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NEW BANK BUILDING.

Bank of Lumberton Will Erect Hand. some Modern Home on Corner Elm and Chestnut Streets-Work of Tearing Down Building on Site Will Begin in About Two Weeks-Exit Waverly Hotel.

At a meeting Friday the directors of the Bank of Lumberton decided to erect a handsome home for the bank on the corner of Elm and Third streets on the lot at present occupied by the McDonald drug store and the Waverly hotel. The occupants have been notified that the work of tearing down will begin in about two weeks, and it is expected that the new building will be ready in about six months.

The new building will be Corinthian style of architecture, pressed brick and terracotta front, 2 stories, 25x100 feet. There will be 7 or 8 offices on the second floor. The building will be modern in every respect, steam heated vacum cleaning system, modern method of ventilation. Architect Geo. E. LaFaye of Columbia, S. C., is in town today submitting plans for the building.

The lot on which the present building stands is 75x125 feet. The bank building will be on the corner occupied by the McDonald drug store, 25x100, and the balance of the lot will be sold.

Mr. Jno. S. McDonald, manager of the McDonald Drug Co., says that the drug store will be moved to the build. ing now occupied by the Farmers &. Merchants' Bank, Elm street, as soon as this bank moves into its new build. ing now being erected on the corner of Chestnut and Fourth, which will not be before some time in December, and will move into the McLeod building, Elm and Fourth, when the Bank of Lumberton moves into its new home. Unless extension of time is granted in which to get out Mr. Mc-Donald says it will be necessary for the drug store to close for a while. Mr. G. Y. Jones, proprietor of the Waverly hotel, says he has made no plans.

When the Waverly has to go out of business on account of this building being torn down the town will be without a hotel, with the ex. ception of the Lumberton hotel. The need of the town for a hotel will be more sadly in evidence than before and perhaps somebody will get busy.

The Bank of Lumberton is the old. est bank in the county and has had a wonderfully successful career. It has a capital stock of \$100,000 and numbers among its officers and direc. tors some of the best-known and most successful business men in this section of the State.

Browning-Chamberlain Meeting Will Last Through This Week-Special Service for Children Yesterday Af. ternoon - Other Church Notes.

REVIVAL MEETING CONTINUES.

The revival meeting being conduct. ed by Evangelist Raymond Browning in his tent on Elm street, assisted by Mr. J. H. Chamberlain, leader of muic, has entered upon its third week and will last through this week. Services are held daily at 10 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Practically all the merchants closed Friday and this morning for the service and have agreed to close the balance of the week for the morning service. Housekeepers are requested to co-oprate with the merchants by not placing orders for de-

livery during the hour for service. A wonderful service was held

Thursday evening. Just before he intended to begin preaching Mr. Browning extended an invitation to all who had determined to lead a new life and were ready to profess faith to come forward, and so remarkable was the response, extending over half an hour or more, while the choir and audience

sang several songs, that Mr. Browning decided not to preach. Several times Mr. Browning was on the point of closing the invitation when others would start forward. After this many responded to an invitation to return

thanks to God for some special blessing and then the service, which many pronounced the most wonderful they had ever been in, was closed.

Westerday afternoon Mr. Browning conducted another special service for children. This service was attended by about 1,100 people and was very much enjoyed both by the children and the grown-ups. A special feature was a delightful duet by two small children whose names have not been learned. Another special service for children will be held next Sunday af. ternoon at 3:30 o'clock.

Another large congregation attend. ed the service last evening and many responded to the invitations extended. A feature of this service was a quartet by Messrs. F. Gough, J. P. Stephens, C. B. Skipper and E. B. Freeman. There were no services in other churches in town last evening. Tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock

the regular monthly meeting of the woman's missionary society of Chest. held in the ladies' parlor at the church. At the regular service at Barker's next Sunday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock Rev. A. McCullen, presiding elder, wil! preach and then will follow the communion of the Lord's Supper. Mr. served on the grounds, after which the fourth quarterly conference of St. Paul's circuit, of which Rev. A J. Groves is pastor, will be held. Rev. J. Frank Gorrell, pastor of the Presbyterian church, returned Friday evening from Center, near Maxton, at which place he attended the meeting of Fayetteville Presbytery. Mr. Abner Nash, one of the eiders of the Fresbyterian church, went as the regalar delegate from the Lumberton church, but he returned Wednesday

Singing Class of Oxford Orphanage Give a Splendid Concert to an Au. dience of More Than 2,000-Collection Amounts to \$271.75 and May Reach \$300.

CONCERT BY ORPHANE.

The singing class of the Oxford Or. phanage gave a concert here Friday evening under Evangelist Browning's arge tent on Elm street. The enter. tainment was fine and was enjoyed by an unusually large crowd. The capacity of the tent is about 2,000 and it was not large enough for the crowd that assembled; several hundred stood on the outside. The sides of the tent were lowered in order that those on the outside might see and hear.

Just before the entertainment start. ed Mr. Frank Gough made a brief talk mentioning some of the great things being accomplished by the Ox. ford Orphanage and other orphanages

of the State. As a member of the committee on arrangements from the local lodge of Masons he expressed appreciation of the kindness of Mr. Browning in tendering his tent for the concert.

The entertainment consisted of cho. uses, songs, solos, duets, recitations, monologues and the like, and every number was well rendered The class -10 girls and 4 boys-was in charge of Mr. L. W. Alderman and Miss Max. well, teachers of the orphanage.

In the midst of the program a col. ection was taken for the benefit of the crphanage. Just before the colloction Rev. J. W. Bradley, pastor of Chestnut Street Mathodist church, made a few remarks in the interest of the worthy cause the orphanage rep. Before the collection wqas resents. taken he called for large contributions and two \$25 checks were receiv. id. some for \$15 and some for \$10 and a great number of checks for \$5. Then a general collection was taken Since the entertainment a number of checks have been handed in to Mr. M. W. Floyd, treasurer of the local lodge |ialist. of Masons, several small checks being received this morning. The total contributions amount to \$271.75-and they are still coming in. No admis. sion was charged. The entertainment

was free for all. At the conclusion of the entertain. ment Mr. Alderman expressed on oshalf of the orphanage, his apprenut Street Methodist church will be the class, and the large contribution. ciation of the hearty receptio: given

New Baptist Pastor Arrives. Meeting of Fayetteville Presbytery -Personal and Other Items.

RED SPRINGS REVIEWS.

Correspondence of The Robesonian. Red Springs, Oct. 17-Rev. A. C Sherwood, the new pastor of the Bap. tist church, has arrived with his family and they occupy a cottage on Church street. Mr. Sherwood has made quite a fine impression. He preached an excellent sermon last Sunday in the Presbyterian church, in response to an invitation from Dr. J J. Hill, pastor of that church.

Dr. and Mrs. J. L. McMillan re. turned today from Montgomery, Ala. where they attended the annual meet. ing of the A. C. L. surgeons on the 14th and 15th inst. They report a good attendance, interesting program. the most cordial hospitality on the part of the local surgeons, and alto gether a most enjoyable vacation. Dr. B. F. McMillan and daughter, Miss Genevieve, also attended this convention and on their return trip stop. ped over in Troy, Ala., to visit relations. They will arrive at home in a few days.

Mr. James G. Williams and wife have just returned from an extended price claimed for Fayetteville that day visit to their old home in Culpepper, Va. Their many friends hope that this was paid only for strict good the report that Mr. Williams contemplates moving back to Virginia in the near future is unfounded. They would indeed be greatly missed in Red Springs.

Mrs. D. A. McEachern has just re. as a delegate to State meeting of the U. D. C., from the U. D. C. chapter here.

The friends of Rev. Wm Black who is well known and much loved in this community are pained to know of his affliction and sincerely hope the threatened loss of his eye. sight may be averted. He is in Philadelphia under the care of a spec-

Presbytery of Fayetteville held its fall meeting at old Center church and on the 14th inst. celebrated the cen. tennial of its organization. The ex. ercises were quite interesting and the addresses of a high order.

Another circus is to arrive in Red Springs on 28th, much to the delight of the small boys and some of the larger ones as well.

Several wagons filled with gyrsies

LOCAL COTTON MARKET

Mills in Lumberton on the Average Pay More for an Equal Grade Than Any Neighboring Market-Often Pay Above Real Price of Staple.

To the Editor of The Robesonian: Noting your criticism of the local cotton market, permit me, as one of the buyers on this market, to say that you have written an article cal. culated to injure your town; and, evidently, without getting reliable in. formation.

I will admit that some of our neigh. boring markets paid more than we paid, or could afford to pay, the last week or ten days in September. Why, I cannot say, excepting that they were likewise paying more than New York, and a few other well-known markets. There is a suspicion that they paid these prices because they had made forward sales for Septem. ber shipment, and were forced to get the cotton before the first day of Oc. tober. This speculative tendency is far more prevalent among the mer. chants in small towns than most people suspect, but it is absolutely un. known in Lumberton.

Looking into the records the day the article referred to appeared in your paper, I find that the highest was 13.15. There is no doubt that middling. This grade is worth any. where from 40 to 70 points more than middling-the New York difference at this time being 68 points. Our basis middling price the same day was 12.75, or at least 13.15 for strict good mid. turned from Tarboro, where she went dling. On the same day, I bought from Monroe 50 bales strict good mid. dling at 13.15. If you know enough about cotton to safely criticize your home market, you know that the staple and general body of Union and Anson cotton is far superior to that

grown in this section, or any other section in the Carolinas. Nevertheless, had there been any strict good mid. dling on this market on that day, our of the largest and most delicious poprice wuld have been at least 131/2 tatoes he ever saw, raised by Mr. to 131/1 cents.

bottom is about to drop out of the

market, and these phenominal bull

buyers you point to receive wires di-

recting them to get off the markets,

we continue to buy, and have not been

guilty of taking undue advantage of

such a situation. These instances

Talk of Trolley Line from Red Springs

The Journal gives a story of a

stable trolles line from Red Springs

to Pinehurst by way of Raeford and

Southern Pines, not because the pro-

ject is coming with any authority for

H. B. JENNINGS.

occur oftener than you would think.

Lumberton, N. C., Oct. 18, 1913.

The cotton mills in Lumberton, on day he brought the editor some beauthe average, pay more for an equal ties of his second crop. These secondgrade, month in and out, than any crop potatoes raised by Mr. Richard. of our neighboring markets, unless son are about as large as most people that neighboring market has a lower raise first crop. rate to ship side; and I believe I can

safely say that the mills I represent ter, Miss Irene, expect to leave this (in their efforts to attract a large evening for Baltimore, Md., where in amount of cotton to this market) cor the womar's hospital Miss Irene will tribute more each year in excess of undergo an operation for throat troucotton's real worth, than all the new s-

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BRIEF LOCAL NEWS ITEMS.

-Best cotton today, 13.3125 cents. -Miss Agnes McLean left Friday for Baltimore, Md., where she will take a course in music at Peabody's Conservatory of Music.

-Mr. Wallace Norment has accepted a position as salesman in the hard. ware department of R. D. Caldwell & Son's department store. He began work Friday.

-Mr. H. M. McAllister, who with Mr. G G. French for several years has owned and conducted the opera house, 6th and Elm Sts., has purchased the French interest and is now sole owner of the property.

-Mr. L. W. Reddick of Lamar, S. C., has been in town for several days. Mr. Reddick likes Robeson so well that he is expecting to buy a farm and move his family here this winter. He couldn't do a more sensible thing.

-Mr. Charley Powers, who for some time had held a position as salesman in the grocery store of H. M. Beasley and Bro., resigned Thurs. day to accept a position as traveling salesman for the Piedmont Tobacco Company of Danville, Va.

-Robert, 8.year.old son of Mr. and Mrs. N. P. Andrews, has been confined with typhoid fever for the past 9 days at the home of his parents on East Fifth street. He is getting along as well as could be expected, his condition today being considered favorable.

-Mr. Geo. M. Whitfield returned this morning from Wilmington, where yesterday he attended the funeral of Mr. A H. Morris, who died Saturday morning at his home in Wilmington. Mr. Morris was the fatherinlaw of Mr. Malcum Whitfield, son of Mr. Geo. M. Whitfield.

-Mr. J. B. Richardson is the champion Irish potato raiser of Lumberton. Some time last summer he brought the editor of The Robesonian some Richardson in his garden, and Satur-

-Mrs. Geo. B. McLeod and daugh.

OUT BARKER'S WAY.

Jack Frost Appears-Quarterly Meet. ing Fourth Sunday - Personal. Correspondence of The Robesonian.

Lumberton, R. F. D. 1, Oct. 16-We are having some pretty weather now which is very much enjoyed by all the farmers.

Mrs. D. M. Wishart of Lumberton spent last week with her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Powers of Barker's.

evening. Miss Eva Powers of Powersville. who is going to school at Carolina College, spent Sunday with her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Powers.

We were visited last Tuesday night by Jack Frost.

Mr. George Powers of Barker's spent last Sunday with relatives at Lumberton.

The quarterly meeting will be at Barker's Methodist church the fourth Sunday in this month.

Miss Laura Meares of Barker's spent last week with Misses Sue and Alice Powers.

Mr. Joseph Russ of Barker's went to Lumberton Thursday on business. Mrs. D. M. Wishart spent Thurs. day with Mrs. Loody Powers of Bark-

er's. News Letter From Claxton, Ga.

To the Editor of The Robesonian: Picking cotton is the order of the day in this part of the moral vineyard. Farmers are getting good prices for their cotton and are well pleased. We are glad to report the condition of Mrs. Christian Oxendine as some better. She was able to go to church ble hurts. He died tonight. Sunday.

We were glad to have Mr. Luther Revels of Robeson county in our midst last week. He arrived in these parts on the night of the 4th and returned on the 8th. Mr. Revels is one of our prosperous farmers, and came out here with a view of locating a farm. We have preaching at Mt. Zion the airship. church first and third Sundays in each month.

We are expecting some more of our Indian friends with us next year. We hope they will come and help build up our school, which we have just started.

A. J. JACOBS. Claxton, Ga., R. F. D. 1, Oct. 13, 1913.

-License has been issued for the marriage of D. H. Britt, Jr., and May Hall. Both the contracting parties live at McDonald.

28 Persons Killed in Explosion and Fall of Dirigible Balloon.

Berlin Dispatch, 17th. Twenty-eight persons were killed today near Johannisthal, in the exlatest dirrigible balloon, the "L-H."

guesta. wrech fell to the ground from a height entering the house as he did is not

of 94.0 feet and anveloped them. One man., Lieutenant Baron Von Bluel, of the Green Augus a Grenadier Guards, a guest of the Admiralty Board was extricated alive from the mass of twisted wreckage. His eyes were burned out and he suffered other terri.

The "L.H" had it proved successful would have been attached to the aerial corps of the navy, which after today's fatalities now has only like fringe of winter. two men trained to command airships. The official report of the accident says the explosion was due to igni. tion of gas in or above the forward gondola, but not within the body of

Eczema and Itching Cured. The soothing healing medication in DR. HOBSON'S ECZEMA OINT-MENT penetrates every tiny pore of the skin, cleares it of all impuritiesstops itching instantly. Dr. Hob-son's Eczema Ointment is guaranteed to speedily heal eczema, rashes, ringworm, tetter and other unsightly eruptions. Eczema Ointment is a doctor's prescription, not an experiment. All druggists or by mail, 50c. Pfeiffer Chemical Co., Philadelphia and St. Louis.

He also expressed appreciation of Mr. Browning's . adness in giving the tent.

Mr. Bowning was not present at ing. the concert. He and Mes Browning McCullen will preach again Monday Friday mething to Bennett wille S. C., where they attended the aming set. vice of a m eting being conducted there by Dr. Morrison, evang list, of I entury, and his singer Mr. Chas. Tilman. This is the first opportunity that Messrs. Browning and Chamber lain have had since starting their meeting here to get away, and this is the reason they were not at the concert; but before going Mr. Browning wrote a check for \$15 to be given to where, and went down Elm street in the crnhans. The children of the orphanage while

in town were entertained in the pri vate tomes of members of the local behind an iron stake, which stopped lodge of Masons.

Negro Man Shot and Killed by 12. Year-Old Negro Boy.

Alex McMillan, colored, about 12 plosion and fall of Count Zeppelin's years old, shot and killed Jack Mc-Leod, also colored, Saturday night The twenty-eight men represented the about 8 or 9 o'clock at McNatt's near entire personnel of the Admiralty Shannon. A shot gun was used and just begun. The Graves horse broke Board which was to conduct the final the load took effect in McLeod's chin, trial of the dirrigible looking to its killing him instantly. The killing took. going up the embankment near the acceptance by the government as a place at the home of the boy who did station which is something like five new unit of the German aerial navy, the shooting. McLdod was a man or six feet high, tearing the buggy the pilot and crew and the invited possibly about 25 years old and it is to which he was hitched up to some

said that he entered the McMillan extent, and arranging for the harness Every person that wert aloft in home through the kitchen window, and the big airship is dead. Twenty-seven that Alex, who, with two other smaller away steed waited at the top of the of them were killed almost instantly children, was in another part of houes embankment for somebody to come by the explosion of gas in the big bal- heard McLeod in the kitchen, got the locn, or burnt to death as the flaming gun and shot him. McLeod's object in

> known. Sheriff R. E. Lewis, County Physi-

cina B. W. Page and Coroner G. E. Rancke went yesterday afternoon to McNatt's. An inquest was held and Sheriff Lewis brought Alex McMillan to town and he was lodged last evening in jail.

-Quite a gale today, and cold; feels

LUMBERTON'S EXTRA WATCH LUMBERTON

are in or near town tonight. They pers of the State will contribute for a arrived late this afternoon and were like cause in a generation. seeking a suitable place for camp-At times, when it seems that the

Mrs. B. F. McMillan returned Thursday night from a visit of several days to relatives and friends in Maxton and Laurinburg.

An Exciting Runaway-Double.Bar. reled.

There was quite an exciting runaway on the streets Friday afternoon when a horse hitched to a buggy belonging to Mr Dan McNeill came from somewhere, nobody seems to know a mighty big hurry. The horse went

down Elm street to the Seaboard tSation, and in turning caught the buggy that part of the runaway. The buggy shafts were broken to same extent, and

the road, but because the talk fore. shadows what may be a possibility. the harness needed some fixing. The From Red Springs by way of An runaway pulled off by Mr. McNeill's tioch to Raeford and from Raeford horse got some life into a horse beto Southern Pines opening all that vast country in northern Hoke, and longing to Mr. J. F. Graves, which from Southern Pines to Pinehurst is a was hitched atthe station, and it look. ed for a while like the runaway had route not impossible. The scheme is passed along for what it is worth. loose and proceeded to runaway right,

Fayetteville Boosters.

to Pinehurst.

Hoke County Journal.

Mention of the Fayetteville boosters was crowded out of Thursdays paper. They were here Wednesday about 60 strong, traveling in autos-a jolly crowd of good fellows out to boost mender to get another job. This run. their town and draw trade. They spent only a short while in Lumberton. Mr. A. M. Moore, editor and owner of the Fayetteville Index, came with the crowd and remained all day, having some type set up at The Robesonian office for his paper, his lintoype opera. tor having pulled out and left him in a hole.

> Mr. and Mrs. Alf H. McLeod ex. pect to leave this evening for Washington, D. C., where they will probably spend two or three days, and from there they will go to Baltimore, New York and other Northern cities. They expect to be away about ten days or two weeks.

Rev. Wesley Thompson of McDonald is in town today.

-A short business meeting of St. Alban's Lodge No. 114, A. F. & A. M., tomorrow evening at 7 o'clock. Important business.

A Gentle and Effective Laxative. A mild and gentle laxative is what people demand when suffering from constipation. Thousands swear by Dr. King's New Life Pills. Hugh Tall man, of San Antonio, Tex. writes: They are, beyond question, the best pills my wife and I have ever taken." They never cause pain. Price 25c at druggists, or by mail, H. E. Bucklen & Co. Philadelphia or St. Louis.

ble from which she has been suffering some time. They may stay in Baltimore until Christmas. If Miss Mc. Leod's operation does not prove too serious she probably will take a special course in music at Peabody's Con. servatory of Music.

-Prof. H. L. Edens and family, who had been living in Pembroke for the past six years, have moved back to Lumberton and are occupying Mrs. Daisy Jenkins' house on East Fifth street. Three of Prof. Edens children are with him and his daughter Miss Mary is teaching the eighth and ninth grades at Forest City high school. Rutherford county. Prof. Edens will teach the Glennwood school, near Pembroke, again this year, driving to school from Lumberton daily. School will open in about two weeks.

Downie & Wheeler's Circus Here To. day - Howe's Circus Last Thurs. day.

Downie & Wheeler's big circus is in town today and a large crowd is here. There was a street parade about 11:30 o'clock and the performance at the tent, Chestnut and Sixteenth streets, began about 1 o'clock this af. ternoon. There will be no evening performance on account of the condition of the lot on which the tents have been erected. The ground is so soft and boggy that the managers of the circus are afraid that if they should give an evening performance, as they usually do, , they would not be able to get off the lot in time to make their engagement for tomorrow. Judging from the parade the circus is about an average of its kind.

Howe's Great London Show was here last Thursday, giving an after. noon and evening performance. It's tents were raised on the vacant property east of the V. & C. S. station, between First and Railroad streets. This is a large circus carrying a great many animals. Its performances were hardly above the average. A large crowd was here Thursday.

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This is a prescription prepared especially for MALARIA or CHILLS & FEVER. Five or six doses will break any case, and if taken then as a tonic the Fever will not return. It acts on the liver better than Calomel and does not gripe or sicken. 25c

and get him. Neither horse was hurt.

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The work of a home-keeping woman makes a constant call on her strength and vitality, and sickness comes through her kidneys and bladder oftener than she knows. Foley Kidney Pills will invigorate and restore her, and weak back, nervous, aching joints, and irregular bladder action will all disappear when Foley Kidney Pills are used. For sale by all dealers.