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NO 1

Circulates

in the Best Homes

this

Section.

MR. DAILEY DIED HERE LAST SUNDAY MORNING

TAKEN VIOLENTLY SICK UPON MRS FEARING HIS RETURN 1FROM A BUSI NESS TRIP TO NORFOLK. MR. DAILEY NEVER REACHED HIS HOME.

Mr. Dailey, a prosperous and highly respected farmer and merchant of able to sit up. Salem Township, this county died ter a brief illness.

The remains were taken to the home in Salem Sunday afternoon and the funeral and interment took place Monday afternoon.

Mr. Daily made a trip to Norfolk party last Monday night for last week. He was in apparently benefit of the class. good health. He was taken sick upon his return to this city on Thurs- and it was greatly enjoyed. day. He continually grew worse un. til he died.

Mr. Dailey was about 65 years old. about three months.

He was a good man and was in held in high esteem in his communi.

John W. Evans of Manteo was in the city this week.

Jeff Davis of Columbia was in the

city this week on business. Mrs. P. H. Ives is spending this

week in Baltimore.

K. R. Newbold of Hertford was in this city this week.

EAGLETS.

If you have difficulty in getting eegs from your grocer, or as to that matter, anything else pertaining to a first class grocery. Call us up, and you will come pretty near getting it. Eagle Grocery, Phone 145.

TO THE LAKE **MATTAMUSKEET**

(News and Observer .-

Lake Mattamuskett is to be officially looked at and investigated tomorrow and there left here yester. day a contingent of State officers to do this.

In the party were Secretary of State J. Bryan Grimes, State Auditor B. F. Dixon and Superintendent of Public Instruction J. Y. Joyner Going also to see the lake and the country it is proposed to drain was Mr. Josephus Daniels, editor of the News and Observer. Governor Kitchin is already in Eastern North Car. night in preparing the fish for ship. olina and will join the party at ment. Washington today. Attorney General T. W. Bickett will go today and be with the party.

The State officials are going to investigate conditions as to the drain. age of the lake and the Mattamuskeet Railway, in both of which the State has an interest. Today the party will go from Washington to Railway from Washington to Belhaven. Tomorrow it will go around Lake Mattamuskeet in automobiles and at noon will take part in a drain age conference at Swan Quarter. Af. turn to Raleight on Thursday night. 145.

- IMPROVING

Mrs. Zenas Fearing Sr., after a serious illness of several weeks has improved in health so that she is

The many friends of the family last Sunday morning at one o'clock will be delighted to learn of the imat the Elizabeth Hotel in this city af. provement and the excellent chances of recovery.

LAWN PARTY.

The Philatha Class of Blackwell Memorial Sunday School held a lawn

The party was largely attended

INJURED BY A SAW.

Herbert Jones met with an acci. He is survived by several sons and dent while at work at Kramer Bros daughters. He survived his wife Planing Mills, last Monday afternoon in which he sustained a painful in jury. He had his arm caught in a saw and badly lacerated.

> Dr. H. D. Walker attended Mr. Jones and rendered surgical atten-

EAGLETS.

While there has been a sharp advance in the prices of butter and cheese, we have not advanced prices yet. Investigate. Eagle Grocery, Phone 145.

GREAT HAUL OF MULLETS

BEAUFORT FISHERMEN OFF CATCH HALF MILLION POUNDS OF FISH.

The following Associated Press Dispatch from Beaufort says that a catch of mullets aggregating half a million pounds, said to be the largest ever known along the Atlantic coast, was made off this port by deep sea fishermen this morning.

The fishermen went to sea early today in search of menhaden, their boats ran into schools of mullets miles long, and each vessel was

loaded to the gunwales with them. The catch was brought to market here, and the entire working force available here will be engaged ali

MOTOR-CYCLE RACES.

Attention is called to the Motor. Point. The following were present: Cycle races to be held here on Misses September 11th, which are advertised in another column. Look for the

advertisement. Walter Small, Tom Love, C. Garret, We have not heard of a single suggested route of the Mattamuskeet spectator who was not pleased with Keyon Wilson, George Spence, Joe the last races. If you did not see White, Robt Lamb and Mr. Barrow. them don't miss them this time.

EAGLETS.

A fresh arrival of Hecker's Rye ter this Governor Kitchin will re- Flour, Graham Flour; Hygienic turn to Scotland Neck to be with Whole Wheat Flour, Cream Hominy, his family, who are visiting relatives, Cream Oat Meal and Opal Salt. and the others of the party will re- Popular prices. Eagle Grocery, Phone

SOME UNKNOWN ASSAS-SIN FIRES RANDON SHOT

THE BLOOD HOUNDS TRAILED THREE TIMES TO THE SAME PLACE IN THE PUBLIC ROAD. THE WOULD BE MURDERER IS SUPPOSED TO HAVE DRIVEN AWAY IN A BUGGY. THE DE-TECTIVES HAVE A SUSPECT UNDER SURVEILLANCE, BUT RE-FUSE TO DIVULGE THE NAME. EXCITEMENT IS HIGH.

D. Poyner, postmatter at Moyock, is aroused. If the would-be murderer was shot with murderous intention is caught he is liable to suffer in in his home last night at 10 o'clock. jury at the hands of the angry mob would-be murderer through a window at the reflection of Poyner's head in a mirror across citizen and his friends will leave

The mirror was shatteed by two would-be assassin. heavy loads of buckshot from a double barreled shot gun. The twoyear.old infant sleeping in a cradle nearby was injured by several stray shots. Mr. Poyner sustained no in-

A pose of angry citizens armed themselves at once, but got no clue as to the whereabouts of the would be assassin. Bloodhounds were sent for and arrived on the early train. Detective Stevens and Powers

Moyock, N. C., August 21.- S. [the hounds. The whole countryside

Mr. Poyner is a highly respected nothing undone in hunting down the

CITIZENS OFFER REWARD

A dispatch from Moyock yesterday stated that the would be-assassins had not been apprehended, although postmaster Powner had a clue as to the guilty parties.

The citizens of the Moyock section offer a reward of \$800 for the arrest of the party or parties who from Norfolk are now at work with fired the shots.

WILL START MOVEMENT

GATES COUNTY.

ERECT MONUMENT TO THE

CONFEDERATE VETERANS OF

The people of Gates County will

meet at Gatesville on September 2nd

purpose of launching plan for the er.

ection of a monument to the Con-

federate Veterans of Gates County.

ditor and solicitor H. S. Ward will

The Gates County Band will fur-

nic in which every family in that

section will attend with a big basket

Hon. B. F. Dixon, the State Au.

S. S. CONVENTION FOLKS OF GATES AT SHAWBORO IN BIG PICNIC

A LARGE CROWD OF TEACHERS AND WORKERS GATHER TO DISCUSS TOPICS OF INTEREST TO THE SUNDAY SCHOOL WORK.

A Sunday School Convention convened at Shawboro this morning and will be in session today and tomor-

The following topics will be discussed. 1st, The 7 Laws of Teaching; 2nd, Development of Child Life; 3rd, The Teacher's Teaching Work; 4th, The Teacher's Work other than Teaching.

will be led by Revs. W. R. Haight and I. N. Loftin of this city. A large crowd of Sunday School mass meeting is a big basket pic.

The discussion of these topics deliver addresses.

teachers and workers are in attendance upon this session of the convention. The people of the Show-filled with good things to eat. boro section have made ample preparations for the comforts of the vis-

IN HONOR OF MISS WHITE

Miss Lizzie Winslow gave a de.

lightful party last Wednesday night

at her home near this city in honor

of her guest, Miss White of High

Evans, Kate Wood, Mary Love and

SCHOOL OPENS.

Superintendent Sheep expects

large enrollment this fall.

Sadie Fearing, Beulah

CAMDEN COUPLE WED.

festivities of the occasion.

Harvey Gregory and Miss Addie Mae Brown, both residents of Camden County were married in city last Wednesday. Register Deeds J. C. Spence officiated.

EL FREIDA IN PORT

Hazel Evans, Messrs. Tom Markham, The government yacht El Freida, recently set apart for the use of the Naval Reserves of North Carolina, passed through this port last Wed. nesday enroute to New Bern, where The fall term of the Elizabeth City she will make headquarters. She is Graded school will begin on Septeman elegant yacht. She cost the U S. Government \$120,000 to build her. She will be kept in these waters for the exclusive use of the Reserves.

A GOOD MAN LAID TO REST SATURDAY AFTERNOON

WORK ON FAIR GOES MERRILY ON

The work on the arrangements for the Agricultural Fair to be held here this fall is being vigorously pushed to a rapid completion. The preminum list has been made out and is ready for publication. The list is a lengthy one and contains a number of handsome prizes to be

A considerable quantity of stock has already been subscribed and new subscriptions are being every day.

Secretary Parker stated last might that the Fair was assured and that this will be the biggest Fair ever held in this section.

This seems to be an opportune time, said Mr. Parker. The time is ripe for such a movement and we liot. are pushing it along for all worth.

Mr. Parker says that the management of the Fair is receiving lots of support and encouragement.

The premium list will be publish ed in the near future.

EAGLETS

You are invited to call and ex. amine our line of Agateware, ranging in prices from 10c to 25c, also useful articles in tin and glassware. Eagle Grocery, Phone 145.

OPERATION FOR **APPENDICITIS**

Otis, the twelve year old son of in a mamouth mass meeting for the Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Armstrong was taken to Sarah Leigh Hospital in Norfolk last Monday to undergo an operation for appendicitis.

The little fellow has already had two attacks of appendicits and third and more violent attack is fearbe present on this occasion and will ed, so his parents took him to the hospital for operation to prevent it

nish music. A special feature of this Our Clerks Smile When You Ask Then to Grind Your Coffee.

We have installed the latest model Hobart Electric Coffee Mill, which Everybody is invited to attend makes it possible for us to grind this meeting and participate in the your coffee just like you want it, and the pleasure is ours.

> Two things are most important for the making of a good cup of coffee-Quality and proper granulation this week. or pulverization. We carry the very best grades of coffee, selected and blended for their cup value, and we visiting his sister for this have the Mill to grind it to suit the week will return to his home in pot you are using. Trust us with Goldsboro tomorrow. your coffee orders and 'see the dif-

Your Sincerely, SCOTT AND TWIDDY. Tea and Coffee Headquarters. 106 and 108 Poindexter Street, Phone'

MISS RIGGS DEAD.

Miss Amelia Riggs died home on Parsonage street last Mon- Brown of Philadelphia are visiting day night very suddenly.

The funeral was conducted over the remains Wednesday afternoon Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Sanderlin by Rev. J. D. unday and the inter- and Mrs. scar Commander left yes. ment followed in the Episcopal ceme- terday for an extended trip in Cantery. She was about 65 year's old. ada.

MR. EVAN PRITCHARD PASSED AWAY LAST THURSDAY EVEN. ING AT THE AGE OF 73 YEARS. LIVED A MOST EXEMPLARY

Mr. Evans Pritchard one of the oldest and most highly respected citizen of this town died last Thursday evening after an illness of several weeks.

The funeral services were con. ducted over the remains last Saturday afternoon at four o'clock from the late home on Road street by the Rev. Josiah Effict and the interment followed in Hollywood cemetery.

The following were the pall bearers: Messrs E. M. Stevens, W. T. Deans, W. T. Love, George Twiddy. W. K. Carter and Rev. Josiah El.

The funeral and interment was largely attended by friends relatives of the deceased.

Mr. Pritchard was 73 years old. He is survived by two sons, Messrs J. L. Pritchard and L. J. Pritchard and a daughter, all residents of this

Mr. Pritchard was a life long resident of this section, and was well known in this community. He was a good man, especially noted for his many deeds of kindness and charity, during a long life closely identified with every religious and industrial movement of this section.

He lived an excellent life and he will be greatly missed.

Belvidere, August 25, 1909-Mr. J. Nicholson and wife returned home last Friday night.

Miss Addie White of Parksville, who has been visiting friends in our village returned home today.

Misses Edna Bufkin of Elizabeth City and Julia Chalk of Winfall are visiting friends and relatives in this

Mrs. J. R. Wright is visiting her son, Mr. E. V. Perry of Hertford

Mr. B. H. Harrell who has been

Mr. Irvin Ward went down to Woodville last Friday to attend the protracted meeting.

Messrs. Haywood and Alvah Lamb of Philadelphia are visiting their parents Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Lamb.

Mr. Jordan Brown of Northamp. at her ton County, and son Mr. Charlie Mrs. Gosu White.