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## NEWS FROM OUR REGULAR CORRESPONDENTS

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

**From Roxboro, Route 5.**

A large congregation attended service at Flat River on last Sunday.

The housewives will soon have plenty of potatoes and crabs cold for their table use.

I heard a lady say that she hoped to live to see the day when prohibition would be carried in North Carolina, and she would not that her hopes were blighted, she wanted the prohibition strictly put into effect.

One day last week I killed a horned snake that was about three feet long. If any one could have seen how active a snake used its tail he would doubt it being a horned snake, and that makes five that have been killed in this community for the last three or four years. That specimen of snakes resembles a scorpion in color.

One of Mr. C. H. Garrett's boys had the misfortune recently to get one of his fins broke, but is now improving.

Miss Lula Howard has tried one of our Greenville washers, and said if any one would not be pleased with that washer they would not be pleased with any other. And if any one wants one on 30 days trial report to Mr. Roxboro, Route 5, and I will be pleased to put one in your home and give it a fair trial.

One of Mr. Thomas Lunsford's twin girls died on the 25th. She was buried in the family burying grounds on the 26th.

This has been a fine week to the grass and much of it is being laid by the farmers in our community for the last few years. Tobacco and corn is thriving, and we could not ask a better prospect than now. We will soon want to see the bees and shrike polks flying up again.

Mr. Kitchin's home is solid for him as a candidate for governor and that is loud in his praise as we find many candidates that hold their own in their immediate counties.

A section meeting will be in at Flat River commencing Friday and continuing on the 5th Sunday, and no doubt what a large crowd attend that meeting.

Last Friday Roper succeeded in capturing a stray swarm of bees which had settled on a pine outside of my corn. I am thinking about calling a bee hive, prohibition, good luck, as this 1908 will be a historic year that will go through the ages, and will look back on the year as the best in the history of old North State provided it is properly executed afterwards into effect. I heard of people say that they voted for prohibition in the sense of the word, but they said that there was something behind the recent law passed before they refused to vote. We will soon realize a state calm after the election as all will be wise and to the majority.

**From Roxboro, Route 5.**

that had been out around falling upon him.

Mrs. Ed Norris received word last Tuesday that her father, A. H. Brown, whose home was in Raleigh, was dead.

Since the Erwin Cotton Mills are only working four days in the week this section is overrun by fishermen and fishermans.

Mr. Morris, of Durham, in out visiting his son, Ed.

I hear of one farmer that has shucked his corn and moved to Durham already.

Lee Dority continues right sick.

W. T. Neal is a Federal juror at Raleigh this week.

Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Hester, made a short visit to their son, B. F. Hester, last Thursday.

The anti will not prohibit, neither will prohibition: Now isn't this a poor exhibit of our social condition. B. F. H.

**Items From Lillian.**

Am glad to say that farm work is progressing fairly well and that farms are in good condition, considering the cool days of the early spring. General Green (crabgrass) has not made his appearance felt much, but guess when it rains he will give us a royal battle.

Hurrah for our little township (Oak Grove) as she voted four strong for prohibition, just enough to say that she beat.

Calvin Ferguson has been right sick recently, but is now able to be up.

Mrs. Candace O'Neal has been right feeble. Hope she will soon be able to be out again.

Calvin King, who fell from a house-top some time ago, is able to return to his work again.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Ferguson, and son Thomas, of East Durham, are visiting in this community. Will be in this section several days.

Mrs. A. D. Ross spent Thursday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. King.

J. C. Nichols and family, visited the family of A. Ferguson recently.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. O'Neal spent last Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Carpenter.

There is but little doing in this community, everything being quiet, and there is little news of general interest. J. E. F.

**Both Found Gully.**

Last Saturday Henry Hicks came into Justice Owens' court and asked for a warrant for the arrest of Henry Mangum, claiming that Mangum had attempted to kill him with a shot gun. The warrant was issued and Mangum was put under bond until the trial could be held Monday.

When trial came off it was shown that both were guilty of threatening and making like they would do violence to the other and they were both sent over to the higher court under bonds of \$25 each.

They gave the required bond and were released.

H. B. Branch left for Wilmington last Sunday and has begun the work of assistant city editor of the Morning Star, of that city.

G. W. Flintombrought the first peaches to the Durham market last week, that is of the crop that is grown in this county.

**ROPER.**

From Durham, Route 5.

Rhodes was hurt badly Thursday by the top of tree

### KITCHIN'S FRIEND'S JUBILANT.

#### Saturday's Primaries Gives Him Large Vote.—How the Candidates Stand.

Last Saturday's primaries were what had been predicted—a Kitchin day. His friends were surprised that he should get as many votes that will count in the State convention. Manager Manning says that he still sticks to his claim that Kitchin will go into the convention with more votes by 50 than any other candidate.

Following is a list of the counties that held primaries last Saturday and the vote each gave to their choice for Governor:

Onslow, Craig 2; Kitch 3; Horne 1.

Union, Craig 2.22; Kitchin 4.05; Horne 3.

Cumberland, Craig 2; Kitchin 5; Horne 3.

Bladen, Craig 2.50; Kitchin 4; Horne .50.

Brunswick, Horne 4.

Rockingham, Craig .50; Kitchin 11.50; Horne 1.

Camden, Craig 2; Kitchin 1.

Scotland, Craig 162; Kitchin 1.34; Horne 1.04.

Forsythe, Craig 2.50; Kitchin 12.50; Horne 1.

Columbus, Craig 4; Kitchin 5; Horne 2.

Caswell, Craig .50; Kitchin 5; Horne .50.

Gates, Craig 1.50; Kitchin 3; Horne .50.

Seventy counties thus far have held primaries and 28 yet will hold them. A total of 578 votes of the convention have been recorded. Of this number the following is how each candidate stands:

Totals: 578 votes instructed; uninstructed 29; Craig 259.17; Kitchin 229.80; Horne 89.03.

### DURHAM HIGH SCHOOL CLOSING.

#### Sermon by Dr. W. C. Tyree.—Address by Dr. John E. White.

The closing exercises of the Durham High school have been on since Sunday and the final exercises take place to-night with the address of Dr. John E. White, of Atlanta.

The annual sermon was preached by Dr. W. C. Tyree in the First Baptist church Sunday night. His subject was "The Terrible Doom of the Selfish Life." Much food for thought was presented only as a man of Dr. Tyree's ability can do such things and the congregation that went out to hear him were given a feast of reasoning that tends to better and more unselfish living.

The class day exercises took place Monday morning and were well attended, the exercises were the best yet held by the High school.

The reunion of old graduates and the meeting of the new graduates was in the form of a reception held at the High school building from 8:30 to 11.

Tonight at 8 o'clock, Dr. John E. White, of Atlanta, will deliver the annual literary address at the High school building.

**Merchants Elect Officers.**

The Merchants association met last night and elected the following officers for the ensuing year:

For president, P. W. Vaughan; vice-president, T. M. Gorman; secretary, J. F. Taylor; treasurer, S. B. Burch, were chosen. A. E. Lloyd, Messrs. B. F. Khonheimer, J. H. Sneed, T. J. Lambe and W. A. Barbee were made a board of directors.

Teacher—What is an excuse?  
Little Willie—An excuse is something you can't think of when you want it.

### THE DEATH SUMMONS.

#### Record of Deaths in this Vicinity for the Past Few Days.

##### DEATH OF YOUNG MAN.

Mr. Walter Vickers, a young man of twenty-four years, died Saturday in Raleigh where he had been taken for treatment.

He was the son of Mr. G. W. Vickers, of this county. He had been in ill health a long time and going to Raleigh renewed hope that he might recover. He was too ill for hope. The young man's remains were brought here Sunday morning and the funeral was held Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock from the family burying ground several miles in the country, on the Fayetteville road.

##### DEATH OF A CHILD.

Mr. M. D. Melver of the Herald force, returned yesterday from Carthage bringing the remains of his ten months old baby that died Sunday at the home of its grandparents. The burial took place by the side of the mother.

Mr. Melver was called suddenly Saturday to Carthage by a message announcing the serious illness of the child. He reached the home in time to see her but she grew worse steadily, dying Sunday afternoon.

##### CHILD DEAD.

Theo. Swindell, the three-months-old son of Mrs. C. J. Adcock, died Saturday afternoon at 1 o'clock.

The funeral services were held Sunday at 2:30 from the residence and Rev. Jesse Weatherspoon conducted the services. The interment was made in Maplewood.

##### A BABY DIES.

Johnny Linn Thompson, the four-months-old son of Mr. Lonnie Thompson, died yesterday of meningitis after several days illness. The funeral services will take place this morning at 8 o'clock from the home and the burial will be held at Efland.

##### DEATH OF A CHILD.

The seven-month-old son of D. A. Sanford died Saturday afternoon at 4:30. The child left a twin brother besides other relatives. The interment took place Sunday afternoon at 4:30 in Maplewood cemetery.

William Manson, colored, well known in Durham, having been a caterer here for many years, died Saturday night very suddenly. The coroner viewed the remains and saw nothing to indicate violence and ordered interment.

Dr. W. C. Tyree, pastor of the First Baptist church of Raleigh, formerly pastor of the First church of this city, preached the annual sermon to the graduating class of the Durham High school last Sunday night at the First Baptist church.

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