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## A VERY BAD RUNAWAY.

### FATHER, SON AND DAUGHTER PAINFULLY HURT.

#### A Horse Belonging to Mr. J. M. Nowell Becomes Frightened and Runs Into and Overturns Another Buggy.

A very bad runaway took place last Monday afternoon as Mr. J. M. Nowell, who was accompanied by his wife and two children, were on their way home. They had been to Louisburg and were traveling in two buggies, the son, Charlie, and daughter, Annie, being in the buggy in front, while Mr. Nowell and his wife were riding in a buggy immediately behind their children. One of the wheels of the buggy in which Mr. Nowell was riding became entangled with a fence rail which turned under the buggy, broke one of the shafts and threw him out. He held to the reins but the horse being frightened dashed off dragging Mr. Nowell with him, which continued until Mrs. Nowell, who remained in the buggy, called to her husband to turn the reins loose. This he did, and the frightened horse dashed into the buggy in front, overturned it and spilled the two children on the ground. Miss Annie received a fracture of the skull and Charlie was painfully bruised. Dr. R. F. Yarborough was summoned and went immediately to the home of Mr. Nowell and administered to the sufferings of the injured. For some time Miss Annie was unconscious, but Wednesday she was reported by Dr. Burt, who saw her, as being very much improved.

#### Franklin County Teacher's Association.

The regular monthly session of the Teacher's Association was held in the court house last Saturday. Fifty one teachers were present, only one of the members of the Association being absent.

Through the kindness of Supt. W. R. Mills the members paid a visit to the Louisburg Graded School and were enabled to see something of the methods in use and management of the school. Each room was visited and the opportunity given to see the work in every grade. Supt. Mills and his assistants have reason to be gratified over the numerous compliments and the very evident appreciation of the visiting teachers.

The chief matters of interest in the regular session were papers by Misses Onnie Tucker and Florence Parnell on "Discipline in the School," and by Misses Ora Winston and Rennie Peele on "How we obtained a School Library." These papers were more than excellent and do credit to the whole Association.

Supt. E. E. Sams and all the teachers of the Franklin Graded School were present. The hearty sympathy and cooperation given to Supt. White in this work by both Mr. Mills and Mr. Sams deserve the appreciation of our people.

Most of the subscriptions for the Teacher's Library were paid in and by the next session there will be a library costing \$75 consisting solely of books that will be helpful to the teachers of the county. The next meeting of the Association will be on Saturday, December 8th.

#### How Father Tested Him.

One of our exchanges tells of an old German who had a boy of whom he was very proud, and decided to find out the trend of his mind. He adopted a novel method by which to test him. He slipped into the boy's room one morning and placed on his table a bottle of whiskey, a Bible and a silver dollar. "Now," said he, "when dot boy comes in if he takes dot dollar he's going to be a beeznis man; if he takes dot Bible he's going

to be a preacher; if he takes dot whiskey he's no good, and going to be a drunkard." Then he hid behind a door to see which his son would choose. In came the boy whistling. He ran up to the table picked up the Bible and put it under his arm; then snatched up the bottle, took two or three drinks, poked up the dollar and put it in his pocket, and went out smacking his lips. The Dutchman poked his head out from behind the door and exclaimed: "Mein Got, he is going to be a politician."

#### Honor Roll.

The following is the honor roll for Ingleside Academy for month ending November 9th:

A. M. Jones, teacher—Mary Bell Dement, Mattie Lawcater, Ethel Williams, June Egerton.

Miss Ora Winston, teacher—Cullom Lancaster, Ollie Dement; Dallas Dement, Marvin Davis, Irene Pace.

#### Wheeler—Timberlake.

The editor has received the following invitation:

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Timberlake requests the honor of your presence at the marriage of their sister, Miss Lillian De Vere Timberlake to Mr. Tyler Biggs Wheeler, on the morning of Wednesday the twenty-eighth of November, at eleven o'clock, at the Baptist church, Franklinton, North Carolina. At home after the first of December, Scotland Neck, North Carolina.

#### Mr. Pon's Big Majority.

Hon. E. W. Pon, our able Congressman, from the 4th district, received the following very flattering majorities—Franklin giving him the second largest in the district:

Wake,	2,505
Franklin,	1,824
Nash,	1,826
Vance,	674
Chatham,	383
Johnston,	311
Total,	7,023

#### Encourage the "We" Boy.

Don't laugh at a boy who magnifies his place. You may see him coming from the postoffice with a big bundle of his employer's letters, which he displays with as much pride as though they were his own. He feels important, and looks it, but he is proud of his place. He is attending to business. He likes to have the world know that he is at work for a busy concern. The boy who says "we" identifies himself with the concern, its interests are his. He sticks up for its credit and reputation. He takes pleasure in his work and hopes to say "we are" in earnest. The boy will reap what he sows if he keeps his griffin sticks to his job. You may take off your hat to him as one of the future solid men of the town. Let his employer do the right thing by him; check him kindly if he shows signs of being too big for his place, counsel him as to his habits and associates, and occasionally show him a pleasant prospect of advancement. A little pride does an honest boy a heap of good. Good luck to the boy who says "we."

#### List of Letters

Remaining in the post office in Louisburg, N. C., uncalled for: George Austin, Thos. Blackwell, Dorsey Bibby, Miss Evelyn, Emma Foster, C. Cleoher Jenkins, J. C. Joyner, Joe King, Wm. Kelly, William Kenny, Mary Ann Morris, Wesley Perry, Mrs. Senora Perry, Mrs. Susan Perry, Walker Perry, Willie Powell, Oscar Ruffin, Howard Sutton, Mrs. Sallie E. Terrell, Kate Wood, Mrs. Callie Williams, Marshall D. White.

Persons calling for any of the above letters will please say they saw them advertised.

R. R. HARRIS, P. M.

## ANNUAL STATEMENT.

### A MOST EXCELLENT ADVERTISING MEDIUM.

#### Will Go into Over Twelve Hundred Households and Read by Over Five Thousand People—The Rates are Reasonable.

In a few days we will begin plans for issuing the "Annual Statement" of expenses of the county for the past year, which, as heretofore, will be sent out as a supplement to the FRANKLIN TIMES. This supplement will go into over twelve hundred households in Franklin county, and will be read by over five thousand people, which makes it a most valuable advertising medium. It is a perpetual medium from the fact that it contains matters of direct importance to all the taxpayers in the county and being made into a good substantial and convenient form it will be preserved and used for ready reference quite frequently.

Our representative will wait upon the merchants and business men of the county within the next few days and give them an opportunity to take space in this supplement which will be gotten up in pamphlet form, will be neatly printed and will present an attractive appearance. The rates have been put at reasonable figures, in order that the smallest business can get in.

#### M'IVER DAY.

### Program is Being Prepared by Prof. R. D. W. Connor, of the Department of Education, and will be Issued Soon.

The program for the celebration of North Carolina Day by the public schools of the state is now in the hands of the printer and will be issued from the office of the state superintendent of public instruction at an early date. The material has been carefully compiled and the programme arranged by Prof. R. D. W. Connor, of the state department of education, who prepared also the excellent programmes for 1903 and 1905.

North Carolina Day this year will be celebrated as "Melver Memorial Day" in honor of the late Charles Ducan Melver and on the frontispiece of the pamphlet will appear a splendid half tone engraving of that orator, educational statesman, teacher. The date named for North Carolina Day this year is Friday, December 14.

The programme is as follows: "The Old North State" William Gaston.

Charles Ducan Melver—A sonnet by Prof. W. C. Smith, of the State Normal and Industrial College.

Charles Ducan Melver—A sketch by R. D. W. Connor, of the State Department of Education.

"The Caronach"—By Sir Walter Scott.

"He Died Poor That He Might Make Others Rich"—By Josephus Daniels, editor of the News and Observer.

Charles D. McIver as I Knew Him—By J. Y. Joyner.

America—By S. F. Smith.

Some Stories of Charles D. McIver—By J. Y. Joyner.

Southern Educational Problems—Extracts from Addresses by Charles D. McIver.

"Hol for Carolina" By W. B. Harrell.

The subject for discussion this year is a departure from the rule of the past four years which has been to study the history of the various sections of the state. But it is fitting that the public school pupils throughout the state should have brought close to their attention the life of this man who has done so

much for the cause of education in North Carolina and in whose death the state has lost her greatest educational leader.

This celebration is in accordance with an act of the General Assembly 1904, which in principle is as follows:

"The General Assembly of North Carolina do enact:

"Section 1. That the 12th day of October in each and every year, to be called 'North Carolina Day,' may be devoted by appropriate exercises in the public schools of the state, to the consideration of some topic or topics of our state history to be selected by the Superintendent of Public Instruction."

The act provides that the state superintendent may designate another day than October 12. State Superintendent Joyner has taken the liberty allowed under the law of fixing the date of North Carolina Day this year on December 14th.

The programme is a valuable pamphlet and should be filed in the school libraries in the state for its historic worth in years to come.

Following the chronological order of the state's history, the subject of the North Carolina Day programmes have been as follows: In 1660, The First Anglo-Saxon Settlement in America 1902, The Albemarle Section in 1903, The lower Cape Fear Section in 1904, The Pamlico Section in 1905, the Upper Cape Fear Section. In succeeding years the history of other sections of the state will be studied, somewhat in the order of their settlement and development, until the entire period of the history of the state shall have been covered. It is hoped ultimately to stimulate a study of local and county history.

This annual celebration of North Carolina Day affords every teacher an opportunity to inspire the children with a new pride in their state, a new enthusiasm for the study of her history, and a new love of her and her people.

#### Law Relative to Vagrancy.

Section 4749 of the Revised Code of 1905 says:

If any person shall come within any of the following classes, he shall be deemed a vagrant, and shall be fined not exceeding fifty dollars or imprisoned not exceeding thirty days:

1. Persons wandering or strolling about in idleness who are able to work and have no property to support them.

2. Persons leading an idle, immoral or prodigate life who have no property to support them and who are able to work and do not work.

3. All persons able to work having no property to support them and who have not some visible and known means of a fair, honest and reputable livelihood.

4. Persons having a fixed abode who have no visible property to support them and who live by stealing or by trading in, bartering for or buying stolen property.

5. Professional gamblers living in idleness.

6. All able-bodied men who have no other visible means of support who shall in idleness depend upon the wages or earnings of their mother, wife or minor child or children, except male child or children over 18 years of age.

Mayors and Justices of the Peace have final jurisdiction in enforcing this law, and all Constables and Policemen are given authority to make arrests and otherwise aid in its enforcement.

—If there is a chance to boom business, boom it. Don't put on a long face and look as though you had a stomachache. Hold up your head, smile and look for better things. Hide your little hamper, and try to speak well of others, no matter how small you may know yourself to be.

## THE MOVING PEOPLE.

### THEIR MOVEMENTS IN AND OUT OF TOWN.

#### And Those Who Come and Go, Some for Pleasure, Some for Business and a Large Number Because They Like It.

Mr. C. R. Chubb, of Norfolk, was here this week.

Mr. F. S. Sprull left this week for a visit to friends in Baltimore.

Messrs. J. B. Brown and A. R. Nash, of Norfolk, were guests of Mr. S. B. Nash this week.

Hunter Hale went to Rocky Mount yesterday and will return today. He says he will visit his uncle (?)

Mrs. T. W. Bickett left for Ridge way one day this week to attend the marriage of Miss Janet Hawkins and Mr. Milo Henderson.

Among the visitors at the College this week are Mrs. Kate C. Bigger and children, J. A. V. and Miss Florence Jones, of Raleigh.

Dr. Geo. T. W. Wainwright, President of the A. A. M. College, was here Sunday to visit his sister, Mrs. F. S. Sprull, returning to Raleigh Monday evening.

#### A Magazine for the Blind.

Through the beneficence of a wealthy good lady in New York City, Mrs. William Zeigler, a monthly magazine of some fifty pages is soon to be published in raised print for the blind of the United States who can read, to be sent to the blind free of charge. It will be on the order of the regular monthly magazines for the seeing and will contain general news and literary matter of interest to the blind, as well as a correspondence column for the blind.

The magazine is to be published in the New York Point print and in the Braille, so as to accommodate the blind who can read either.

For the purpose of reaching every blind person in North Carolina who can read, it is earnestly requested that the full name and post office address of any blind citizen in any part of the State be sent at once to John E. Ray, Principal of the State School for the Blind, Raleigh, N. C., stating the preference of the person between the New York Point and the Braille print. This request should receive immediate attention.

The publication of the magazine will cost Mrs. Zeigler at least \$50,000 a year. Surely all our citizens will be glad to help her in reaching every blind person within our borders.

#### Think of It.

A dearth of local news often leads to murmurs on the part of those who prize local gossip above all else, and it is not all the fault of the publisher. Any live publisher will not fail to give all the local news worthy of note, therefore when the local department is short you should not rail at the editor, but remember you might have committed suicide, got mangled quarrelled with your neighbor, stolen chickens, let your team run away, or done a hundred other things to make a local item. If a newspaper should publish current street gossip, the hints and allusions of the best society in the community it would be criticised and the paper editor would be whipped or burned at the stake. Think a minute of the death and how things you say about your government and your dear neighbor and how they would look in print.

criticize the newspapers for what they publish, and the editor would be considered until it read. Honest!

#### IN MEMORIAM.

At the home of her mother, Mrs. Alice Tucker in Louisburg, N. C., on Friday, October 26, 1906, after three years of patient suffering, Miss Onnie Tucker departed this life.

A mother, four brothers and numbers of friends mourn the loss of a loving daughter, devoted sister and a constant friend.

During a life of love, patient Christian suffering, and devotion to duty, she laid up treasures in Heaven, and now she has gone to receive her reward, "a crown of righteousness," which the Lord, the righteous Judge, shall give at that day.

"Fast as softly falls the light  
After the sun is gone  
Just as sweetly as through the night  
The gently falling snow  
Just as sweetly as spring leaves come,  
The snow flakes within the end,  
Faded she has left an earthly home  
To the home of God."

"From the light of memory to me  
Come on her face that day  
And may I see her sweet hand,  
Could I have left my light on only  
To see her that angel hands had wrought  
Last day, as the soul works  
With its long beams of prayer and thought,  
Bending down from above,  
Beneath the heavy shade of pain  
To see her face on her face  
And the light of the green in a future time  
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For a heart like a sage's work was true  
And to have the green in a future time  
There was left her own home to be  
A beautiful picture of peace  
A beautiful picture of peace  
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#### FROM INGLESIDE.

There was a large congregation at Ingleside on Sunday to hear Mr. D. C. at the regular appointment.

Miss Katherine Foster, who has recently returned from the north, came out from Louisburg Saturday, returning Monday.

Miss Matilda Foster, of Louisburg, visited the Misses Mason, at the home of their father, W. J. Mason, Esq., last Saturday and Sunday.

A number of our people will attend the marriage of Mr. George Mason and Miss Phoebe Alison at Egmont on the evening of the 15th.

One of our young men said he painted his nose with chinua polish for antiseptic save the other night. The mistake occurred in the dark—what a!

Miss Lillian Jarman is one of the pleasantest visitors with friends and relatives here this week. Miss Jarman will teach at Centerville, her school commencing next Monday.

Some of his friends enjoyed a hearty laugh at the expense of Mr. Mason, one of our well known merchants, net week when he received a call over the phone during his business hour for "leather bottom" socks. He keeps most everything in stock but must draw the line on that article.

Mrs. Edwards, one of our prominent residents, has returned home after a pleasant visit to her many relatives. Mrs. Edwards is a remarkable old lady, and quite active for her age. She is 79 years old and has 11 children and 50 odd grand children. Mrs. Edwards lives with her son-in-law, Mr. J. R. Pace.

#### Bachelors.

"Bachelors can be found running at large in all parts of the world. They inhabit apartments, dining rooms, halls, offices of water and steam bills. They are also seen walking the sidewalks. They hover at times near front gates, and have been found in back parlors with the aid of a searchlight.

"Bachelors are nimble by nature and valuable in their tactics, never going with one girl long enough to be disappointed.

"Bachelors make love easily, but they do not mean business. They are like the 'Red Indians' who were supposed to be 'friendly' and 'civilized' and who would kill you if you were not a Christian. They are like the 'Red Indians' who were supposed to be 'friendly' and 'civilized' and who would kill you if you were not a Christian.

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