

MARIETTA NEWS MATTERS.

Church Services—Personal Mention—If Reforms Are Needed They Can Be Brought About by Electing L. R. Varner. Marietta, May 25.—Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Oliver left Sunday p. m. for Raleigh, to attend the State college commencement. Their son Paul graduates there this year. Mr. Linton Page, returned home Sunday from Wake Forest, where he attended school last year. Mr. J. J. Page and son, Joseph, were Lumberton visitors yesterday. Mrs. Forest Hamilton of Fair Bluff spent Sunday here with relatives. Miss Lizzie Oliver of Winston-Salem is visiting her mother Mrs. Lillie Oliver. Mr. and Mrs. Ben Townsend of Dunn spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Oliver. Mr. Patterson spoke here on last Wednesday night. Only a few went out to hear him. We were not interested. If he thinks Scotland is such a good county and has such fine roads, I want Maxton cut off and given to Scotland. I went across Scotland county a few days ago. The road from Lumberton to Maxton is so much better than the one from Maxton across Scotland that there is no comparison. I think we have too many officers. What good does Mr. Dukes or Miss Andrews do this part of the county? Where are those high-priced rural policemen? Monkey rum is made and sold in these swamps and they have not tried to find the guilty ones. Mr. McAllister's work was done just as well by our school committee-men as he does it, and no expense to the county. I think we should go away with so many of these unnecessary offices and save our taxes. This can easily be done without dividing the county. If you will just send Mr. Varner to the Senate, we can leave it entirely in his hands and it

Rev. I. P. Hedgepeth will preach here in the Methodist church at 11 o'clock on next Sunday morning and Rev. Dr. C. H. Durham pastor of First Baptist church of Lumberton, will preach in the p. m. of the same day at 3 o'clock. Don't forget the day, May 30th. Will be glad to have you come and hear both sermons.

ST. PAULS SCHOOL FINALS.

Session Just Closed a Very Prosperous One—502 Pupils Enrolled—Teachage Furnished Pleasant Abode, at \$18 a Month. Correspondence of The Robesonian. St. Pauls, May 24.—Commencement exercises of St. Pauls high school began Sunday, May 16, with the baccalaureate sermon by Dr. Hill, pastor of the First Presbyterian church of Red Springs, who gave a very able and impressive sermon. Tuesday night a Japanese operetta, "Princess chrysanthemum," was given by the music pupils, under the direction of Misses Blue and Harrington. The operetta pleased a large and appreciative audience. Wednesday night was given over to the recitation and declamation contest, four boys and five girls taking part in this. All showed excellent training and talent. Thursday morning came the graduating exercises and address. The class of 1920, the largest in the history of the school was composed of six boys and nine girls. The exercises rendered by the senior class were unusually good, showing originality and effective training, by their efficient teachers Miss McLean and Prof. T. S. Teague. The address was delivered by M. C. S. Noble of Chapel Hill, who delightfully entertained the audience for an hour. The exercises were concluded Thursday night by the play "Claim Allowed, Continued", in three acts. The characters were well suited to their respective parts, each one showing talent, trained and developed by

Misses Farmer, Moore and McLean. The audience showed their pleasure by frequent applause. Those winning honors were as follows: Best recitation, Georgia Lee Howard; best declamation, Lee McLean; excellency in high school, Ella Terry; best essay by seventh grade pupil, Ethel Fisher. The session of 1919-1920 was very prosperous under the able management of Prof. T. S. Teague, who has been Supt. here for three years. The enrollment for the year was 502. The prosperity of the school was greatly added to by the "Teachage", which furnished a pleasant abode, for the teachers at an expense not exceeding \$18 per month.

PROCTORVILLE POINTS.

Tobacco Warehouses Will Be Ready Soon—Community Pictures—New Residences—Personal Mention BY W. JEROME STEPHENS. Proctorville, May 24.—Rev. Dr. J. H. Eager, a statesman of New York and a Baptist missionary who has visited the utmost parts of the earth, spoke at the First Baptist church here Sunday night and preached one of the very best sermons. Dr. Eager laid most stress on prohibition and how it was being enforced in every State. Mr. Henry Bridgman, formerly of our town, now of Marion, S. C., was a visitor here Saturday and Sunday. Rapid progress is being made on the tobacco warehouses here. They will be ready for the first sales in near future. Chopping cotton seems to be the order of the day among the farmers in and around this city. There will be a moving picture show at Orrum tomorrow night. Because school is out that is no reason people should not patronize the State Board of Education community service show. Admission 10 cents. Mrs. W. G. Nance and little niece, Miss Francis Nance, both of our town, went Sunday to Lumberton to spend a week or more with friends and relatives. Misses Mamie and Carrie Graham and Ethel Blue, who have been attending school at Buies Creek academy, are home on a vacation. School closed at Buies Creek several weeks ago. The new residence of Mr. P. P. Smith in the southern part of town is being rapidly completed also Mr. C. C. Fennell has his new residence almost completed.

McDonald Fruit Growers Association Meets May 29th. Correspondence of The Robesonian. Lumberton R. 3, May 25.—There will be a meeting of the McDonald Fruit Growers association at McDonald Saturday, May 29th, at 3 p. m. D. H. BRITT, Pres.

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NOTICE OF SUMMONS. North Carolina, Robeson County.—In the Superior Court. Mrs. Lucy Avant vs. Woodson Avant. To Woodson Avant. You will take notice that an action has been instituted in the Superior court of Robeson County, as above entitled, for the purpose of obtaining an absolute divorce and

dissolving the bonds of matrimony heretofore existing between you and the plaintiff. You will further take notice that you are required to be and appear before Hon. C. B. Skipper, Clerk of the Superior Court of Robeson County, at the court house in Lumberton, N. C., on Saturday, June 12th, 1920, and answer the complaint which will be deposited in the office of the Clerk of the Court,

and that if you fail to appear and answer or demur to said complaint the relief demanded by the plaintiff will be granted. Given under my hand and seal of said court, this the 19th day of May, 1920. C. B. SKIPPER, Clerk of the Superior Court of Robeson County. 5 20 4 Thurs.

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