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FLU AROUND BRICKHAVEN. A Lesson in Citizenship—Personal

Notes. Brickhaven, Feb. 23.-Miss Nell Yarboro, after spending a while here with her sister, Mrs. C. H. Thompson, returned to her home near San-

ford last Thursday. the Teacher Training Class of Pittsboro, and a former teacher here, was the week-end guest of Miss Mary

Several from this community motored to New Hill Sunday afternoon Mrs. Clarence Cole. to attend the services at the Chrisby Mr. W. J. Stephenson. Rev. Ful- been visiting friends. ler Johnson is the regular pastor but! Mr. Harry Jones of Chicago is Sunday appointment.

kee Brick Co., has been seriously ill. beet prevalent in the community for auntt, Mrs. Robena McRae. the past few weeks will soon sub- Mr. and Mrs. Roy Knight attendfor springtime. May the March winds lives near Goldston. not only blow away the old useless | Last Wednesday night, February more weary hearts, and rid them of happy life. old doubts and fears and rob life of much of its beauty and much of its strength, and bring instead the high hopes and inspirations that come from the right conception of

the real meaning and message of the ever-welcome spring. Of course the many earnest Sunday school workers found everywhere, know that on last Sunday, ning 21 to 3. the birthday of George Washington, e of the world's most honored, best loved citizens, the regular series of this quarter's lessons was set aside for a lesson on citizenship, a son sorely needed. The purpose of is lesson was to emphasize the digtv. the beauty and the patriotism of maintaining and obeying the laws of a nation, and the temperance laws regarding the sale and use of intoxicantsi was especially stressed. In the discussion the appalling statement was niade, a statement that had back of it sufficient experience and undertaking, to render it above question-that if the church members would stop buying and drinking intoxicants our communities would soon be rid of the heart-breaking, soul-destroying liquor curse. This article is not written as a challenge, nor to start a discussion, but if such be the condition and low status of church membership, it should cause individual thought. It is possible to be a good citizen and not claim to be Christian, but the real Christian is st of all a good citizen. One canbe a Christian in the truest se of the word, and be indiffert concerning the welfare of his neightors, and we have to agree, whether we wish to or not, that the iquor curse is a universal curse, and as in most cases, a curse that can barished if each individual would

necessary factor in a combined ce against evil everywhere. Mr. T. J. Harrington and also Mr. H. Overby are out again after an ack of "Flu." We have missed em very much at the Sunday ser-

hink of himself, in world terms, as

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Mills and nily of Raleigh, were week-end sts here of Mr. Mill's parents, and Mrs. W. O. Mills.

essis Harry Norwood and W. R. on of Pittsboro were in dickhaven today. We question if by county in the state has as connial and as accommodating a suintendent of schools as Chatham. Thompson is a progressive man and certainly has the interest at art of those he serves. When the wishes to criticise it should constructive criticism, give the od along with that which does not public or private life is infallible.

Williams-Belk again come to our aders with some attractive weekofferings. The advertising coland indicate that now is a good to visit Sanford for the new ds as well as the old.

NEW COAL MINE NEAR GULF. | C. P. & L. CO. TAKES

Young Lady Gets Married-Work at Fireproofing Plant Progressing.

Gulf, Feb. 23.-Mr. and Mrs. Ivey Jones, of Pensylvania, spent last week with his brother, Mr. W. A. Jones. They spent the winter in Florida, and while there visited Tex-Miss Laura Harris, member of as and Utah, and down at Hot Springs for their health. They left the first of the week by way of Durham for their home.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hall Flemings of Pinetop are visiting his sister,

Mrs. Henry Cooper returned this tian church, which were conducted week from Greensboro where she has

requested Mr. Stephenson to fill the here helping his brother-in-law at the new coal mine, about three miles Misses Ruth Kennedy and Eunice from Gulf, on the Oren Palmer place. Thompson, students of the Moncure About three feet of coal have been high school, have been unable to meet | found ,and all are hoping this will lasses for the past few days. Too, be a success in every way, because C. S. Harrington, of the Chero- it will mean so much to our town.

Mr. Edwin Campbell of Portsmouth We hape the wave of sickness that has is spending a few days with his

side and that everybody can be ed the birthday dinner Sunday of well and happy and enjoy the longed her aunt, Mrs. J. H. Fisher, who

things of last year, thus breaking 18, Miss Dolly Gilliam, of Pocket, the rigorous hold of winter, and and Mr. Tom Riddle, of Sanford, sweeping clean and smooth the path were quietly married at the home of for approach of spring, but may it her aunt, Mrs. Robena McRae. They also, with the old new hope that left soon after the ceremony for Sancome's with the advent of Spring, ford where they will make their sweep clean the tired minds, and the home. We wish for them a long and

> Mr. Henry Cooper expects to open up the new pottery plant shortly. This is more good news to us.

> We are sorry to state that little Ann Russell has mumps, but she is getting along nicely.

The Gulf and Goldston girls played basket ball at Goldston Friday afternoon, the Goldston girls win-

Mrs. J. M. McIver, Miss Estella McIver Mrs Mary Lacy and Mrs. H. A. Russell attended the N. C. Presbyterian Convention in Greensboro last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred McIntyre, of Raleigh, spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McIn-

Mr. and Mrs. John Little and children, of Merry Oaks, were Sunday visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Little.

Work down at the new plant, The Carolina Fireproofing Co., is progressing rapidly.

Mr. Marvin Ray of Moncure visited friends here Sunday afternoon.

MASSEY-WILSON.

New Hill, Feb. 23.-In a ceremony characterized by dignity and simplicity, Miss Irma Lee Massey became the bride of Mr. Edward E. Wilson Friday afternoon at 4:30 o'clock at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Massey of Apex, N. C.

The bride's pastor, Rev. G. N. Cowan, of the Baptist church, was the officiating minister.

The ceremony was witnessed by only the immediate families of the bride and groom.

Immediately after the beautiful ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Wilson left for a trip to Florida, following which they will be at home in Greensboro.

Mrs. Wilson is the oldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Massey. She is a young lady of attractive personality. Mr. Wilson is a former commissioner of Chatham county, is ex-chairman of the board and is well known thru the county.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilson have a circle of friends who will be interested in the announcement of their mar-

KILLED IN KENTUCKY.

News was received here Saturday to the effect that Tony Hill, son of Dorcas Hill, known up north as the "Dixie Kid," was killed somewhere in Kentucky last Friday. It is not learned how he was killed. His remains will be brought here this

The "Dixie Kid" left here several years ago and went north where he took unto himself a white woman ease so well. No one whether he be for a wife. He brought her to Pittsboro on a visit to his mother, but the citizens made it so hot for her that she only stayed a short while.

Rev. Jonas Barclay and Mr. A. C. Ray attended the meeting of Presbyterian men at Greensboro last

OVER NORTH STATE.

Local and Personal News Notes About Corinth Folks.

Corinth, Feb. 23.—Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Horton spent Sunday at Wendell visiting Miss Cora Cham-

Sunday looking over old acquaintances at Corinth. Mrs. D. A. Clark and Miss Austin

spent the week end at Star, N. C., visiting Mrs. Clark's daughter, Mrs. W. A. Allen. Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Harington spent Friday and Saturday with their

daughter, Mrs. M. I. Ellis near Siler

Yesterday was regular preaching day at Buckhorn church. Mr. Duvall preached another good sermon to an interested audience. He is very anxious to "get a going" on the new circuit parsonage, to be built at Holly Springs. For Buckhorn church to share its part in the expense of this new parsonage would, of course, mean that the Buckhorn church had been placed permanently on the Holly Springs circuit.

Mr. and Mrs. James Arden Jones of Raleigh spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Nash.

Mr. and Mrs. William Couzins came in last week from South Carolina. Mrs. Couzins' mother, Mrs. T. F. Cross, is still quite sick with sciatic rheumatism.

Mrs. W. J. Stephenson, her daughter, Esther, and son, W. J. Jr., are all sick with flu.

Quite a number of school children in this community are out of school on account of this annual invasion of flu. Its about time now it was letting up a bit.

It might be news to some to know that the Carolina Power and Light Co., on Feb. 10th took over the North State Power Co., and will soon extend their main lines to take on 10 more new towns, including Holly Springs, Varina, Fuquay Springs, Coats, Angier, Buies Creek and Lil-

Another million dollar industry going upon Chatham county soil at Cumnock, but making a Lee county town the center of business.

The time was not many years ago when the Lee county town was much smaller than Pittsboro. As long as these new industries keep coming to Chatham county, it is not yet too late for Chatham county to build up a town somewhere that will command and hold the trade and patronage that these new industries always bring.

AN UNUSUAL WINTER.

Stockholm, the captal of Sweden, one of the very coldest countries, has had a remarkable winter. There was no snow and ice there Christmas, and instead grass was growing green. Throughout December they were playing football instead of hockey on the ice. Over waters usually thick with ice, a rowing regatta was held. Such weather has not been known in that country for 75 years.

Here in Pittsboro we have had one of the mildest of winters, only two or three cold "spells" having caused people to shiver some. And February has been an extremely mild month. compared to the month in other years.. Here today bluebirds, robins, and other warm weather birds are plentiful.

"VILLAGE BLACKSMITH" DEAD.

"Uncle" Simon Tinnin, colored who lived just outside of the corporate limits of the southern part of Pittsboro, died at his home Sunday evening after an illness of some

"Uncle" Simon was one of the landmarks of Pittsboro, and was known far and wide as one of the best blacksmiths that ever lived in this section. He had many friends among the white people, was honest and an upright old man, always ready to do a favor whenever possible. He was 70 years of age.

BECK'S REMOVAL SALE.

Mr. Beck, one of Sanford's clever merchants, has to move and is accordingly offering some notably good prices in this issue. See his big advertisement and take advantage of the opportunity to buy good, new, staples cheap.

BUILD A HOME IN PITTSBORO. ognized.

YOUTH CONFESSES TO STORE BREAKING.

Lawrence Jones, a 17-year Old Boy of Bennett, Bound Over For Robbery of Brower's Store.

Lawrence Jones, a seventeen-year old boy, of Bennett, was bound over to the May term of court by Magis-Mr. T. N. Gunter, of Raleigh, spent trate Hamp Stone of Siler City, Saturday, on the charge of breaking into C. L. Brower's store on February

> The youth made full confession. However, the proof of his guilt was convincing. The credit for the detection of the thief is due most largely to Mr. B. F. Cribbs, salesman at Brower's.

> Some of the articles stolen were recovered at the boys' home, where his honorable, but grieved, parents fully cooperated with Mr. Cribbs in uncovering the guilt of the youth.

NOTICE YOUR LABEL.

A number of subscriptions expire this week. Your label will * tell you whether yours is one * of them. If so, take that as a notification that you should re-* new if you wish the paper contin-* ued. Or if it is not convenient to pay the cash right now, drop us a card asking that your name be retained and send the money * at your earliest convenience. * \$1.50 will pay for The Record to Jan. 1, 1926 and for The Progressive Farmer a full year. \$2. will pay for The Record a year and for seven varieties of peach ' trees, delivered postage free and * in good order.

BEAR CREEK LOCAL NEWS.

Bear Creek, Feb. 21.-Mrs. W. I. Williamson and son, Wilbur, of Sanford, spent the week-end in the home of T. B. Beal.

Burglars broke into the store of C. B. Fitts here Saturday night, but Mr. Fitts says they got very little.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Fowler, of Burlington have moved into the house with Mr. B. F. Moffitt. Mr. Moffitt and baby were very sick last week, but have improved greatly. Born to Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Willett, a son.

Mrs. H. L. Fields, of Siler City, spent last week in the home of her mother, Mrs. H. W. Murray.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Norwood and family visited in Burlington and Mebane, during the week-end. The children of L. M. Fields gave

him a surprise birthday dinner at the home of his daughter, Mrs. W. H. Murray, Rt. 2. All his children were present to enjoy the occasion. His children are: H. L. Fields and Mrs. H. C. Ivey, Siler City; Mrs. O. B. Phillips, Latta, S. C.: Mrs. Flossie Bland and Miss Wannie Fields,

of Durham. We join his many friends in wishing him many more happy birthdays. N. J. Dawkins, of Raleigh, was a recent visitor at the home of his

parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Daw-Terrell B. Beal was a business visitor in Pittsboro Monday .

PHIL. BALDWIN BROS. MOVE.

The Record readers will be pleased to learn that the good firm of Baldwin Bros., Chatham chaps, who have made a success of merchandising in the good town of Sanford, have outgrown their old quarters and have moved into the more commodious building recently vacated by Williams-Belk Co. The reader, too, should be sure to note the fine prices Baldwin Bros. are offering in this issue. Those nice linen dresses at \$5. and the prices on white goods should apeal particularly to our lady read-

PEPPERED WITH SHOT.

Deputy Straughan received rather a warm welcome at a still site in Bear Creek township one day last week. Deputy Stinson had already found the still and taken it away a few hours before. Deputy Straughan unaware of Stinson's raid and acting on information independently received, came to the place and received a peppering of bird shot from one of the two white men near However, no serious injury resulted The men seem not to have been recT LEGISLATURE.

Solons at Raleigh.

The 60-day limit with pay for the legislature is rapidly drawing near and much of the real work of the session is ahead. It is thought that it will require several days of free service on the part of the legislators to finish the business of the session. Yet it has been observed that bills pass rapidly through the hopper the closing days of the sixty, and it will not be surprising if the body rushes through the work in some shape by the time pay ceases

Constitutional Convention. Tuesday saw the joint Senate and House committee on constitutional

bills vote favorably for a bill calling an election on the question of constitutional convention. The House committee reported favorably the Sams bill for an amendment inauguration for January 1. The senate committee reported the House bill amendment to make the pay of legislators \$600 a session. Also the Bailey bill to place control of all courts below the supreme court in the hands of the Legislature was reported without prejudice by the House. All the foregoing are matters that would require a vote of the people to become effective.

The House committee on elections also reported favorably Tuesday on Neal's bill to repeal the primary law. Several days earlier an unfavorable report had been offered on the Australian ballot bill, but the women of the State are going to back that bill on a minority report and there will be a fight despite the opposition of the partisan leaders. The repeal of the primary law is unlikely, but should be unless the ballot is safe-guarded.

Auditor's Report.

Auditor Durham, in response to a request of the legislature, rendered a report of employees in all departments of the State and also as to number and use of automobiles by these employees. It was found that the State maintains 1.083 automobiles and trucks and that it cost the State \$491,997.54 to operate its 360 touring cars, \$1,580,231.71 to operate its fleet of 504 trucks. For example, it cost \$40,979.11 to buy grease for the trucks last year. The most of these cars and trucks are used by the highway commission, though the tax department and the automobile license department office uses quite a number of cars.

The auditor's report included also a list of employees with salaries. Frank Page, highway commissioner, is the highest paid man in the State's employ, getting \$15,000 a year. President Chase of the University and Brooks of State College and Engineer Upham of the Highway Commission draw \$10,000 year. J. E. Sawyer, chief clerk in the automobile department, draws \$6,000, and is one of the men provided with a Packard car, according to J. W. Bailey. The chief clerks in the auditor's office and the department of revenue get \$4,500 a year. There are 1700 employees of the highway commission listed and hundreds in the other departments. There is a small army of State's employees, with salaries ranging from the niggardly \$4 a day for legislators to Mr. Page's \$15,000 a year, evidencing the need of a central control as is proposed in one The bill requiring horse-drawn

of the bills urged by the Governor. vehicles to carry lights at night is dead. The Poole bill was killed. The passed two weeks ago, or more. The forward and newsy county weekly. Foushee short ballot bill has not been reached.

of the needs as reported in the budget committee's report has been introduced in the house. The appropriations bill waits on the revenue lege for negroes pased through bill. The problem is still how to swimmingly a few days ago. The colapropriate \$14,000,000 from a revellege will be located at Durham. nue of \$12,000,000. It is to find other tax sources or cut apropriations. the marriage and divorce laws have There will be a howl in either case but from different directions. Dr. Brooks of State College was even or another are pouring in, but the the budget amount.

A bill has been introduced by dicial bills. Representative Braswell, of Nash county, to permit members of the Cooperative marketing associations the enactments.

SILER CITY SCHOOL NEWS

A Glimpse at Work of State's Slight Decrease in Average Daily Attendance Due to Sickness.

> Siler City, Feb. 20.-The Siler City school closed its fifth month on February 10th with an average daily attendance of 430.7 for the month. This is about five per cent less than it was last month, due largely to sickness.

> The attendance record for the month was made by the Seventh Grade taught by Mrs. O. I. Hinson. This grade and teacher gets half holiday today.

> The regular meeting of the Parent-Teacher Association was held last night.

On Thursday night, February 26th, "Boosters Club" of Elon College will give a free entertainment urder the auspices of the Parent-Teacher Association. There are 15 college boys in this Club and they present setting the date of the governor's a program of glee club and college songs and athletic stunts. Everyone should hear and see this program.

The honor roll for the fifth month is as follows:

First grade-Ruth Bray, Bertha Cruthchfield, Mary Bruton, Sarah Elizabeth Edwards, Louise Winfred Edwards, Dorothy Van Elkins, Gretchen Green, Edna Gregson, Sallie Garroll Huddleston, Alice McLaughlin, Grigg Fountain, Jack Seawell, Victor Williams, Elizabeth Brooks.

Second grade—Hubert Russell Stone, Leah Cheek, Dorothy Johnson, V. M. Dorsett, Jr., Frances Huddleston, Lena Ruth Phillips, Clarice Fox, June Parker Wren, Frank Willette.

Third grade-Lois Edwards Smith, Rowland Hinshaw, Frances Elkins, Effie Mae Stanley, Mary Siler, Frances Ellington.

Fourth grade—Fannie Peeples, Jeannette Fox, Florence Alice Wrenn. Fifth grade-Lois White, James Wren, Ben Clapp.

Sixth grade-Edna Teague, Imogene Perry. Seventh grade-Benton Bray, Her-

bert McDaniel. Eighth grade-Maragret Paschal. Ninth grade-Alma McMath, Leisel Womble.

To The Citizens of Hickory Mt. Township.

I have been requested to get a law enacted to prohibit dogs from running at large April 1st to Sept.

1st, in Hickory Mt. township. All who are opposed to such a law will please so advise me at once.

Respectfully, WADE BARBER, Representative for Chatham Co. Raleigh, N. C., Feb. 24, 1925.

SOME CHANGES.

Just see what one man, moving away from Pittsboro, has done. Mr. Dewey Dorsett moved to Siler City. He sold his home to Mr. A.P. Terry. Mr. Terry sold his home to Mr. Sam Griffin. Mr. Griffin sold his home to his father. Mr. J. W. Griffin. who has rented his farm, about three miles south of Pittsboro, and will move to his new home here.

Pittsboro loses one family and gets another.

ANOTHER BIG LIST.

A day and a half in the field last week aded another goodly list of subscribers to The Record. As yet we haven't had half a chance to see the folk and get them on the Record's list, but we are hoping sooner or later to take the rural routes one by one and visit the people at their homes. We want to get the paper inbus bill, regulating width of busses to every home in the county that is and providing for a heavy tax, was capable of appreciating a straight-

BUILD A HOME NOW!

The revenue bill estimated to to withdraw, but it is not likely to raise \$12,000,000, two millions short pass, though it will make a fight. Cooperatives think it is meant to

create a disturbance in the ranks. A bill to establish an A grade col-

All bills pertaining to changes in

failed of pasage. Scores of new bills of one kind asking an increase of \$25,000 over big things are the finance and appropriation bills, the election and ju-

> After the session adjourns The Record hopes to publish a list of all