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Even the cost of neutrality runs high.

China stands upon the brink of chop suey.

under a bushel. Have neither light nor bushel.

The tombstone industry will be looked up soon.

Sage Advice. Do your Christmas shoping before Christmas.

One sure means of stirring up trouble is to tell the truth.

Seriously, we have not the slightest objection to the return of prosperity.

China's neutrality doesn't prevent Japan's lopping off an occasional slice.

Business is on the rebound, but a few longer leaps would be quite acceptable.

Another shock! We'll need a new dictionary in order to define "international law."

The conflict in Europe shows signs of becoming quite as serious as a martimonial war.

That foot and mouth disease is a bad one, but the hand to mouth disease still has the call.

We feel just a little peeved at the government for overlooking us in its income tax assessment.

Indiana has produced a freak of a man who has never asked for a federal job. Head of the class!

One European grave is six feet wide. six miles long and contains 40,000 corpses. And the dance goes on!

European belligerents say they don't want gray horses. And the horses retaliate by saying it's mutual.

In Switzerland a woman miner digs for wealth in the ground. Over here she digs into her husband's pockets.

Situation in Mexico at the minute of going to press: !-,s:*!..;)*-:!!!--:,*.;-*!!. (Subject to change without notice.)

The United States may be deficient in armament, but when it's time for cannon to roar we can at least trot out Uncle Joe.

Now that the federal reserve banks are open we are expecting a tremendous upward movement in the subscription market.

The Queen of Belgium is reported to be quite a dog fancier. And yet the dogs over there are said to have all been eaten up long ago.

That dollar you are carrying around in your pocket would buy 52 issues of this paper, and those 52 issues would contain about $100 worth of brain balm. Wise up!

George Fred Williams says he came near being King of Albania. Too mild, Georgia! We came near to being King of our own household, but.. .. .. ..!!!!!

Some people never hide their lights A long eared contemporary says "man's mission in life is to pay for what women want." In which man is signally honored, you old duffer!

"General prosperity is at hand." say the wise ones in Washington. The old boy will receive a wild and wooly welcome in these parts, whether he be General Prosperity, Colonel Prosperity, or just plain Old Pros.

Community Service.

The County Committee met in the Board of Education's rooms Tuesday and made arrangements for the meeting in Louisburg on Saturday, December 5th. The programme on this date will consist of three fine speeches by some of the States best speakers, the names of whom and their subjects will be announced in our next issue. The meeting will be called at 1:00 o'clock and preparations will be made for an unusually large crowd. Everybody is invited and you are expected to [illegible]

Build Now.

Atlanta, Ga., November 17.—"If you complete a home, build it now," says The Atlanta Journal "Don't put it off for business to get bettter. Times will get better but not necessarily for building." The Journal then quotes as follows from "Keith's", a building authority:

"Right now every contractor you meet is in position to give you a $1.25 return for your money for every dollar invested and for two reasons. He can buy material comparatively cheaply and put good workmen on your job for the same money that in rush times goes to the incapable man, furnishing fifty percent efficiency. Good live times are ahead and so a word to the wise that they be foreheaded and build now for a $5,000 house today in less than a year will cost $6,000.

"Even if higher rates of interest have to be paid for money now," Keith's comments, "A $5,000 house on 7 percent money for a time is much better than the same house costing $1,000 more next year at a lower interest rate."

"It is now in the matter of building indeed a case of come early and nal, "For the rush is certainly on the avoid the rush," concludes The Journ-way and will be here as soon as the war depresssion has lifted and it is already clearing rapidly.

The man who builds now will not only make money for himself but will help the general situation by putting money in circulation and providing work for men who are now idle.

Wilson Girl Weds In New York City.

Wilson. Nov. 23.—Messages received her Saturday tell of the marriage in New York City last Wednesday of Miss Lola Wells, of Wilson, to Mr. Fred Choate, of Los Angles, Cal. The marriage came as a surprise, Miss Wells went to New York on a shopping trip, accompanying her sister, Mrs. W. R. Mills, of Louisburg.

The groom is well known here, having visited friends on several occasions. He is an attorney of ability and it was expected that during the coming winter the marriage would take place, although no announcement had been made. It seems that Mr. Choate was in Philadelphia and when he learned of the presence of Miss Wells in New York, he telegraphed her and met, arranged for an immediate marriage, and the ceremony was performed at the Broadway Tabernacle Congregational church.

Miss Wells has a large connection throughout this section and will be greatly missed in social circles in Wilson. She was president of the Daughters of he Confederacy last year and deeply interested in religious and charity work.

Without returning to Wilson Mr. and Mrs. Choate will go to Los Angeles.

List of Letters.

The following is a list of letters remaining in the Post-Office at Louisburg, N. C. not called for Nov. 27th. 1914.

Miss Moriler Coley, Mr. Ham Deton, Miss Florence Green, Mr. J. M. Hagwood, Mr. P. W. Peck, Miss Alberta Rusle, John Sweapp, Miss Hazel Wilder.

Parties calling for the above letters will please state that they saw them advertised.

R. H. DAVIS, P. M.

Honor Roll.

The following is an honor roll of the seventh grade of the Louisburg Graded school for the week ending, November 21st, 1914.

Misses Mamie Perry, Mildred Spencer, Eva Clay, Sarah Young, Lucy Andrews, Esther Andrews, Francis Barrow, Kathleen Fulghum, Messrs Napier Williams, Hill Yarborough.

Farmers Union Meets.

We are requested to state that there will be a meeting of the Franklin county Farmers' Union in Louisburg on Thursday, November 3rd, 1914. All locals are requested to send representatives as officers for the ensuing year will be elected on that date.

T. J. Harris, Pres.
J. C. Jones, Secy.

Land Posted.

I hereby give notice that my land adjoining the lands of Dr. Jackson and C. P. Harris are posted against hunting by day or night with dog, or gun. Any one violating this notice will be dealt with according to law.

11-27-1t. D. E. Best.

Putting in Steam Heat.

The members of the Louisburg Baptist church are equipping their house of worship with steam heat. The material has all arrived and will be put in place within the next few days.

Cedar Rock Baptist Young People's Union.

On last Thursday evening, Nov. 19 1914, the people of Cedar Rock Community were fortunate in having with them Rev. Jesse Daniel Moore, of Ridgecrest, N. C., the corresponding Secretary of the State Baptist Young Peoples Union and Rev. Walter M. Gilmore, of the Louisburg Baptist church, who is one of the Vice-presidents of the State B. Y. P. U. to assist them in organizing a Baptist Young People's Union.

Rev. Gilmore made a very interesting talk on the work after which Mr. Moore, who is a very able and interesting speaker, explained why we should have a B. Y. P. U. and how to have one.

There was so much interest aroused among the young people that they proceeded at once to organize with twenty-two members. The following officers were elected:

Mr. T. H. Sledge—President; Mr. L. T. Bartholmew— Vice-President; Miss Daisy Dean—Secretary; Mrs. E. S. Fulghum, Corresponding Secretary Mr. Alford Dean—Treasurer; Mrs. T. H. Sledge—Organist; Miss Mary R. Stallings—Librarian.

There are several reasons why a community should have a B. Y. P. U.

1. Beacause it grows out of a necessity realized by leaders of the church of God. It is not simply by young people but for young people.

It is the leaders in a church doing what needs to be done for the young people.

2. Because it is educational.
3. Because it is spiritual.
4. Because it is social.
5. Because it keeps young people from drifting. Why do young church members drift. Because the church offers them nothing of activity or interest, provides nothing to counteract worldly temptations. The world bids and offers them attractions that satisfy and hold.
6. Because young people are the only material out of which old people are made.
7. Because it goes down deep enough to get the Juniors.
8. It is practically. It works! It does what the church needs done—equips members for service. It is the church doing, church work of the highest type.

Corresponding Sec.

Justice Items.

Our farmers are quite busy housing their cotton and corn and working up tobacco.

It snowed just enough here Friday to remind us winter isn't far off.

Quite an interesting entertainment was given at the Academy Friday afternoon by the first, second, third fourth, and fifth grades. At the close Miss Nola J. Wright, our music teacher recited in her beautiful and impressive way "Mud Pies," admission fee five cents. The collection will go to pay for black boards.

Mr. Bob Harris has got his new automobile.

Miss Anna White is visiting Mrs. Charlie Wheless.

Miss Sallie Hayes spent the week end with Miss Stella Hayes.

A party of our young people took a trip to Nashville Thursday afternoon.

We are glad to say Rev. C. C. Williams, who was stricken down so suddenly two weeks ago, seems to be improving.

We have been having splendid crowds at boh our Sunday school and prayer meetings. We are glad to see it and hope it will continue to be so. Sunday school every Sunday at 10 a. m., Prayer meeting 7:30 every second and 4th Sunday nights.

The Justice Sunday school has organized the Baraca and Philathea classes. We invite all who will come and join.

Misses Bettie and Annie Wilder took a trip to Mr. Troy Wilder's near Wilder's Friday afternoon.

Miss Bettie Wilder attended the Champion-Williams marriage Sunday.

Miss Maggie Alford, of Seven Paths, and Miss Minnie Wilder of Wilder's, were guest of Miss Annie Wilder Sunday.

Blue Eyes.

Vapor Treatments for Cold Troubles

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Louisburg - North Carolina

A Few Facts Worth Money to You

FACT 1: Women buy their dress goods at this store because they know they get reliable goods—because they get stylish and up-to-date goods—because they get goods that wear and wash—because they get what they ask for—because they are never asked to take something just as good—because they get the most for their money—because they meet their friends here—because they simply like to trade here.

FACT 2: You know that when we sell you a suit of clothes or an overcoat, or anything in the men's furnishing line, it has cost you less money for the same article than you would have to pay anywhere else in this community. That is why so many people buy them from us—simply a case of save a dollar or two.

FACT 3: Both men and women and younger ones, too, buy shoes here continually because they know they can rely upon every pair we sell—because they know we back up every pair we sell—because they know there is not a better shoe for the money to be found anywhere—because they like our shoes and they like our prices.

FACT 4: And everybody knows that there are many—a very great many—articles of all descriptions to be obtained here at the minimum of cost—articles that are needed every day in the year and on which you can always save a little by buying them here.

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