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## CHATHAM FAIR IN OCTOBER

Mr. W. C. York, Manager; Mrs. Elkins, Secretary Again

The directors of The Chatham County Fair Association have re-elected Mr. W. C. York, of Asheboro, to again manage the fair this year and Mrs. Elkins as secretary. Under the management of these splendid executives last year the fair association made some money above all expenses for the first time in its history. The selection to have them as managers again is indeed a wise one.

It has been decided to hold the Chatham fair on October 7, 8, 9 and 10, the week preceding the Greensboro fair. Mr. York has already contracted with amusement companies for the season and he has made a selection that will merit the approval of the general public. Preparations are in store for the improvement of every feature of the fair in Chatham and the year 1924 will surpass anything that has ever been held in the county.

Action has already been started to get up the premium list and it will be distributed at an early date. It is hoped that every farmer in Chatham county will begin now to make preparations to have an exhibit of some character at the fair this fall. Cattle, sheep, hogs, chickens, and other products of the farm, will be in evidence. Chatham already has an enviable reputation with adjoining counties in this particular and let's show them we can excel in everything.

The directors for this season are a splendid lot of men, there being on the board Messrs E. H. Jordan, J. D. Gregg, Ernest Brewer, C. L. Brower, Jacob Dixon, O. A. Clapp and N. J. Dark. Mr. John S. Teague is the president. With these men in charge and Mrs. Elkins as secretary and Mr. York manager, there can be no possibility of failure and the fair for this year will go down in history as the best ever held in any small county in the state.

### FUNERAL SERVICES

Funeral services over the remains of little Roy Thomas Chapin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Chapin, took place at the Baptist church last Thursday morning and were conducted by Rev. R. R. Gordon. A large crowd of friends of the family were in attendance and the floral offerings were beautiful. All of the pupils of the Pittsboro high school, of which little Roy was an attendant, turned out in a body to pay their last respects to their little friend and comrade.

Among those from out of town who attended the funeral were: Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Adams, of Townsville, and Rev. and Mrs. J. H. Crosby, of Hartford.

## CHILDREN HAVE MEASLES

Coming and Going of The Folks Near Mt. Gilead Baptist Church.

Pittsboro, Rt. 1, Feb. 25.—Mrs. D. W. Dawkins, of Lee county, spent a few days last week with her mother, Mrs. Ed Tripp.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Griffin were dinner guests of Mrs. Alice Griffin Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Hatley, of Raleigh, spent Sunday with his father, Mr. D. G. Hatley.

Mr. Carey Griffin spent the week end with Mr. Newton Mann.

Mr. John Hatley spent the week end with his parents.

Mr. Robert Beckwith visited his sister, Mrs. Hattie Hatley, last week.

Mr. J. C. Hatley and Mr. John Hatley spent Sunday with Mr. L. D. Hatley near Raleigh.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Griffin are visiting relatives in Bynum and Pittsboro this week.

Mrs. Pauline Simpson spent several days last week with Mrs. Nora Hatley.

Miss Lillie Johnson spent a few days with Mrs. J. W. Griffin last week.

Miss Leonie Neal spent Thursday afternoon with Misses Gertrude and Lillian Hatley.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hatley and children spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Mann.

Misses Annie and Vallie Hatley and Mrs. Lillian Hearne spent Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Alice Neal.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Hackney, Jr., and Silas and D. G. Hatley spent Saturday with Mrs. Bettie Thomas.

Messrs Sam Thomas and Noah Windham, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Windham.

Little Miss Gladys and Carl Burnett, children of Mrs. Flossie Burnett, are confined with measles.

Misses Annie and Vallie Hatley spent Saturday afternoon with Mrs. J. C. Hatley.

## NEW JUDGE HOLD COURT HERE

Garland E. Midyette, of Jackson county, has accepted the appointment tendered him by Governor Morrison as Superior court judge of the third judicial district, to succeed Judge T. M. Pittman, of Henderson, who resigned.

Judge Midyette will hold the March term of court here, which meets on the 17th.

A week or two ago Mr. F. K. King advertised for a knife that he had lost, in The Record, the knife having been lost for more than a week when he advertised it. Last week Mr. DeWitt Murdock brought the knife to the Record office. Sure The Record is the paper for results.

## WHAT IS STRANGE THING

Send in a Correct Answer and Get a Free Subscription

This week we have a strange thing to be decided and we are asking our friends to help us out on it. One of our regular readers tells us that he wants to know what it is and we pass it on to you. The question to be decided is this:

"Enough for one, too much for two, and nothing for three; takes one to make and two to keep."

To the one giving us the correct answer to this problem we shall award a six months subscription to The Record as a prize. The competition is open to boys and girls between the ages of ten and twenty-one years of age. Judging will be made according to the answer, arrangement, penmanship and general get up of the reply. You may get any help you need from anyone you want. In answering give your full name, complete address, age and address your reply to Joe Snyder, care Chatham Record, Pittsboro, N. C.

Mr. Joe Snyder spent the week end in Durham and returned to Pittsboro Monday with a bad cold. He has stated that it will be impossible to announce the winner in the puzzle of last week, February 21st. In the Record next week announcement will be made. Everybody watch for it and in the meantime try your hand on the above problem.

### MARCH COURT JURY LIST

Court Meets on the 17th—Presided Over by Judge G. E. Midyette

Chatham superior court, for the trial of civil cases only, meets in Pittsboro Monday, March 17th, for one week only, and will be presided over by Judge Garland E. Midyette, of Jackson, Northampton county. The county commissioners, at their meeting held on the first Monday in February, drew the following jury list:

Albright—Jettie McBane.

Baldwin—H. M. Harris.

Bear Creek—W. C. Brewer, Henry Dunlap.

Cape Fear—J. D. Richardson.

Center—Ivy Gilmore, R. L. Johnson.

Hadley—J. J. Thomas, W. M. Lindsey, Henry F. Durham.

Haw River—E. E. Walden.

Hickory Mt.—J. A. Woody, J. W. Fields.

Mathews—C. S. White, T. S. Edwards, Jos. M. Bray.

Gulf—R. L. Goldston, J. D. Willett.

New Hope—A. E. Johnson, W. M. Scott, J. S. Welsh.

Oakland—W. D. Burns.

Williams—J. E. Bennett, W. B. Blalock.

OUR MEANING MISCONSTRUED

Last week we had something to say in regard to the amount of money that had been lost in the mails that had been sent to us on subscription. Some seemed to think that we had a direct thrust at the postoffice in Pittsboro. Let us disabuse your mind folks, of any such intention. A great deal of money and other remittances have been lost in the mails addressed to us, but it came from various offices in North Carolina and never reached our office. Therefore no office or any single individual was in mind. If we had any idea that the particular office in Pittsboro was the entire blame we would not make a charge in vague terms because it is not our way of doing business. The postal service should be secure, nevertheless it is not advisable to send money through the mail. It is always best to get a money order or send a check.

### FAIL—BAIL—JAIL

Judge John R. Blair had before him Wednesday, the 20th, one Tom Parker, a gentleman of color, charged with transporting liquor and operating a car while intoxicated. The judge, in preliminary trial, put Tommie under \$300 bond in case and failing to give it he now reposes in Hotel J. Burns where he will probably wait until the May term of court.

Parker was arrested by policeman W. M. Holmes, of the Phoenix force, near that plant, and brought here for trial. Besides the car a gallon of liquor was captured.

### WILL DONATE TO CHARITY

Mr. S. Berman, of Chapel Hill, who recently sold out his stock of merchandise to a Norfolk concern, has been advised that he cannot give away the automobile he advertised before selling out, without making himself liable under the law. Mr. Berman will sell the car, a new Ford touring, for only \$250 and he will divide the money equally between Chatham and Orange counties to be directed to charity. Mr. Berman is doing this to square himself with his large list of patrons. Anyone wanting a good car at a low rate should see him at once.

### DEATH MR. ADD CLARK.

Mr. Add Clark, a former citizen of Chatham, died at his home in Carrboro last Thursday and was buried Friday in the cemetery at Mt. Gilead Baptist church. Rev. J. W. Autry conducted the funeral services.

Mr. Clark was past fifty years of age and was a man who made friends wherever he was known.

He leaves a wife and four children besides many friends and relatives to mourn his departure.

His death was caused from a stomach trouble from which he had been suffering a great while.

When men know the least they begin to think they know it all.

## DEATH OF NORMAN PHILLIPS

Buried at Rock Springs Baptist church Last Tuesday.

Mr. Norman Phillips, of Carrboro, was taken suddenly ill at his home last Sunday afternoon and died early in the evening of the same day. He had returned from a Durham hospital a few days prior to this time, where he had been treated for high blood pressure and Bright's disease.

He attended Sunday school in the morning and taught his class, and seemed to be in his usual health. However, he explained to his class that he felt as though it would be his last time with them.

Returning from Sunday school, he ate a hearty dinner and a few minutes afterward was taken violently ill. A physician was called, but he could do the sick man no good.

Mr. Phillips was well known in Pittsboro and had many friends here. Before moving to Carrboro, he owned a farm near the Powell place, two miles north of town, but on account of poor health he sold it and moved to Carrboro some four or five years ago.

He was about 55 years of age and leaves two daughters, Mrs. Will Cain, with whom he lived, and Mrs. Honer Mitchell, of Durham. He also leaves two sons, Joseph Phillips, of Burlington, and Palmer Phillips, also of Durham.

Funeral services were held in the Rock Springs Baptist church Tuesday, following a short service held in the Baptist church in Carrboro, before the funeral cortege left there, and he was buried in the old Rock Springs cemetery, near his old Chatham home.

### BOTTLED IN BOND.

Contributed.

Bottled in bon' bottled in bon' those were the days when we drank good corn, but things have changed, as daily we roam, we hear nothing else but the Teapot Dome! The Teapot Dome, of which some were fond, it's nothing to compare with bottled in bond. Because you drank it, it caused you to roam, but not quite enough to make you want the Teapot Dome.

## B. L. & T. ELECT OFFICERS

Banks at Moncure, Sanford and Jonesboro Show a Good Year

Sanford Express.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Banking Loan & Trust Company was held in their banking rooms last Thursday evening, a large majority of the stock being represented. The report of the officers showed that business during the past year had been very gratifying. The following were elected directors: W. M. Allen, J. K. Barnes, R. E. Carrington, J. W. Cunningham, I. P. Lasater, D. E. McIver, W. W. Robards, D. B. Teague, and W. S. Weatherspoon.

After the adjournment of the stockholders the directors met and elected the following officers for the coming year: R. E. Carrington, chairman of the board, J. W. Cunningham, president, W. S. Weatherspoon, vice-president, W. W. Robards, cashier, J. K. Barnes, cashier Moncure branch, I. P. Lasater cashier and Miss Margaret McIver, assistant cashier, Jonesboro branch. D. B. Teague, Attorney. The usual semi-annual dividend of 4 per cent was declared, and a nice sum carried to profit account.

Mr. Cunningham, the new president, was one of the organizers of the bank twenty years ago, and has been active in its management. To him is due much of its success. Beginning with a capital of \$5,000, its reserves today are over three-quarters of a million. Mr. Robards, the new cashier, has been with the institution for five years and is an experienced banker of wide acquaintance. The other officers have been with the bank a number of years and have been great factors in its growth and success.

## NICE SUM FROM BOX PARTY

Little James Harris Burned Face at School—Other Bynum News.

Bynum, Feb. 25.—Miss Grace Lindley spent the week end with her parents near Siler City.

Miss Ollie Biggs was a week end visitor in the home of her parents, near Red Springs.

Misses Effie Lambeth and Fanny Riddle spent Friday night in Sanford.

Mr. Kenny Riddle of Sanford, is visiting his brother, Mr. A. B. Riddle, this week.

Miss Truman Fields and Stella Womble were the guests of Miss Sadie Johnson for the week end.

Quite a number of his friends and relatives from here, attended the funeral of Mr. Add Clark, of Carrboro, which took place in Mt. Gilead cemetery Sunday afternoon.

Little James Harris had the misfortune to fall on the heater, while at school last week, and burn his face badly.

The sum of thirty-nine (\$39.00) was realized from the box party Friday night. This goes for the benefit of the school. The next subject for discussion is a new school building. This is badly needed and the children deserve one. Why not wake up patrons and get a building that your children can go to on cold days and be comfortable?

Miss Pearl Foushee spent the week end at home.

### POLLY.

Mr. Henry A. Bynum will leave Tuesday for Atlanta where he will attend a meeting of the Case Tractor employees.

## NEARLY HUNDRED MORE NOW

Subscribers Coming in Rapidly During Past Few Days.

During the past week we have received many new subscribers, coming all the way from Plant City, Fla., to Oklahoma, and several other states in the Union. Our friends have been busy sending out samples for us and the Chathamites, dispersed abroad and to love home, are sending in for the Record. Many of them send us encouraging letters, telling us what a good paper we are publishing and it does make us feel good.

We hereby thank one and all for the many pleasant things they have said about us and we shall do everything we can to continue to merit your approval.

The following good people have been placed on our list during the past few days:

Mrs. N. T. Maxwell, Alvis J. Oldham, A. F. Goldston, Mrs. J. Guy Smith, Mrs. W. A. Allen, Marshallville Home, Mrs. J. R. Barnes, Norlina Headlight, C. J. Goldston, Africa Siler, Mrs. L. P. Dixon, Allen Willett, Frank Teague, W. C. Albright, Mrs. J. A. Carter, Lewis H. Fogleman, J. C. Crutchfield, Mrs. Annie Johnson, D. T. Poe, Fred R. Dark, Miss Maide Kidd, H. M. Barber, Mrs. R. H. Poe, Carl J. Rives, Haywood Siler, Phil Lea, T. C. Moody, E. S. Baker, Miss Cleo Cotten, Sophia Cross, Master Lester Farrell, Charles B. Moore, Carson Johnson, Gordon Keck, Mrs. W. Z. Crews, L. E. Cole, J. J. Womble, E. C. Cheek, Fred Thrift, Hickory Mt. Gun Club, Mrs. James Cooper, J. L. Womble, J. K. Barnes, W. Lee Hipp, J. A. Thomas, Int. Cartoon Service, Selders' Weekly, Mrs. Ella A. Clark, H. G. Guley, Mrs. W. E. Morgan, Jarvis E. Johnson, Ben Wilson, Ira Lassater, E. T. Mann, W. T. Mann, E. F. Baldwin, W. L. Beckwith, Mrs. Burt Holt, C. R. Hargrove, Rev. C. H. Caviness, J. C. Abernathy, W. A. Eubanks, Bud Goodwin, W. J. Hackney, D. J. O'Connell, Mary B. Fields, D. E. Boone, Mrs. R. L. Wilson, Guy Cox and Mrs. J. B. Williams.

PLAY BE GIVEN IN MARCH

News Notes About People You Know Around Truth.

Truth, Feb. 25.—Miss Cleo Cotten spent the week end with her teacher Miss Mary Lee Utley, at Brickhaven.

Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Mims and children spent Saturday and Sunday with her mother, Mrs. J. H. Cotten.

It seems as if Mr. Lamont Reynolds of Merry Oaks, doesn't break his standard Saturday and Sunday dates. We are going to lose our most popular young lady.

Mr. J. T. O'Connell and son, Delmas, motored to Fuquay Springs Saturday and purchased a new Ford.

We are very glad to see so many of the parents and patrons of the school out to witness the basket ball games and hope they will come to all the games.

A play, "The Path Across The Hill," will be given some time in the month of March. Announcement will be made later in The Record.

Dropping shot after shot into the basket in swift succession, the Truth school quint won over Corinth last Thursday by a score of 42 to 14.

The Truth boys were in fine shape and stayed in the lead from the beginning to the end.

The stars for Truth were Delmas O'Connell, Robert Cotten and Arthur Stephens. Stars for the visitors were Leon and Hugh Buchanan.

### BOX SUPPER AT BRISCOE

There will be a box supper at Briscoe school house in Bear Creek township on Saturday night, March 1st. The proceeds are for the benefit of the school and the public is invited to attend.

HOLD FIDDLER'S CONVENTION

To Be Held in Pittsboro on Saturday Night, March 8th

An old time Fiddler's Convention will be held in the auditorium of the Pittsboro high school on Saturday night, March 8th, beginning at 8 o'clock.

Many handsome prizes have been set for the most competent players and the event promises to be one that will furnish much entertainment for the whole of Chatham county.

Many fiddlers, banjoists, guitar players and buck dancers will be on hand to furnish entertainment for the audience. Mr. Cecil Lindley, who has the event in charge tells The Record that a large number of splendid musicians and dancers have already promised to be here and he wants to get in touch with any others that desire to be here.

A per centage of the proceeds will go to the high school in Pittsboro and the balance to the cost of the entertainment and for the prizes. The admission is to be nominal, children under 6 years old being admitted free and from 6 to 15 years old at half price, 25 cents. Adults will be charged 50 cents.

The best fiddler will get \$10; the second best \$5.00. The best banjoist will get \$10 and the second best \$5.00. The best guitar picker will get \$10 and the second best will get \$5.00.

The best buck dancer will get \$5 and the second best \$2.00. Don't forget the date and time and be on hand, because you will enjoy this event better than any that you have attended in Chatham county in several years.

SEE YOUR LABEL

## PASCHAL MAKES A RECORD

Native Son of Chatham is Boosted in Texas Paper.

Wake Forest, Feb. 24.—The unique record of Robert Lee Paschal, a native of North Carolina and a graduate of Wake Forest college, is set forth in a quarter-column news story, topped by the picture of the man, appearing in The Dallas, Tex., News, of January 23. For 30 years Mr. Paschal has been connected with the Fort Worth, Texas schools. Mr. Paschal has graduated 2,500 children from his school during his long service, says the story in the Texas paper. He is a twin brother of Dr. G. W. Paschal, examiner and professor of Greek at Wake Forest.

The story in the Dallas paper says: "Mr. Paschal was president of the Texas State Teachers Association in 1914, when the convention was held in Houston, and since that time has been prominent in its activities."

He was born in Chatham county, near Siler City, N. C., July 7, 1869. He attended country school and Mount Vernon Academy, and thence went to Wake Forest College, Wake Forest, N. C., where he completed the four year course for his bachelor of arts degree in three years. Mr. Paschal has a twin brother who is now professor of Greek in this school.

"In September, 1892, Mr. Paschal came to Texas and assisted in the organization of Simmons College at Abilene and taught in the school a year and a half. Mr. Paschal came to Fort Worth in January, 1894, and was made principal of the Fifth Ward school and remained in that capacity for twelve years. In 1906 he was named principal of the old Fort Worth high school at Jennings avenue and Daggett street, which since has burned. He has served as principal since that time."

"By way of celebrating his anniversary Tuesday, Mr. Paschal put in a hard day of work."

Mr. Paschal is well remembered in Chatham county. He is the son of the late R. B. Paschal and Matilda Paschal, and was born at the old homestead about two and a half miles south west of Siler City.

Mrs. Matilda Paschal, his mother, died on the 8th day of August, 1922, after a short illness, resulting from a fall and an injury. She was in her 100th year and would have celebrated that anniversary on the following March had she lived.

Robert Lee Paschal is a brother to Mr. J. R. Paschal, father of attorney Fred Paschal at Siler City, and who lives at the old homestead near Siler City. He was also a brother of Mrs. Mary (Stephan) Brewer of Pittsboro, mother of Mrs. Jacob Thompson, and who died during the year 1922.

Mr. John T. Paschal another brother, died at his home in Goldston just a few days ago.

Mr. Paschal came from a family of sturdy, honest, energetic people and his many friends and relatives in Chatham county are not surprised to learn of his progress in his adopted home in Texas.

### CELEBRATES HIS BIRTHDAY.

Friends Gather at Home Mr. Murchison—Local Items.

Siler City, Rt. 1, Feb. 25.—Miss Eliza Rives, teacher of Flint Ridge school spent from the 22nd to the 24th with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Rives, near Goldston.

The friends and neighbors of Mr. Theodore Murchison met at his home on Sunday, February 24th, with baskets filled with something good to eat, and celebrated his sixty-sixth birthday. Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. Willie Murchison, Mr. and Mrs. Gaston Murchison and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Murchison, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Overman and family, Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Curl and family, Mr. James M. Teague and family, Mr. and Mrs. Gaston Andrews and family, Miss Eliza Rives, Mr. Paul Wrenn, Mr. Winfred Wright, Mr. Clay Stevens, Mr. and Mrs. George Norwood, and daughter, Mr. Will Johnson and Mr. Carl Thompson. All enjoyed the day and went away wishing Mr. Murchison many more happy birthdays.

Little Miss Sarah Johnson, who had the misfortune to break her arm several days ago, is improving, we are glad to state.

DOINGS OF FLINT RIDGE FOLKS.

Siler City, Rt. 1, Feb. 25.—Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Thompson and Miss Lizzie McVey were visitors at Mr. J. L. Thompsons Saturday night and Sunday.

Messrs Edward and Leonard Keller, Clay Whitehead and Dewey Scott visited Messrs Horace and Marvin Thompson Sunday morning.

Mr. S. P. Duncan is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Duncan. Misses Mabel and Eunice Thompson visited Miss Eula Thompson Sunday.

Misses Madeline and Wilma Duncan visited Misses Lucile and Mabel Richardson Sunday afternoon.

Messrs Edward and Leonard Keller and Clay Whitehead, visited Mr. Darrell Teague Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Wicker visited her parents Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Keller visited their son, B. M. Keller, Sunday.

Mr. Willard Richardson, of Red Cross, visited Flint Ridge school Monday.

Mr. Paul Wrenn is at home on route 2, when he is not filling a regular engagement at the home of his best girl.

### FOUR BASHFUL GIRLS.

## SUPPLANTED BY GRAY RACER

Old Colored Man in Poor Condition—Local and Personal Notes.

Corinth, Feb. 25.—Miss Marie Phillips spent Sunday at her home in Bonlee.

T. H. Buchanan and family spent Sunday with relatives at Fuquay Springs.

Mr. Maynard Tally, of Fuquay Springs spent Sunday with friends at Corinth.

E. V. Dickens little boy, we call him "Buster," has been quite sick but is improving now.

Mrs. Margaret Morgan, of Raleigh, Mrs. Betty Allen, of Charlotte and Mrs. Blennie Wilson, of Broadway, all spent Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Clark.

Mr. A. M. Pollard, who was hurt at the Phoenix Hill last week, is in a Sanford hospital, but is improving and will soon be out again.

Mrs. R. S. Parker returned to Buckhorn Saturday from a two weeks visit with her mother, in Albemarle.

We are very sorry to hear of the serious illness of one of our good colored neighbors and friends, "Uncle Steve Thomas." He is very sick with pneumonia. The colored people of the community should know this so they can render his people any assistance that they may need.

Corinth has a basket ball team now and has begun playing. They had their first game with Truth last week, and will play other nearby schools during the season.

Miss Marie Phillips, our primary teacher is a basket ball player and will make a winning team out of our Corinth bunch before long.

Try This on Your Carbuoreur.

We sure do miss Jim Dickens. And his Roadster bright and gay. For he's on the railroad and