

LOCAL RECORDS.

The public school here will close on Friday (the 7th), and on Monday a subscription school will begin for six weeks.

Dr. J. H. Thrie (dentist) will be at Pittsboro the first Monday in each month for one week prepared to do all kinds of dental work.

Every week means more new shoes added to the already attractive line of ladies', gents' and children's shoes at Brooks & Eubanks.

Lost: In Pittsboro last Friday a Knight Templar's charm. A reward will be paid on return to T. E. Allen, at Durham, or to this office.

Be sure to go tomorrow (Thursday) night and hear the famous Polk Miller troupe. A rare treat is in store for all who attend. You can get reserved seats at the drug store.

W. L. London & Son sell Cole's cotton planters and guano distributors, Empire and Hoosier corn drill, Johnson's harrows and Oliver Chilled plows. Try these tools if you want the best.

We received this week a lot of Pittsburg electric welded fence for hog, cattle and poultry. This is the best fence on the market, and you can save money by buying it.—W. L. London & Son.

Ladies, bear in mind that Brooks & Eubanks keep a nice line of fancy and staple groceries. Call for that shredded coconut that's making such a hit for cakes, puddings and candy.

Here are a few of my prices: Lard, by the tub, 10c; by the lb, 11c; meat 11c, 25 lbs granulated sugar \$1.35; good flour \$4.90. Satisfaction or money back on return of goods.—R. J. Moore, Bynum, N. C.

Atwater & Lambeth at Bynum would call attention to their full and complete line of general merchandise, including farm implements, tools, wagons, buggies, surreys and everything carried in the mercantile line.

The town commissioners have appointed Mr. G. R. Pilkington registrar and Messrs. H. A. Bynum and G. W. Moore poll-holders for the biennial election for mayor and commissioners of the town of Pittsboro, to be held on the 2nd day of May.

The famous Polk Miller troupe from Richmond will give an entertainment tomorrow (Thursday) night at the school auditorium, and a most enjoyable occasion awaits all who are so fortunate as to be present. A large crowd is expected.

Dr. L. E. Farthing, county superintendent of health, informs us that there is now only one smallpox patient in the county under his charge and that this patient, who is a colored man on the farm of the late John W. Atwater in Williams township, will be discharged in a few days.

Atwater & Lambeth at Bynum are carrying a full line of fertilizers, representing six companies or manufacturers, and are able to supply any kind of fertilizer that may be wanted. Special prices made for cash in quantities. Their farmer friends are requested to call before buying elsewhere.

Mrs. Mary Lee Stedman invites her friends to attend the millinery opening at Atwater & Lambeth's at Bynum Saturday of this week. She has just returned from Baltimore with a complete line of the latest millinery which she will be glad to show the ladies, whether they buy or not.

Mr. A. L. Bain, of Greensboro, had an option on the Carney Stone land in New Hope township, for \$12,000, and the Greensboro Daily News says he has sold it for \$20,000 to Mr. B. B. Bouldin, representing a Virginia capitalist. This tract consists of 800 acres well timbered and is assessed for taxation at \$4,000.

We regret to hear of the death of Dr. A. B. Chapin, who died on last Thursday at Beaufort where he had resided for several years. He was the father of Dr. H. T. Chapin, of this place, and resided in this county for several years after the war and is well remembered by our older countrymen. He was eighty-three years old.

Wanted, night watchman and fireman combined. For a reliable, strong, able-bodied white man, who will punch clock regularly at night, keep 80 to 100 lbs steam, 100 h. p. boiler, wash same each Saturday night, fully capable putting in repairs to pipe, packing pumps, engines, etc., will pay \$1.75 per night. Regular time will be required. Only the best of men need apply with the best of recommendations from good men.—Fayetteville (N. C.) Wood- en Ware Co.

Send us or bring us your job work. All work turned out neatly and at reasonable prices. Satisfaction guaranteed.

The closing exercises of Eastern Academy High School, in New Hope township, are being held this afternoon and tonight.

There was quite a large number of people here Monday, the boards of county commissioners, road commissioners and education all being in session.

The old tin roof on the southern side of the court-house has been replaced with a new galvanized iron roof. New flooring has also been placed in the county jail.

The board of education Monday abolished the Providence school district, consolidating it with the three adjoining districts, principally the Moncure district.

County Assessor J. Brack Council, of Williams township, was here Monday conferring with the county commissioners as to the assessment of property to be begun May 1st.

Judging by the wintry weather we have had the last few days, don't you think THE RECORD's old ground-hog knew what he was doing when he went back into his hole February the 2nd?

Only a week or two and you will need a corn planter, and one that assures you of a good stand and time and labor saved. Then look before buying at the "Superior" sold by Brooks & Eubanks.

We take pleasure in calling attention to the advertisements of Sanford's two leading mercantile companies, Wilkins-Ricks & Company and Williams-Belk Company. Their large stocks and stores would do credit to a more pretentious city than Sanford.

Under an act passed by the last Legislature the county boards of education have authority to change the lines between two special tax school districts which have the same rate of taxation. Of course this will only be done where the interests of the schools and patrons affected demand a change.

His old friends in Chatham will regret to hear of the death of our former countyman, Mr. John W. Petty, who died very suddenly on last Monday night at Sanford, where he had been residing for several years. He had been in his usual health on Monday and next morning was found dead in his bed. He was the father of Sheriff C. G. Petty and was highly esteemed by all who knew him.

At their regular monthly meeting held last Saturday our town commissioners passed an order to receive sealed bids at the mayor's office, on the 5th of May, for the sale of the \$5,000 worth of town bonds for street improvement to be issued in accordance with the election here on the 11th of March. See the notice in another column. These bonds will be as safe an investment as can be had and will be the only bonds ever issued by our ancient borough.

Several weeks ago the Chatham County Good Roads Association offered two prizes of \$3 and \$2 to those two students of any public school in the county writing the best essays on the subject of good roads. Secretary Frank D. Jones requests us to announce the appointment of the following committee to decide the contest: Prof. R. P. Johnson, Rev. V. A. Royall and Mr. H. M. London. The committee will announce its decision in a few days.

Mr. R. O. Buchanan, who runs the ferry at Avent's Ferry on the Cape Fear river in this county, was in our office Monday and told us of a remarkable pig which he owns. The pig follows its owner wherever he goes, just like a dog. A few days ago when Mr. Buchanan was starting on a trip across the river he looked behind and saw his pigship plunge in the water and follow the ferry across the river, a distance of over 500 feet, arriving safely on the other side just as Mr. Buchanan made a landing. The Siler City Grit is requested to take notice of this, the champion, trained pig of lower Chatham.

Township Assessors. At their meeting last Monday the county commissioners appointed the following "assistant" assessors for the townships in this county:

- Albright—W. H. White. Baldwin—Jas. G. Norwood. Bear Creek—J. W. Brewer. Cape Fear—S. W. Harrington. Centre—S. D. Gilmore. Gulf—J. Rom. Moore. Hadley—W. M. Lindsay. Haw River—C. C. Poe. Hickory Mt.—J. B. Burke. Matthews—O. A. Hanner. New Hope—O. S. Poe. Oakland—F. L. May. Williams—H. D. Mason.

Personal Items.

Rev. H. O. Nash will remove from Sanford to this place tomorrow.

Mrs. A. B. Clark leaves Saturday on a visit to her daughter, Mrs. Ben. B. Holt, at Graham.

Mr. W. B. Thomas, of Mount Gilead, has been on a visit to his father, Mr. John Thomas, near here.

Mrs. Fred. Brewer and children, of Johnson City, Tennessee, are here on a visit to Mrs. Mary C. Brewer.

Her many friends will be pleased to know that Mrs. A. G. Headen, who has been indisposed for several days, is somewhat improved.

Mrs. J. H. Fell and children, of Trenton, New Jersey, will return there tomorrow after a visit here to her parents. Miss Betty London will accompany her for a two-months' visit.

School Tax Elections.

Two special tax school elections were ordered by the county commissioners, at their meeting Monday, both to be held on the same date, Monday, May 8th. One of them is to be held in the Silk Hope school district and the other in the district adjoining known as the Chestnut Hill district, both districts lying partly in Albright and partly in Hadley townships. The tax to be voted on is 30 cents on the \$100 worth of property and 90 cents on the poll.

S. P. Teague is the registrar and E. V. Straughan and John Whitt are the pollholders for the Silk Hope election, while W. F. Fuquay is the registrar and J. G. Lindley and Zeb. Clark are the poll-holders for the Chestnut Hill election.

Assessing Property.

For the information of our readers we copy from the new "Machinery Act" the duties of the township assessors (each of whom is called "assistant assessor") as follows:

The assistant assessor shall visit each taxpayer in his township between first and thirty-first days of May, and shall obtain from such taxpayer a full, complete, and detailed statement of each and every piece and kind of property, real, personal and mixed, which each taxpayer shall own on the first day of May, together with as near as possible the true value in money owned by him or them or which may be under his or their control as agent, guardian, administrator, or otherwise, and which should be listed for taxation. And it shall be the duty of said assistant assessor to ascertain and place the actual cash value in money opposite each piece or class of property listed for taxation. He is hereby authorized and empowered to administer oaths in all cases necessary to obtain full and correct information concerning any taxable real and personal property in his township. In the event that the assistant assessor has failed to obtain such a statement from any taxpayers before the first day of June, because he has been unable to visit all taxpayers within the township, or in case the assistant assessor could not find such taxpayers, or for any other reason, it shall be the duty of such taxpayers to make a return of such statement at the home office of the assistant assessor on or before the fifteenth day of June. And thereafter the said assistant assessor, upon notice posted in five public places in his township or given in a newspaper published in his county, ten days before the time named, may require all persons, delinquent in the matter of listing their property or who have failed to list their property for any cause, to appear at the place and times stated in such notice, and list their property. Such notice shall be posted or published on or before the tenth day of June.

County Health Board.

As previously noted in THE RECORD, the last Legislature made several changes in the public health laws, which it is hoped will improve local health conditions materially. In place of the county sanitary committee a county board of health is created whose functions are much more distinctive than those of the county sanitary committee, the sole duty of the new board being the care of the county health.

The county board of health is composed of five members selected as follows: "The chairman of the board of county commissioners, the mayor of the county town and the county superintendent of schools shall meet together on the first Monday in April, 1911, and thereafter on the first Monday in January in the odd years of the calendar, and elect from the regularly registered physicians of the county two physicians, who, with themselves, shall constitute the county board of health."

In accordance with the above provision of the law, the three first named officials in the preceding paragraph, viz., Messrs. C. D. Moore, B. Nooe and R. P.

Johnson, met here yesterday and elected Drs. R. W. Palmer, of Gulf, and C. G. Upchurch, of New Hope township, as members of the board of health, making five members in all. The new board of health will meet here on the second Monday in May next to elect a county superintendent of health and discuss ways and means for improving the public health conditions of the county.

List of Jurors.

The following are the jurors for the next term of the superior court of this county, which will be held the second week in next month:

- Albright—William Buckner, S. P. Teague, L. G. Andrews. Baldwin—J. J. Hackney, C. A. Smith, H. M. Harris, M. H. Hackney. Bear Creek—J. A. Pervis, L. W. Tally, C. R. Neal. Cape Fear—T. A. Ausley, C. H. Marks. Centre—J. E. Harmon, A. D. Farrell, J. D. Griffir, A. J. Johnson, W. A. Burke, J. M. Garner. Gulf—Jas. C. Campbell, W. P. Ivey. Hadley—Isaac Durham, A. F. Whitaker, John Petty. Haw River—Stephen Harmon, Hickory Mt.—A. J. Temple, Jas. T. Webster, W. I. Dowd, G. L. Budd, J. C. Bowers. Matthews—U. S. Blair, J. R. Paschal, J. A. Siler, J. D. Fox, J. M. Marley. New Hope—Monroe Poe. Oakland—J. L. Tyson.

Commissioners' Meeting.

The county commissioners held their regular monthly meeting on last Monday and Tuesday and audited and allowed the following accounts:

- B. A. Phillips, one day's service to joint board... \$ 2 00. J. J. Jenkins, account indigent pupils D. & D. Institution... 41 75. Burrough's Adding Machine Co... 367 50. Union Live Stock Co., account difference in mules... 185 00. W. L. London & Son, supplies for court-house, etc... 14 41. W. L. London & Son, supplies for county home... 19 99. Dr. L. E. Farthing, visiting smallpox patients... 56 50. J. F. Council, supplies for smallpox patients... 16 95. Brooks & Eubanks, supplies for court-house and county home... 22 61. W. B. Harper, lumber & work on court-house porch... 52 85. L. N. Womble, supplies for county home... 9 30. Chicago House Wrecking Co., roofing for court-house... 56 25. Rev. P. T. Klapp, 16 sks guano for county home... 31 15. W. A. Emerson, burial expenses of Phoebe Emerson, a pensioner... 10 00. H. D. Farrell, burial expenses of Albert Bullard, a pensioner... 10 00. P. M. Mills, building a bridge on Pitts creek... 22 50. W. L. Griffin, lumber for Bynum bridge... 10 70. J. B. Council, supplies for smallpox patients... 32 94. J. B. Ward, supplies for smallpox patients... 5 20. J. M. Bryant, tobacco for county home... 32 55. Edwards & Broughton, printing... 4 00. Chatham Record, stationery for registrar's office... 1 75. R. O. Buchanan, services as ferryman at Avent's Ferry... 17 87. Bynum & Snipes, lumber for court-house & jail... 40 83. R. M. Burns, boarding jury at Fab. court, etc... 12 60. Ambrose Haincock, work at county home... 14 50. Joe Alston, work at county home... 18 00.

Deafness Cannot be Cured by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or discharge from the ear, and when it is entirely closed, deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever. Nine cases out of ten are cured by Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces. We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Deafness caused by catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circular, free. S. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by Druggists. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

For Sale.

I offer for sale on easy terms house and lot containing four acres in the town of Pittsboro. Also a tract of one hundred and sixty acres woodland, about four miles from Pittsboro.

For terms write to EDWARD W. POUL, Smithfield, N. C. March 22, 1911.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.—Having qualified as administrator on the estate of the late J. E. Perry, this is to notify all creditors of said estate to present claims to the undersigned or his attorneys on or before the 1st day of March, 1912, or this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please come forward and settle. A. CARL PERRY, Administrator of J. E. Perry. Hayes & Bynum, Attorneys.

- W. H. Taylor, fees as jailer... 10 60. W. A. Marsh, conveying Geo. Langley to Pittsboro jail... 12 41. J. W. Johnson, services as clerk to board... 7 55. Durham Book and Stationery Co., supplies for Register's office... 8 00. Henry Johnson, coffin for Wm. Johnson, a pauper... 2 00.

Old New Furniture.

Worn out chairs and furniture are made like new, at a cost of about 20 cents with one coat of L. & M. Varnish Stain. Mahogany, Oak, Walnut, etc., colors. Directions on each can. Get it from W. L. London & Son.

Lame shoulder is nearly always due to rheumatism of the muscles, and quickly yields to the free application of Chamberlain's Liniment. For sale by all dealers.

Bonds For Sale.

Notice is hereby given that, in pursuance of an order passed by the Board of Commissioners of the town of Pittsboro, in regular session on Saturday, April 1st, sealed bids will be received and opened at the mayor's office in said town at 2 o'clock p. m., Friday, May 5th, for \$5,000 of 5 per cent, 30-year street-improvement bonds. Bids for any or all of said bonds will be received, but no bids below par will be considered. Bonds will be issued in denominations to suit bidders. Right reserved to reject any and all bids. This April 5th, 1911. B. NOOE, Mayor. F. C. WILLIAMS, Clerk.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Having qualified as administrator with the will annexed of the estate of T. W. Segroves, deceased, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned on or before the 5th day of April, 1912. This 5th day of April, 1911. M. T. WILLIAMS, Administrator of T. W. Segroves. Hayes & Bynum, Attorneys.



"Sold by E. A. Strout Company." In the signs we put on the horns of more than 1200 farms we sold last year. It is going on more than 1500 during the next twelve months. Would you like to see it on your farm—on the farm you don't want—and to know that the dollars—the dollars you do want—were in the savings bank credited to your account? Strout sells farms—everywhere! He can sell yours. No advance fee. Write our nearest agent for free listing blanks. E. A. STROUT COMPANY, Boston, New York, Philadelphia, Pittsburg, Chicago. H. B. JORDAN, district agent, JORDAN, N. C. Phone Party line No. 1.

WOOD'S HIGH-GRADE Farm Seeds.

We are headquarters for the best in all farm seeds. Grass and Clover Seeds, Seed Corn, Cotton Seed, Cow Peas, Soja Beans, Sorghums, Kaffir Corn, Millet Seed, Peanuts, etc. "Wood's Seed is issued Special" monthly gives timely information as to seeds to plant each month in the year, also prices of Seasonable Seeds. Write for copy, mailed free on request. T. W. WOOD & SONS, Seedsmen, - Richmond, Va.

If every stalk in an acre were full of bolls, it would produce 2 to 3 bales per acre. But a uniform cotton crop positively demands uniformly mixed fertilizer. If some stalks receive rightly proportioned fertilizer and others DON'T, you will find "fat" stalks and "lean" stalks alternating. These "runts" pull down the average per acre. The Southern Cotton Oil Company's machine mixed, government inspected fertilizers give uniform nourishment to all plants alike. Use UNCLE SAM brand 9-3-3, made and recommended by The Southern Cotton Oil Co., Charlotte, N. C. SOLD BY ALLEN & COMPANY, CANDOR, N. C. D. G. FOX & SON, SILER CITY, N. C. COGGINS, FITTS & CO., BEAR CREEK, N. C.



Easter Clothing Have You a Suit for Easter? We have what you want in style, color and price. Let us show you. We have everything to make your dress complete. W. L. London & Son.

BANK OF PITTSBORO. CAPITAL \$10,000 Earned Surplus \$5,000 We appreciate Old Friends and Welcome the New. 4 per cent Time Certificates of Deposit Issued. W. L. LONDON, President. M. T. WILLIAMS, Cashier.

NORTH CAROLINA—Chatham County—in the Superior Court. Wanda H. Andre vs. George L. Andre. The defendant in the above entitled action, George L. Andre will take notice that the said petition has been instituted in the Superior Court of Chatham County for the purpose of the part of the plaintiff of obtaining a divorce from the defendant for the causes stated in her complaint now on file, and he will further take notice that it has been ordered by the said Court that he be summoned by publication to appear before the said Court, His Honor G. H. Allen presiding, on the 9th Monday after the first Monday in March, 1911, and answer or demur to the said complaint, otherwise the relief therein demanded will be granted. This March 7th, 1911. JAS. L. GRIFFIN, Clerk Superior Court. Hayes & Bynum, Attorneys.

SEABOARD AIR LINE RAILWAY HEADQUARTERS FOR HORSES AND MULES. For sale for CASH OR ON TIME. PITTSBORO, N. C. CUT FLOWERS, WEDDING BOUQUETS, FUNERAL DESIGNS, PALMS, FERNS, BLOOMING PLANTS, CABBAGE AND TOMATO PLANTS. All orders given prompt attention. M. J. MCPHAIL, Florist, Sanford, N. C.

Union Live Stock Co. SEABOARD AIR LINE RAILWAY SCHEDULE. Effective Jan. 5th 1911. Direct line between New York, Florida, Atlanta, Birmingham, Memphis, New Orleans and the southwest, subject to change without notice. Figures given below are for the information of the public and are not guaranteed. Trains leave Pittsboro as follows: No. 2—9:20 a. m., connecting at Moncure with No. 38 for Portsmouth-Norfolk, which connects at Weldon with the A. C. L. for Eastern Carolina points, at Norfolk with all steamship lines for points north. No. 240—4:00 p. m., connects at Moncure with No. 41 for Charlotte, Wilmington, Atlanta, Birmingham, Memphis and points west, No. 41 connecting at Hamlet with No. 43 for Jacksonville & Florida points. No. 239—Will arrive at Pittsboro 11:20 a. m. connecting with No. 41 with No. 38 from the south. No. 241—Arrives at Pittsboro 6:30 p. m., connecting with No. 41 from points north. Trains between Moncure and Pittsboro operated daily except Sunday. For further information apply to B. M. Poe, agent, Pittsboro, or write to H. S. LEARD, Division Passenger Agent, No. 4 West Martin St., Raleigh, N. C. Sanford, N. C.