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ELECTRIC LIGHT-POWER A CERTAINTY

Hurley Brothers to Complete Dam at Lockville as Early as Possible

PITTSBORO TO BE WIRED NOW

Citizens Are Urged to Wire Residences and Business Places at Once.

Last Monday Capt. B. Noe, mayor, and Daniel L. Bell, town commissioner, accompanied by W. R. Thompson and Colin G. Shaw, a committee from the Chamber of Commerce, visited the Messrs Hurley Brothers, promoters of the dam at Lockville, that is to produce 1200 to 1500 horse power for electric current, and received positive assurance that Pittsboro could be on the ground floor in getting all the current that she needs.

Mr. Gilliam, representing them will be in Pittsboro in a few days to confer with town commissioners in regard to wiring the town, building the line from Lockville and other necessary arrangements to get things in readiness for the light and power. The work at Lockville is to be pushed to completion and it is hoped to be turned on the current by January 1st.

It is the opinion of the Messrs Hurley that the town should go ahead with the work of wiring the town and that all those owning houses have them wired as promptly as possible, because they will probably have the current ready by the time this work is done.

Now, folks, we have been wanting this modern improvement and the more that take the current the more certain is the guarantee of getting it. It is necessary for the town to contract for a specified number of horse power to get it and unless there is a sufficient number of users to consume this horse power, the town cannot afford to make the contract. It is up to us to take action at once. Remember the town commissioners will make the contract when they have gotten this information and not before it. Your commissioners and Chamber of Commerce have done their duty, now will you do yours and do it promptly.

Williams-Moody.

On Sunday, Aug. 21st, Mr. J. C. Williams and Miss Mary Ida Moody were happily united in marriage.

Mrs. Williams is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jasper Moody, of near Reaves' Chapel, Hickory Mt. township. She is a young woman of rare charm and attractive and possesses many sweet and beautiful traits of character, being of a very quiet and modest disposition and a true and devoted Christian.

Mr. Williams is one of Oakland township's most progressive and prosperous farmers. He is a man of ability, with an unquestionable character, and high ideals.

The young couple will reside at the beautiful country home of the groom near Johnson's bridge. They both have many friends who predict for them a long, happy and useful life.

Ethel Shepard.

One of the delightful features of the program on the third day of the Chautauqua will be contributed by Miss Ethel Shepard in a series of pianologues, soprano and piano solos. Her clean-cut impersonations and the ease and grace that characterize all her renditions have elicited much enthusiastic praise from press and public. Miss Shepard comes from the orange blossoms of Florida, and brings with her the light and sunshine and sweetness of personality typical of her native state. Her part of the program will linger in the memory of her audience long after the Chautauqua closes.

Rub-My-Tism is a powerful antiseptic. Cures infected cuts, old sores, tetter, etc.

SUNDAY AT HANKS.

Large Congregations Attend Opening Services of Meeting.

Last Sunday the editor had his first opportunity to attend Hanks Chapel Christian church, four miles east of Pittsboro. It was the occasion of the beginning of the protracted meeting there and we found multitudes of generous, whole-hearted people. In addition to the church being filled to the fullest capacity, many were unable to get inside and occupied automobiles just outside to protect them from the small drizzling rain that fell during the morning.

The pastor, Rev. J. S. Carden, is being ably assisted by Evangelist C. Rolling, of Ft. Worth, Texas. Mr. Rolling preached at 11 o'clock in the morning and 1:30 in the afternoon. It is useless to say that his discourses were forceful as well as fruitful. He is a powerful speaker; attractive in delivery and holds the attention of the audience splendidly. He is a native of Wake county, North Carolina, but has adopted Texas as his mission field and has resided there for many years.

Between the services there was a dinner spread on the ground and the vast throng of people enjoyed themselves to the full extent, and the editor was well taken care of in this particular. Just like other sections of Chatham county, the folks in this section are a hard working, industrious set of folks. They all have plenty and can be depended upon to meet any emergency.

The meeting will continue through the week including Friday. Services will begin each day at 10:30 with a song and praise service and preaching at 11, and after dinner on the grounds each day, an afternoon service will be held.

Congratulation.

I want to congratulate Sheriff Blair for the arrest of Bob Thompson. I also want to praise the Chatham Record for the stand taken against Bob Thompson and the liquor traffic. And I want to say what I think and believe about Bob and the liquor business. Any man or woman that favors Bob Thompson in his traffic with liquor or wants to screen or get him out just simply favors the liquor traffic, and there is not a speck of prohibition in them. Why old Bob just as well be punished as old Manly Smith or any other violator. I am surprised that anybody that don't favor liquor as a beverage, would take up and try to get any violator of the liquor traffic screened or punished. I know an old man is less able to work our road than a young man, but there is no question but what an old man knows it is a violation of law to handle liquor. But it could be possible that some young men or boys did not know. I favor punishment to old and young who violate the law. It is quite a surprise to see how seeming good men and women, lawyers and experts will work so hard to screen violators of the law when they know they are guilty. The courts would soon put an end to crimes and especially if they were all like the court Judge Cranmer held in Pittsboro August 1, 1921, if it was not for experts and false witnesses and misrepresentations of facts by lawyers. Go on Sheriff Blair and arrest every man or woman you catch handling liquor or any other crime. Say what you please Chatham Record you cannot denounce crime too strong. You say in your last issue you want to know sentiments of people. It is a foregone conclusion that all good men and women in the United States oppose intoxicants as a beverage.

A PROHIBITIONIST.

Goldston, N. C., Rt. 1, Aug. 27, 1921.

Watch your label.

BRICKHAVEN.

In a long and uninteresting game the Jones Chapel team was defeated on their home diamond by the Moncure team last Saturday. Hereafter a more detailed report of the ball team activities will be given. The writer, although interested in baseball, and heartily endorsing athletic sports, is not a "fan" by any means, and one who thoroughly understands the game has kindly consented to furnish the reports each week.

Messrs. W. J. Hannan, E. V. Lawrence and J. P. Utley, who have been spending a few days in Norfolk are expected home this week.

Master Frank Johnson returned to his home in Raleigh Sunday afternoon. For the past ten days he has been visiting O. C. Kennedy. Frank thinks ten days passes all too quickly when one is having such a pleasant time. He thoroughly enjoyed the frequent trips to "Buckhorn Beach for dips in the surf."

Mrs. Phil Harrington is spending the week in Bonsel with her mother, Mrs. J. H. Buchanan.

Mrs. Johnny Garner, who has been quite ill for more than a week is much better. She is spending this week with her parents at Sanford.

Our Sunday School going nicely now. Sixty-two of the sixty-five enrolled were present Sunday Aug. 21.

The traveling library which is open on Sundays is to be returned Sept. 20. All those having books are asked to remember the date and return all books in due time.

TRUTH.

Some Trip For Editor.

The editor run over to Durham last Thursday afternoon in his John Henry to look over the old soldiers and see that Chatham heroes were having a good time. Going by way of Chapel Hill, we found a splendid road to within four miles of that town, but the remaining distance was all that a bad road could be. Leaving Durham late in the afternoon accompanied by Mr. W. A. Ellington and Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Clegg, we decided to return by Apex. The roads on this route were fine, but indefinite, therefore we were back tracked three times, in addition to having one blow out and the jim spring on the vibrator box refused to cooperate with the magneto post and the momentum of the old Ford was reduced to the minimum. However, it was a pleasant trip and we returned to "home, sweet home" before complete darkness prevailed and we are glad of the journey.

Merchants Organize.

The merchants of Sanford have formed an Association and have mapped out a splendid program for the better trading conditions in that thriving city. It is certainly an advanced movement and shows that the business men of that town are wide-awake to the needs of the trading public and will afford every facility for their welfare. Among the charter members of the organization are Record advertisers. They can be depended upon to be leaders every time. This organization will mean much toward taking patronage to Sanford and is a move that the dealers in Pittsboro might well sit up and take notice of while opportunity knocks.

Extends Greeting.

Mrs. John H. Anderson, of Fayetteville, Recording Secretary of the North Carolina Division of the U. D. C., attended the Re-Union of Confederate Veterans at Durham, accompanied by Miss Carrie Jackson, of Pittsboro.

In the absence of the state President, and at her request, Mrs. Anderson served as State President of the N. C. Division, and extended the Greetings from the Division of Daughters of the Confederacy to the Confederate Veterans in Re-Union assembled.

Don't Forget It.

The Chautauqua will be here on September 14, 15 and 16. It is better and bigger this year than ever and no one should miss a single feature. The program is a good one. Let's all go.

KEMP BLAIR DEAD.

Splendid Young Man Dies Suddenly on Friday Night.

The town of Pittsboro was saddened Saturday morning when it was learned that Kemp Blair was dead. He was everybody's friend. Of a genial, kind disposition, not an enemy in the world always a pleasant word and his sudden passing made the hearts of every one sore.

Mr. Blair was 32 years of age and he leaves besides his father, Squire J. R. Blair, two brothers, G. W. and M. B. Blair. He had been sick for several months having spent sometime in a hospital in Burlington. Since his return from the hospital he had apparently gotten a great deal better and his many friends had hoped that he would soon be in his usual health again. He suffered an attack from his heart Friday night and died before dawn on Saturday.

Funeral was conducted by his pastor Rev. W. B. Waff, at Mt. Vernon church last Sunday afternoon. The large crowd that attended the services attested the high esteem in which he was held. He was buried beside his mother in the cemetery at that church. The Record extends heartfelt sympathy to the bereaved.

BYNUM.

We congratulate the editor of the Chatham Record for the stand he takes against illicit liquor. The majority of the people in this section will stand by him in his views regarding the Bob Thompson case. If everyone would assist the editor in the warfare against whiskey, we would not have so many ugly cases in our courts. You are on the right side editor—go to it.

Misses Adell Williams and Pansy Auty have returned to their home at West Durham after a visit to relatives here.

Mrs. Jarvis Johnson and children, of Merry Oaks, spent a few days here last week with her sister, Mrs. Tom Sutt.

Mr. Hampton Knight and family spent the week-end with his brother, Mr. Frank Knight, near Sanford.

Mrs. Alvis Bynum of Rock Hill, is visiting her nieces, Misses Julia and Effie Lambeth.

Misses Lessie and Fleta Barber, of Portsmouth, are visiting Miss Fannie Riddle and other friends.

Miss Lessie Clark, of Raleigh, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Clark. Miss Ellis of Durham is also visiting at Mr. Clark's.

Misses Womble and Wright, of Chapel Hill, visited the Misses Foushee last week.

J. Ed. Sturdivant has returned from a visit to his daughters, Mesdames Archer at Portsmouth, and Dickens at Halifax. While away he visited several points and reports a fine time.

Miss Flossie Cole of Riggsbee, formerly of Bynum, has returned from Boone, where she has been attending the summer school. She spent a few hours in the village last week shaking hands with friends who gladly welcome her back in our midst.

Mrs. J. W. Autry and children are visiting her aunt at Randleman.

Mrs. W. D. Neal and Mr. and Mrs. Kirkpatrick have returned to their home at Spray. They were accompanied by Mrs. S. M. Moore, of Pittsboro, who will spend quite a while with them.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Neal and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Neal left Saturday for Jackson Springs where they will spend a week or ten days.

Mr. Taylor Bynum, of Winston-Salem, is visiting his nephew and nieces, Mr. R. B. Lambeth and sisters.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Atwater and son, John, of Greensboro, spent the week-end with Misses Julia and Effie Lambeth. They were on their way home from the mountains where they spent some time sight seeing.

HAW.

Home From Durham.

Mrs. Henry A. London has returned from the Confederate Re-Union in Durham.

As ex-president of the N. C. Division of the U. D. C., she was one of the Honor Guests. In behalf of the Confederate Veterans "a Resolution of Thanks" was extended to her for her splendid work last winter at the legislative in securing increased pensions for the Confederate Veterans of North Carolina.

OLD VETS ARE BACK.

Chatham County Veterans Have a Big Time in Durham Last Week.

Two be exact there were twenty-seven old Confederate Veterans to attend the annual reunion in Durham last week, all returning Friday, some of them coming home on Thursday. They tell the Record that they had a better time than any reunion held in many years. The weather was ideal for the occasion, no rain and the atmosphere cooled by cloudy weather made it a pleasant stay.

The city of Durham put forth every effort, sparing no expense to see that they had a good time. The Daughters of the Confederacy, looking after every detail for their comfort and pleasure.

For three days the venerable Grey Clad Heroes of sixty years ago figuratively owned the Bull City. The return of the aged veterans weary, tired and needing rest to their homes here to be happy, refreshed and contented again is a source of pleasure to all Chathamites. We love them, honor them and are glad that all are back with us once more.

Long may these gallant old fellows live, to be with us and a joy too.

A Large Beet.

W. H. Hearne, of Bynum, brought to the editor last Friday one of the largest beets we ever saw. It weighed fully five pounds and is solid and firm. It had twelve tops and the root was even, well formed and made us several jars of splendid pickle.

Chautauqua Coming.

Remember folks, the Chautauqua will be here September 14, 15 and 16th. It will be full of real profit to everyone who will go. Get a season ticket now so that you may see the whole affair at a normal cost. Phone the Record office and we will send you a ticket at any time. Adults \$2.00 and children \$1.00.

Appointed Postmaster.

Oscar J. Durham has been appointed postmaster at Roscoe. The change takes place immediately. His appointment is responsible for the error in the daily press that Oscar J. London had been appointed postmaster at Pittsboro.

WE'RE SAFE NOW.

There no longer remains any doubt but that the Record has the support of the population of Chatham county in its fight against liquor and its agents. In addition to the published expressions, we have had our office filled each day since our last issue with folks all over the county to tell us that they were backing us up. Then too, we have received more than a hundred letters from folks telling us that we were right. We thank you, folks, and we assure you can depend on the Record to rid the county of this unlawful traffic.

Base Ball.

On August 13th Green Level defeated the strong East Durham team 6 to 10. Batteries for Green Level, Banks and Rutledge; for East Durham, Luquire, Mathews, Motley and Barker. On August 20th Green Level defeated the Callibit Spring team 4 to 5, the best team that Green Level has played in several years. Batteries for Green Level, Banks and Rutledge; for C. Springs, Wood and Hamilton.

Supreme Court.

The Fall session of the Supreme Court of North Carolina convened in Raleigh last Tuesday. Cases from the first district will be heard first. The docket is small and is predominated by liquor cases coming from the various sections of the State.

BENNETT.

Roy Myrick, of Greensboro, returned home Monday to spend a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Eli Scott, of Greensboro, was in Bennett Sunday and Monday visiting relatives.

W. Q. Moffitt and B. C. Routh went to uncle Jack Powers' Sunday afternoon and report good roads and plenty of watermelons.

Alex Shields, of Greensboro, is visiting his father here this week.

Miss Myrtle Fardner, of near Bennett, is visiting friends at this place.

Miss Gertrude Phillips visited Miss Ida Phillips Saturday and Sunday at Bear Creek.

Miss Florence and Kate Marley, of Franklinville, are visiting relatives in Bennett.

Miss Goldie Brady, of Greensboro, is visiting Miss Nellie Brady here.

Clyde Phillips, of Durham, was in Bennett Saturday.

High School Opening.

The Pittsboro High School will open for the fall term session Monday Sept. 5th. All pupils are urged to enter the opening day as it is hard to classify students after the school has arranged the classes to suit the pupils who enter at first. Especially do we urge all patrons of the school to enter all pupils that will be in the first grade. Students that have never attended school can not enter after the first of the school and make the grade. All pupils that will be six years of age during September and October can enter at the opening of the school.

The committeemen have enlarged the sixth and seventh grade room in order to accommodate the increased number that will be expected in these two grades. Thirty new desks have been purchased for the school. Various other improvements have also been made in the buildings and on the grounds. The playground equipment is being installed on the grounds. The Womans' Club last spring purchased a slide and giant stride for the pupils. These will be ready for use at the opening of the school.

The prospects are good for a large attendance this year. Many high school students have already declared their intention of being in school this year and many have already arranged for board.

The teachers for this year are as follows. Earl R. Franklin, Principal, Misses Lossie and Loula Stone the high school teachers, Miss Julia Barclay the sixth and seventh grade teacher, Miss Nellie R. Pilkington the fourth and fifth grade teacher, Miss Grace Burke the upper second and third grade teacher, and Miss Burwell Patterson the first and lower second grade teacher, music Mrs. H. A. Bynum.

EARL R. FRANKLIN, Principal.

Good Roads Association.

Owing to its central location, as well as to the splendid record of Guilford county in road building, it has been decided to hold the 21st annual convention of the North Carolina Good Roads Association in Greensboro, October 11 and 12. The sessions of the convention will be held in Guilford's new Courthouse, of which any county in the United States might well be proud.

A Good Meeting.

The meeting at the Baptist church was one that the folks of Pittsboro will remember for many days to come. It was more largely attended than any meeting here in a long time, all denominations entering into it with enthusiasm and it certainly was blessed with results. The preaching of Dr. Poe was splendid and the folks of Pittsboro are proud of him.

Six joined the church and were baptized last Sunday.

During the month of September the Case 10-18 Tractor will be offered at \$800. If you are thinking of getting a tractor, now is your time. See H. A. Bynum.

New Salem Meeting.

Dear Bro. Shaw: I had intended to report the meeting at New Salem sooner but have been very busy since. So will say that from every view point it was a great success. Rev. Mr. Caudle did some fine preaching which was accompanied by the power of the Holy spirit and some 12 or 15 professed faith in Christ. The church was greatly strengthened and the community brought closer together. Our Methodist brethren and sisters came, many of them every day and helped greatly in making the meeting what it was. Bro. Boone has some of the salt of the earth out of Brown's Chapel. Our Emmanus people rendered splendid service all during the meeting, many thanks and God bless every one of them. Mrs. Caudle presided at the organ and rendered in-dispensive aid and we can never forget her. May God's richest blessings rest upon Ivy A. Caudle and his noble wife. The Junior choir was an attractive feature of the services which we hope to keep going and shall try to make it a success.

As pastor of the church I feel sure that I express the sentiment of the entire membership of the church when I extend a hearty welcome to all to join us in our worship every first Sunday. Bro. Waff and his good people would encourage and help us all if they could drop in on us sometimes. They have a warm welcome awaiting them at New Salem.

The baptizing will take place at the bridge near Mr. Hamlet's on the graded road about 1-2 mile from the church at 10:30 a. m. Sunday morning Sept. 4th, 1921. Let us every one win one for Christ. Blessings on all, with the Record family a large share.

Respectfully,
W. A. CRABTREE,
Pastor.

Bear Creek, N. C., Aug. 17, 1921.

Good Work, Boys.

On the holy Sabbath day, when folks should have been worshipping God, there were two or more men of Chatham county engaged in an effort to make illicit whiskey in Center townships. Thanks to active men, however, in the person of deputy sheriffs, C. B. Atwater and C. L. Lassater, they captured the outfit and brought them to Pittsboro. Both were of copper design and calculated to put many gallons of this stuff in the country. Sheriff Atwater found his in Baldwin on Sunday. It had been removed from the stand, but all the paraphernalia and liquor stobs were destroyed, while sheriff Lassater found his Sunday night in full operation near the shingle mill at Haywood. Several men were at this one and the sheriff recognized two of them sufficiently to have papers issued, one of them even trying to assault him with a spade. We hope that all of them may be caught and tried and made to suffer for their sins against God and humanity.

Sale of Land

Under and by virtue of the powers contained in a certain mortgage deed, executed by Ben Goldston and Goldie Goldston, his wife, to U. G. Daurity on the 6th day of March 1920, which is duly recorded in the office of Register of Deeds for Chatham County, N. C., in book F N, page 445, default having been made in the payment of same, the undersigned will, on

Saturday, September 17, 1921, at 12 o'clock noon, offer for sale at public auction to the highest bidder for cash at the Court House Door in Pittsboro, N. C., the following described property, to-wit:

That certain piece or parcel of land lying and being in Chatham County, Guilf Township, N. C. Beginning at an iron stake in J. L. Thompson's line and running South 5 1-2 West with his line 23 poles and 9 links to a stone on C. G. Oldham's line with post oak pointers; thence South 84 1-2 East with Oldham's line 23 poles to Goldston and Carbonton road; thence with said road North 13 East 23 poles and 9 links to a stone in West bank of road; thence North 85 1-2 West 32 1-2 poles to the beginning, containing 4 1-2, four and one-half acres.

Time of Sale: Saturday, September 17, 1921, 12 o'clock noon.

Place of Sale: Court House Door, Pittsboro, N. C.

Terms of Sale: Cash.

This the 17th day of August, 1921.
U. G. DAURITY,
Mortgagee.
Victor R. Johnson, Attorney. S-15-21