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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.

From Gorman.

The farmers are about through curing tobacco and are very busy pulling fodder and mowing hay while the sun shines. Crops are good considering the lateness of spring.

S. P. Holloway is convalescent. his many friends are glad to know.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Holloway and Miss Annie Fullerton returned from Jamestown last week. They report a fine trip. While away they visited several places of interest around Norfolk.

Ed Hall and Walter Markham spent Monday with A. J. Halls' family.

J. A. Hall took charge of cur Post office Monday. Our former postmaster, Mr. Colclough, will move his family near Morrisville sometime in the near future.

Zan Ferrell and J. C. Holloway were Gorman visitors Sunday.

Mrs. Lee Veazey and daughters, Misses Lelia and Nannie, of Lyons, spent last week with relatives and friends around here.

Miss Gertrude Shaw and brothers, of Durham, recently spent several days with Squire W. H. Wilkins' family.

Miss Flora Rogers and mother returned last week from Creedmoor, where they spent quite awhile with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Morning, of Durham, were visitors near here Sunday night.

There was another marriage solemnized here at the home of Hugh Holloway on Tuesday evening, Sept. 10th, when Mrs. Holloway's youngest daughter, Miss Rebecca Peed, became the wife of Amid Tilley, of Bahama. Rev. Jesse B. Weatherspoon, of Durham, was the officiating minister. The attendants were: Pervis Tilley with Miss Bessie Markham, S. W. Roberts with Miss Bula Umstead, J. C. Holloway with Miss Posie Tilley. Long may they live in peace is our wish.

The revival is on at Roberson's Grove this week. The meeting is very dull at this writing.

The public school recently opened at Glenn's with the same teachers, but no new building. Guess the teachers decided to come over and teach anyway. The opening was good.

Quite a number of young people gathered at the home of Mrs. Markham one night last week and enjoyed watermelon so much that when time came to go to their home, all said it was a pleasant occasion. B. M.

From Timbertake.

The farmers' around here are about all through housing their tobacco and some are now saving their fodder, and what has been saved is very bright sound.

Roper now has turnip tops ten and twelve inches high, and his wife will soon be gathering in the fall salad, and it is hard to down when snaps, beans, peas and cabbage give out.

Some of our boys are pulling the 'possum tails through the stick.

A few days ago I passed by Mr. Oakley's, who had the misfortune to get a barn of fine tobacco burned.

Messrs. Henry Tapp and J. H. Horwood attended services at Rock Grove last second Sunday.

The writer saw a preacher assisting some boys in catching some chickens and one chicken flew toward the preacher and he caught the chicken as he flew by and we think the preacher obtained what he loved and went after.

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

I. What joy was set before the Lord?

a. The joy of redemption complete.

b. The joy of a triumphant death.

c. The joy of darkness banished.

d. The joy of making an escape for the lost.

e. The joy of pleasing the father.

f. The joy of obtaining a starry crown not thorns.

g. The joy of a golden scepter not a reed.

h. The joy of wealth not poverty.

II. Of what was the cross composed that he endured?

a. He endured the cross of shame.

b. He endured the cross of solem mockery.

c. He endured the cross of contempt.

d. He endured the cross which scoffers sneered at.

e. He endured the cross of a Roman construction.

f. He endured the cross of exposure.

g. He endured the cross at which they cast lots.

h. He endured the cross surrounded by His enemies.

i. He endured the cross on which he said "it is finished."

J. T. Cates has recently purchased him a gasoline engine for his mill, and Mr. Cates thinks that he will do much better work when he starts his new engine.

Two services were held at Rock Grove on the second Sunday. Preaching by the pastor in the morning and Children's Day services in the evening, and the writer sends the program to The Recorder, hoping that it may be of some service to your readers:

Bread Upon the Waters—Cast—Manie O'Briant.

Bridges—Myrtle Riley.

Jesus Only—Janie Dixon.

Self Love—Mable Dixon.

Nobody Knows but Jesus—Marion Wilbun.

If and If—Vernon Dixon.

Whisper Song—Mollie Riley.

Heaven by Littles—Flora Dixon.

Death Anticipated—Veta Riley.

Whisper Song—Cope Buchanan.

A Little Longer—Maude Yarboro.

Evening—Robert Slaughter.

The Christian Cloak—The Little boys and girls. After the exercises by the children the writer was called on to make the opening speech, and then Messrs. J. H. Howard, Ernest Gentry and John Gentry made speeches and all made mention of how well the children recited their pieces and give them many words of cheer, and a very intelligent lady said that she never saw a place improve like Rock Grove church and Sunday school had in her life considering the short time that it had been in existence. One speaker took as his

subject "A little child shall lead them"—Isaiah 11:6, and illustrated the subject by referring to a great lecturer who said that every one had influence, pointing to a little girl sitting by the side of her father, and said that that little girl has influence and the girl's father spoke out and said "yes she has" and after the lecturer had concluded his remarks, the girls father went to the speaker and said I am due you an apology, because when you said that my little child had influence I could not refrain from speaking, and then related to the speaker how his child had led him from vice and shame, as he started to the gambling den and drinking saloon with his child in his arms and she began pleading papa do not go and he said that he felt, tear drops falling on his face and then he could not go another step and turned and went home. He further explained his subject when he mentioned that a hard hearted mother lost her only child and deposited its little shoes away as a keep sake and it had a leading influence. He threw more light on his subject when he stated that a little girl by the name of Sindy Gibert, attended Sunday school with fifty other children in a small cabin and Sindy was taken sick, and in her lingering condition she prayed that all fifty of her school mates might be saved and soon after the death of that girl they held a revival and fifty were saved and the one she had prayed for, and she also left 27 cents, which she wanted used in building a more convenient house in which to hold Sunday school, and now they have a church with over one thousand members and a Sunday school with two thousand pupils. In the first place a little child led by words and tears. In the second place a little child led by its little shoes and in the third place a little child led by its prayers and 27 cents. At the close of the last speech a good collection was taken for the Thomasville orphanage.

ROPER.

Automobiles Regulated.

At the regular semi-monthly session of the board of aldermen held last Monday night the speed of automobiles was regulated, or rather the fine was raised from \$5 to \$50, and the speed was changed to read as follows: On any street in the city limits the speed must not be greater than at the rate of 10 miles an hour, except Main street, and on Main street the speed must not be greater than 8 miles an hour.

Other matters of a routine nature were looked after, the most important being the enforcement of the payment of all the cost of laying sidewalks by the property owners. The tax collector was instructed to advertise at once the property the same as for other taxes and proceeds of the sale goes toward the payment of the work on the sidewalks.

Rev. J. C. Owen, missionary to China, and former pastor of East Durham Baptist church, is in the city. Sunday morning he preached at East Durham church, Sunday evening at the First Baptist church, and Monday afternoon he spoke to the ladies of the Aid Society of the First Baptist church. His many friends are glad to shake his hand.

Mrs. John Royster, who drank poison by mistake, mention of which was made in our last issue, is improving and will soon be well again.

NEGRO SHOT BY A WATCHMAN.

Refused to Halt When Commanded Bill Walker Received a Wound.

While attending his regular duties as night watchman at the plant of the Golden Belt Manufacturing Company, in Edgemont, last Friday morning, Charley Hamlet shot and seriously wounded Bill Walker. Hamlet was arrested and gave bond in the sum of \$500 for his appearance when the trial takes place. The negro Walker was carried to Lincoln hospital and everything done for his relief possible, and at last accounts it was thought that he would recover.

From what can be learned the particulars regarding the shooting are as follows: Hamlet, who is night watchman at the plant above named, has been shot at by some one unknown to him several times, and has been on the lookout for anybody that comes around when he is on duty. Early Friday morning, Bill Walker, who also works for the Golden Belt people, showed up to get ready for the days' work. Hamlet hailed Walker and asked him to halt and tell his business. This Walker refused to do, and after he had refused several times to halt, Hamlet proceeded to shoot, with the result that Walker received a bullet in his abdomen.

Walker, it is said does not blame Mr. Hamlet for the accident as he had ample opportunity to make himself known. However, Hamlet was arrested by the police and gave bond to attend trial when Walker is able to be out.

William Jennings Bryan in Virginia.

The Virginia State Fair which will be held October 7th, to 12th, at Richmond has made special arrangements with the Hon. William Jennings Bryan to speak at the State Fair on Friday, October 11th. Many reports have issued pro and con as to whether or not Mr. Bryan will be a presidential candidate next year, and as the political pot is beginning to boil much significance attaches to Mr. Bryan's visit to Virginia at this time. Mr. Bryan having been twice nominated by the Democratic party and twice defeated, it is interesting to conjecture whether or not he will again be the standard-bearer of Democracy. There is no denying the fact that he is considered by many to be the greatest living exponent of Democratic principles, and the readers of this paper who attend the Virginia State Fair this fall will have an opportunity to hear Mr. Bryan on strictly political subjects, as his address will be political throughout.

There is no living American who can entertain the crowd so admirably as Mr. Bryant, unless it be President Roosevelt, and there is no doubt that Mr. Bryant will receive a warm welcome when he comes to Richmond in October, and while there may be no political significance in his coming to Virginia from his home in Nebraska to give this address, it is certainly interesting in view of the many rumors which have been afloat that Mr. Bryan has declined to stand for the presidential nomination next year. It is thought that he may declare himself definitely and make a public announcement when he speaks in the Old Dominion.

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