

TOWN AND COUNTY BRIEFS

Mrs. Bettie Nelson of Siler City RFD 2 died about ten days ago at the age of 76.

Mrs. Royal Shannonhouse, Jr., and son of New Bern are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Poe.

Miss Alma Dailey, after a considerable siege of illness was able to be about the latter part of the week.

Mr. C. Y. Bennett, who died at the home of his daughter Mrs. Finley S. Merritt in Durham Nov. 2, was buried at Lystra Baptist church Wednesday afternoon. Mr. Bennett was 83 years of age.

Mrs. R. H. Hayes has gone to spend the period extending over Christmas with her brother at Cana. Near by are Joppa, Mt. Zion, and even Jerusalem. This Cana, however, is not the place where water was turned into wine, but the one in the midst of the country where corn is turned into moonshine.

A slight operation upon the editor's lip has made him feel unlike himself the last few days and also look unlike himself—and the worst of it is, the looks haven't improved.

The body of Garland Baldwin, of the several negroes who died as a result of drinking poison alcohol in Greensboro, was brought to his old home and buried at Hamlet's Chapel last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Johnson of Laurinburg spent a few days last week in the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Johnson of the Antioch community.

Mr. Clifton C. Durham, of route 2, has returned after a business trip of ten days to Danville, Leaksville, and Greensboro.

Mr. Grover Durham is home after a six weeks stay at the state hospital, Raleigh. He is said to be greatly improved.

You may not think it makes any difference whether you pay your subscription this week or next. But it does. The sooner you pay, the easier it is for us to meet expenses and the more encouragement to try to make the full-size paper. We have to cut the garments according to the cloth in sight.

You couldn't give a better Christmas present to a friend or relative who was raised in Chatham county than a year's subscription to the Chatham Record. Such one, wherever he lives, will enjoy the paper, and will remember you pleasantly on its receipt each week. Try it.

Mr. L. C. Ellis of Fort Baynard Hospital, New Mexico, in his letter, a part of which appears on another page, calls for the name of the publisher of Dr. Geo. W. Paschal's History of North Carolina Baptists. The North Carolina State Convention, we believe, is responsible for the publication. Edwards and Broughton, Raleigh, are the printers. But the book can be got from the Baptist Book Store, Raleigh, N. C. The first volume has already made its appearance, and Mr. Ellis can probably get a copy without delay. We haven't seen the volume, but know from reading part of the proofs that it is a valuable book.

Mr. F. R. Thomas of Los Angeles, Cal., and sister Mrs. C. W. Brandt of Salisbury were visitors Sunday at the home of Mrs. Lanius. They also visited their brother Mr. D. B. Thomas of Durham, who married Miss Nannie Lanius.

We were not so much surprised to see the good homes of some of our white friends the fork of the Deep and the Rocky, but it was surprising to see what a good home and farm our good colored friend P. L. Lee has. It is a real farm and he is a real farmer.

Miss Alma Dailey has returned to her studies at Duke after being at home ill for two weeks.

Mr. Abner Harrington, who married Miss Sarah Myers Hughes of Pittsboro, sixty years ago, died in Fayetteville the night of November 30th at the age of eighty-three. Mr. Harrington was for many years engaged in the cotton mill business and was one of the most prominent and useful citizens of Cumberland county. He was a native of Moore county.

Manuel Lutterloh, colored, the young man who worked for several years at Mr. L. N. Womble's store, died Sunday of tuberculosis and was buried Monday. Manuel was a good fellow, and the Record regrets to learn of his death.

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Horton and Mr. June Peoples and Miss Pauline Taylor were present at the marriage of Dr. McBane and Miss Coltrane at Trinity.

Mrs. John D. White is at Watts Hospital for an operation.

Dan White went up to the government hospital at Suffolk, Va., the other day with the expectation of undergoing an operation, but came back without having done so, the surgeons, presumably, deciding that it was unnecessary at the time.

Mr. Emory Thomas, who has been in charge of Sheriff Blair's dairy, has moved to the Bynum section.

Poe and Moore have dissolved copartnership. Mr. O. M. Poe retains the business. Mr. Newton Moore, the retiring partner, is putting in time at present in the collection of accounts for the former firm. Mr. Poe, you will notice, is running a live advertisement in this issue.

Mr. N. H. Heritage of Ore Hill has butchered a hog of only 14 months old which weighed 606 pounds. He claims that the feed bill was only \$20. The pig was raised chiefly on green food, clover, rape, rye, etc. That is the way to do business, only it will not pay to let them get so large. A six-months old pig weighing two hundred pounds is the money-maker, and April and August the time to sell them at the highest prices.

An afternoon spent with Mr. Jack Johnson, carrier on Moncure RFD 2, partly on his route and partly on Sanford Rt. 4, resulted in the addition of ten good names to our mailing list and more dollars or subscription than had come into the office the whole week before. It was the editor's first visit to the "Fork", the territory lying in the fork of Deep and Rocky rivers, east of the highway, and we were gratified to see the apparent prosperity of the people. Here live the Brights and Williams. There are few prettier places in the country than that of Mrs. J. R. Bright. Mr. O. W. Williams was the most remote man visited that afternoon, and you may bet that the visit was worth while, as the jolly customer paid us a five-dollar bill on subscription. We haven't met a clever people in many moons than we saw that afternoon. We should like to go all over the country in the same way, and know that we should have a big subscription list and get a considerable sum of money, but only a day or an afternoon of two each week can thus be spent, if we look after the making of the paper and doing other necessary things. So don't wait for us to come to see you. The way the good people seen that afternoon responded is evidence that our subscribers are loyal and appreciative, but it is out of the question to hope to visit all of them, and sending some one else does not amount to the same thing. Don't wait for us to come—you come or send in your renewal.

"Yes, before our marriage I knew him like a book; his appendix is what's bothering me now.—The Pathfinder.

Miss Bettie J. Fell's Engagement Announced

Mr. and Mrs. Henry J. Fell of Trenton, N. J., have announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Bettie Jackson Fell to Mr. Henry Galt Siegrist, of Germantown, Pa.

The bride-elect is a granddaughter of the late Mrs. Henry A. London of Pittsboro, and is a young woman of unusual culture, having won diplomas from St. Mary's Hall, Burlington, Va., St. Mary's Raleigh, and from Columbia University. Mr. Siegrist is a graduate of Gettysburg College, Gettysburg, Pa.

Brown's Chapel News

A goodly crowd heard Pastor Dailey Sunday. A collection of \$3.20 was taken up for the Chinese children and forwarded to Mr. W. L. Farrell. We trust other churches of Hadley township will send in something for the starving children. Mr. Dailey appreciates wood given and hauled by members of Pleasant Hill church as part of the deficit of last year, though the man who gave the wood and the one who hauled it had already paid up their own assessments. In this way it will be easy for all the churches to complete payment for last year's service.

The last corn shucking of the season was at Mr. W. W. Lutterloh's, but he had so much that it was not all shucked.

Dr. R. G. McPherson of Saxapahaw while in this community last week had the good luck to kill a 16-pound turkey without moving from his car.

Mr. Jetter Hackney of Baldwin township says there are 4,000 acres in his community that may be leased or hunting purposes. The fact that people from the towns have become so impudent about going out to hunt is one reason land owners are willing to lease their game rights.

Mr. John R. Durham of Winston spent several days with his father Mr. W. J. Durham, and was accompanied back to his home by his brother Clifton, who remained several days.

Mr. W. F. Crutchfield had quite a frolic with a stray cat that had taken up at his house. So many dishes were broken that Mr. Crutchfield had to go to the corkery store to get a new supply. He would be much obliged if no one else will turn loose a worthless cat near his home.

If you haven't read the editorial of last week on "Hard Times a Warning", get the Record and read it. There has been considerable of late. Masters Curtis Mann and Page Perry have had pneumonia, but art better. Mr. Jake Smith and Mrs. J. T. Mann have been under the doctor's care. Others have been it, but not so seriously and all are better.

BYNUM HONOR HOLL

On Wednesday morning, November 26, the third grade, supervised by the teacher, Miss Lucille Harris entertained the school with the following Thanksgiving program.

Song by audience: Thanksgiving Song. Scripture lesson: Psalm C—Clyde Andrews. Reading: Little Pilgrim Maid—Allene Young. Reading: Thanksgiving Turkey—Mattie Fae Andrews. Song: O Busy Squirrel—Third Grade.

An Exercise: The Squirrel—by nine Third grade children. The month of November ends with our average just over the line, if we keep decreasing our average, we cannot hope to have a teacher for every grade another year. Parents, send your children every day; let their names appear on the perfect attendance Honor Roll along with these.

First Grade—Paul Andrews, Joe Brown, Monley Durham, Rowland Eubanks, Leonard Gails, Willis Knight, Johnnie Stubbs, Alton Williams, Clarence Wheeler, Ivy Marie Eubanks, Lula Meacham, Evelyn White.

Second Grade—Wilma Andrews, Jesse Council, Vivian Fowler, Lillian Gails, Kathelene Meacham, na Oldham, Amy Riggsbee, akthelene Riggsbee, Bernita Riggsbee, Elmer Stout, Daphne Andrews, Flora McDuffie, Victor Dowd, William Fields, Boyce Sizemore.

Third Grade—Clyde Andrews, David Baker, Wilson Blake, Wiley Brown, Melvin Fowler, Rupert Eubanks, James Gails, Alton Fripp, David Tripp, Mattie Fae Andrews, Hilda Harris, Pearl Jones, Gretchen Riggsbee, Dalton Tripp, Vernie Tripp, Allene Young.

Fourth Grade—Lambert Andrews, Billie Blake, William Crane, Leon Mann, El Bynum Riggsbee, Louise Farrell, Edna Gails, Elsie Mann, Christine Stubbs, Christine Ward, Jessie Fowler.

Fifth Grade—Julian Hobby, John Hearne, Edwin Norwood, Vivian Cole, Annie Mae Council, Edna Ellis, Annie Eubanks, Rheba Harris, Mildred Hackney, Helen Knight.

Sixth Grade—Robert Eubanks, George Gattis, Frank Harris, Woodrow Pennington, William Riggsbee, Randolph Riddle, Hubert Tripp, C. T. Young, O. D. Fowler, Ruth Jones, Lillian Knight, Christine Riggsbee, Catherine Ward.

Seventh Grade—Margaret Blake, Evelyn Gunter, Virgilia Smith, J. T. Riggsbee.

TRIBUTE IS PAID

Washington, Dec. 2.—The senate adjourned today, following the read-after disposing of the Davis case. out of respect for the memory of ing of the President's message, and Major Stedman and of the late Representative Williams C. Hammer. The senate took this action in response to a resolution introduced by Senator Overman.

School Expense Void Of Unusual Increase

Raleigh, Nov. 25.—The annual rate of increase in the current operating costs of the public schools is less for the last two school years for which figures are available than for any previous year during the past issue of State School Facts, tenth decade, according to the current monthly publication of the Department of Public Instruction.

The increase in current expense for 1928-29 amounted to \$1,380,845.45 or 4.9 per cent, and was next to the lowest increase record of 4.0 per cent made in 1927-28. The current cost of operating the public schools in 1920-21 showed an increase of 40.8 per cent over that of 1919-20. In 1921-22 the amount of annual increase in current expense decreased to 15.3 per cent. The next year, 1922-23, there was a 11.1 per cent increase in current expense, which percentage dropped to 10.6 per cent in 1923-24. In 1924-25 there was a still further decrease in the percentage increase in current expense, this time to 10.2 per cent. The following year, 1925-26, current expense increased 8.5 per cent; and in 1927-28 was approximately \$1,000,000, or four per cent. In 1928-29 there was an increase of five per cent in current expense.

The average cost of current expenditure per pupil enrolled, according to School Facts, is \$32.67 for the State as a whole. This represents an increase of \$1.35 over the per pupil cost of the preceding school year. There is a tendency, it says, for the per pupil cost of education to increase in both rural and charter schools. In 1919-20, the first year of the operation of the six months school term, the average annual expenditure per rural child enrolled was \$11.62, or less than half of the present expenditure of \$28.57. The average per pupil expenditure in charter schools, on the other hand, was \$22.26 in 1919-20, whereas now it is \$44.50.

Seaboard Announces New Florida Flyer

H. E. Pleasants, division passenger agent, of Raleigh, announced Monday that December 2, the Seaboard inaugurated a new fast train between Boston, Miami and St. Petersburg, Fla., known as "The Florida Sunbeam." This train will handle through sleepers from Boston, Springfield, Pittsburgh, Cleveland and Buffalo, and will pass Raleigh Union Station at 4:02 p. m., and arrive in Hamlet at 6:35 p. m. day, arrive, West Palm Beach 12:25 p. m.; Miami 2:55 p. m.; St. Petersburg 12:10 p. m. the following day. This train is on a very fast schedule and while it will handle sleeping cars for Savannah and Jacksonville, they will be dropped at Columbia for handling on the fast passenger and mail express for these points, as "the Sunbeam" will operate by Baldwin, the cut-off, thereby saving considerable time between Boston and the east and west coast of Florida.

Gov. O. Max Gardner Endorses "Buy Now"

"The Buy Now Movement is designed to stimulate the public to a realization that one of the most effective ways to defeat the existing depression is for every person in North Carolina who has the means to come forward at once and purchase the goods and merchandise necessary or desired for himself and family. The success of this movement consists of two fundamental factors: "First: The public able to buy should not hesitate to purchase their requirements now. "Second: The merchants must realize the existing conditions and offer to the public bargains at a price in line with the present-day value and on the basis of the increased purchasing power of the dollar." O. MAX GARDNER, Governor.

WANT ADS

NOW IS THE TIME to buy your candies for the Christmas trade from the NorBrook Candy Company. Their prices are the lowest and their candies the purest, freshest, and best. Send orders to Pittsboro.

The Enterprise Mill Company's ginnery will run only on Saturdays from now on. 11-13-30 REGISTERED Jersey Bull, 3 years o'd, for sale at a bargain. See him. Apply to Goldston Hardware Company, Goldston. (t dec 4pd)

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PROFESSIONAL nurse. I am located in Pittsboro and offer my services as a professional nurse to the people of Chatham county. Elsie Lucile Peterson, R. N.

LOST red female Irish Setter bird dog, near Hanks Chapel Saturday November 29th., notify W. D. Cox, 2220 Circle, Raleigh, N. C., and get reward.

\$10 REWARD will be paid for dog lost Nov. 1—white setter, with black ear and one glass eye. R. G. Shannonhouse, Pittsboro, N. C.

STOLEN from our buggy on Nov. 20th one long brow scarf, homemade knit. Anyone seeing the above mentioned please at I. I. Halls store. One dollar reward for delivery of said scarf. Mrs. W. J. Durham

FOR SALE CHEAP—One Hundred and Fifty Acres Good land, two houses and barns—part of J. E. Milliken estate near Pittsboro. Address, Dr. J. B. Milliken, Siler City, N. C.



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Dr. J. C. Mann EYESIGHT SPECIALIST will be at Dr. Farrell's office in P. M. Tuesday, Nov. 25. Pittsboro from 10 A. M. to 3

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