

SHOWERS TONIGHT AND TUESDAY. COOLER IN WEST PORTION. TUESDAY MODERATE WINDS.

## BEAUFORT COUNTY ASSOCIATION SCHOOL COMMITTEEMEN MEET

### WAS ORGANIZED LAST FALL BY W. L. VAUGHAN

### R. P. GIBBS AND MISS MARY SHAW MAN AND WIFE

Topics of Interest Were Discussed in an Informal but Spirited Way

### PRESIDENT'S ROWE PRESIDING OFFICER

### He Urged a Better Attendance Upon the Public Schools of the County

On Saturday, the Beaufort County Association of School Committeemen met in the Court House here at 11 o'clock. This Association was organized last fall by Supt. W. L. Vaughan and Prof. L. C. Brodgen, and at that time it was decided to hold two meetings during the school year for the discussion of such school questions as might be of interest to the County at large.

The meeting was called to order by the President, E. D. Rowe. Roll call by the Secretary, Supt. W. L. Vaughan showed a good number of the districts represented.

Mr. D. D. Rowe, who is a farmer from the Small school district and himself a committeeman, and one of the most enthusiastic school men in the County, made some opening remarks, defining the purpose of the meeting and the good which he expects to come from the organization. He said that few committeemen are familiar with their duties and he hoped this association will arouse them to a greater effort to perform their duties. He emphasized the need of better schools in the country districts and longer terms, thus giving the country child an equal advantage with the city child. The future of the County and State rests upon the shoulders of the father and mother and teachers of this generation. Everything worth while must necessarily have a price, and men must learn if they would give their children advantages they must pay for them.

He ended his remarks by making a plea for better attendance, and said if men will not have their children attend the regular public school they should be forced by the law.

The following topics were discussed in an informal but spirited way:

1. What kind of teacher does my district need during the next session?

2. When and how can I find a teacher, and how can I learn of her qualifications?

3. What can I do to prepare the way for a better school next session?

4. What definite benefits have been secured for the children of your district, as well as the community at large, through the voting local tax?

Among the committeemen taking part in the discussion were: C. R. Eika, J. F. Peed, W. W. Bowen, J. W. Chapin, C. F. Sawyer, J. G. Hodges, L. A. Harris, J. R. Harrison, Thos. R. Candy, F. H. Waters, J. W. Mitchell, Jas. M. Kirtman.

In conclusion the President made a strong plea for the employing of the best teachers available in each district without favoritism, the cooperation and leadership of committeemen in all matters regarding a better school, and the voting of special tax in every district in the County.

Before adjourning the meeting voted unanimously to call another meeting in the early fall, thereby showing the deep interest, and their belief in the good to be accomplished by these meetings.

### RECORD OF DEEDS RECORDED LAST WEEK

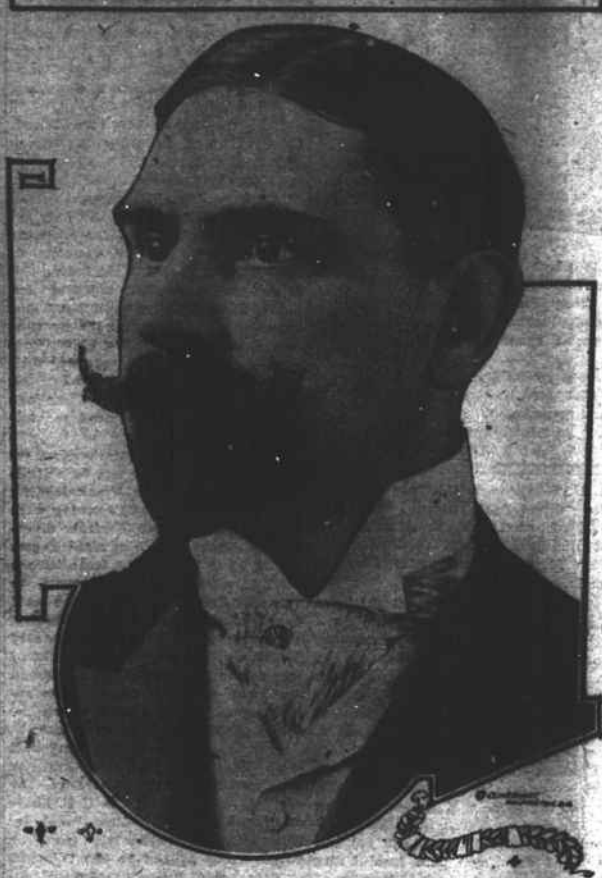
The following deeds of transfer were recorded in the Register's office last week:

J. R. Davis and wife to W. F. Whitstead & Bro.  
M. F. Guthrie and wife to W. F. Whitstead & Bro.  
A. M. Dumay trustee to Berdie C. Jones.  
Elmwood Realty Company to Sallie L. Ross.  
E. E. Whitford and wife et al to W. R. Arthur et al.  
Dennis O'Neill to W. R. Arthur et al.  
Albemarle Development Co. to Frank Hughes.  
Jno. H. Bonner to Herbert Bonner.  
A. M. Dumay trustee to J. N. Allen.  
A. M. Dumay trustee to E. H. Moore.  
M. B. Respass et al to W. A. Harrington.  
J. L. Warren and wife to Ward & Grimes.  
Dennis Roberson to John Roberson James Linton to W. L. Oden.  
Basil Spencer and wife to Eugene and A. W. K. Boomer.  
W. L. Mayo et al to Eureka Lumber Company.  
F. H. Rollins to Guy Harding.  
Beland Morris to J. W. Stewart.  
Albemarle Development Company to W. C. Boecher.  
J. H. B. Hodges to A. J. Manning.  
M. W. Ficot to Harold Barber and wife.

### NEW PHYSICIANS WILL PROBABLY LOCATE IN WASHINGTON

Drs. Crues and Crues, Chiropractic physicians, have opened an office for the practice of their profession in the second floor, front room, of the Saving and Trust Company building. They come well recommended and will more than probably locate here permanently.

## REPRESENTS PERU IN WASHINGTON



F. A. Peset, minister from Peru, and Mme. Peset are recent additions to the diplomatic colony in Washington. Already they have made themselves highly popular there.

## Bridge Keeper of W. & V. R. R., Escaped a Watery Grave

### Bernie Ricks Came Near Being Drowned Early This Morning. He was Saved by Capt. David Hill, Jr., Sucked Under Flat at the Draw

Mr. Bernie Ricks who is keeper for the Washington and Vandremer Railroad which crosses Tar River just above the city, came near being drowned early this morning. He was saved from a watery grave by the quick and thoughtful work of Captain David Hill, Jr.

Mr. Ricks was in his boat when the barge passed through the draw. He was immediately both ho and boat sank and was sucked under the barge. In a short while, not over a minute, Mr. Ricks succeeded in freeing himself from under the barge and Captain Hill with difficulty succeeded in throwing him a line and bringing him to safety. It was a narrow escape and Captain Hill is receiving high praise for his quick work at rescuing Mr. Ricks.

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## \$170 WAS RAISED FOR BAPTIST CHURCH

One hundred and seventy dollars was raised yesterday afternoon at the Men's meeting held at Chocowinity towards the completion of the Baptist church at that place now under construction.

Quite a number from this city were in attendance and the meeting was much enjoyed. The speaker of the afternoon was Mr. W. C. Miller of this city whose theme was "GIVING." His address was timely and thoughtful. The music was furnished by the base quartet of the First Baptist Church, this city. Bright prospects are in store for the Baptist at that place. Rev. R. H. Hoffman is the efficient pastor.

City Election in Chicago.

Special to the Daily News.

Chicago, Ill., April 1.—The polls will open at 6 o'clock tomorrow morning for what is looked upon as one of the most important aldermanic elections held in Chicago for some years. keen interest is displayed in many of the thirty-five wards, each of which will elect a member of the new city council. Reform organizations are putting forth their usual efforts to defeat the candidates who are believed to have personal gain in view at heart than the public good. In addition to electing aldermen the voters will have an opportunity to pass on a \$9,000,000 bond issue.

The man who argued with his wife is one kind of an idiot.

## FIRST SERMON ON EDUCATION LAST NIGHT

### LARGE CONGREGATION HEARD REV. H. P. DALTON AT FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

### SERVICES WERE MUCH ENJOYED

### "EDUCATION A PREPARATION FOR SERVICE" SUBJECT OF THE DISCOURSE

The first sermon in the series of sermons on education to be preached in Washington during the month of April was delivered by Rev. H. P. Dalton at the First Baptist Church last night.

The house of worship was crowded with a congregation representative of the various churches in the city. A majority of the teachers and many children were present to hear the discourse.

Mr. Dalton chose as his subject, "Education a Preparation For Service," and for thirty minutes he pleaded for a more progressive attitude toward education. He declared education was the forerunner of religion and he was thankful that moral instruction held a high place in the curriculum of the local schools. Education and religion have always gone hand in hand and a broader education makes a broader religion and a more useful education a more useful religion. The revival of education and the revival of religion were contemporary; the Reformation and the Reformation were coeval.

The master thought of M. Dalton's address was: "Jesus says a man is great in proportion as he serves his fellow-man." He spoke of the beauty of a life of service, of a community of interest. He lauded the public-spirited man and said our schools must teach us to help one another, subverting our interests to the welfare of the masses. Education is to be the preparation for this life of service and the beginning of the destruction of selfishness. Education in the preparation for service; cooperation must be the consummation of service.

There was a wholesomeness about the sermon that commended it strongly to the congregation. The interest manifested by the large congregation was very gratifying.

Next Sunday being Easter, there will be no sermon on Education.

## THIRD SERMON TO THE YOUNG MEN

A large congregation heard with pleasure and profit the third sermon in the series Rev. H. Broom pastor of the First Methodist Church is now preaching to young men Sunday evening.

The subject was "Triangular Life" and was taken from the life of Noah, he being a just man, perfect in his generations and walked with God. It was one of the strongest sermons yet delivered by Mr. Broom. On next Sunday, Easter, the congregation is expected to make a liberal offering towards the claims of the church. The following announcements were made for the coming week. The ladies aid society met with Mrs. J. W. Daily on East Second Street at 4 o'clock. Tonight the Home Missionary Society will meet with Mrs. D. M. Carter on Bridge Street. The Bright Jewel Society will meet Thursday afternoon with Miss Wanda O'Brien on East Fourth Street. Friday afternoon the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society will meet at the residence of Mrs. J. F. Cowell on West Main Street.

General Buckner's 80th Birthday.

Manassasville, Ky., April 1.—At his quaint old log house at Glen Lily on the Green River, eight miles above the city, Gen. Simon Buckner formerly Governor of Kentucky and now the only remaining corps commander of the Confederate army, received today many of his friends who called to congratulate him to his eightieth birthday. Still hale and strong for his years, General Buckner entertained his visitors with old time hospitality and responded to the toasts in his usual happy style.

## Can Enter State Normal Without an Examination

### PESACH, OLDEST FEAST OF JEWISH CALENDAR BEGINS THIS EVENING AT SUN-DOWN. LASTS ONE WEEK

Beginning this evening at sundown and lasting for one week, Pesach, the annual feast of the Passover, or of the Unleavened Bread, will be celebrated in Jewish homes of this city, as in other cities and countries where the Jewish faith is known.

The history of this Jewish holiday dates back three thousand three hundred years. The awakening of spring has its normal appeal and its practical symbolism to every primitive person. The agricultural aspect of this holiday is seen in the phrase, "That it is to be kept in the season of the Month of Ripenings," when the barley sown in winter has become ripe and when an offering consisting of an omer (one-half gallon) of barley was brought in gratitude to the Giver of all good.

The historical significance of the festival has overshadowed its agricultural aspect. As The Feast of Freedom it commemorates the emancipation of Israel from Egyptian bondage and his entrance into the dignity and destiny of national life. It thus marks the birth of the Hebrew people and the first commonwealth. Here two million people walked forth as free citizens without a drop of blood having been spilled or a sword unsheathed. The main characteristic of its celebration has always been domestic; in the homes the families and the invited friends gather on the first and second evenings to recount in song and story and amid appropriate symbolism the deliverance of Israel.

The Public School of Chocowinity will have their closing exercises tomorrow morning and tomorrow night at the school house. At 11 o'clock A. M. Mr. H. E. Austin of the East Carolina Training School, Greenville and Mr. E. A. Daniel of this city, will make addresses. At night at 8 o'clock the commencement exercises proper are to take place. A pleasing program has been arranged. Several from Washington will be present.

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## INTEREST CENTERS IN ELECTION TOMORROW

Milwaukee, Wis., April 1.—After one of the most strenuous and spirited campaigns in the history of the City the voters of Milwaukee will decide at the election tomorrow whether the "Cream City" shall continue under the Socialist regime or be governed by a non-partisan set of officials. The interest in tomorrow's election naturally centers in the contest for the mayoralty. Mayor Emil Seidel, Socialist, who was elected two years ago, is again candidate, asking for his reelection upon the strength of his administration's official record. His opponent is Dr. Gerhard A. Bading, former health commissioner of Milwaukee, who was nominated on a non-partisan ticket, having the support of both the Republican and Democratic party organizations. The non-partisans promise a strictly business administration if elected to office.

Fifth Trial for Murder.

San Francisco, Calif., April 1.—For the fifth time, Michael Joseph Conboy, former chief of police of San Francisco, will go to trial tomorrow for the alleged murder of Bernard J. Lagan. The trial of a defendant five times will be a record without parallel in the courts of California and attorneys believe it will be the first case in American jurisprudence of a defendant facing a fifth trial on a murder charge.

INSTRUCTED DELEGATES

How delegates thus far elected are instructed for President. Up to date. Delegates in the National Republican convention 1,072. Delegates in the national Democratic convention 1,094. Republicans: for Taft 443; for Roosevelt 15; for Cummings, 7; for La Follette, 16. Democrats: for Clark 66 for Wilson, 13; for Marshall, 30; for Harmon, 2.

## MOON TO BE ECLIPSED.

Washington, D. C., April 1.—The first of four eclipses scheduled to take place during the present year, will occur tonight. It will be a partial eclipse of the moon, visible in the United States, but visible in Europe, Asia and Africa and in a part of the northeastern tip of North America, excepting the northwest portion and in the western part of Australia.

COUNTY COMMISSIONERS.

The Board of County Commissioners are in session at the Courthouse today. They will meet again tomorrow.