

# NEWS FROM THE COUNTY SEAT TOWN OF ELIZABETHTOWN

### School Opening Date Changed to September 8—Reunion of Thompson Family—Too Many Houses of Same Style—Sunday Bathing “Up and Leave”—Personal Mention.

Correspondence of The Robesonian.

Elizabethtown, Aug. 29.—In last week's Journal it was announced that the opening day of school would be on Monday the 5th. One day last week the principal Mr. Chas. Hunter was here and asked that the date be changed to Thursday the 8 of September. All patrons are urged to have their children at the school building Thursday a. m. Sept. 8.

**Mrs. McDowell Entertains**  
Mrs. Jno. McDowell entertained about 35 of her relatives from Sampson county at her White Lake cottage for the week-end. Her nephew, Dr. Ivy Thompson of St. Petersburg, Fla., has been the guest of Mrs. McDowell for sometime and it was in his honor that the reunion of the Thompson family was held.

**Woman's Club Meets.**  
The Woman's club met at the home of the President, Mrs. George Hall Jr. at White Lake, on Tuesday evening. The attendance was small but much interest manifested. This was the time for the American Home Dept. to have charge of the program but on account of the absence of the chairman Mrs. S. E. Ewell, she had made no special plans for the program.

Mrs. Hall had some splendid literature on “Better Homes in America” and decided this would be an opportune time to give the club benefits of this literature.

Mrs. Biggs had a paper on “City Planning”. Mrs. Bizzell read suggestions for “Home Gardening and Lawns”. Mrs. Hall discussed recreation and play for children. These discussions were very interesting and helpful. The club ladies brought out the fact that there were too many houses of the same style in Elizabethtown. Perhaps some have not thought of this, but when you enter a town and see so many houses of the same type, you say “where is the factory?” Not meaning any reflection whatever on any one's home but the Better Home Dept. of America is sending out this literature to help us to have more attractive homes and we should take advantage of this opportunity and read this literature. Mrs. Hall will be glad to lend it to any one planning to build or interested in making any changes in their home. Often times for the same money you can build a home next to your neighbor but by changing the roof and paint, your home looks entirely dif-

ferent. “Variety is the Spice of Life.” The club has decided to have the Crepe Myrtle for club flower and we hope every one will be interested in putting out crepe myrtle trees this fall.

After the business session a social hour was enjoyed, at which time a delightful salad course was served by the hostess assisted by Mrs. Bizzelle. “A Certain Lady”  
A few Sundays ago a certain lady was coming to Sunday school and on her way she passed several boys in their bath suits on the streets of our town. After going only a few steps she said something made her go back. This lady knew that our folks did not approve of “bath suits” on our streets and altho she felt a delicacy in doing it, she had the courage of her convictions and spoke to the boys and told them of our disapproval and she did not have to speak twice for there were “up and gone” as soon as they could get into their car.

We like visitors in our town, but we like bath suits in White Lake.

Mrs. F. Q. Barbee and children of Bladenboro spent the week-end with friends here. We regret that Mr. Barbee has had to undergo an operation at Baker sanatorium, Lumberton. He will teach near Laurinburg this season and Mrs. Barbee and the children expect to move to Laurinburg this week. We wish for them much success and trust that Mr. Barbee will have a speedy recovery.

The families of Messrs. Geo. Hall, H. H. Clark and G. W. Fisher spent Thursday at Myrtle Beach. S. C.

Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Stackhouse of Burlington spent last week at Marshburn's Beach and visited Rev. and Mrs. W. O. Biggs several times during the week. Mr. Stackhouse is a nephew of Mr. Biggs.

Mrs. E. T. Alston Jr. and son Billy, of Henderson spent part of last week at home of Mrs. Alton's brother, Mr. Hector Clark.

Mrs. K. L. Ponzer and sons, Messrs. Karl and John, have just returned from a pleasant visit in Hyde county with Mr. Ponzer.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Council of Lake Waccamaw visited relatives here last Wednesday.

Dr. and Mrs. E. C. Bennett have recently moved in the home of Mr. W. O. Biggs, and are doing light housekeeping. We are delighted that they have found a nice place to live, and will stay with us. Dr. Bennett is very popular here and we trust that his practice may continue to grow.

Miss Fannie Paul who has been director of music at a girl's camp in New Hampshire this summer, is ex-

pected home this week.

Miss Louise Jones left Thursday for Boone where she will enter college in her 2nd year.

Mr. L. Byrd is building a cottage near the school house for rent. It will be occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Rowland Cole.

Miss Clarice Melvin of White Oak Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Fisher, Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Ewell spent two days last week at Southport and Carolina Beach.

Mrs. Ruth Call and 3 children from the Piedmont section are visiting Mrs. Call's parents Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Rollins. One of the little girls just 8 years old played the violin at Baptist church yesterday and did wonderfully well.

Miss Sinai Brinson spent week-end in Kinston with relatives.

Miss Esther Council is taking her vacation this week and is spending the time with her parents near Council.

The many friends of Mr. B. F. Townsend will be glad to know that after an illness of six weeks, he is much better.

Miss Minnie Butler is taking a vacation this week and Mr. Shelton Dunham is filling her position at Hutchinson's drug store.

Miss Hester Blake of Burgaw has been visiting Miss Lydia Caviness, they spent the week-end at Siler City.

Mr. W. M. Bryan and daughter, Miss Evelyn of Buie's Creek; Mrs. John Copin and Mrs. Hooker of Aurora; Misses Annie Burke of Raleigh, and Louise Beggwith of Petersburg, Va. were guests of Mr. and Mrs. N. McK. Bryan during last week.

Miss Thelma Kelly of Olanta, S. C. is the guest of Miss Catherine Powell.

News from County Farm Agent Mr. J. R. Powell is that he landed at Southampton, England, on the 12. Was in Denmark last week and expects to be in Holland this week. He is having a wonderful trip and will have many interesting things to tell when he returns. Mrs. Powell and little daughter, Marjorie, are visiting relatives in Oxford during Mr. Powell's absence.

**Recorder's Court.**  
The recorder of Bladen county this morning faced the usual light docket which has prevailed for several weeks past. Paul Harrell, young white man of Lake Creek, was sentenced to 6 months in jail for carrying concealed weapon, judgment was suspended on payment of \$50 fine and costs, conditioned upon his showing good behavior for 6 months.

Henry Everett was sentenced to 12 months in jail to be hired to the roads for manufacturing and possessing intoxicating liquors. Henry is a white man of Colly Township and returned to his old tricks while out on bond charged with the same offense.

W. G. Powell, colored, was charged with possession of intoxicating liquors,

### ACHED ALL OVER

#### Was Suffering Dreadfully, Just "Wasting Away," Took Cardui, and Says It Helped Her.

Arlington, Texas.—A resident of this town for many years, Mrs. J. H. Jackson, says:

**"I had suffered dreadfully with an aching all over my body. At times my head would give me so much trouble I could hardly stand it. I had been in bed for weeks and it looked like I was just wasting away. I took 9 bottles of Cardui and my strength began to slowly return. Since that time I have used this medicine a good many times and it has always helped me. At one time I took Cardui for several months regularly. I would be afflicted with sudden spells of dizziness when I could not stand on my feet. Everything would turn black before my eyes and I would feel as if I were going to faint. At times I would be quite nauseated. I turned at once to Cardui and took it till I was safely through."**

Cardui is a mild, medicinal tonic, made from purely vegetable ingredients. It has been in use for over 50 years, and in that time thousands of women have written that Cardui helped them back to good health.

**Sold by all druggists. NC-152**

and the case was not pressed.

James Buie, young negro of Clarkton, was sentenced to three months in jail with leave to be assigned to the roads for malicious injury to personal property.

#### IN MEMORY OF MRS. J. C. COPE

The death angel hovered over the Cope home in Red Springs on Aug. 1, 1927, and chokd the death dew from its ebony wings upon the beautiful life of Mrs. Cope, 72 years old, and bore her sweet soul to her heavenly home to meet her loved ones, and wait there for those whom she left behind. Her desire was to go to dwell with her Master, whom she never ceased to praise. She was ever ready to save a soul, to talk in behalf of her savior, and to serve her maker. She was a living example to her family and to her many friends. Even though she was an invalid for nine years and suffered intensely, she was keenly cheerful, and always had a calm, kind message for those who were in sorrow.

The fact that friends came from far and near to see and talk with her shows that she had a message for each that was worthwhile. This beautiful Christian character approached old age in a graceful, calm manner. She felt old age the peaceful and happy worthwhile period of a life. Her life reminded me of a beautiful fruit, first a bud, a blossom, a small green apple, then a beautiful fragrant fruit. When God needed her, He plucked this mellow life, which was eager and ready to go. Her unselfishness was the keynote of her happiness. What an inspiration she was to those who knew her! The memory of such a life will linger in the hearts of those who were fortunate to know her and will be a ready stimulus to urge them on to a goal of complete happiness, unselfishness, purity, full of joy, and a human love divine that was hers.

Her devotion to her family physician, Dr. Johnson, was without measure. She knew that he was very much concerned about her physical condition. His kind and encouraging words were ever dear to her and they made life and pain easier. She depended on this great physician; God sent him to her, to help her bear her pain. She bore her afflictions, calmly and patiently, often repeating with a smile, "Jesus bore it all for me."

Mrs. Cope loved the boys and girls of Antioch. She often said that the sweet prayers that went up from their hearts made her heart rejoice. They strewed their flowers along the pathway for her during life. She always said that those who had flowers for her, to give them while life lasted—that when she crossed over to the other side she would have flowers throughout eternity. She kept these young folks on her heart and asked God incessantly to be merciful and kind to them. She was deeply concerned about their souls, for she wanted to gather them in her arms, and take them home to Jesus with her.

She was ever loyal and faithful to her pastor, Mr. Stephens. He, too, helped to make her load lighter and

easier to bear.

Now that she has gone from our midst, we rejoice that she has left with us the memory of this beautiful, unselfishness, unspotted, pure, and righteous life.

Our great poet, Shakespeare, would say of her as he said of Cordelia, "Her voice was ever soft, sweet, and low, an excellent thing in woman."

Another great poet would say to us, "God's in his heaven, all's right with the world."

By Mrs. A. A. Howell, Scranton, S. C.

#### ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

Having this day qualified as Administrator of the estate of W. R. McNeill, deceased, this is to notify all persons holding claims against said estate to file them with the undersigned on or before the 15th day of August, 1927, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of recovery. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to please make settlement with the undersigned administrator. This the 15th day of August, 1927.

PAUL D. McNEILL,  
Administrator of  
J. E. Carpenter, Atty.  
8-15-6 Thurs.

#### NOTICE OF SALE

Under and by virtue of the power and authority conferred by a judgment of the Superior Court of Robeson County in an action therein pending, entitled A. R. Bullock, Receiver and others vs. C. M. Townsend, the undersigned commissioners, will, on Monday, the 3rd day of October, 1927, at twelve o'clock, noon, at the court house door of Robeson County, offer for sale for cash to the highest bidder, the following described tracts or parcels of land, to-wit:

1st tract: In Thompssons Township, beginning at a popular in a small branch, the beginning corner of a tract of land devised to N. A. Townsend by David Townsend, deceased, and runs as his line North 74 East 17.95 chains to a stake by two pines; thence due East 73.50 chains to the back line; thence as it, north 1-1/2 East 31.69 chains to a pine among black jacks; thence due west 114 chains to Bullard's line; thence as his line South 23 East 29 chains to his corner; thence as his next line South 67 West 44 down the run of the swamp to the mouth of chains to the run of Aaron Swamp; thence the small branch in which the beginning corner is located; then up the various courses of the run of said branch to the beginning corner, containing 475 acres, more or less, and being the same land devised to C. M. Townsend by his father David Townsend, as Book of Wills No. 3 at page 396, office Clerk Superior Court of Robeson County, executing, however, 6.3 acres conveyed to Eastern Railroad Company for a right of way, by deed registered in Book 3-x, page 392.

2nd tract: Adjoining the lands of C. M. Townsend, N. A. Townsend estate, A. D. McKenzie and others. Beginning at a stake by a pine and lightwood stump, Richard Townsend's corner of a 25 acre survey and runs due west 109.32 chains to a stake by a pine in a branch; then north 23 west 20.23 chains to a stake by a large pine; then north 23 east 4.24 chains to a small gum, McKenzie's corner; then as his line North 66 East 14 chains to a stake; thence north 11 west 13.54 chains to a stake by a gum, oak

#### ADMINISTRATRIX'S NOTICE

Having qualified as administratrix of the estate of D. V. Rodgers deceased, county of Robeson, North Carolina, to notify all persons having claims against said estate to file them with the undersigned at her residence, 15th day of August, 1927, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of recovery. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to please make immediate settlement with the undersigned. This 15th day of Aug. 1927.

CHARITY  
Britt & Britt, Atty. for Admin.  
8-15-6 Thurs.

# FISHING

## The D. L. Stewart Pond

Located on Long Swamp East of Max on R. F. D. No. 5, 3 Miles North of Banks and Pembroke and 3 Miles South of Wakulla, Will Be Drawn Off Sept. 8th 9th, 1927.

THERE WILL BE PLENTY OF FISH FOR EVERYBODY.

**FEES**  
\$1.50 Per Man With Gig  
\$2.50 Per Man With Seine

**B. B. BLUE, Manager**  
Pembroke, N. C.

### A Fall STYLE Display

of

# KAHN

Made-to-Measure  
The Kind of CLOTHES Gentlemen Wear

#### A Style Authority

direct from the great tailoring shops of the Kahn Tailoring Company of Indianapolis, will be in our store—

SEPTEMBER  
5, 6 & 7TH,

He is an Expert in measuring, and men who take advantage of his visit are assured the very finest of fit and service.

You are cordially invited to attend

# K. M. Biggs

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Take advantage of this expert service now  
Your suit can be delivered later, if you wish



## "Solving the Agricultural Problem is Everybody's Business"

These are the words of John W. O'Leary, a big business man and an ex-President of U. S. Chamber of Commerce.

The purpose of Cooperative cotton marketing is to increase the buying power of farmer by getting him more money for his product.

### FARMING MADE PROFITABLE MEANS BUSINESS MADE PROFITABLE

Cooperative marketing means the distributing of a year's crop over a period of several months or a year's time, feeding the supply to the demand in an orderly manner and seeking to obtain a better average price than can be obtained by selling through the "dumping" process regardless of demand.

Government statistics as compiled by the Federal Trade Commission will show conclusively to the fair minded man that we have succeeded in marketing our cotton four years out of five at better average prices than was obtained upon the open markets. We have never claimed that we could hit the topnotch prices during any one season.

Orderly marketing of our cotton means orderly payments to our members. Orderly payments to our members is a long step towards putting the farmer on a cash basis.

Though we do not now control the volume which we hope to eventually control, yet we are recognized by even those who do not support cooperative marketing as being the biggest single stabilizing factor in the market.

### COOPERATIVE MARKETING IS EITHER RIGHT OR WRONG, IN THEORY AND IN PRINCIPLE.

If it is wrong then it deserves the condemnation of all, but if cooperative marketing is right and proper then it deserves the support of not only every cotton producer in this state but every business and professional man as well.

## THE PROSPERITY OF THE SOUTH CONCERNS US ALL

We welcome the fullest investigation of our five years record and crave the support of those who desire to see agriculture put upon an equal basis with other industries.

# NORTH CAROLINA COTTON GROWERS COOPERATIVE ASSOCIATION

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We can weld anything except Broken Hearts and the Break O' Day  
We can fix it right if it is your Boiler, Engine, Saw Mill, Gin, Gas Engine, we make new Brasses to fit. All kinds of Shop and lath work. Acetylene welding. We carry in stock at all times Shafting, Steel, Round and Flat Iron.

COME AND SEE.  
**G. A. Inman**  
First street. Lumberton, N. C.