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Bennett Get Ups.

Bennett and vicinity are somewhat on the boom. Good deal of lumber and crossties coming in and being dispatched. People seem to have forgotten and laid aside the once high prices and high wages and gone to work.

Bennett Motor Co. recently received a car of Ford cars and is disposing of them very rapidly.

G. M. Phillips recently sold his stock of merchandise to W. S. Gardner. Mr. Phillips intends to deal mostly in produce.

The former editor and wife of the Siler City Crit, Mr. and Mrs. Elkins, were in town a few days ago, and Mr. Elkins stated that Bennett was the tradingest town to its size he knew of.

The school students celebrated Washington's Birthday at the graded school building the 22nd at night. A good size crowd attended. The program for the parts that was tendered to the honor of our great leader was interesting.

Young Mr. Bray is studying for the Baptist ministry and has the impression to make good. Surely the people who are closely related to him and others who have mingled with him feel proud over the great step he has taken, and that we should help press him along to the good work. The writer, who was his superintendent when he attended Sunday school when a little boy here at Bennett, felt that some high calling was for him; his mind seemed to be centered upon the interest of the divine work, and I feel good for what, even little, I did for the young man.

SION.

Bethel News.

C. D. Moore and W. A. Copeland has gone to Raleigh to attend the revival services conducted by Rev. Truett.

Services were conducted at Pleasant Hill Sunday at 11 a. m. by Rev. Cleveland Phillips, of near Bethel Creek.

Miss Ethel Johnson has returned to school after having a severe cold for some time.

Misses Annie Lutterloh and Charlotte Copeland spent Friday night with Misses Lillian and Odie Copeland.

Misses Charlotte Copeland and Avie Eubanks spent Wednesday night with their teacher, Mr. W. Langley.

Mr. G. H. Langley and wife spent Sunday with friends.

Miss Florence Speagle spent Wednesday night with Miss Grizelle Copeland.

Bethel Pupil.

Notice of Land Sale

By virtue of the powers contained in a mortgage deed, executed by Walker Clegg, on the 8th day of March, 1919, and registered in the office of the register of deeds for Chatham county, in Book FZ, at page 212, I will sell to the highest bidder, for cash, at the court house door, in Pittsboro, N. C., on

Monday, April 10, 1922,

at 12 o'clock m., one town lot located in the village of Lockville, Chatham county, N. C., and known as the old Luke property and being the lot on which the said Walker Clegg recently resided.

This the 6th day of March, 1922.
JAS. L. GRIFFIN,
Mortgagee.

NOTICE---PAINTING.

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C. D. WOODDELL
SANFORD, N. C.

Politics and Expenses

I am just back from Wayne, Johnston and Lee counties and find the political pot is beginning to boil, and I also see a few names in Chatham mentioned for the various offices. Let me say, in the first place, don't get too many of them in the towns unless they have been overseas veterans.

I also see our present board of commissioners are getting to be powerful extravagant. I also see they allowed a firm in Charlotte \$3,000 to audit Sheriff Lane's account. I have four boys who would have been glad of the job for \$300. And would have fixed it up right. The same commissioners gave \$1100 to list the property in Chatham when men offered to take it for \$400.

Now men, we are running in too high a gear. We have paid out taxes easy for 8 years but it will be harder for next three. Let us go hence to sow seed for a better day and lay by in store against the day of misfortune and so provide and hope for better things, for a rainy day will come and who will be able to stand.

S. P. TEAGUE.

BEAR CREEK.

E. J. McIver, who has been ill is improving.

Miss Mattie Culberson, a teacher of the Sandy Branch school, spent the week-end with home folks, on Siler City, Rt. 2.

Mrs. J. A. Southern, of Rt. 2, has been visiting relatives, at Walnut Cove.

Mrs. Gola Allen, of near Car-bontons, is visiting in the home of C. B. Fitts.

S. B. Burke, sales agent for Sandy Branch Local Union, reports that this lodge of Farmer's Union recently bought 700 lbs of sugar.

Miss Alma Johnson, after spending a few days with her mother, has returned to her work in Greensboro.

Miss Ila Yarboro, of Jonesboro Rt. 4, spent several days of last week in the home of T. B. Beal.

J. V. Willett is able to be out again. He has had an attack of "flu".

Miss Mamie Peace, a student of the Bonlee High School, was a visitor in W. L. Coggins' home Sunday.

"PHIL"

A Lower Berth.

The Pullman conductor on being asked about the difference of fifty cents in price between the upper and the lower berth, explained, according to a newspaper clipping: "The lower is higher than the upper. The higher price is for the lower. If you want it lower, you'll have to go higher. We sell the upper lower than the lower. Most people don't like the upper, although it is lower, on account of its being higher. When you occupy an upper you have to get up to go to bed and get down to get up."

Doing Good.

Bless'd be those feasts with simply crown'd. Where all the ruddy family around. Laugh at the jests or pranks that never fail.

Or sigh with pity at some mournful tale. Or press the bashful stranger to his food.

And learn the luxury of doing good.

CO. COMMISSIONERS

March Meeting Held on the 6th--All Members Present

The regular March monthly meeting of the county commissioners was held in the court house on Monday, the 6th, with all the members present:

The following bills were allowed:

J. L. Griffin, fees for Feb.	\$80.85
C. C. Poe, fees for Feb.	\$108.60
Dr. J. M. Harper, health officer	45 00
Judge G. S. Ferguson	172 80
Observer Printing House	55 00
G. W. Blair, sheriff, salary	358 33
G. W. Blair, sheriff	12 45
H. M. Nicholson, court crier	32 50
G. W. Blair, sheriff	30 00
Grady Pickard, conveying prisoner	10 50
Seaman Printery, printing	12 60
L. C. Clark, salary county home	41 66
London Richardson, work at county home	7 00
L. N. Womble, nails	60
Chatham Record, adv	10 80
Chatham Record, printing and advertising	41 70
Tom Leach, janitor	13 50
R. E. Lanius, wood	3 00
Tom Leach, salary Feb	20 00
W. L. London & Son, supplies	73 17
Burroughs Adding Machine Co., repairs	22 70
Maggie Scurlock, cook at county home	10 00
J. W. Jenks, tobacco for county home	10 00
J. R. Lasater, still, cap etc	32 50
Miss Carrie Speight, court stenographer	154 55
John M. Morton, typewriter ribbons	90

It was ordered that remittances be made in taxes to various people on errors to the amount of \$53.56.

It was ordered, that Tom Carroll be exempt from poll tax.

Chatham Church.

Miss Lelia Burns, who is teaching at Oak Grove, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Burns.

George May spent the week-end with his cousin, Robt. Burns. Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Clegg visited Mrs. Clegg's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gaston Johnson, Sunday.

Miss Lizzie Clegg is visiting her sister, Mrs. W. C. Henderson.

Mrs. R. T. Bridges and children of Sanford, visited Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Gunter last week.

H. C. Clegg, Jr., is able to be out again after being sick for several days.

Last Thursday afternoon Mrs. J. B. Clegg was laid to rest in Chatham church cemetery. Relatives and friends grieve for the loss of such a good Christian woman. She will be missed by all in the community, but more in our church. We all loved to go to "Aunt Betty's," as we called her, and will never forget her kindness to all.

Birth And Death of Triplets.

On Thursday, March 2nd, there were born to Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Cheek, of Sanford, three sons, Willis, Wilbur and Willie. The babies lived but a short time and the parents are grief stricken. The three were buried in the same grave at Emmaus Baptist church last Friday. Mrs. Cheek is a daughter of Mrs. C. N. Justice, of Pittsboro route 2.

Wise-Otherwise

Stolen Paragraphs Localized by the Editor to Tease His Friends

When a person claims relationship with so-and-so, then the latter can be marked down as being rich.

Every now and then someone will attempt to discredit another. Bear in mind that you cannot figure just how far a frog can jump from where he is sitting.

A great many people are behind the times because they cannot forget the old gin shop that served hiccoughs.

Tax payers are beginning to be regular citizens now.

March 15--last day to pay income tax. Beware the ideo of March.

Not knowing where you are going is no excuse for not being on your way.

The hardest thing in the world to do is act careless when you want to borrow money from the bank.

Did you ever notice that the only folks that get a free ticket to anything are those who do not need it.

Some public offices are for private purposes.

Lost your pocket book? Call the income tax collector; he can find money anywhere.

Some of the fish caught last summer are now six feet long.

Some folks are noisy when they eat, others are noisy when they don't.

The man who tells all he knows doesn't always know much.

Slobber Slop.

Isn't it funny what some people will put up with when they come to drink anything in the way of whiskey. Half a dozen will slobber over the same bottle when they wouldn't think of drinking out of the same glass at table. They require what they eat to be clean and sanitary. But it is well authenticated that stable manure is often used in the manufacture of moonshine likker. Only last year two Monroe officers found half bushel measure in the bottom of a barrel of beer at a still. At another place they discovered the distillers had robbed a hen roost of its droppings. Unnice, did you say, to mention it? My dear reader, it's not half as nasty to mention it as is the stuff folks of Union county folks are pouring down their throats nowadays. There seems to be no more "good" whiskey.--Monroe enquirer.

Administratrix' Notice

Having qualified as administratrix of the estate of L. S. Baldwin, deceased, this is to notify all persons holding claims against the estate of the deceased to present same to the undersigned on or before the 10th day of March, 1922, if this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery.

All persons indebted to the said estate will come forward and make immediate settlement.

This March 10th, 1922.

EURA JEANNETTE CARR, Administratrix.

A. C. Ray, Attorney. ap15

NEW-COTTON MILL.

Company Organized in Siler City Last Week.

Leading citizens of Siler City have formed a stock company with Mr. L. F. Hilton, of Magnolia, Miss., to erect a \$200,000 cotton mill in Siler City within the next few weeks.

The location has not been decided upon, but several sites are in view and the most desirable will be selected for the mill.

The mill will be modern in every particular and designed to appeal to the better class of workers and retain regular, competent employees.

Mr. L. F. Hilton, of Magnolia, Mississippi, who by the way is an old North Carolina man, came here through the efforts of the Chamber of Commerce to look the town and people over and decide, after a full investigation, whether this is a good field in which to invest a large amount of capital. He came with an open mind, for he had several other propositions from towns much larger than Siler City, to be guided by the treatment and encouragement he may receive before arriving at a definite decision.

After consultation with the Secretary of the Chamber of Commerce and other men of the town that were interested in this character of development a meeting was held in the Chamber of Commerce rooms last Friday night when most of the business men of the little city gave their full endorsement of the plan laid out by Mr. Hilton. Mr. Hilton stated that it was his aspiration to eventually have a \$500,000.00 mill but at the present time advocated the expenditure of about half that amount on an up-to-date mill, mill village, grounds, and to have the most modern machinery, appliances, working conditions, excellent living conditions for his employees, and other things that go to make mill life equal to the best. This we understand would include playground equipment for the children, water and sewerage for the homes, bathing pools and medical attention to the employees.

It is figured that this amount will erect and equip a mill of 10,000 to 15,000 spindles and the necessary number of looms or weaving machines at the present time and as necessity arises the capacity will be increased to at least 25,000 spindles and other equipment. In other words this is only the beginning of a mammoth milling installation.

Mr. Hilton having to go away Saturday morning naturally wanted to know if the people were willing to raise the necessary amount to meet his and quick work had to be done, therefore our enterprising men with the aid of the Chamber of Commerce got busy next morning and had subscribed (with what Mr. Hilton agreed to put in) \$200,000.00. We understand that about \$50,000.00 more is to be raised for emergency purposes and there is little question but what that will be or is raised by the time we go to press.

It is figured that building operations will commence within the next 60 days and be completed and in operation within a few months.

If the Chamber of Commerce is able to get in touch with and interest men of means of the town and surrounding country to the extent of hundreds of thousands of dollars it goes without saying that it should be liberally supported that more enterprises can be interested and commence operations here.

Mr. Hilton is a thoroughly experienced mill man and comes to Siler City well recommended. He and the editor of this paper have had considerable correspondence during the past several months and we know he is a man of splendid intelligence and

Death of Mrs. Gilmore

Mrs. Sue Gilmore, wife of T. H. Gilmore, died at the home of her son, Walter Gilmore, near Moncure, February 23rd, of heart dropsy. She was born in Chatham county in 1852, being 69 years and 7 months of age.

While her suffering was great she bore them well until the end. She was laid to rest at Asbury the next day, D. A. Mann conducting the funeral services.

She is survived by her husband and six children--W. L., C. W. and Walter, of Moncure, route 1; D. C. Gilmore, Dunn; E. R. Gilmore, Clinton, and Mrs. Mary E. Pate, Fayetteville. Four predeceased her to the grave.

While it is sad for our loved ones to part and leave us, yet it is God's will, for all flesh is grass and all the glory of man as the flower of grass. The grass withereth and the flower thereof faded away, but the word of God endureth forever.

For we which live are always delivered unto death for Jesus might be made manifest in our mortal flesh.

A. S. FOUSHEE.

For the Senate and House

Mr. Editor: Since A. C. Ray refuses to run for solicitor and he has been placed on the ticket as representative in the legislature, I feel that he will fill the place well, and Victor Johnson for senator. I know of no young or old man that has made a deeper impression on me, with the acquaintance I have had with Mr. Ray. As a lawyer, I believe him to be too goodly to stoop to or belittle himself to fight the rights of men or law for money.

Jas. L. Griffin is as fine a clerk as we ever had, but if he has christianity enough to humble himself let him come down for a cripple man and as good and as noble a christian as ever walked in old Chatham I say let us unanimously elect C. C. Hamlet, if he will accept.

I am sure no men could fill the place of our good sheriff and register of deeds better than the present incumbents.

Hadley township has never, in my memory, had a part as commissioner, and with the good people of Hadley we would suggest the name of Zeb L. Dark be voted for in the next primary. He is a young man of good business qualifications and of Christian character, and will make a fine commissioner.

HENRY F. DURHAM.

Roscoe, N. C.

Another Cotton Mill.

Our neighbor town, Goldston, is preparing to erect a cotton mill at an early date, using the power that will be developed at Tyson's Mill, told about in this paper last week.

All the stock has not been subscribed for the mill, but it is understood that it is almost a certainty, and we congratulate that town upon its acquisition.

Play At Boniee.

Bonlee High School will present a play "Captain Racket," in the school auditorium Saturday evening, March 11th, at eight o'clock. Admission 15 and 25 cents. Proceeds for the benefit of the school.

will add to the life and development of Siler City.

It is useless to comment upon the advantages of this new industry in this city as all will readily understand that it means growth and development that Siler City is bound to endure.

S. S. Association.

Detail arrangements for the annual convention of the North Carolina Sunday School Association which assembles in Charlotte, April 11-12-13, are well under way, according to communication received from D. W. Sims, General Superintendent.

Mr. Sims was in Charlotte on February 24, conferring with the Sunday School workers. The local committees in Charlotte are being organized and plans are nearing completion for the entertainment of the hundreds of delegates. All delegates will pay for their own entertainment while at the convention. Lodging and breakfast in the private homes of Charlotte will be provided for those who attend at the rate of \$1 per night.

BENNETT.

The "flu" and other ailments are prevailing about Bennett now. Some members of the following families are more or less afflicted: Clay Lambert, Ben Lambert, P. C. Brady, John Brady, Claud Murry, Will Moffitt, Monroe Smith, West Ward, and George Andrew.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Brown, a son.

George Phillips says, "There is never a loss without a gain." He says, "His store leaks very badly when it rains, therefore he doesn't have to sprinkle when he sweeps."

Miss Leola Brady of Siler City, spent Sunday with relatives in Bennett.

Mrs. Almada Leonard, of Greensboro is spending a week with her sons here.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Routt, visited relatives in Randemar, last week.

Mrs. H. A. Denson, who has been ill, for several days, is able to be out again.

Mr. J. M. Deacon, of Pleasant Garden, spent a few days here last week.

Mr. Henry Caviness of Ashboro, was a business visitor here recently.

Mr. Larkin Presnell and family, spent Sunday with relatives near Coleridge.

Miss Maud Foushee spent the week-end with Miss Lillian Brit at Franklinville. She was accompanied home Sunday by Miss Britt, Messrs Julian Marley and Thomas Henson. TOPSY.

Attention Tax-Payers.

Commissioner of Revenue Watts says that the law permits him to grant extensions of time to taxpayers for filing income tax returns from March 15th in cases of sickness, absence, or other disability, or whenever in his judgment good cause exists for such extension. The law requires interest at the rate of six per cent per annum from March to the time of payment to be paid where extensions are granted. Extensions will be granted upon application where lawful cause is shown, but in all cases the interest required by law will be collected.

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