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THURSDAY, AUGUST 19, 1909. FAIRMONT NEWS LETTER.

A New Business—Death of Mr. Rupert Bridgers—Interesting Ball Games—Among Colored Baptists—Improvement at Telephone Exchange—Other Items.

Dr. Brown left last Wednesday for his annual vacation in the mountains. Wanesville, the beautiful, will be his headquarters, as usual, and he expects to remain until the first of September.

After a most pleasant vacation of several weeks up the country, Rev. J. M. McLain occupied his pulpit at the Presbyterian church last Sunday.

Mrs. Martha Brown, of Raleigh, is the welcome guest of friends and relatives in town who are delighted to greet her.

A new business has been opened on the corner of Main and Iona streets by Mr. Fulton Floyd, a brother of Messrs. Frank and Pat Floyd.

A pleasant little party of young people was entertained by Miss Eva Thompson in honor of Miss Bernice Smith, of Iona, on last Friday night.

Two interesting games of ball were played on our school diamond last week. Thursday our fine little "third nine" beat the Rowland boys, and on Friday our first nine got badly beaten in both games of a double-header with Boardman's crack team.

Our boys played fine ball but were out-classed by the Boardman team, which is one of the finest ever.

Miss Fannie Robeson, of Rowland, was the guest of Mrs. Cashwell this week. She was joined on Saturday by her brother Archie and they went home on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hardy Andrews, of Lowe, visited Mr. N. T. Andrews and family last week.

Mr. J. E. Thompson and Miss Maggie Floyd spent Sunday and Monday with Fair Bluff friends.

Great regret is felt among friends here over the untimely death of Mr. Rupert Bridgers, formerly of this place, while in the employ of the A. C. L. He and his excellent wife made many friends here who sympathize deeply with her.

The Woman's Missionary Society of the Baptist church is to have the pleasure on the fifth Sunday afternoon of a talk on the work by Miss Tyner, a student of the training school at Louisville, Ky.

Mrs. J. D. Kyle wears a wide smile this week; his wife has returned from a long visit to her former home in Greenville, Tenn.

Master Ben Thompson and Miss Sallie Smith, who have been with the family of D. W. Galloway, at Southport, for several weeks, returned home last Saturday.

The colored Baptist church held its annual meeting last week and had a grand time. Crowds attended day and night and every night the crowd remained until after midnight. The baptizing was held Sunday morning and nine new members added.

Miss Johnson, a charming young lady of Lumber Bridge, has been the guest of Mrs. D. P. Bridgers.

Mr. McCormick, of Lumberton, was out last week and installed a better switchboard in the telephone exchange, which is quite an improvement.

Mrs. D. W. Galloway went to Southport Tuesday to remain until the latter part of the month.

Miss Carrie Jones, of Maxton, who has been with her brother for several weeks, returned last week to get ready for school. Mr. Walters went with her but returned next day.

Fairmont, N. C., Aug. 17, 1909. President Taft has appointed a number of census supervisors, those for North Carolina so far named (all Republicans) are: First district, Josiah C. Meekin, Sr.; second district, James N. Stupborn; third, H. Frank Brown; fourth, William Claudius Pearson; sixth, Irvine B. Tucker; seventh, A. Turner Grant, Jr.; ninth, J. Yates Killian.

No matter how long you have suffered, Foley's Kidney Remedy will help you. Mrs. S. L. Bowen, of Wayne, W. Va., writes: "I was a sufferer from kidney disease so that at times I could not stand straight. I took Foley's Kidney Remedy. One dollar bottle cured me entirely. It will cure you. Sold by all druggists."

TO LOCATE HERE.

Raft Swamp Co-operative Milling Company to Locate Flour and Grist Mill in Lumberton—Will Encourage Wheat Raising in This Section—Work to be Begun After September 15th.

The Raft Swamp Co-operative Milling Co., organized some time ago by the local Farmers' Union of Raft Swamp township, has decided to locate the flour mill which it proposes to build in Lumberton. The capacity of the mill will be 15 barrels per day at the start, and the equipment will be such that the capacity may be easily increased. The plant will be located just below the Scotland depot. A 40-horse-power engine and a 50-horse-power boiler have been ordered, the first payment having been made, and it is expected that they will arrive soon. Work will be begun on the plant as soon as Mr. A. W. McLean, who owns the land on which it is proposed to build the mill, returns from Europe, which will be about the 15th of September.

The company was organized some two or three months ago and has been granted a charter with authorized capital of \$1,500, with privilege of increasing to \$5,000. The officers of the company are: J. L. Prevatt, president; Rev. John Prevatt, who is president of the Raft Swamp Union, vice president; J. W. Lowe, secretary and treasurer. The board of directors is composed of the following: J. L. Prevatt, Rev. John Prevatt, Dr. N. H. Andrews, W. F. Prevatt, E. T. Prevatt, J. P. Smith, F. G. Odum, Jr.

A corn and grist mill will be run in connection with the flour mill. The primary purpose in organizing the company is to encourage the people to raise wheat and make their bread at home. The members of the local unions throughout the county have already pledged 800 acres in wheat for the coming year and this of course will be in addition to what will be planted by those who have not yet joined any union.

This is an enterprise which Lumberton welcomes and it will doubtless be the means of causing much more wheat to be raised in this section than has been raised in recent years.

A TEA PARTY.

Miss Irene McLeod Entertains—A Delightful Occasion.

Miss Irene McLeod entertained Tuesday evening at a tea party at the home of her parents, ex-Sheriff and Mrs. Geo. B. McLeod, on Elm street, in honor of Miss Leslie Proctor and her guest, Miss June Ray Kernodle, of Graham.

Mrs. Lizzie Proctor received at the door and Miss Lillian Proctor ushered the guests into the library, where the hostess served tea. As the guests arrived and were served with tea they went into the parlor, except four steps—Messrs. D. D. French, E. G. Rancke, Jr., C. P. McAllister and W. K. Bethune—who were permitted to remain in the library with the hostess until Mrs. McLeod appeared on the scene with four dolls dressed up like ladies. Mrs. McLeod pinned one of the lifeless forms on the coat of each of the stags and then they were all ushered into the parlor where they received a formal introduction. Punch was then served, after which an interesting contest of seventeen words demanded the attention of the guests for a spell. Misses Anna Clark, of Scotland Neck, a guest at the home of Dr. and Mrs. T. D. Kitchen; Sarah Kernodle, of Graham, a guest of Mr. and Mrs. H. M. McAllister; Pearl Floyd and Leslie Proctor; Messrs. Jas. D. Proctor, A. P. McAllister, F. P. Gray and C. P. McAllister answered all the questions and after cutting for the prizes they were presented by ex-Sheriff McLeod. Miss Sarah Kernodle and Mr. C. P. McAllister, Miss Kernodle receiving a gold hat pin and Mr. C. P. McAllister a hat brush. The other six who answered all the questions were presented with walking canes tied in the national colors. Between 11 and 12 o'clock a three-course luncheon was served, which ended the many pleasures and amusements of an altogether delightful evening.

Alabama's Prohibition Law. In its new prohibition law just passed by its Legislature Alabama has about gone the limit. It makes witnesses testify in liquor cases on pain of being attached for contempt; it makes the mere possession of liquors anywhere else than in a man's residence a criminal offense; it holds responsible for any injury done by a drunken man the man who sold the whiskey to the offender; it allows officers to raid any building where it is sold; it prohibits newspapers from printing whiskey advertisements; it compels all corporations taking out charters to sign a pledge that they will not violate the prohibition law. It seems to stop over every possible loophole.

Chronic Diarrhoea Relieved. Mr. Edward E. Henry, with the United States Express Co., Chicago, writes: "Our General Superintendent, Mr. Quick, handed me a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy some time ago to check an attack of the old chronic diarrhoea. I have used it since that time and cured many of our trainees who have been sick. I am an old soldier who served with Rutherford B. Hayes and William McKinley four years in the 23rd Ohio Regiment, and have no ailment except chronic diarrhoea, which this remedy stops at once." For sale by all druggists.

WILL MR. COOK RUN?

Cumberland Man Has Made a Public Announcement of His Candidacy, But it is Considered Practically Certain that he Will Be In The Race.

The Washington correspondents of some of the North Carolina papers recently sent out dispatches giving the gossip at the national capital of North Carolinians concerning the probable candidates for the congressional nomination in the sixth district next year, and among them we notice the name of our countryman, Hon. H. L. Cook, whose friends are understood to be "backing" him for the nomination through Mr. Cook has made no public announcement of his intentions. He made an effective canvass of the district last year as presidential elector at his own expense, and rendered good service to the party in all the counties. Many have since regarded him as a probable candidate, and many Democrats, it is learned, have expressed their determination to support him, believing that "the horse that pulls the plow should eat the fodder."

The situation in the district is a rather interesting one, the runners being that nearly every county will have a candidate. Should Mr. Cook actively enter the race, which we consider practically certain, he will be a strong factor in the situation, and that he will stand a good chance of the nomination is the view that many well-informed politicians take. Mr. Cook had the distinguished honor of being elected president of the Electoral College when it met in Raleigh last January, the duties of which he discharged with credit. His services to the party have been zealous since youth, and his friends believe the time has come when he should be rewarded not only for his own sake but for the party's welfare also.

Death of Mr. A. C. Sinclair.

Mr. A. C. Sinclair died at his home at Sinclair Cross Roads yesterday morning at 6 o'clock. He was one of the most substantial citizens of the Pee Dee section and related to a number of the leading families in this and Marion county. He had been unwell for several months, and his death was not unexpected. He served through the war between the States and bore in his body the marks of gallant service as a Confederate soldier. The body was buried at the family burying ground today at 11 o'clock. Mr. Sinclair leaves surviving him two daughters and three sons. Mr. A. G. Sinclair, the eldest son, is a member of the McCall Weatherly company here and one of Bennettville's leading young business men. The other sons are Messrs. D. C. Sinclair and Charles Sinclair. The daughters are Miss Lizzie Sinclair and Mrs. Arch Anna Watson. He was a brother of Mrs. Nancy McCall of this place. Mr. A. C. Sinclair was about 73 years old.

LEAF TOBACCO MARKET.

Report of leaf tobacco market for week ending August 14th. Made by E. J. Davis & Son, at Fair Bluff, N. C., proprietors of Powell's New Warehouse: Owing to the rainy weather, breaks have not been heavy, yet fair sales each day. The market has shown much improvement over the last week. With suitable weather for handling, we expect to see good breaks from now on until the crop is sold.

All the buyers are on the market, and seem anxious for stock. Farmers will do well to take advantage of present market, and will make nothing by holding their tobacco.

Good wrappery curings are selling higher than last season, and all grades—quality considered—are fully up to last year's prices, except sand lugs, which have ruled lower. We mention a few sales made by farmers—at Powell's New Warehouse—by O. M. Allen, the champion auctioneer of 30 years' experience, during the past week: Rev. Hedgcock & Shaw, 735 lbs. @ \$8.50; W. D. Granger, 460 lbs. @ \$10.75; J. M. Enzer, 870 lbs. @ \$13.00; Walters & Bass, 740 lbs. @ \$7.50; William Walters & Bingham, 782 lbs. @ \$12.00; 628 lbs. @ \$11.50; J. W. Pate, 510 lbs. @ \$8.25; and 782 lbs. @ \$9.25; R. B. Anderson, 391 lbs. @ \$9.75; Dock Bullock, 1160 lbs. @ \$11.75.

And numerous other good sales which we would like to mention. Average for week, including sand lugs and all, around 7 cents. Fair Bluff has more buyers this year than ever before, with three well-equipped warehouses to sell your tobacco, and plenty money to pay for it.

Why not bring your tobacco to Fair Bluff, and drive straight to Powell's New Warehouse, which is fast becoming the favorite with all the farmers.

Yours to serve, E. J. Davis & Son.

Cured Hay Fever and Summer Cold.

A. S. Nussbaum, Batesville, Indiana, writes: "Last year I suffered for three months with a summer cold so distressing that it interfered with my business. I had many of the symptoms of hay fever and the doctor's prescription did not reach my case, and I took several medicines which seemed only to aggravate it. Fortunately I insisted upon having Foley's Stomach and Bowel Remedy. My wife has since used it, and she is cured with the same success." Sold by all druggists.



When buying flour always insist on getting a sack with this trade mark—the surest sign of quality. Dewey's Best Flour milled from the choicest Ohio soft winter wheat bakes the most nutritious, wholesome and appetizing bread and biscuit. Its best recommendation is the thousands of particular housewives who refuse to accept any other.

FOR SALE BY WHITE & GOUVER, LUMBERTON, N. C.

An extra week of Guilford Superior Court for the August term was provided for by the last Legislature, the court to commence on the 16th, but the matter was overlooked by the county commissioners, who summoned jurors for the 23d, and the county is cheated out of half of the term provided for.

Remember The Big Sale

Is Still Going On at our Store and if you want to Share in the BARGAINS that are BEING GIVEN in Summer Goods you MUST COME QUICK. If you don't believe we can SAVE YOU MONEY Just COME AND BE CONVINCED.

I Remain Your Friend,

A. WEINSTEIN,

The King, Clothier and Ladies' Dresser.

BUSINESS BUILDERS

Try an ad in this column. Whether it is a house to rent, something you have for sale, or something you want to buy, The Robesonian Want Column will bring the results.

For Sale—Genuine Thermos bottles. Call and let us show you. Beware of imitations. McLean-Sledge Co., Lumberton, N. C. 8-19-1f

For Sale—Twenty-five acres land, twenty cleared and suitable for trucking. Situated two miles east of Lumberton. Good buildings. Apply to H. M. White, carrier on route No. 3, Lumberton, N. C. 8-19-1f

Found—A gold pin with "05 W.F.C." on it. The owner will please call at this office for same. 8-19-1f

Photographs, by experienced photographer. Guaranteed first class and up-to-date. Watson Bros. Studio, Fairmont, N. C. 8-19-11-1f

For Sale—7 room house, lot 100 x 300 feet. Gas, water, sewer, electric, all modern. Address: Lock box No. 4, St. Pauls, N. C. 8-19-1f

Songs—Latest popular "hits." Any song or music published, at popular prices. Get the Gem Folio for piano, 4 latest songs and rag time, 75 cents. Rudolph Carlyle at Caldwell & Carlyle's. 8-9-1f

For Sale—Hand-made or machine-made harness at reasonable prices and on repair work on short notice. All work guaranteed. Shop on Fourth street. Ben Edwards, Lumberton, N. C. 8-13-1f

Farms for Sale—Cotton, tobacco and truck farms near Chadburn, Whiteville, Cerro Gordo, Fair Bluff, and other points in Columbus county. If you want a cheap farm, buy now. B. H. Harnly, Real Estate and Insurance, Chadburn, N. C. 8-9-1f

For Sale—127 acres land, 52 cleared, known as Eli Hammond place, in Weharts township, one mile from Allenton. Apply to A. D. McNeill, Bellamy, N. C. 8-9-1f

Wanted—You to try our preparation for sweaty and offensive feet. Guaranteed. McLean-Sledge Co. 8-5f

Money to Loan—We have some funds to loan on mortgage on improved real estate. McIntyre, Lawrence & Proctor. 8-21f

For Sale—Largest and most desirable residence-building lot in Lumberton. Apply to F. J. Thomas. 8-2-1f

Lost—An automobile oil lamp, somewhere on Fayetteville road. Finder will be rewarded. T. C. Johnson, Lumberton, N. C. 7-26-1f

For Rent—Nine-room house, artesian water, near V. & C. S., S. A. L. and R. & C. depots. Fine location for boarding house. See Geo. G. French, Lumberton, N. C. 7-26-1m

For Sale—Six good wagon mules, for cash or on time with approved security. Apply to A. K. Morrison, Lumberton, N. C. 7-8f

Today—20 per cent. discount on Royal Tailoring begins today. Many attractive patterns still in stock. Chas. P. McAllister, dealer, Lumberton, N. C. 7-5f

Mrs. Leslie Shaver, 20 years old, attempted suicide at Marion Sunday night by taking laudanum, but was saved after hours of effort. Her husband died recently leaving her with a 2-year-old child and no funds.

OAK RIDGE INSTITUTE

A Classical Fitting School for Young Men and Boys, with Full Business College Departments. 50th Year; 25th under present management. Ideal Location, in view of the mountains. Apply for Beautiful Catalogue. J. A. & M. H. Holt, Oak Ridge, N. C. 7-22

Write to the Wilmington Marble and Granite Works for their ILLUSTRATED CATALOGUE OF MONUMENTS and HEADSTONES. R. D. TUCKER, Proprietor. WILMINGTON, N. C. 11f

Advertisement for Caldwell & Carlyle's Great Department Store. Text: 'THERE IS NOW GOING ON AT Caldwell & Carlyle's GREAT DEPARTMENT STORE A Closing Out Sale of \$60,000.00 worth of High Class Goods at Low Class Prices. This is an Unusual Sale—it is easy to get low class goods at low class prices, but to obtain high quality goods at low quality prices is unusual. Remember this is a Spot Cash Closing Out Stock Sale. Come and get your part of these great bargains. Caldwell & Carlyle LUMBERTON, N. C.'

Advertisement for The First National Bank. Text: 'The First National Bank LUMBERTON, N. C. Capital Stock \$50,000.00. ASSETS OVER QUARTER MILLION DOLLARS, Surplus \$14,000.00. THE ONLY NATIONAL BANK IN ROBESON COUNTY. Depository for United States Postal Funds, United States District Court Bankrupt Funds, Robeson County, Town of Lumberton. We should be pleased to be your Depository.'

Advertisement for McAlister's Paint Offer. Text: 'McAlister's PAINT OFFER! A Fair Proposition to all Property Owners of Lumberton and Vicinity: Fewer Gallons Or No Pay To prove that Devoe Lead and Zinc requires less gallons for a job, we make the following offer: Paint half your house with any other paint; paint half with Devoe. The other half will take the most gallons; if not we will make no charge for our paint. Wears Longer Or No Pay! Here's Another Offer. Paint half of your house with lead and oil; the other half with Devoe lead and zinc. In three years the lead and oil half will need repainting, while the Devoe half will be about like new. If not, we will give you the paint for the whole job. We Prove Our Claims. We know that Devoe lead and zinc is the best covering and longest wearing paint made; hence the above proposition. We always carry a full stock of Devoe's Varnish Stains, Buggy and Wagon Paints, etc. Don't buy anything in the paint line until you get our prices. McAlister Hardware Co. LUMBERTON, N. C.'

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Advertisement for Your Eyes. Text: 'Are one of the most delicate parts of the human body and should not be neglected. If you have any of the following symptoms your eyes should be examined at once: Do you suffer from headache? Do you have pains in your eyes? Do you have floating spots before your eyes? Does reading matter run together? Are you sleepy while reading? EXAMINATION FREE. Dr. D. M. McDonald, Red Springs, N. C. 8-9

Advertisement for American Beauty Corset. Text: 'THE A-B-C of being correctly gowned and fashionably apparelled is to wear an American Beauty Corset. Fashion Dictates It. The woman who wears an American Beauty is conscious that she looks well. These corsets give her form the lines which make a "new" figure. The stylishly gowned woman of correct figure and modish appearance, must candidly give credit to the corset worn. The American Beauty Corset embodies the best ideas advanced by the world's most eminent corset designers. \$1.00 and Upwards. We give great consideration to the selection of our corsets and offer you the choicest and best in AMERICAN BEAUTY CORSETS. W. J. PREVATT, LUMBERTON, N. C.'

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