

Local Records.

Many a proud strutting turkey gobbler is a victim today to our great national festival.

The offices in the railroad depot at this place are being remodeled and much improved.

Thanksgiving services will be held today in the Baptist, Episcopal and Methodist churches.

WANTED: The address of the owner or owners of whet-stone quarry. Apply to W. P. White, Pinebluff, N. C.

The dying squeal of many a hog may be heard these frosty mornings, and our people are beginning to enjoy hog and hominy.

A citizen of this county got \$3,000 cash, last week, for the timber on his land, when the land and buildings and timber, all were assessed for taxation at only \$1250.

Lockville Roller Mills have just received 300 bushels T. W. Wood & Sons farmers' seed wheat, purple, fulz fulcaster. Whether you buy from them or not be sure that you use the best seed.

Mrs. Melissa Green died last week at her home in Hadley township, aged 82 years. She was a sister of the late W. P. Hadley and was the youngest and last survivor of her parents' children.

FOR SALE: 20 mule colts, 18 months old; also 2 good work horses, one an excellent driver, safe for ladies and children. Will sell for cash, or on time, with good security. J. H. Ihrie, Pittsboro, N. C.

W. L. London & Son want to call your attention again to their stock of shoes. Every pair of shoes sold by them is warranted as represented or you get your money back. Walk Over for men, Queen Quality for ladies and children.

One of our townsmen, when at a hotel in another town some days ago, got into conversation with a travelling man from Connecticut, who, when he learned that our townsman was from Chatham county, exclaimed, "Oh yes, that is the county where the Populists wanted to make rabbitskins a legal tender."

There ought to be a large crowd at the court-house tonight to enjoy the entertainment given under the auspices of the Daughters of the Confederacy by Mr. J. Leon Williams, of Trinity College, who is said to be an accomplished reader and impersonator. Admission 25 cents for adults and 15 cents for children.

They are now already displaying at W. L. London & Son's their Christmas goods. Their stock this season surpasses any former showing they have ever made in this line. Handsome presents in leather goods, china and bric-a-brac. Come early before the rush, pick out what you want and they will keep it for you 'till Christmas. You can find something for everybody in this stock. The special display of Indian goods will interest every one.

Capt. William Moncre, who made the first survey for the Pittsboro railroad, and Mr. John L. Tull chief engineer of the Durham & Charlotte R. R. Co., were here last week looking over the country between here and Haw river and beyond in the direction of Durham. This has revived the hopes of those who have been so long expecting the Durham & Charlotte R. R. Company to construct its road from Gulf to this place and thence to Durham.

Personal Items.

Dr. H. T. Chapin is visiting his father at Beaufort.

Mr. Isaac S. London is on a short visit to his parents.

Miss Ann Archibald, of Kinston, is visiting Miss Lily Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. William J. Womble are visiting friends at Raleigh.

Mr. Fred C. Williams has been here on a short visit to his parents.

Mrs. Thomas C. James, of Wilmington, is visiting her sister, Mrs. W. L. London.

Mr. Louis Nooe and some of his college mates from the A. & M. College are spending Thanksgiving day here.

Miss Effie Lambeth, of Bynum, went to Winston last week to attend the marriage of her cousin, Miss Annie Bynum.

Mrs. Herbert E. Norris and son, of Raleigh, are spending Thanksgiving day with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Burns.

On last Friday night our popular clerk of the superior court, Mr. James L. Griffin, entertained most hospitably the resident members of the Chatham Bar and the court house officers.

Stock Law.

We learn that some of the advocates of the extension of the stock law had a conference at Lockville, a few days ago, and decided to urge the meeting, that will be held here next Monday, to petition for the extension of the present stock law territory so as to include all of Centre, Oakland, New Hope and Cape Fear townships.

By such an extension all the present stock law fences in those townships will be removed and the only fence to be built will be a short fence along the Moore county line, south of Oakland township, and even that may not be necessary. Such an extension will establish the stock law in all of this county, except in a part of Bear Creek township, and no new fence will be required there.

Many persons are now favoring this extension of the stock law who have heretofore been opposed to it. The petitions for this extension must be signed by a majority of all the land owners residing in the four townships, and persons in each of those four townships will be appointed to get signatures. No new legislation will be asked for, but the extension will be made under the act passed for this county in 1901. While it will be necessary for only those land owners in those four townships to sign these petitions, yet all the land owners in the county are interested in this extension because thereby they will be relieved of the present stock law tax, which amounts to over one thousand dollars a year.

A Distinguished Chathamite.

Washington, Nov. 24.—In the event of the defeat of Congressman Joseph Dixon for the seat in the United States Senate occupied by W. A. Clark, of Montana, the statement is made on what is considered good authority that the President will appoint him commissioner of the land office.

Mr. Dixon is not out of the senatorial contest by any means, but Tom Carter and the old-line Montana Republicans are trying hard to defeat him, and in that event the President will most likely put him in charge of the land office. Mr. Roosevelt has a mighty high opinion of Mr. Dixon.

Mr. Dixon was born and reared in Chatham county, being a son of the late Hugh W. Dixon, of that part of Albright township which was given to Alamance by the Fusion Legislature in 1895.—Ed. Record.]

The Youngest Senator.

Louisville (Ky.) Correspondence of The Philadelphia Record.

When Governor John Cripps Wickliffe Beckham takes his seat in the United States Senate he will be the youngest member of that august body, as he now is the youngest Governor in years in the country, although the oldest in point of service. He is now 38 years old and has been Kentucky's Governor for seven years, having entered that office when just one month over the requisite age of 30 years.

Crushed Under Wagon.

Boon Hill, N. C., Nov. 24.—Mr. Clingman Storie, while driving a yoke of cattle down a steep hill, lost control of them. They ran off, caught him under the wagon and as a result one of his arms was broken, and one of his legs crushed below the knee, to say nothing of other bruises about the body. He has been delirious much of the time since the accident occurred, and much uneasiness is manifested by his family and friends.

Swept Cartridge in Fire.

Spencer, N. C., Nov. 26.—Mrs. W. L. Moore, of this place, was shot in the head this afternoon by a cartridge which she had swept into an open fire place and the explosion followed, the ball taking effect in the forehead of the nose-ward. Her wound is not considered serious.

All kinds of queer things happen, but one of the strangest is a complaint which a Wake county official received from a farmer regarding the building of a fine macadam road through the farmer's territory. The latter said that the road was a great nuisance because it wore out the shoes of his horses much faster than an ordinary dirt road.

Mr. L. Banks Holt, of Graham, continues to recover from the terrible wound inflicted by a negro on the night of the 6th inst. It was an almost miraculous escape from instant death.

Capt. Virginius Ballard, of Durham, died there on last Saturday in his 72nd year.

Mule Lost.

On last Sunday night my mule got out of my stable near Hanks' Chapel, and a liberal reward will be paid for her return to me. She is bay colored, one fore-leg larger than the other, medium size and 15 years old. J. T. WHITE.

The Stock Law.

MR. EDITOR: We think your stock law article in last week's issue might have read, "We are requested by Mr. Jno. W. Taylor to announce the stock law meeting."

The territory which claims to have recently voted stock law on themselves we hear were told they would not have to build the fence. We suppose they intended forcing us anti-stock law people under stock law and not allow us the privilege all others have had. This would be a very mean and low-down spirit. We don't think fair-minded reasonable citizens, those who do to others as they would be done by, will have anything to do with this move. (Those now living in stock law). If we want stock law we can get it within ourselves. We suppose those living under stock law who want to cast a vote to put us in, think we are not capable of attending to our business and need them as our guardians, or else they are willing to take our privileges from us. We wonder if the editor of The Record would sign a petition to this effect? He claims The Record to use its best endeavors to promote the best interests of its readers or supporters. We are sorry The Record laid such stress on the great sum of stock law tax to be collected, 5 cents on the \$100 worth of land. Why didn't The Record stir the people when their taxes were from 7 to 19 cents on the \$100 worth of land?

How do we account for the recent move for stock law? We think the territory which recently voted on stock law don't want to build their fence. Shame be on them for resorting to the proposed plan to avoid building their fence! One other reason as we think why this move, we hear there is money being raised for this purpose. No doubt stock law will cover the county after a while and sooner than the people need it, but we don't want to have people in stock law putting it on us. We ask our friends in stock law to please give us the same privilege they had and have nothing to do with this.

JOSEPH W. WOMBLE.

Nov. 27th, 1906.

Sandy Creek Union.

The Eastern division of the Sandy Creek Union convenes with Pittsboro church Dec. 23, 29, 30.

PROGRAMME.

Friday 11 a. m. - Sermon. 2:00 - Organization. 2:15 - Do the signs of the times indicate that temperance is progressing? T. Y. Seymour, O. P. Mitchell.

(2) Is there a relation between the Old Testament Zion and the New Testament Church, if so, what is it? L. R. Dixon, R. P. Johnson, J. L. Smith.

(3) What are the fundamental principles of the New Testament Church? W. T. Hurst, J. L. Griffin, D. L. Webster.

(4) What are the prerequisites to the New Testament Church membership? N. H. Shepherd, W. D. Poe.

(5) Are long pastorates profitable, and if so, how can we promote them? A. W. Harmon, R. B. Lineberry, D. R. Sears.

(6) Sunday a. m. - Sunday School mass-meeting, conducted by A. I. Caudle.

L. M. HOBBS for Committee.

Boy's Back Broken.

From the Sanford Express.

Last Saturday night about 11 o'clock Ernest, the nineteen-year-old son Mr. W. S. Temple, who lives a few miles from Sanford, fell out of a tree and broke his back. It is the most distressing accident that has occurred in this community in years, and the young man has the sincerest prayers of every one for his recovery. Mr. Temple, with his younger brother and several other boys of the same neighborhood, were out possum hunting. After they had been hunting for an hour or two the party broke up and the temples started home. Before reaching home the dogs "treed" something and the older of the brothers climbed the tree, a limb of which broke causing him to fall to the ground. The lower part of his body is paralyzed and although he is in a critical condition it is hoped that he will recover.

In Time of Peace.

In the first months of the Russia-Japan war we had a striking example of the necessity for preparation and the early advantage of those who, so to speak, "have shingled their roofs in dry weather." The virtue of preparation has made history and given to us our greatest men. The individual as well as the nation should be prepared for any emergency. Are you prepared to successfully combat the first cold you take? A cold can be cured much more quickly when treated as soon as it has been contracted and before it has become settled in the system. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is famous for its cures of colds and it should be kept at hand ready for instant use. For sale by G. R. Pilkington.

Accidentally Shot His Sister.

From the Industrial News, Nov. 25th.

While standing near the door of her home not far from Pomona, Miss Annie Edmundson, the seventeen-year-old daughter of Dallas Edmundson, was accidentally shot and instantly killed yesterday afternoon by a gun in the hands of her brother, James Edmundson, who was carrying the gun into the house.

The young man, who is about two years younger than his sister, had carried out the gun to shoot a chicken and was returning it to the house, when the horrible accident occurred.

Miss Edmundson was standing near the door when her brother entered. He was carrying the gun by his side and unconsciously allowed it to strike the door. Instantly there was a report, and the entire charge struck the girl's head near the left eye, practically tearing off the left side of her head.

Loss of Life on the Lakes.

Buffalo, Nov. 23.—Twenty-three lives and great loss of property constitute the record of a gale sweeping over the Great Lakes Wednesday and Thursday. The lost vessels are the barge Resolute, of Toronto, with six men drowned; the barge Athens, sunk off Sandusky, eight men lost; Panama in Lake Superior, thirteen men lost. Thirteen other vessels are reported lost. Word has been received that the Helen Taylor, a steamer, has been lost off Muskegon, Mich., that her crew of six men are drowned. Facts later will probably increase the casualties.

Accidentally Killed by Brother.

Special to News and Observer.

Wilmington, N. C., Nov. 24.—Marvin Dewey Clark, the five-year-old son of Mr. A. W. Clark, a truck grower of Masonboro Sound, was accidentally shot and instantly killed this morning by his little brother, seven years old. The father was away on the farm and the mother was in the yard when the two boys attempted to take their father's heavily loaded gun from a rack in one of the bedrooms. In pulling it down the elder boy allowed it to go off, the load tearing away a part of the head and the lower part of Marvin's jaw.

Chamberlain's Pain Balm.

There is no danger from blood poison resulting from a cut or wound of any kind, when Chamberlain's Pain Balm is used. It is an antiseptic dressing and should be in every household. For sale by G. R. Pilkington.

The Raleigh & Pamlico Sound railroad is now completed from Raleigh 22 miles to Wendell and is to be extended 110 miles to Neuse Junction, with a branch line from Farmville to Snow Hill, 12 miles.

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Maxton has been selected as the site of the proposed Methodist college.

\$25 Reward.

I will pay \$25 for the arrest and delivery to the sheriff of Chatham county of Levi Poe.

He is a tall white man, about 26 or 27 years old, spare built, no beard, light colored hair.

B. B. WAGNER, Pittsboro, N. C.

November 22nd, 1906.

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EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

Having qualified as the executor of the last will and testament of Richard J. Holt, deceased, I hereby notify all persons holding claims against said decedent to exhibit the same to me on or before the 8th day of November, 1907.

N. A. GARDNER.

R. F. D. No. 2, New Hill, N. C. R. H. DIXON, Attorney. This 8th Nov., 1906.

ADMINISTRATORS' NOTICE: Having qualified as administrators of Joshua Johnson, deceased, we hereby notify all persons indebted to said decedent to exhibit the same to us on or before the 25th day of October, 1907.

This 24th day of October, 1906. OSTIA PERRY, A. C. PERRY.

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EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.—Having qualified as executor of the last will and testament of James L. Myrick, deceased, I hereby notify all persons holding claims against said decedent to exhibit the same to me on or before the 25th day of November, 1907.

This 25th Nov. 1906. W. S. MYRICK, Executor. BOAZ, N. C.

LAND SALE.

All 1/2 of Block No. 100, containing 100 acres, more or less, as will be shown by title deeds, said sale to be made for the purpose of division among the parties in interest and is a portion of the land formerly owned by the late Louis Bridgers.

This November 1st, 1906. A. C. BRIDGERS, Agent for the owners of said land.

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