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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.

#### Morrisville Route 2.

Joe Rigsbee accidentally cut his leg while he was out trimming up trees. He struck very hard to cut off a limb and the ax went through and cut his leg. The hurt is not serious.

T. A. O'Neal gave the young people a candy cracking one night recently. Those present reported having a nice time.

Miss Leria Martin returned home recently after spending several days visiting relatives and friends at Bilboa.

There are a big quilting at Will Cozarts one evening recently and the young people had a jolly time.

I understand that Seton Ferguson is gradually growing worse every day. Physicians pronounce his disease consumption and all hopes of his recovery have been abandoned by friends and relatives. He is a young man and has only been married about one year. It is especially sad for one so young to have to leave us.

It has been announced that prayer meeting will be held at Union Grove church second and fourth Sundays, and the hope is that larger congregations will attend.

Rev. J. S. Thompson is on the sick list with many others of this community.

Will Tilley and family returned home from a visit one day last week and found that while they were away fire had popped out and burned the floor. They just returned in time to avoid having the house burned.

W. M. Ferrell had a barn raising last week. He expects to raise tobacco in the future. A good many in this section expect to raise tobacco this year.

Mrs. W. G. Marshal has just recovered sufficiently to use her arm, after a month suffering.

E. L. Ferrel is expecting to make his home with J. E. Ferrel this year and will make a crop there.

J. E. F.

#### Roxborough, Route 3.

We are having lots of sickness in our community.

Mrs. W. G. Hall, Kerr Tilley, and Henry and Hampton Robertson are on the sick list.

Miss Blanche Laws spent Friday with Miss Sarah Miller.

Miss Judie Gates has been on a visit to Miss Annie Laws.

Miss Allie McBroom, of Roxboro, is visiting the Misses Gates this week.

Mrs. Lou Clark is still very feeble.

Some of our young ladies went possum hunting a few nights ago and caught two. "Very good success, girls."

The writer and another young lady visited the young gentleman who refused to let the girls have his white horse, and what do you think he did? He left home. But we haven't given up yet, "for we have only one in four."

#### From Timberlake.

J. H. Howard has been surveying town lots in Roxboro recently.

Farmers are now rushing their tobacco off to market, and are well pleased with prices.

Miss Sallie Woods, who is teaching in District School No. 2, has had a bad case of grip, but she has recovered so as to resume her teaching.

W. M. Clayton says that he is going to get married, provided he can, and I might add that he takes the right view of matrimony.

I recently heard three small boys get into a row, two of them being white, and they used the most profane language I ever heard, such as a demon of the lower regions would doubtless use. The negro boys was trying to sell empty whiskey bottles and the white boys had what I supposed to be school books under their arms. I did not interfere for I realized that such was a lack of training on the part of parents. I did not know either of the boys and I am glad that I did not.

A boy about 12 years of age passed here last week and one of my boys asked him where he eat, and he replied that he had no place to eat or sleep but had been a wanderer for four years or more. Parents of such children should read Prov. 19:18 and practice the lessons there taught.

Following is a sermon synopsis: "Preach the gospel in the regions beyond you."—II Cor. 10:16.

1. What kind of gospel should be preached:

- a. The gospel of love.
- b. The gospel of repentance.
- c. The gospel of benevolence.
- d. The gospel of warning.
- e. The gospel of persuasion.
- f. The gospel of the Holy Spirit.
- g. The gospel of the cross and blood.

II. The meaning of preaching the gospel in the regions beyond you.

- a. In the township.
- b. In adjoining townships.
- c. In the county and adjoining counties.
- d. In the state and adjoining states.
- e. In the country and adjoining countries.
- f. Beyond the ocean.
- g. In all the world.

III. Ponder some of the ways by which we can preach the gospel:

- a. By precept and example.
- b. By feeding His sheep.
- c. By the public press.
- d. By the distribution of good literature.
- e. By words of consolation.
- f. By explaining the Word of God.
- g. By sending missionaries.
- h. By keeping our light from under the bushel.

Roy Howard, of Roxboro, route 5, has moved to Richard Foxes and expects to farm there this year.

It has been reported that Charley Allen, now of Durham, contemplates moving to the home of his mother, Mrs. Ida Allen, and will farm there this year.

W. B. Brooks recently killed four hogs, weighing as follows: 250, 307, 336, and 490 pounds, and I will class Mr. Brooks with our first class farmers.

Miss Esther Satterfield, who is going to school in Danville, Va., wrote to her people that there had been a death there by consumption every day since she had been there, and that many others had the same affliction.

We believe in good roads, but we do not believe in forcing a thing on the people that they have said they do not want.—Morning Herald.

### THREE DEATHS IN ORANGE COUNTY.

Reported in the Last Issue of the Chapel Hill News.

The following notices of deaths in Orange county were published in the Chapel Hill News last week:

#### ACCIDENTALLY KILLS HIMSELF.

The dead body of a young negro named Bob Swepson was found lying on the road near Cheek's crossing, in the western part of this county Sunday at noon. There was suspicion of foul play, and the authorities were notified, with the result that a coroner's inquest was held in the afternoon. The evidence showed, however, that the deceased was examining a pistol when it was accidentally discharged, the bullet passing through his brain. The verdict of the jury was in accordance with this evidence.

#### DEATH OF CALVIN ANDREWS.

At an early hour yesterday morning another name was stricken from the ever lessening roll of our settlers, that of Mr. Calvin Andrews, one of our oldest educators, and a good and highly respected citizen. Aged 83 years.

Mr. Andrews died at the home of his son, Mr. A. L. Andrews, in Bethel church neighborhood. He had been in feeble health for many years, but kept up until about a week ago he took his bed and gradually weakened until the end. The funeral and burial will take place tomorrow (Friday) at 11 o'clock at Bethel church, of which he was consistent member. Rev. McDuffie will conduct the services. His son, Rev. Ira E. D. Andrews, who is in Louisville, Ky., is expected to arrive in time for the burial.

He was a man of excellent habits, fine moral character, and sturdy constitution, and he continued to be active in his school work till long past the age at which men ordinarily drop out of the ranks of the workers. He was a practical matter-of-fact man, but had his own peculiar way of extracting merriment from life, as it went along, and he was not disposed to worry about matters that could be bettered in other ways. This cheerful spirit remained with him to the last, and he retained his clearness of intellect up to his closing days. He was the founder of Andrews' Academy, where he spent his whole life in training the minds of the young. His worth to the community cannot be estimated. His best monument will be the good report that he has left behind him in the community in which he has lived for more than 70 years. Peace to the ashes of this soldier, teacher and Christian gentleman.

#### M. J. W. MCCAULEY DEAD.

After an illness of but a few days with what developed into pneumonia, Mr. Matthew J. W. McCauley, one of the township's most respected and highly honored citizens passed over the dark river into a great beyond on Saturday morning last. Since the death of his wife Mr. McCauley lived with his daughter-in-law, Mrs. M. A. McCauley, near town, where he died. He was a consistent member of Damascus Christian church. The remains were buried at the cemetery at this church on Sunday last with Masonic honors.

Mr. McCauley was a man who united sound sense with strong convictions, and a candid, outspoken temper, eminently fitted to mould the rude elements of

pioneer society into form and consistency, and aid in raising a high standard of citizenship in our community. How much this community owes him and such as he, it is impossible to estimate, though it would be a grateful task to trace his influence through some of the more direct channels, to hold him up in these degenerate days, in his various characters of husband and father, neighbor and friend, to speak of the sons and daughters he has reared to perpetuate his name and emulate his virtues. But it comes not within the scope of this brief article to do so. Suffice it to say, he lived nobly and died peacefully at the advance age of 82 years. The stern Reaper found him, "as a shock of corn, full ripe for the harvest."

Not for him be our tears! rather let us crown his grave with garlands; few of us will live as long or as well, and fewer yet will the Angel of Death greet with such a loving touch.

Mr. McCauley would have been married on the 23rd, inst. to his second wife had he lived. He was returning from a visit to his intended when he was thrown from his buggy and received injuries which brought on his illness. The young lady who was to have been his bride, lives in Chatham county. She has the sympathy of friends in the sad hour of her afflictions.

#### CUBAN MUSEUM CAR.

En Route from Jamestown Fair Will Exhibit in Durham.

The Exposition Car "CUBA ON WHEELS," which contains the only exhibit the Island of Cuba had at Jamestown, will be on exhibit in Durham for one week, February 5 to February 13th on the Southern tracks. Visiting hours are from 10 o'clock each morning until 10 each night. Admission is 10 cents to help defray travelling expenses. School classes, with teachers, 5 cents. The manager of the Car is W. H. Ramsey who had charge of the North Carolina Rolling Exposition several years ago.

The exhibit is interesting to business men; entertaining for ladies, and educational for children. Remember you will see the real articles from Cuba, and as the exhibit will never come to your town but this one time, you should not fail to see it.

#### Mr. Goodwin Dead.

R. N. Goodwin, a well-known citizen of Edgemont, died suddenly Sunday night at his home on Holman street. He had been ill to the degree of invalidity almost, but appreciably no worse. His sickness was the result of wounds received in the war.

He was nearly sixty-five years of age and leaves several brothers and sisters besides collateral kinsmen. The funeral services were conducted Sunday afternoon from the house and the burial took place in Maplewood cemetery in the soldier's reservation.

It will be hard to convince the average man that it is cheaper to build roads on money borrowed at six per cent than to build them on bonds at five.—Morning Herald.

#### FOR SALE!

White and Brown Leghorn Eggs \$1.00 for 15.

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Statement of Bank at Close of Business Jan. 26, 1907:

Resources.		Liabilities.	
Loans and Investments,	\$586,954.95	Capital,	\$100,000.00
U. S. Bonds,	150,000.00	Surplus,	60,000.00
Premiums U. S. Bonds,	5,650.69	Undivided profits,	14,272.25
Banking House,	13,000.00	Circulation,	100,000.00
Cash and due from Banks,	293,129.84	Deposits,	781,657.23
Redemption Fund,	7,200.00	Dividends unpaid,	15.00
	\$1,055,944.48		\$1,055,944.48

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