

# THE ROBESONIAN

Office 107 West Fourth Street.  
Telephone No. 20.

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 7, 1916

## LOCAL RAILROAD SCHEDULE Seaboard Air Line.

Train No. 19 west-bound 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 SALE—6-ROOM RESIDENCE.**  
First and Cedar streets. One quarter acre lot. Apply to (Miss) Lula Bryant, City.

**FOR SALE—EGGS FOR HATCHING** from registered Single comb R. I. Reds. All eggs guaranteed to hatch. \$2 per setting of 15 eggs. V. D. Baker, Lumberton, N. C.

**LOST—BETWEEN BETHESDA** and Nye school house, a watch fob. Will pay liberal reward if returned to Rowland Sealey, at the Nye school house.

**WHITE ORPINGTON EGGS FOR SALE.** Leave your orders in advance. One of the best all round purpose fowls. \$1.50 for 15 eggs. Ed B. Freeman, Lumberton, N. C.

**REWARD OF \$2 WILL BE PAID** for return of black and white spotted setter named Jack. Strayed January 5. B. Tolar, Rennert, N. C.

**PLEASURE VEHICLES—LIGHT** running, easy riding and good values. Selling for cash or credit by C. M. Fuller & Son.

**FOR SALE—ONE UNDERWOOD** No. 4 visible typewriter in first class condition. First check for \$20 gets machine. V. D. Baker, Lumberton, N. C.

**FOR GARDEN SEEDS OF ALL** kinds, seed oats, rape seed, seed Irish potatoes, onion sets and fertilizers go to L. H. Caldwell's "everything store," Lumberton, N. C.

**FIVE DOLLAR REWARD—DOG** lost in November. A white and black spotted dog. More black than white. Tip of tail white. Name Lad. Reward if returned to J. F. Bennett, Saint Paul, N. C.—M. M. Tillman, Waxhaw, N. C.

**C. M. FULLER HAS A FINE LOT** of young mules for sale. Cash or credit.

**FOR THE BEST YIELDS YOU** must plant the best seeds. You will find the best seeds of all kinds at L. H. Caldwell's "everything store," Lumberton, N. C.

**BUY YOUR FERTILIZERS AND** farm supplies from K. M. Biggs.

**ONE GOOD SECOND STALK CUT** ter for sale. K. M. Biggs.

**YES, YOU WILL FIND ALL KINDS** of garden seeds of the very best varieties, also seed oats, rape seed, onion sets, seed Irish potatoes, etc. at L. H. Caldwell's "everything store," Lumberton, N. C.

**BUGGIES, FARM WAGONS AND** Harness. New goods. Prices and terms that will please you. C. M. Fuller and Son.

**TWO MULES AND TWO HORSES** for sale—K. M. Biggs.

**MULES—LARGE ASSORTMENT.** Mated teams. See me before you buy. C. M. Fuller.

**BRING YOUR HIDES AND FURS** to L. H. Caldwell for best prices.

**WHEN YOU NEED AUTO SERVICE** call Bullock Brothers. Phone Nos. 55 and 231. Service day or night.

**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.

**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

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

**FOR FRESH MILK AND CREAM** call phone No. 2505.

**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.

## CHURCH NOTES

Rev. Chas. L. Greaves, pastor of the First Baptist church, asks The Robesonian to say that no bells will be rung at that church for week-night services this week on account of sickness near the church. However, the regular services will be held. Don't wait for the bell to call you.

## MOONLIGHT SCHOOL

**Adults Who Cannot Read or Write** Wanted at East Lumberton School—Grammar Grades Will Meet Saturday.

Correspondence of The Robesonian.  
The grammar grades department of the Robeson Teachers Association will meet at the graded school building at 11 a. m. Saturday, February 12.

The moonlight school started two weeks ago at the East Lumberton auditorium has so far been very successful. The attendance, which comprises a large per cent of grown people, varies from 30 to 35 every night. We have not yet, however, reached the class we particularly desire—adults who can neither read nor write. A great many adults are attending, but all have some education which they desire to supplement. We are glad to welcome them, but we want the others also.

CORNELIA STEELE.

**Price and Bonelli Minstrels** (By the Press Agent)

The play-going public will hail with delight the announcement of the appearance of the Price and Bonelli Greater New York Minstrels Co., which give one performance at Lumberton opera house, Thursday, February 10th. This combination of artists is known as an organization of positive merit with a reputation of presenting an absolutely clean performance with an absence of vulgarity and coarseness.

The Greater New York Minstrels consists of thirty young men, all white performers, who have been carefully selected for their special ability and talent in their various lines—Comedians, singers, dancers, musicians, jugglers, acrobats and novelty artists combining to present a performance of the best in minstrelsy. Only the latest and best in song and musical selections are being used and the dancing is up to the minute in all the modern styles.

Good comedy is a feature of this show and has won for this production the term of the Big Laughing Show.

Messrs. Price and Bonelli have equipped their company with the most beautiful costumes and the entire production is scenically a triumph in minstrelsy.

Words of commendation and approval from press and public give promise of a pleasing performance by this company.

The Greater New York Minstrels carry an excellent band and special orchestra.

A grand parade will be given at noon by the entire company with the band; also a concert will be given in front of the Lumberton opera house at 7:30 p. m. free to the public.

**Good Showing Made by State Banks** The North Carolina Corporation Commission issued Friday a summary of the condition of the 420 State banks doing business in North Carolina under the supervision of the commission, the showing being very satisfactory. The summary shows condition at the close of business December 31 compared with condition on the same date 1914.

The total resources show \$92,348,896, compared with \$81,783,436, a gain of \$10,565,459. The statement shows \$15,643,436 savings deposits, a gain of \$2,385,559 for the year; deposits subject to check, \$34,678,273, a gain of \$6,117,255 for the year; time certificates of deposit, \$9,564,262, a gain of \$100,180; demand certificates of deposits, \$5,826,484, a gain of \$1,830,326. The statement shows a decrease of \$2,525,095 in bills payable, a very creditable showing from a banking viewpoint.

The aggregate capital stock of the 420 banks is \$10,968,598, a gain of \$274,888 for the year.

**Has Used Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for 20 Years** "Chamberlain's Cough Remedy has been used in my household for the past twenty years. I began giving it to my children when they were small. As a quick relief for croup, whooping cough, and ordinary colds, it has no equal. Being free from opium and other harmful drugs, I never felt afraid to give it to the children. I have recommended it to a large number of friends and neighbors, who have used it and speak highly of it," writes Mrs. Mary Minke, Shortsville, N. Y. Obtainable everywhere.

**William Taylor, a young negro** convict serving a term on the Wayne county roads, and working under Troy Hinnant, township superintendent of road building, advanced on Mr. Hinnant Friday with a draw shovel, when Mr. Hinnant shot Taylor with a pistol, the ball entering the groin, causing death. The shooting occurred at the convict camp near Georgetown, while the convicts were preparing to go out to work.

**COUGHS AND COLDS ARE DANGEROUS** Few of us realize the danger of Coughs and Colds. We consider them common and harmless ailments. However, statistics tell us every third person dies of a lung ailment. Dangerous Bronchial and Lung diseases follow a neglected cold. As your body struggles against cold germs, no better aid can be had than Dr. King's New Discovery. Its merit has been tested by old and young. In use over 45 years. Get a bottle today. Avoid the risk of serious Lung ailments. Druggists.

**THREE THINGS EVERY FARM** home in Robeson county should have—The Robesonian, the paper that gives you all the county news twice each week, The Progressive Farmer, the best agricultural paper published in the South, and The Housewife, one of America's leading magazines, all a whole year for \$2.10. Send your money to The Robesonian and it will do the rest.

**IF YOU ARE ALREADY A SUB** scriber to The Robesonian renew your subscription a year and get a year's subscription to the South's best agricultural paper, The Progressive Farmer, and a year's subscription to The Housewife all for \$2.10.

**FOR HOUSE WIRING, FIXTURES, LAMPS** —And—REPAIR WORK—SEE

L. E. SMITH

104 West Fourth Street

PHONE NO. 51.

# WHITE SATIN HATS A Most Attractive Line Miss Josephine Breege Exclusive Millinery Store Elm St.

## PERSONAL

**Mr. B. Tolar** of Rennert is a Lumberton visitor today.

**Mr. G. C. Atkinson** of route 1 from Orrum is in town today.

**Mr. A. J. McKinnon** of Maxton is among the visitors in town today.

**Mr. J. P. Britt** of Fairmont, route 2, was a Lumberton visitor Friday.

**Mr. J. M. Sparkman** of Marietta, route 1, is a Lumberton visitor today.

**Mayor B. W. Townsend** of Red Springs is a Lumberton visitor today.

**Mr. H. N. Ward** of Pembroke spent yesterday in town visiting relatives.

**Mr. E. W. Walters** of Fairmont, route 1, was a Lumberton visitor Saturday.

**Mr. D. P. Buie** of Red Springs, route 2, is among the visitors in town today.

**Mr. A. C. McGoogan** of Rennert, route 1, is among the visitors in town today.

**Mr. J. Z. Stone** of route 1 from Orrum was among the visitors in town Friday.

**Messrs. C. A. and S. M. Oliver** of Marietta are among the visitors in town today.

**Mr. Joe Barrington**, bookkeeper for Mr. John Thomas Biggs, visited at Maxton yesterday.

**Mr. C. Lane**, superintendent of the R. & C. railroad, of Marion, S. C., was a Lumberton visitor Saturday.

**Messrs. W. D. and J. A. Johnson** of St. Pauls passed through Lumberton Saturday en route to Wilmington.

**Mr. Walter Bowden** and Miss Elizabeth Wshart spent Saturday in Rockingham with friends, returning home yesterday morning.

**Mrs. R. S. Bond** and children, Mr. Victor and Master Allen, of Rowland, spent yesterday in Lumberton with their cousin Miss Josephine Breege and with Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Sharpe, at the home of the latter on Fifth street. They came over in their auto.

**Mr. Oliver Nance** and Miss Ida Mae Sessoms spent the week-end at Red Springs visiting at the home of Mr. Nance's sister, Mrs. W. C. Baggett.

**What Children Need Now** In spite of the best care mothers can give them this weather brings sickness to many children. Mrs. T. Neureuer, Eau Claire, Wis., writes: "Foley's Honey and Tar cured my boy of a severe attack of croup after other remedies had failed. It is a wonderful remedy for coughs, colds, croup and whooping cough." It stops lagrippe coughs. Sold everywhere.

**At the Movies** The Pastime theatre starts off a big week of interesting pictures, presenting this evening Mary Pickford, the idol of the moving picture world, in "Little Pal". This picture provides "Little Mary" with one of the most unique roles in which she has been presented. Tomorrow "The Devil", a 5-reel Mutual master picture will be shown. For Wednesday something out of the ordinary will be presented, making everybody glad they were present. A great big 3-reel feature and a side-splitting comedy in one reel will be presented. Thursday "My Old Dutch", a 5-reel Broadway feature, presenting Albert Chevalier, Florence Lawrence and other noted stars will be presented. It's going to be one of the best programs the Pastime has offered in any one week.

**Action is Natural** P. S. Meehan, Hancock, Mich., writes: "I have given Foley Cathartic Tablets a thorough trial and can positively state they are the best laxative I ever used. Their action is natural, no pain or griping and they clean the system in fine shape." Stout persons say the bouyant, free feeling they bring is a blessing. Sold everywhere.

**State of North Carolina, County of Robeson, ss:** I, K. M. Barnes, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief. K. M. BARNES, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 15th day of Jan. 1915.

W. H. KINLAW,  
Notary Public.  
My commission expires Mch. 25, 1916.

Correct—Attest:  
G. L. THOMPSON,  
C. B. SKIPPER,  
M. W. FLOYD,  
Directors.

**Barren Rate Offered by Charlotte Observer** The Charlotte Observer is offering a barren rate to new and regular subscribers for the next thirty days.

This advertisement, which appears in this paper today, announces that subscriptions will be accepted to the daily and Sunday Observer at a rate of six dollars per year; or the daily only at five dollars. The regular price for the paper is eight dollars per year.

The Observer has made remarkable strides forward in the past few months, and with the announcement of this bargain subscription they also state that several new features will be added. First, and the most important, is the leasing of a special wire to Washington, which will be an additional service, which puts them to quite an expense; a weekly page by Herbert Kaufman, one of the most well-known writers in America today; also a full-page article on "Europe's Battlefront Lessons for America," by Frederick Palmer, the most famous war correspondent in the world.

**THE ROBESONIAN** is a weekly paper published in Lumberton, N. C., by L. E. Smith. It is published every Monday except on legal holidays. The subscription price is \$2.10 per year in advance.

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### REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE FARMERS & MERCHANTS BANK

LUMBERTON, N. C.  
At the Close of Business December 31, 1915

| Resources                                      |                     | Liabilities   |                     |
|--|---------------------|---|---------------------|
| Loans and Discounts                            | \$86,938.60         | Capital stock paid in                                   | \$20,000.00         |
| Overdrafts, secured, unsecured                 | 693.27              | Surplus fund  | 2,000.00            |
| Banking houses, furniture and fixtures         | 3,671.31            | Undivided profits, less current expenses and taxes paid | 232.40              |
| Due from National banks                        | 6,341.45            | Bills payable   | 5,000.00            |
| Due from State banks and banks                 | 452.29              | Deposits subject to check \$49,099.47                   |                     |
| Cash items                                     | 1,976.03            | Time certificates of deposit                            |                     |
| Gold coin                                      | 692.50              | posit   | 20,107.66           |
| Silver coin, including all minor coin currency | 415.50              | Savings deposits  | 6,237.49            |
| National bank notes and other U. S. notes      | 1,830.00            | Cashier's c'ks outstanding                              | 333.93              |
|  | 11,707.77           |   |                     |
| <b>Total</b>                                   | <b>\$103,010.95</b> | <b>Total</b>  | <b>\$103,010.95</b> |

State of North Carolina, County of Robeson, ss: I, K. M. Barnes, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief. K. M. BARNES, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 15th day of Jan. 1915.

W. H. KINLAW,  
Notary Public.  
My commission expires Mch. 25, 1916.

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Directors.

## Master Tobacco Transplanters

Simplest and Most Perfect Transplanting Machine Ever Invented

WRITE FOR CUTS AND PRICES TO  
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Wilmington, N. C.

### EVERY DAY THROUGH THE YEAR

There are Weddings, Birthdays, Parties, out door and indoor sports of all kinds, and Everyday gifts, prizes and trophies suitable for such occasions can be found every day in the year and at the right price at the

## Holmes Jewelry Company

A. J. HOLMES, Mgr.  
H. C. BOYLIN OLD STAND

### To All Users of Soda Water

Sanitation is, now-a-days, a very popular subject. Only sterilized and twice-rinsed bottles are filled in our shop. Does this appeal to you? Ask your doctor if sterilization is necessary.

Water used in our goods is Artesian and forced through a germ-proof filter. Ask your chemist if this is necessary? The public is invited to visit and inspect our shop. Each bottle is inspected before leaving our plant. Ring phone No. 134 for as good a line of soft drinks as can be found.

WE SOLICIT YOUR PATRONAGE  
**Robeson Soda Water Co.**  
LUMBERTON, N. C.

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DATE ..... 19....

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Find enclosed \$....., for which send THE CHARLOTTE OBSERVER, Daily and Sunday, by mail to the undersigned for ..... months.

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## TREAT ASTHMA, COLDS, CROUP WITH GOWANS

Thousands who have used Gowans, just rub it on the affected parts External Preparation in the treatment of very severe colds, asthma, bronchitis, throat troubles, pneumonia, etc. Don't let some unscrupulous dealer put something off on you "just as good." Write in praising its many fine qualities. Gowans being more powerful and penetrating, is much preferred for these troubles. Get a bottle of Gowans, just rub it on the affected parts at night and note immediate relief. Don't let some unscrupulous dealer put something off on you "just as good." Write in praising its many fine qualities. Gowans being more powerful and penetrating, is much preferred for these troubles. Get a bottle of Gowans, just rub it on the affected parts at night and note immediate relief. Don't let some unscrupulous dealer put something off on you "just as good." Write in praising its many fine qualities. Gowans being more powerful and penetrating, is much preferred for these troubles. Get a bottle of Gowans, just rub it on the affected parts at night and note immediate relief.

## GOWANS Rub-It-On

FOR COLDS, CROUP, PNEUMONIA

GOOD PICTURES ALL THE WEEK

Robesonian Want Ads Are Popular. Everybody Reads Them.