a handsome stock of goods as we ever saw. He has knocked the bottom out of high prices, and they have dropped considerably. He said he bought his goods to sell and they must go. Watch for his new ad which will appear next week.

Dover Items.

August 9th, 1897.

Misses Fula McDaniel and Dora Taylor, two of Trenton's charming young ladies came last week to visit Miss Meta Outlaw, and returned home today.

Sheriff Harrison, of Jones county spent a short while in our little town last Thursday and we are sorry to say he couldn't find a barrel of pork in the place.

Messrs. Richard Carpenter and Flavious Crocm who have been visiting at Goldsboro and other places, returned home last Thursday.

Miss Susette Pearsall, of Goldsboro, came last week to visit Miss Maggie Kornegay.

The "wandering boy," Master Abe Adler, came last week from Goldsboro to spend a few days with his mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. A. Adder, and returned to-day.

Mr. A. G. Outlaw and Miss Maggie Kornegay spent a few days in the Holly Hill section last week.

Mrs. Ed Rhein, of Cross, is here visiting her mother, Mrs. W. W. Arnold.

The Farmers Stock Insurance Company held a meeting here last Thursday. After the meeting they had a dinner prepared for the public which was largely attended and very much enjoyed. We think it was undoubtedly one of the nicest picnics of its size that we have ever experienced. No one was under the influence of strong drink and everybody who attended, enjoyed it.

Messrs. Ralph West, W. E. Street and Nathan Richardson attended the Kendall meeting at Shady Grove last Sunday.

Messrs. G. V. Richardson and A. L. Dixon held Prayer meeting at Daughertyville, four miles from Dover yesterday, to which Messrs. Luby Foy and W. M. Tyndal ran an "excursion" and Misses Eula McDaniel, Dora Taylor and Meta Outlaw were the passengers.

Another Bear Story.

Mr. Albert Gussel who lives a short distance from Cove, killed a large bear last week at the head of Core Creek. Mr. Gussel heard the squeal of a hog, and suspecting that a bear was at the bottom of the fur took his gun, and alone ran to the scene. When he arrived where the hog had been killed, he discovered something running off through the bushes and fired both barrels. Not waiting to see the result of the shot ran for help. He got E. B. Heath and dog, and a dog belonging to Mr. Emory. Upon their return the dogs at once took the trail and soon overtook the bear. It was sometime before an opportunity presented to shoot the bear on account of danger of shooting the dogs. Finally Mr. Gussel saw the way clear, and fired, killing the bear, the load entering his head. Four rounds were fired for help and soon Elisha Robertson, John Ward and Euoch Smith responded to the call. They started for the house, but being well into the pocusin, night overtook them, and losing their way, were compelled to take lodging in the pocusin till morning. The bear was put in his little bed and on either side a dog lay. John Ward said their were lightwood knots in his bed, and bugs in his pillow. The boys had a jolly time.

Early next morning the bear was carried to Mr. Gussels, where all hands partook of warm breakfast. As a reward the faithful dogs were given most the bear, at least the owners took charge of it for their benefit. It was found that the bear had been badly wounded by the two shots fired by Mr. Gussel and would have died in a few days.

We in company with Miss Joe Francks spent a day last week at the hospitable home of Mr. T. W. Sander-son, and with friends in Pollockville.

Fields Items.

Mrs. Darlie Sutton and Iola Phillips attended the picnic at New Hope last Friday. They report a good time.

We have had several days rain, everything looks very much refreshed.

Mrs. I. T. Haskins, of Falling Creek is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Fields.

Miss Emalee Pope is visiting Miss Christian Pope this week.

R. C. Hill, Dept. Collector went to Goldsboro yesterday.

Several have taken tobacco to market and come back well pleased.

Mr. Lon Taylor spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr. Guy Sutton, of Cross.

Rev. F. S. Becton filled his regular appointment at Sharon to-day. One made the good confession and was baptized.

We regret to announce the death of Mr. W. T. Mosely at his home last Sunday, of Paralysis, age 68 years.

Mr. Mosely was one of Lenoir county's most prominent and useful citizens, a man of high christian character, possessing the confidence of his friends. We extend our sympathy to the bereaved ones.

Farmers through Jones have laid by their crops, and are taking a short vacation, waiting for cotton picking time.

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.

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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.

For further information apply to J. B. BANKS, TRENTON N. C.

Bonus Items.

There was a very nice rain last Friday night and Saturday.

Rev. J. T. Kendall began a big meeting Sunday, at Shady Grove. A very large crowd attended.

Misses Eula and Nannie Smith are visiting Miss Lula Gilbert.

E. A. Huggins spent Sunday night at Mr. Nathan and Mrs. Furney White.

Mr. Jim Wooten and his two sisters, of Coahoma, was at Shady Grove Sunday.

Mr. Fred Becton pulled most of his fodder last week.

Mr. Fred Burt and his brother, of Raleigh, are visiting Mr. A. C. Burt.

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