

Local Happenings

—His many friends will be sorry to hear of Rev. Charles B. Howard's being seriously ill at his home in Salemburg.

—Thomas Wheelless, who successfully underwent an operation for appendicitis at Rocky Mount recently, returned home Friday and is improving nicely.

—Mrs. W. E. Collier requests the TIMES to extend her thanks and deepest appreciations for the many kindnesses extended her during her recent illness by her neighbors and friends.

BUNN SCHOOLS TO OPEN

Supervising Principal S. L. Bowen writes the TIMES as follows:

"The public schools of the Bunn District will open September 1, 1930. In order to make the first formal day of school count, we are planning to have our formal opening Friday afternoon August 29. At this formal opening on Friday afternoon, before school begins on the Monday following, we should like for all of the parents to come and see to it that their children are looked after properly. We should like for this to be a real 'get-together' meeting for teacher, children, and parents. Lessons will be assigned and book lists given so that we can begin school properly on Monday. May we urge the parents to come to this meeting because so many will not come later.

Economy will be the watch-word in running the schools this year. We shall not allow, however, this fact to cripple the efficiency of the work, but it is necessary that each of us see to it that we make the best possible use of the facilities that we have. The greatest economic loss in any school system is the lack of good attendance and the 're-teaching' of retarded pupils. Now the fact that pupils repeat their work is largely due to non-attendance and lack of interest on the part of the parents. Our attendance for last year was remarkable, in fact it was as good as we could ever expect. Are we going to allow the attendance to be lowered? We hope not. In actual economic savings due to good attendance the Bunn school alone saved several thousands of dollars last year. We are anxious that every child of school age will be enrolled at the beginning of school and be kept in school regularly during the entire year.

Most parents feel the need of having better things for their children. The best that a parent can do is to give to the child every educational opportunity that is available. The supervising principal feels like we—teachers, children, and parents, are going to pull together this year for the very best opportunities that we can offer for the children and the community. We have a great task where unthinkably responsibility lies, but where there are vast opportunities. And we can bear the responsibilities and offer the opportunities if we will resolve now to put our shoulders to the task in a united effort to give to the boys and girls only the best and thereby bring out of young life the glory that is in it.

The principal will be at the High School building Thursday August 28 for the purpose of registering high school students. All eight grade students come between ten and twelve o'clock A. M. tenth and eleventh grade students come between two-thirty and six o'clock in the afternoon. We are anxious to get the registration complete during the day so that there will be no necessity for registering after the work begins.

Bowden Family Re-Union

On Sunday, August 17, at 11 o'clock, a large host of relatives, numbering about seventy-five, gathered at the home of Mr. J. L. Bowden, at Justice, about ten miles east of Louisburg, to participate in the celebration of Mr. Bowden's eighty-fourth birthday.

Mr. Bowden, who is a Confederate Veteran, and who was instrumental in promoting the erection of the first Confederate monument in Franklin County which is in easy view of his home, was happy to have his family thus reunited even for so brief a time.

At noon a bounteous dinner was spread, before and after which lemonade, punch, watermelon, and fruits of all kinds were served.

Among those present to participate in the celebration were: L. W. Bowden and family, H. C. Bowden and family, and Mrs. Hattie Hudgins, of Raleigh; Mrs. James Collier and family, and Mrs. Robert Williams and family, of Cary; Dr. Langdon Stallings and family, of Forest City; W. C. Stallings and family, of Greensboro; J. T. Edwards and family, Mrs. C. A. Bonville and family, and Mrs. C. A. Wood, of Norfolk; Mr. and Mrs. John Eason, Mulcill Eason, and Mr. Habler, of Great Bridge, Va.; Dr. E. M. Perry and daughter, Ethyl, of Rocky Mount; Mrs. John Phelps, of Nashville; and C. H. Stallings and family, Mrs. Sarah Stallings and family, L. A. Miller and family, Mrs. R. L. Hayes and family, Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Earp, Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Hayes, Mrs. C. A. Long and family, Johnnie Faulk, Maybelle Cardin, and son; Howard, and H. C. Bowden, of Justice.

MISS OLIVER, COUNTY HEALTH NURSE ARRIVES

Miss Edna Oliver, the County nurse has arrived and begun her work, with the Health Department.

She comes to the County highly recommended, by the State Board of Health, having worked with that department in County Health work for the past six years.

Her efficiency and energy will aid largely in this work and her adaptability will win friends throughout the County.

Flat Rock B. Y. P. U.

The Flat Rock B. Y. P. U. program for Sunday afternoon will be in charge of the fourth group, the topic being, "Young People and Modern Amusements." If you're in doubt as to whether to attend a certain amusement, you are cordially invited to meet Sunday, August 24 and hear it discussed. Myrtle Perry, the captain of Group IV, will be in charge of the following program: Scripture Reading—Marsh Wiggins. Prayer. Leader's Introduction—Myrtle Perry.

Young people need and have a right to "Good Times"—Richard Hill. We enjoy Ourselves most when we are trying to make Others Happy—Mildred Little.

The best Amusements are those we provide Ourselves—Claire Layton.

The best Amusements are those that Recreate Body, Mind, and Spirit—Melvin Bridges.

Any Amusement is Questionable if it does not make us better Christians—Edna Cattlette.

MISS HAYES TO WED

On Tuesday afternoon, August 19, from 5 to 6 o'clock P. M. at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Hayes, of Justice, ten miles east of Louisburg, Miss Belle Hayes and Mrs. M. J. Hayes entertained a group of friends at several tables of bridge at which time the engagement of Miss Emma Juanita Hayes, of Justice, to Mr. John Neverson Cooper, of Nashville, was announced the wedding to take place in September.

The home was attractively decorated with a profusion of summer flowers and fern.

Following several progressions of bridge, a delicious ice course was served by the hostesses.

Those present to enjoy the occasion were: Mesdames W. C. Stallings, W. C. Coppedge, L. A. Miller, C. A. Long, C. H. Stallings, M. W. Bowden, Z. T. Perry, B. F. Wheelless, E. J. Wheelless, G. B. Taylor; and Misses Florine Hayman, Cora Hayman, Maybelle Cardin, and Ruby Wheelless.

Miss Hayes is a charming and attractive young woman of the Justice community and is popular among a host of friends.

Mr. Cooper is a promising young planter of Nash County.

Mr. John Gardner Surprised

On August 8th about 8:30 as Mr. Gardner was preparing to retire he was agreeably surprised by the arrival of a group of friends, led by Mr. Marshbourne and Mr. Grissom, two prominent lawyers of Rocky Mount. They brought with them a crate of chickens and several crates of cold drinks, and immediately prepared for a chicken barbecue. The men hastily made their way to the barn while the ladies sought the kitchen to make hot bread for the feast.

While the chickens were being roasted, under the supervision of Geo. A. Gardner part of the crowd played bridge for amusement, while others were entertained by music, both instrumental and vocal.

By twelve thirty the "Q" being ready to serve each one made a rush for the barn and in a jiffy each was doing his part and especially Mr. Gardner who declared he was having the time of his life and hoped the occasion would occur again.

Mr. Gardner is a prominent farmer of Franklin County and is loved throughout eastern North Carolina.

TO BROADCAST OVER WPTF

Miss Helen Leigh Fleming and Mr. Bill Morris will broadcast over WPTF in Raleigh, next Thursday night, August 28th., at 9:45 P. M.

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Franklin County Union

The meeting of the Franklin County Union will be held at Mountain Grove Baptist church on Saturday and Sunday, August 30 and 31, 1930.

These meetings are very inspirational and helpful to those who attend. They tend to draw churches in a closer fellowship.

The topic for discussion is, "Life's Ministries" and the program is as follows:

Saturday, 10:00 Devotional—Spencer Gilliam. Life's Ministry of Prayer—J. R. White. Triumph in Life's Trials—G. B. West. Life's Ministry of Money—Guy Walker. Devotional—Morris Parrish. Life's Peace in our Savior—E. T. Baker. Life's Closing Triumphs—H. K. Mullen.

Saturday Night, 7:45 The B. Y. P. U. Program, in charge of Bryant Leonard.

Sunday, 10:30 Sunday School Work—T. H. Sledge. Sermon—Rev. Z. G. Ray. All churches are urged to send delegates.

Prices Reduced on Chevrolets

Detroit, Mich., Aug. 14.—Price reductions of \$40 on all sport models in the Chevrolet Six passenger car line were announced here today by H. J. Klingler, vice-president and general sales manager of the Chevrolet Motor Company.

The models affected are the Sport Roadster, which is now priced at \$515; the Sport Coupe, reduced to \$515; the Club Sedan, now \$625, and the Special Sedan, \$685. All models formerly were priced \$40 higher.

This latest move of the company brings the price range of the Chevrolet Six to less than the range of the four cylinder Chevrolet at the time of the change over at the close of 1928. At that time the four was priced from \$495 to \$715, while the nine different passenger models in the six cylinder line today range from \$495 to only \$585, following this latest reduction.

The move of the company comes directly after the announcement that wire wheels may now be had as optional equipment without extra cost on any Chevrolet Six passenger car.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dennis and little daughter, and Mrs. John Hedgepeth spent last Sunday at Bayview.

MAY CONTROL FLEAS BY PROPER METHODS

Best conditions for fleas to breed in greatest numbers are found in such places as under a porch. Here the parasites breed in the soil or dust which contains some vegetable or animal matter yet is protected from the sun, rain and wind and gets a certain amount of moisture.

"We have had more than the usual number of complaints about heavy infestations of fleas in dwellings this past few weeks," says C. H. Brannon, extension entomologist at State College. "Animals and poultry should be prevented from going under the porch and the vegetable and organic matter usually found in such places should be carefully cleaned out. When this is done the area should be sprayed with creosote oil and the ground where the immature fleas are developing should be thoroughly covered with salt and wet down."

Mr. Brannon says most infestations in dwelling houses are caused by pet animals allowed in the cellar or basement or permitted to lounge and sleep under the porch. The fleas breed rapidly in the dust and will quickly infest a house when the pets are permitted to come in after having used the infested area.

Such house infestations may be controlled by keeping out the animals and applying gasoline to the floors. The rugs should be removed and the floors thoroughly scrubbed first, says Mr. Brannon. Applying derris powder to pet animals and washing them in a weak solution of saponified creosote or kerosene emulsion will destroy the fleas upon them. The skin of cats is tender and the dips or washes used must be milder than for dogs, he says.

The year 1924 will go down in history as that of the "flyless summer," it is stated, but there are still plenty of flies in the ointment.

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