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NEWS FROM OUR REGULAR CORRESPONDENTS

Items of Interest from Various Places as Viewed and Told by Those on the Field.—Personals.

Rougemont, Route 4.

Mr. B. P. Bowling was a Durham visitor Thursday and Friday. Little Wilmer Cash is convalescent her many friends will be glad to know.

Dr. E. H. Bowling of Durham, has been called to see sick ones in this neighborhood last week. His many friends were glad to him.

Mr. Mitchell and sister, Lorena of Roxboro, visited their aunt, Mrs. J. W. Bowen, Sunday.

Mr. C. H. Tilley spent a short while at Mr. Noah Jeffres Sunday.

Mr. L. T. Jeffres was a guest of Mr. John Bowen.

Mr. John Bowen of Chatham county has returned home after spending some time with his aunt, Mrs. Noah Jeffres.

A new telephone line is being built from Rougemont to Hamptons. Our country is fast becoming a net work of telephone lines.

From Timberlake.

It has been very dry in this community for the last three or four weeks and tobacco plants are over grown and some of the farmers are watering and planting, that is a slow process in planting tobacco but it is more than apt to be a sure aim.

D. J. Rogers attended the union revival in Roxboro on last Sunday, and he said that twenty-five professions had been the result of the meeting up to last Sunday.

Last year and year before last, Mrs. Ida Reams had a fine lot of bees and Mrs. Reams says that they have all died out but one bee and that still occupies its hive and seems to have a working appearance as other bees as it passes out of the hive now and then.

A railroad tramp called in at Mrs. W. A. Bartons a few days ago and asked for his dinner and paid for his, the same dinner, by drawing some ordinary pictures of houses, trees, rivers, lakes and the sky. Lots of devices planned in this day and time to dead beat on—in other words to tramp on.

Some time ago a lady heard the locust hollowing, and took the sound to be that of a saw mill, and she was so certain that it was a saw mill that she concluded that she smelt saw dust.

Some say that if Mrs. Ida Reams wanted to sell her farm that it would bring five hundred dollars more since the Hillsboro road has been turned by her residence.

"Who, for the joy that was set before Him endured the cross"—Heb. 12: 2.

1. Consider the joy set before the Lord.

a. The joy of redemption complete.

b. The joy of victory over the last enemy.

c. The joy of a triumphant death.

d. The joy of bridging darkness for a lost world.

e. The joy of having angels as His escorts.

f. The joy of a cross illuminated.

g. The joy of a starry crown not thorns.

h. The joy of a golden scepter not a seed.

i. The joy of eternal wealth not poverty.

II. Of what was His cross composed that He endured?

a. He endured the cross of shame.

b. He endured the cross of exposure.

c. He endured the cross of humiliation.

d. He endured the cross of ridicule.

e. He endured a vicarious cross.

f. He endured the cross surrounded by darkness.

g. He endured the cross surrounded by His enemies.

h. He endured the cross of solemn mockery.

i. He endured the cross at which scoffers sneered at.

j. He endured the cross of a Roman construction.

k. He endured the cross on which he bled and died.

Little Miss Mary Tapp while playing around a few days ago stepped on an old rusty horse shoe, in which was a nail, she stuck the nail in her foot.

I heard a man say that there was not another man in the county that could take the same number of hands and do the work that Mr. Spencer did, and I agree very heartily with that man in his statement.

Every since I knew Mr. E. R. Noell, I have believed that he was a man of fine sense, and now I know it, as he got married on last Wednesday and is taking advantage of the fifteen days given to the rural mail carriers to enjoy his honey moon in.

Add George Johnson, Roxboro route 5, as a new subscriber twelve months. ROPER.

Take Warning.

WRITTEN BY A SCHOOL GIRL.

Boys take warning and let whiskey alone

It made a murderer of John H. Hodges and then he was hung.

Oh, imagine how he felt when he realized the fact

He had made orphans of his children and killed his better half.

No doubt if this world had been his

He would gladly have given it for his wife to have lived.

Then into a prison cell twelve long months he sat

With no earthly companion but one little cat.

Oh, the pangs of that conscience no mind can conceive

And no one but God could ever relieve.

Oh, the picture of a man in the prime of his life

Brought out to be hung for the murder of his wife.

A man of fine health of muscle and brain

Given over to demon whiskey himself to be slain

Oh, the agony he felt while the sheriff was gone

To get the black cap can never be known.

Oh, boys don't you think that your hearts were to fail

When the white heart drove up beside of the jail.

Oh, boys take warning and let whiskey alone

It will drive out all human and the Devil enthroned.

The first special edition of the Morning Herald appeared Monday, and the publishers announce that it will be the last special they expect to issue, but give no reason.

THE TRINITY COMMENCEMENT.

Dr. Kilgo Preached Sunday Night.—Program for the Week.

The annual commencement of Trinity College is on this week. The first thing on the program was the sermon of Dr. J. C. Kilgo, president of the college, in Craven Memorial Hall last Sunday night.

Monday the annual meeting of the Board of Trustees was held in the Duke building at 5 o'clock p. m.

Today at 10:45 a. m., the commencement sermon was preached by Rev. Ronald Sage MacKay, D. D., of New York city, in Craven Memorial Hall. In the parlor of the new dormitory, at 1 p. m., the alumni dinner and annual address by Prof. Jerome Dowd, of Charlotte, N. C. At 8:30 p. m., the graduating orations and awarding of medals.

Wednesday at 11:00 a. m., the commencement address will be delivered by Associate Justice David J. Brewer, Washington, D. C., and conferring degrees. At 7:10 p. m., the class flag will be lowered. At 9 p. m., reception to graduates in Duke building.

H. D. Olive, East Durham, Dead.

H. D. Olive, who has made East Durham his home for sometime, died Saturday at 12:30 o'clock. Heart trouble was the cause of his death. He had been ill for several months and the final end was no surprise to those who had been watching his decline and looking by his bedside.

Mr. Olive was 65 years of age and he had quite a large number of relatives and friends. He was twice married and is survived by his second wife and two children, one son, T. H. Olive, and a daughter. There are also a large number of other relatives.

The funeral service was conducted from the residence Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock by Rev. J. A. Dailey. After the funeral the burial took place at the Medlin burying ground, about two miles below East Durham.

Dr. Johnston Honored.

Dr. Charles H. Johnston, son of C. W. Johnston, of Orange county, A. P., University of North Carolina, '98, Ph. D. Harvard '05, formerly professor of psychology at the Pennsylvania State Normal school, and this year substitute professor of philosophy in the place of Professor H. H. Horne at Dartmouth college, N. H., has just been selected assistant professor of the philosophy of education at the University of Michigan.

This is the largest State University in America, with a student membership of nearly five thousand, and a faculty body of three hundred and fifty-five. After his work in the Dartmouth summer school is over Dr. Johnston and family will visit Spartanburg, S. C., the home of his wife, and Chapel Hill, this state, the home his parents, before going permanently to Ann Arbor, Michigan.

The Durham High School.

The final exercises of the Durham High school took place last Friday night at the Academy of Music.

The exercises consisted of essays by the chosen graduates, delivering of diplomas, awarding of prizes and an address by J. W. Bailey, of Raleigh. The attendance was large, and the address of Mr. Bailey, which was the feature of the evening, was one of the best, his subject being, "A Generation of Heroes."

SHORT LOCAL ITEMS.

Rev. O. W. Triplett, pastor of the Baptist church at West Durham, preached a sermon to the General Lee Council Jr. O. U. U. A. M. last Sunday night.

The contract has been given by W. D. Hester for the erection of a business house at Five Points. The work is to begin at once and when it is completed will be quite an addition to that section.

The Southern Conservatory of Music closed with a high class concert last Friday night. A large crowd attended and the exercises were up to the usual standard of this institution.

There was an excursion on the Durham and Southern road last Saturday, coming to this city from Duke. Some two hundred or more people came on the special train. They returned Saturday night.

Justice of the Peace E. R. Aiken officiated in the marriage of a couple Saturday afternoon at his office. The contracting parties were Ira Horton, age 27, and Miss Lula Carrigan, age 30. Their home is in East Durham, to which place went they after the ceremony.

Sandy Riddle used a knife on Tillett Vaughan last Saturday night, and as a result the former is in jail while the latter is in the hospital, where they were carried soon after the trouble, which occurred near the home of Vaughan Saturday night about 10 o'clock. The trial will take place as soon as Vaughan is able to attend.

Dr. George B. Pegram, of Columbia University, New York city, arrived in Durham last week on a visit to his parents. He has received the Tyndal traveling fellowship, entitling him to a year's visit to the European universities. He leaves here as soon as Trinity commencement is over and sails for England.

Pretty Home Wedding.

There was a pretty home marriage in East Durham last week when Miss Bessie Young, daughter of T. M. Young, became the bride of James W. Briggs, of Richmond. Rev. J. P. Draper, who is a brother-in-law of the groom, officiated at this marriage. A number of relatives and intimate friends were present at the marriage.

The home of the brides parents, where the vows were said, had been beautifully and appropriately decorated for the occasion and the scene presented was a very pretty one.

The couple left for a trip to Washington, Baltimore and other places and they will stop to take in the exposition on their return south. They will make their home in Richmond.

THE commencement of Trinity Park school and Trinity College is on this week. These commencements always attract large crowds of people from all over the state, and besides the program of the students and faculty the speakers of national reputation are always a feature of the College commencement.

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