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RALEIGH, N. C., NOVEMBER 6, 1897.

ABOUT PEOPLE YOU KNOW.

Try Nine O'clock Washing Tea. For sale by all storekeepers.

Capt. C. S. L. A. Taylor and his company from Charlotte are here.

Mr. Willy Norcott, Jr., commences his school in Pitt county this week.

Miss Annie E. Burgess was in the city Tuesday, en route to Atlanta, her home.

Mr. W. D. P. Koger, deputy sheriff of New Bern, is in the city attending the fair.

Mr. J. F. Koger, of R. Idwille, N. C., was in the city this week attending the fair.

The Norcott Brothers have completed their new store and is doing business there.

Chief of Police J. M. Norwood favored the Gazette with his subscription last week.

Mr. Levi Penney was in the city last week and favored us with a cash renewal.

Mrs. F. J. Johnson, of Greenville, is quite feeble and has been for several weeks.

Hon. R. W. Williamson, of New Bern, is in our city this week taking in the fair.

Miss Charlotte Rhone and Mr. C. C. Roach, of New Bern, are in the city taking in the fair.

We owe many thanks to Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Norcott for their kindness to us while in their town.

Hon. J. T. Howe, of Wilmington, is in the city taking in the fair, also representing the "Record."

Mr. Julius Bridges was in the city this week and called at the office and renewed his subscription.

Mr. George W. Harris, one of Raleigh's expert brick masons, has left the city for a short stay in Clayton, N. C.

Mr. Archer Johnson, of Warrenton, N. C., has recently opened a grocery store and is doing a good business.

Miss Rosa Gray closed her school at Rocky Mount Friday, the 29th ult., and is expected to enter Estey Seminary this week.

Sheriff J. M. Smith, of Rockingham, was in the city last Saturday. Sheriff Smith is one of the best officers in the State.

Miss Lillian Crews, of Oxford, N. C., left for Elizabeth City last week, where she will teach in one of the Normal Schools.

The congregation at Sycamore Baptist Church, Greenville, is creating a new and ornate to the city.

Mrs. J. J. Weaver has been quite sick for the past two weeks, but we are glad to inform our readers that her condition this week is a little improved.

Among others that have come to attend the fair are: Mr. A. J. Stewart, Lawyer; J. S. Pitts, of Winston; Hon. J. C. Dancy, Mr. Grant Foster.

The "People's Herald," a newspaper printed in Charlotte, N. C., sent out its first issue on October 23. Many thanks to the editor for a copy of the same.

Mr. E. J. Young, traveling agency for the "People's Herald," and business manager of the People's Benevolent Relief Association, took in the fair this week.

Mrs. T. H. McNeil, Miss Alice Christman and Mr. J. H. Whitfield, of Fayetteville, are attending the fair. Mrs. McNeil will also visit Warrenton before returning home.

Mr. F. J. Johnson and C. C. Forbes rendered us valuable assistance in securing new subscribers while in Greenville last week, for which we thank them very much.

Miss Ida S. Smith, on South East street, left the city Tuesday this week for Kittrell, N. C., where she entered school. Do not cry Mr. —, she will return to you soon.

There will be one of the grandest entertainments ever given at the Presbyterian Church Friday night, November 5. The public is cordially invited to be present and help in the worthy cause.

Don't forget that it goes without saying that Toney Burns is the best cook in the city. Give him a call and be convinced that his cooking is superb. All the latest diets served in the grandest style.

It will pay wash women to use Nine O'clock Washing Tea, because it saves the back and the wear of clothes on the wash-board, and up to a dollar you can have your clothes out upon the line. Try it and be convinced that it is the best.

Mrs. Virginia King is an untiring and zealous church worker. She is always found lending her hand to some good Christian work. The new Sycamore Baptist Church owes much credit to her and other sisters for the finance they have raised to aid in building the new church.

Dr. J. A. S. Sage and his efficient corps of teachers, are getting things in fine shape for a successful term at Albion Academy. New students are coming in almost every day. Dr. Sage is the principal of one of the best Normal Schools in the State, and proves to be the right man in the right place.

Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Alston wishes to express their regret for not being present at the reception given in their honor at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. John Y. Alston Tuesday evening, October 19. The delay was caused by the misconnection of trains. Mr. and Mrs. Alston can be found at their residence in West Raleigh.

The five-year-old son of Mr. Frank Brooks departed this life at the home of his parents, October 31. On Saturday, October 24 the little boy eat a lot of green walnuts, from which he was poisoned. He died Sunday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock. His funeral services were held at St. Paul's A. M. E. Church, Monday, November 1. We mourn with the mourners and commend them to Him who doeth all things for the best.

The temperance concert at the Congregational Church last Sunday night was very inspiring, and should be followed by the other churches of our city. The exercises were of a nature that will instill noble ideas of character in the hearts and minds of the young people. The program consisted of songs and recitations of a temperance nature by the little folks. Prof. L. B. Capehart delivered a good address on temperance. The singing, under the management of Miss Mary Love, was good. Several persons signed the pledge not to take strong drinks in any form.

EASTERN SNAP-SHOTS.

"Fight on the battle" of negro independence as to partisan politics. Freedom of thought and action will be a long step towards the solution of the negro problem.

The District Conference and Sun Day School Convention of the Goldsboro District of the A. M. E. Zion connection have just adjourned the most profitable sessions perhaps in their histories. The Rev. Wm. Sutton is the presiding elder of the district, which has made great progress since he came to it a year ago. The sessions were held in St. James A. M. E. Zion Church of Goldsboro. The reports from the several stations and circuits were very encouraging. The greatest interest, however, centered in the Sunday School Convention proceedings. Mrs. C. M. Eppes, of Tarboro, is the worthy mistress of ceremonies of the convention, and delivered an address, which captivated the big audience and called forth a great deal of useful discussion. An address was also delivered by Mrs. G. W. A. Feele, the vice-president. Many papers touching upon the Sabbath School were read, and inspiring welcome addresses were delivered by Miss Mary E. Fanviller and others. The music by the church choir during the convention was superb.

Rev. W. J. Moore, P. E., was unwell when holding the quarterly conference at Greenville, yet he preached three able sermons to a truly spiritually alive congregation. Rev. L. B. Williams is what we term a wheel horse in the Christian pulpit, and is possibly the most popular preacher that has ever preached in Greenville, save the ex-pastor of Sycamore Hill, who is remembered by his flock as a foman worthy of his stool. The Norcott Bros. are an enterprising set of young men, with the weather eye on the main chance. Upon the whole they have done up-to-date Eastern Carolina city in development.

It is reported that Rev. H. P. Walker preached an excellent missionary sermon at the District Conference. The A. M. E. Zion and English Chapel Sunday Schools are creditable to officers and teachers. "Snap" spoke to each one and was given enthusiasm by the apparent earnestness of officers and scholars. In Christian effort they are coming.

Prof. Wm. Humphrey is one of the most progressive teachers of Pitt county. Mr. C. C. Forbes is still awaiting the call to serve his country. Mr. Moses King and his estimable lady.

Mr. Ed. Laughinghouse is possibly the "Hagans" of Pitt as to financial standing. Practically, there will be some surprises in 1898, in what we hear in Beaufort, Greene, Pitt, Martin and Halifax be true. There is some manhood yet left in the negro. When in your conclaves you say that the party lash and name will keep him solid to support them, even though it is not time for the "big" to expect office, after voting for thirty-two years, 'tis too soon. Yet he must vote for the hypocrites.

C. C. Baker and Hunter Height are hustlers. The Benevolent Aid Society is doing a great work in the vicinity of Scotland Neck. A good doctor wanted. Rev. M. D. Mathewson attended the State Baptist Convention in Charlotte. He returned Saturday after stopping at "Shaw." Delighted he was at meeting Dr. and Mrs. Pegues.

The discrimination in apportionments should not begin too early. In a certain county and town in this section a white lady was employed to teach. The colored teacher received \$35 per month, the white \$50, with about one-third of the scholastic taught by the negro teacher. Fairness with a vengeance!

Mrs. C. M. Eppes visited the State Normal and Graded School while in Goldsboro attending the Sunday School Convention, and reports wonderful work done by these schools, established for all the people. Despite the croaking of the cynic the noble men and women at the head of these schools are slowly but surely solving the race problem. Continue to disseminate intelligence where ignorance abounds, hold up the blood-stained banner and all will be well.

Paternalism is a blight upon humanity, and the world is unfortunately afflicted with many scholars of this school. The optimist is the comforter of the age, and halo of joy comes to us when we observe that. Browning assures us that "Right the day must win."

Hon. George H. White, the foremost negro attorney, pugnaicton, too, when defending a client, left for Washington on business last Sunday. His efforts, as congressman to give the negro recognition in government patronage, are being severely criticized by the Democratic press for securing places or his own people, and not a word is said commendable. Look at Kinston, 100 white men, with a little aid, are fighting the appointment of a gentleman and exemplary citizen.

Dr. E. E. Smith is succeeding as usual at the State Normal at Goldsboro, N. C., so we learn. Our Goldsboro friends must understand that Mrs. C. M. Eppes is a full-fledged member of the A. M. E. Church, founded by Bishop Allen. The first real honor given her by the A. M. E. Sunday School Convention of Halifax, N. C., was elected district superintendent. A fine Methodist leader and help. Sail on, thou church of Allen, Payne, Campbell and Turner.

ROCKY MOUNT GRITS. Mr. A. J. Rogers, of the GAZETTE, called to see the GAZETTE people here last Friday. We hope those we recommended the GAZETTE send to your city with some cash on their subscription. We recommended with full faith that all would pay some on the amount all along until the amount was paid in full. We hope our kind readers will not put off any longer, but pay some on your amount due.

Ask Mr. C. C. McInter how he took the matter last Thursday night. He will say, "can't tell you." But Mr. Lee Thorpe relieved him, and is now in charge at Wilson.

Mr. Thomas Gee said, "dog bite it, what shall I do?" I have got three unexpected, help me boys.

Mr. Jordan Puryear was more than clever. She was from Tarboro. Mr. Puryear, you are fortunate in winning such a charm of beauty. But, then, there is another.

Mr. C. E. Spicer come home for the fair. Mr. Cook took the siding.

They say that there are vocal and instrumental instructors whose tie bind them in love. Guess the names.

We are sorry indeed to note that Mrs. Thome W. of returned home very sick last week. It is hoped that she is now better, although very sick yet.

Mr. Jacob Sherrod, after being confined to his sick bed since last March, departed this life last Wednesday. We extend our sympathy to the bereaved wife and relatives.

Mr. James Sessoms is the happiest man in town. The newly arrived is a fine little madam. We extend congratulations to your dear brother.

Mrs. Wilby Starks, who has been in New York for nearly two years, returned home last week. Her many friends truly welcome her back again.

Mr. Henry Richardson speaks of going to Raleigh very soon. Ah! hat Miss Mittie is here no more.

Past Master L. D. H. regrett and Assistant W. W. Watson attended the Federal Court at New Bern last week as witnesses against Eddie Black.

We rejoice to see matters so lively in the school consolidation on the Nash side. Let us reason together and have a good school.

The following visitors attended the fair last week, or rather as many as we could learn of: Miss Sarah Greg ry, Mrs. William Ridly, Mrs. P. L. Edwards, Mr. M. D. Stith, Mr. Israel Stith, and Mr. Thomas Fields, all of Weldon. Miss Carrie Smith, Mrs. Hardy Tate, and Mrs. Della Barnes, of Wilson; Miss Cora Caine and ex-Senator D. Winberly, of Tarbo, and many others we failed to see.

We wish to call the attention of our people, who are interested in our education, to the fact that our next apportionment will be based on per capita bases, as under the old school law. We give here an illustration: If in a township there be one thousand children, including both races, the board of education would apportion one thousand dollars for said township, or what is called a district. The township committee then meets and apportions the above amount equally between all the schools in said township; that is, they are first to consider the character of the schools by finding out the advancement of the children and the grade of teacher for said school necessary. That is, if a school is found to be very illiterate and pupils not advanced and apportionment is made for a primary, say for four months, at a salary of \$20 per month; on the other hand if a school is well advanced the apportionment is made for a higher grade teacher, say for four months at a salary of \$30 per month. So it can be seen that all of the schools must have the same length of term whether they have the same grade of teacher or not. We shall continue on our next on this subject. W. S. A.

Girls' Training School, Franklinton. The Girls' Training School at Franklinton, N. C., opened November 1, with Miss Augusta Curtis as principal, and Miss Mary Baptist as assistant. A meeting was called at the Baptist Church Monday night and endorsed again the school and teachers. This bids fair to be a very successful session of the school. Mr. Willie Williams, Mr. H. D. Joyner and Mrs. Susan Howard have been made solicitors for the school.

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SERVICE OF SUMMONS BY PUBLICATION.

NORTH CAROLINA—WAKE COUNTY. In Superior Court, April Term, 1897.

OCTAVIUS MITCHELL, Plaintiff, vs. JOHN MITCHELL, Defendant.

The defendant above will take notice that an action entitled as above has been commenced in the Superior Court of Wake County for divorce and to declare null and void the marriage had between the plaintiff and defendant, and the said defendant will further take notice that he is required to appear at the next Term of Wake Superior Court, to be held on the 25th day of October, 1897, at the Court-house in said County of Wake, in the State of North Carolina, and answer or demur to the complaint in said action, or the plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the said complaint. D. H. YOUNG, C. S. C. M. A. BLEDSOE, Attorney for Plaintiff. August 15-6w.

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