

THE ROBESONIAN

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THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 11, 1915

LOCAL RAILROAD SCHEDULE

Seaboard Air Line.  
Train No. 19 westbound lvs 7:15 am  
Train No. 14 eastbound lvs 10:15 am  
Train No. 13 westbound lvs 6:25 pm  
Train No. 20 eastbound lvs 9:55 pm  
VA. & CAROLINA SOUTHERN  
From Hope Mills  
Train No. 79 ..... arrives 9:10 am  
Train No. 64 ..... leaves 10:25 am  
Train No. 65 ..... arrives 6:20 pm  
Train No. 78 ..... leaves 8:20 pm  
Raleigh & Charleston  
Train No. 1 ..... leaves 10:20 am  
Train No. 2 ..... arrives 6:15 pm

BUSINESS BUILDERS

FOR RENT—FOUR ROOM COTTAGE on Seventh street. Artesian water on premises. Apply to R. E. Lee, City.

WANTED—FOR IMMEDIATE shipment, 100 carloads of berried Holly bushes. Minimum carload 144 cases, packed 75 pounds net. Wire or write Harvey Boney Co., Rose Hill, N. C.

FOR SALE—R. I. RED PULLETS. Price 75 cents and \$1 each. Walter Nance, Lumberton, N. C.

BUGGIES, WAGONS AND HARNESS, at right prices, style unequalled, terms to suit. W. I. Linkhaw.

PONY, BUGGIES, TOP BUGGIES, open buggies, all kinds buggies at W. I. Linkhaw's.

THREE ONE-HORSE AND ONE TWO-HORSE FARMS for rent five miles from Lumberton near school and church. K. M. Biggs.

MORE HORSES AND MULES—another fine load to arrive Tuesday, Nov. 9th. W. I. Linkhaw.

NOTICE—HAVE YOUR COTTON ginned at the Union Gin. Ginning new bagging and ties all for \$1.50 per bale. Highest market prices paid for cotton and seed. Union Gin Co., Fairmont, N. C. H. G. Stubbs, Manager.

CANE MILL—I HAVE INSTALLED for the convenience of the public a Cane Mill on my farm one and a half miles east of Lumberton, near County Home. Prompt and good service. Bring your cane and have it ground into good syrup. J. D. Regan.

IF YOU WANT A GOOD HORSE or mule see W. I. Linkhaw.

IF IT'S BEEF REMEMBER A. H. Hinds handles it in a sanitary manner. Phone No. 53 for pork loins, fresh pork sausage, liver and sliced ham.

GO TO L. H. CALDWELL'S FOR onion sets, fall cabbage seed, Abruzzi seed rye, N. C. seed rye, Appler, Winter Turf, Red Rust Proof Burt and Fulghum seed oats, Crimson clover, rape and turnip seed.

HOLD YOUR COTTON FOR 15 cents the pound. Store it in the Farmers Bonded Warehouse, Lumberton, and borrow money on it.

IF IT'S FRESH FISH, REMEMBER the Britt Grocery Company has them every day. Everything in the grocery line at prices that please. Rowland Britt, manager. Phone 215

FOR SALE IN HOWELLSVILLE township—347 acres land, more or less; described in Deed Books, EEE, page 909, and OOO, page 184, in office of the register of deeds, Robeson county. For price and terms address Giles F. Lewis, Milton, Florida.

IF YOU WANT THE BEST PRICE for cotton and cotton seed, go to John T. Biggs.

FOR RENT—SIX-HORSE FARM IN high state of cultivation, known as the Payne farm, situate two miles east of Maxton on Back Swamp and Jacob Swamp Drainage Canal; ten room dwelling and all necessary out buildings, possession January first, and possibly earlier. For further information, see J. B. Sellars, Maxton, N. C.

FOR SALE—ONE H. P. Fairbanks-Morse Gasoline Engine. In good condition and capable of good service. Have no use for it as we have installed electric motors. Will sell for \$17.50 f. o. b. Lumberton. Address The Robesonian, Lumberton, N. C.

FARMS FOR RENT—STEPHEN McIntyre, Lumberton, N. C.

WHY NOT GET THE BEST OUT of your piano? Ask for the "pointed Tuner" to the Southern Presbyterian College & Conservatory of Music, Red Springs, N. C. to call and give you a price for tuning or repair. Charges consistent with high class work. Distance no barrier. Three years' apprenticeship in one of London's (Eng.) best and largest factories. Nine years out-door experience. Testimonial from Dr. C. G. Vardell. Write to F. O. Fuzzey, Shannon, N. C.

WHAT CAUSES PELLAGRA?

Robeson Medical Society Disagrees With Goldberger Theory—Disease Has Caused More Deaths In Robeson Since Last April Than Tuberculosis, Typhoid, Diphtheria and Scarlet Fever Combined.

To the Editor of The Robesonian:

At a special meeting of the Robeson County Medical Society held in Lumberton Nov. 3d, pellagra was the subject principally discussed. A very interesting paper was read by Dr. J. W. Page, and discussed by nearly every member present. All expressed their opinion as to the probable cause of this disease. The society unanimously passed a resolution disagreeing with the theory of Dr. Goldberger, whose opinion has been repeatedly published in the different newspapers of the country that pellagra was due to an unbalanced diet alone. A committee was appointed to prepare an article for The Robesonian as the beginning of an effort to check the spread of this disease in Robeson county, which since last April has caused more deaths than tuberculosis, typhoid fever, diphtheria and scarlet fever combined.

The Thompson-McFadden Pellagra Commission, which had been working in Spartanburg county, S. C., where there is probably more pellagra than in any other section of similar size in the South, in their 1914 report had come to the conclusion that pellagra was not caused by the toxins of molded maize, as was the prevailing opinion where the disease first made its appearance in this country, but in all probability was due to some germ that had not been found. The National Pellagra Conference which met at Columbia, S. C., in October of this year, in their report could only say that the cause of pellagra had not been found, but that some valuable work had been done since their meeting three years ago and it was hoped that by their next meeting three years hence it could be said that the cause of pellagra had been found.

In the last few months Dr. Goldberger has come out with the theory that the cause of this disease was an excess of starchy foods, as sweets of all kinds, potatoes, rice and grits with a deficiency of meats, eggs, milk, etc., and advised a more varied diet as a preventative against pellagra. We believe that poor food, poor housing and unsanitary surroundings generally are important predisposing factors, just as it is in all infectious diseases. But we do not believe that it is the exciting cause, and to let the people rest on the assumption that it is a matter of diet alone will do harm rather than good, in that it may lead them to neglect the important precautions necessary to prevent an infectious disease.

It is not unusual to see from two to five and in one instance as many as nine cases in one family. We have a record of an entire family developing the disease within a few weeks after moving into a house previously occupied by a pellagriner, also a case developing the disease shortly after carrying a specimen of excreta from a pellagriner patient to a laboratory for examination. This patient showed absolutely no signs of pellagra prior to this time.

This disease is not confined exclusively to the poorer classes as previously claimed; several cases have come under our observation in families of considerable means, who live on a varied diet under good sanitary conditions.

Though the exact germ has not been discovered, nor its mode of transmission determined, we are strongly of the opinion that it is an infection, transmitted from one patient to the other in a way somewhat similar to that of typhoid fever, dysentery and other bowel affections. That is, direct from the excreta of a pellagriner to a healthy individual by means of flies, contaminated milk, water, green vegetables and uncleanliness generally. But through whatever channel the infection occurs, for new cases to arise we believe the virus must be obtained from another patient. And from the standpoint of prevention we believe that the question will finally narrow down to the disinfection of all excreta and objects which may accidentally be contaminated by these excretions, together with building of sanitary privies, destruction of the house fly and cleanliness in general.

RUSSELL S. BEAM, M. D.  
THOS. C. JOHNSON, M. D.  
W. A. McPAUL, M. D.  
Committee.

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Advertised Letters

List of letters at Lumberton P. O. unclaimed for week ending Nov. 6, 1915.

Mrs. Charlotte Bedsole, Miss Hannah Brown, Mrs. Maggie Branch, Mrs. J. W. Cain, Wright Drake, Miss L. J. Ethea, F. E. Hayes, Mrs. Julia Johnson, Elizabeth Kinlaw (2), Mrs. Dick Lewis, Mamie Miller, Mairn Pair, Lucie Powell, H. D. Richardson, Ann Richardson, Arthur Blackwell.

Persons calling for same will please call for advertised letters.

D. D. FRENCH, P. M.

TAKE NOTICE—BLACKER BROS., Lumberton, pay the highest prices for all kinds of furs. You will find them on Chestnut street on block of Farmers & Merchants Bank.

For Sale

SPLENDID FARM NEAR CHADBOURN, N. C. 42 ACRES, HALF UNDER HIGH CULTIVATION, EXCELLENT DWELLING, STABLES, THREE TENANT HOUSES, WAGON AND FARM TOOLS, DEEP WELL—ALL FOR \$2000.00, WORTH \$3500.00. SMALL CASH PAYMENT BALANCE FIVE TO EIGHT YEARS TIME. CROPS WILL PAY FOR FARM IN THREE YEARS. FIRST OFFER TAKES THE PLACE. ADDRESS E. P. WILLARD, WILMINGTON, N. C.

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PERSONAL

Mr. N. A. Townsend of Dunn was a Lumberton visitor yesterday.

Mr. A. H. Horn of Whiteville was a Lumberton visitor yesterday.

Mr. Lonnie Bullard of route 4 from Lumberton was in town yesterday.

Mr. P. H. Adams of Elrod, route 1, was a Lumberton visitor yesterday.

Mr. W. H. Graham of Rowland was among the visitors in town yesterday.

Ex-Sheriff E. C. McNeill of Kowling was among the visitors in town yesterday.

Mr. D. P. Buie of the Philadelphia section was a Lumberton visitor Monday.

Mr. Thad Stone of route 4 from Lumberton is among the visitors in town today.

Mr. A. A. Bethune of the Ten Mile section was among the visitors in town yesterday.

Mr. A. H. Perry and son, Mr. Norman of Parkton are among the visitors in town today.

Messrs. Angus McKenzie and J. K. McCormick of Rowland were Lumberton visitors yesterday.

Messrs. J. T. Hamilton and Walter Glover of route 1 from Marietta were among the visitors in town Tuesday.

Mr. A. B. Johnson, manager of the St. Paul's Telephone Exchange at St. Paul's, was a Lumberton visitor Tuesday.

Mr. Daniel Thames and son, Mr. D. J. Thames, who live on route 4 from St. Paul's, were Lumberton visitors Tuesday.

Miss Eunice Sinclair of Fayetteville arrived last night and will spend several days in town visiting at the home of Mrs. N. A. McLean, Elm street.

Mrs. H. H. Beard of Columbia, S. C., arrived Tuesday and will spend the winter here at the home of her sister, Mrs. N. A. McLean, Elm street.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Oliver, who live near Marietta, and their son and daughter-in-law Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Oliver of Marietta were Lumberton visitors Tuesday.

Miss Oattie Hamilton left this morning for her home at Kings Mountain after spending some time here visiting at the home of her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Hamilton, Second street.

Rev. Paul T. Britt of Mt. Eliam is among the visitors in town today.

Mrs. R. C. James and small son, John, of Wilmington arrived Monday and are guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Holloway, Chestnut street.

Mr. W. A. Smith, superintendent of the plant of the Ingerside Mfg. Co. at Summerville, S. C., and Mr. W. B. Hill, also of Summerville, were in Lumberton Tuesday on their way home from Allenton, where they visited Mr. Sam Smith, a brother of Mr. W. A. Smith.

CHURCH NEWS

Correspondence of The Robesonian. The social committee of the Lumberton Baptist church B. Y. P. Union wish to say that the social to be given Thursday night, the 11th, has been postponed indefinitely.

Chestnut Street Epworth League. The program for Sunday evening is being arranged by the leader, Miss Waddell, and the meeting will be one of great interest. At the meeting Sunday evening, a social for the Leaguers and its friends will be announced, time and place given.

Temperance Sunday at Gospel Tabernacle. The Gospel Tabernacle Sunday school will observe Temperance Sunday at the regular Sunday school hour next Sunday, November 14th. Appropriate exercises have been prepared for this occasion. The regular eleven o'clock services and the Young People's meeting at 6:30 will be held as usual. Prof. R. E. Sentelle will preach Sunday night.

Series of Sermons on Ten Commandments. Rev. C. L. Greaves, pastor of the First Baptist church, began last Sunday evening a series of sermons on the Ten Commandments. His sermon next Sunday evening will be on the Third Commandment.

The executive committee of the Robeson Baptist Association is holding a meeting at the First Baptist church today, laying out plans for the ensuing year.

Pressing Clothes is as Much an Art as Making Them

We claim that to properly and thoroughly press any kind of garment it must be done on a Hoffman sanitary steam clothes pressing machine. This method produces the natural body shape in clothes of every description, raises the nap, brings out the color gives the garment an appearance of newness and causes it to last much longer.

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No odds how bad your liver, stomach or bowels; how much your head aches, how miserable and uncomfortable you are from a cold, constipation, indigestion, biliousness and sluggish bowels—you always get relief with Cascarets.

Don't let your stomach, liver and bowels make you miserable. Take Cascarets tonight; put an end to the headache, biliousness, dizziness, nervousness, sick, sour, gassy stomach, bad cold, offensive breath and all other distress; cleanse your inside organs of all the bile, gases and constipated matter which is producing the misery.

A 10-cent box means health, happiness and a clear head for months. All druggists sell Cascarets. Don't forget the children—their little insides need a gentle cleansing, too.

IN SOCIAL CIRCLES

The following from the Laurinburg Exchange will be of interest to many Robesonian readers:

Miss Daniel Stephen Alderman request the honor of your presence at the marriage of their daughter Ella Shaw

to Dr. Allan McLean on Wednesday afternoon, November seventeenth

at half after five o'clock Montpelier Presbyterian Church Wagram, North Carolina

Mrs. H. E. Stacy entertained Tuesday afternoon at 4 o'clock in honor of her guest Mrs. M. H. Stacy of Chapel Hill. Quite a number of ladies called and spent a most pleasant afternoon. Mrs. M. H. Stacy left Tuesday night for her home.

AT THE MOVIES

Offerings at The Star. The fact that the Star theatre will not allow anything but the best of vaudeville was made plain yesterday when the manager, Mr. F. X. LeBeau, broke a contract for a week with Gordon & Gray after playing two nights because of the fact that their "stuff" was not such as he thinks the people of Lumberton and vicinity are entitled to.

"Diamond From the Sky", that thrilling and beautiful serial which has pleased so many theatre goers in the large cities, will be started today. Besides this great picture the Star has booked for today and tonight "The Substitute Widow", a beautiful story written by Hugh Wier; "Taming Mary", a love story that is sure to please, featuring Paul Panzer and Milton Sills; "Kids and Corsets", featuring Miss Billie Rhodes and Jack Dillon, movie favorites. The management hopes to announce more vaudeville acts that will entertain at an early date.

At The Pastime. The Pastime theatre is offering today Francis X. Bushman in a three-reel feature picture entitled "The Great Silence." Patrons of the Pastime know what to expect. Two overtime reels will be run, making a five-reel show. Tomorrow another Paramount feature will be offered, entitled "When We Were Twenty-One." In this picture will be seen, in the lead, William Elliott, the popular and youthful star. Lumberton people appreciate good pictures and this is one they should see. The music by Miss Merkel adds greatly to the pictures, making them doubly interesting.

When baby suffers with eczema or some itching skin trouble, use Doan's Ointment. A little of it goes a long way and it is safe for children. 50c a box at all stores.

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SUCCESSFUL MEN



JOHN ROACH  
John Roach was born in Ireland of poor parents, and at the age of fifteen was sent to America, and landed in New York without money, friends or trade. He worked his way over into New Jersey, and secured a job with the Howell Iron Works. Ten years went by and he had become an Iron Worker.  
His first business venture was made with some other workmen of the foundry. They started a small foundry and called it the Acton Iron Works, which for several years prospered remarkably. But one day the boiler in the engine room exploded, and in one moment Roach was made a poor man again.  
Nothing daunted him, however. He obtained credit and reorganized the company which speedily grew.  
In 1890 he was the lowest bidder and obtained a contract to build the great iron draw-bridge, piers and all, over the Harlem River. Smaller swinging bridges had been built, but nothing like this one had ever been attempted. He went to work and when he finished the bridge it was said there never was a more complete success in iron work, masonry, and engineering.  
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PASTIME THEATRE

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PROGRAM

THURSDAY	A Rex comedy with Ben Wilson and Dorothy Phillips in 2 parts.
FRIDAY	The Mystery of the Tapestry Room
	A big U Feature in 3 parts, with Murdock MacQuarrie Lady Baffles and Detective Duck in
	The Dread Society of the Sacred Sausage
	with Max Asher and Gale Henry.
SATURDAY	Dr. Mason's Temptation Presenting M. K. Wilson, Olive Golden and Marc Robbins
	The Gopher A Universal Feature in 2 parts with Hubert Rawlinson and Anna Little. A Seashore Romeo

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