

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Dr. W. E. Swain spent Sunday at Blon College.

Miss Mae Ridge returned to her school Saturday.

Mr. Neill Dunlap, of Steeds, was in town last Monday.

Mr. D. G. McMaisters, of Farmer, was in Asheboro Monday.

Mrs. O. H. Rush spent Sunday with relatives at Aberdeen.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Anman spent last Sunday at Wey Not.

Mr. John M. Hammer went to Biscoe Monday on Business.

Mr. W. M. Cox, of Ralph, was a caller at the Courier last Saturday.

Miss Marietta Betts left yesterday for a visit to Aberdeen and Maxton.

Mrs. C. W. Jennings is visiting her daughter Mrs. Jno. M. Hammer.

Mr. Robt. Robbins, of Randleman, spent a few hours here on Monday.

The census report for Asheboro township places the population at 2,545.

Mr. Wm. H. Pickard, of Randleman, was a business visitor here Monday.

Mr. W. J. Armfield, Sr., of High Point, spent last Thursday in Asheboro.

Mr. W. C. Hammond was in Raleigh the first of the week on business.

Misses Kate Lowe and Jessie Burkhead went to High Point Saturday.

Mr. Yow, of Central Falls, visited his daughter, Miss Moleta Yow, last Sunday.

Rev. W. W. Lawrence, of Seagrove, called at the Courier office last Thursday.

Messrs. W. F. and R. K. Talley, of Randleman, were visitors in the city Monday.

Misses Grace Wood and Bonnie Auman have been visiting friends in Greensboro.

Miss Amy Deaver, returned home from—Tuesday night where she has been in a hospital.

The fall of sleet and snow on Tuesday caused a suspension of work on the sewerage system.

Messrs. Alvis Parks and Sebastian Auman, of Seagrove, called at the Courier office one day last week.

Dr. J. B. Shamburger and daughter, Miss Mary Ina, of Star, were in Asheboro Saturday on business.

Mr. Lacy Parks, of Rameur, who has been visiting his aunt, Mrs. Iven Cox, in Indianapolis, Ind., has returned home.

Mr. Robah Betts returned to Hamlet Tuesday last to resume his duties as manager of the Spencer Refreshment Co.

Mr. M. C. Spoon and Miss Nellie and Maude Lee spent Sunday in Cedar Falls, guests of Mr. Will Wrenn's family.

There will be a meeting of the Randolph Chapter of Daughters of Confederacy at the home of Mrs. W. D. Stedman at 3 this p. m.

Mr. L. S. Birkhead, a well known citizen living near Jackson Hill in Davidson county, was a visitor in Asheboro Wednesday and Thursday of last week.

The Piedmont Baptist Union Meeting will be held at Randleman beginning Friday night January 27, and will continue until Sunday, the last service being Sunday night.

Mr. L. D. Birkhead left Tuesday for an extended trip South, including Jacksonville and Key West, Fla. Mr. Birkhead expects to visit Havana, Cuba while away.

Mr. R. W. Van Buskirk, a real estate man of New York City, who is spending the winter at Pinehurst with his family, was a visitor to Hammer & Co. real estate office during the past week.

Mr. T. J. Ellis, the popular depot agent at Seagrove has been transferred to Biscoe where he is to be train dispatcher. Mr. Ellis has purchased a home in Biscoe and will move his family there.

Master James M. Burla, the bright little son of Capt. A. E. Burns, will sell the daily and Sunday News & Observer. We hope Jamie will make a success in selling the "Old Reliable", which is popular everywhere in North Carolina.

A very interesting article on the culture of Sweet Peas appears elsewhere in the paper. Mr. Higgins grows the sweet peas for sale. He took the prize at the World's Fair on his sweet peas. His address is Edgar L. Higgins, Avoca, New York.

Mrs. E. Moffitt went to Greensboro yesterday.

Mrs. D. Lewis is visiting at her old home at Farmer.

Mr. Jonah Leach was a business visitor in Asheboro yesterday.

Mrs. Eliza Moffitt, who has been very ill, is now improving.

Mr. J. W. Langley, of Staley, was in Asheboro last Tuesday.

Mr. Leo Barker went to Star on Telephone business yesterday.

Mr. Will Redding, from Maxton, was in town a few days last week.

Mr. M. F. Vuncannon, of Star, was in town yesterday on business.

Miss Mary Moffitt, of Utah, is visiting Mr. Houston Moffitt's family.

Mr. D. A. Cornelison, of Seagrove, was a business visitor in town Tuesday.

Miss Margaret Wood was at home a few days last week on account of illness.

Mr. Will Hamlin, of Randleman Route 2, was in Asheboro on business yesterday.

The date set for hearing the new county proposition is set for the 31st of this month.

Mr. S. W. Kearns, of Caraway, was a business visitor to Asheboro the first of the week.

Mr. W. J. Page, who has been quite ill at his home on Kivett street is improving.

Col. J. E. Walker has recently sold his home on Salisbury street to Mr. Stube Laughlin.

Ladies who want good sweet pea seed may get them from Mr. Edgar L. Higgins, Avoca, N. Y.

Mrs. J. R. Blair, of Troy, was a passenger on the vestibule Tuesday, going to High Point shopping.

Mrs. Cordelia Evans left Tuesday for Telfair Sanitarium Greensboro, where she goes for treatment.

The Randolph Bank held the annual meeting last week and re-elected all of the old officers.

Messrs. Jim and Charles Hamlin, of Randleman Route 2, are in Greensboro taking business courses.

The Annual meeting of the Acme Hosiery Mill was held on the 17th. All of the old officers were re-elected.

Miss Leslie Deaver went to High Point Tuesday to meet her sister, who was returning from the hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Lowdermilk, of Seagrove Route 1, were in Asheboro Saturday, guests of Mrs. Elmer Rich.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Davis went to Greensboro Saturday in their automobile and returned Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. J. H. Johnson and children, of Flora, are visiting Mrs. Johnson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. M. Lowe, for a few days.

Mr. Frambrough, of Atlanta is in Asheboro this week. He is one of the contractors of the water works and sewerage.

Mr. Joe Hamlin, who spent the Christmas holidays with his parents, has returned to Baltimore where he is attending a dental college.

Mr. Charles L. Presnell, will in the near future erect a nice residence on the lot now known as the Johnathan Steed property.

The Randolph Book Club met with Mrs. W. H. Moring on Friday at 3 p. m. A most interesting programme on Norway was carried out.

Colored Child Burned to Death.

On Tuesday afternoon of this week Walter Hedrick's four year old boy caught on fire and was burned so badly that he died in a short time. He was standing by the stove, his clothes caught on fire and he ran out, before anyone could extinguish the flames he was dreadfully burned.

Mr. W. J. Page Critically Sick.

Mr. W. J. Page, who has recently moved from Elise, Moore county, to Asheboro, has been suffering with a severe attack of neuralgia of the heart for the past two weeks. He was taken suddenly violently ill and remains in a critical condition, complications having arisen. Mr. Page has many friends in Randolph and adjoining counties who will be interested in his condition and who will wish for him a speedy recovery.

Mrs. Joseph Vickrey Dead

Mrs. Joseph Vickrey died January 8th at the home of Mr. Shannon Vickrey near Pleasant Garden. She had been critically ill for five weeks and her death was not unexpected. Mrs. Vickrey was formerly Miss Beatrice Hodgins, daughter of Mr. James N. Hodgins, of Randolph county and was married about one year ago. She is survived by her husband.

Franklinville News.

Rev. A. P. Ader spent Sunday in town and preached two most excellent sermons at the M. E. church.

Rush Creek Lumber Company held their annual stockholders' meeting last week, and it is reported that they are in fine shape and expect to do considerable business in the manufacture of lumber and building material the coming season.

Rev. and Mrs. J. D. Hackney left last Wednesday for Charlotte, where they will spend the winter with their sons.

Mr. Ben Stout and family, who have been visiting their mother, Mrs. Matilda Stout, have moved to Polkton, Anson county, where Mr. Stout has a position with the railroad company.

Mr. H. H. Slack spent Saturday night and Sunday at Mr. B. F. Gray's near Cedar Falls.

Mr. G. H. Pugh has moved his livery table outfit to Asheboro. Mr. Pugh is a clever gentleman and we wish him success in his new home.

Miss Esther Auman and Mr. Marvin Lovett, of Asheboro, visited Mrs. R. L. Eliza Sunday.

Rev. J. E. Allred, who has been quite successful in the poultry business for the last year, has enlarged and remodeled his yards and will devote much of his time this season to raising and improving his already fine flock of birds.

The remains of Mrs. J. P. R. Craven, of High Point, was brought to this place Wednesday and buried in the M. E. church cemetery amid a large concourse of relatives and friends. The funeral was conducted by Rev. A. P. Ader. Mrs. Craven formerly lived at this place and was a daughter of the late Matthew Russell and has many friends in this place who sympathize with the bereaved ones. The brother and sisters of the deceased wish to express through The Courier their sincere thanks to Mr. Hugh Parks, Jr., for shutting down his mill and to the many other kind friends who so assisted them in the interment of their loved sister. Mrs. Craven was a sister of M. S. Russell, of High Point; J. A. Russell, of Randleman; Mrs. Mary Mauer, of Thomasville, and Mrs. A. P. Steele, of this place.

Mr. John Craven made a business trip to Greensboro Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Fox, of Randleman, are spending a few days in the city with their brother, Dr. T. I. Fox.

Mrs. E. E. Cranford, of Spencer, is visiting relatives and friends in the city this week.

Mrs. A. J. Murdock, of Lassiter, who has been spending sometime with the family of G. H. Black, spent Sunday with M. G. Baie.

Little Ollie Fentris celebrated her seventh birthday Friday by inviting several of her little friends to partake a nice dinner prepared by her mother, Mrs. J. H. Fentris, and grandmother, Mrs. Eliza Stewart. Long before the noon hour the following guests were present: Misses Jessie Craven, Lillie Allred, Catherine Baie, Margaret Fox, Lucy Baie, Vivine Kivett and Myrtle Kivett, all their ages ranged between 5 and 6. When the little one's arrived they were conducted into the parlor where they had full possession of everything and when dinner was announced they were invited into the dining room where an excellent dinner awaited them and it is enough to say that each one eat to their full. The evening was spent very pleasantly and all adjourned to their respective homes wishing Ollie many more happy birthdays.

WANTED—30 wood cutters. Will pay 60 cents per cord for four foot wood. Cash every Saturday. S. B. Kersey, Franklinville, N. C.

FOR SALE—Fifty lots on Town View Hill, in South Asheboro, third block from graded school building. Size of lots to suit purchaser. Size 50 x 200, 100 x 300. Apply to Wm. R. Richardson.

FOR SALE—One Cypers Incubator used successfully for two hatches, at \$12.50. John M. Hammer.

STRAY DOG—A young black hound dog with yellow legs which followed my wagon from Star home last August. The owner can have same by identifying the dog. W. H. Luther, This Jan. 12, 1911. Strieby, N. C.

FOR SALE—AUTOMOBILES slightly used 40 Horse Power OVERLAND Touring Car with Top, Wind Shield, Speedometer, Grabrail Horn and full set of tools and full set of lamps. For immediate sale for cash this is the bargain of the season. Address Box 419 Greensboro, N. C.

A good weekly farm paper on trial one year for only 25 cents, regular price \$1. Sample free. Address Texas Farmer Pub. Co, Dallas, Texas. 1-19-23t.

"The Bachelors Congress"

The Daughters of the Confederacy will present "The Bachelors Congress" on or about the 14th of February. The best talent of the town has been selected for the several parts and it is safe to say that the entertainment will prove a rare treat to all who avail themselves of the opportunity to see it.

Sweet Peas.

The Courier publishes in another column in this issue an article on the growing of sweet peas by Mr. Edgar A. Higgins, an expert grower, of Avoca, N. Y. Every boy and girl should read it and learn to grow sweet peas. For 25 cents Mr. Higgins will send post paid to any address eight half ounce packages of the loveliest named varieties in the world, and also three packages of new special varieties.

Woman Past Help.

Chandler, Okla.—In a letter from this place, Mrs. Ella Flowers says, "I hardly know how to thank you for the good that Cardui has done me. Before I tried Cardui, I thought I was past help, but after taking it, I was relieved at once, and gained at least 10 pounds. Everybody says I look so much better. I am still improving greatly." Many women are completely worn-out and discouraged, on account of womanly weakness. Are you? Have you not tried Cardui? It only needs a few doses to convince you that Cardui is just what you need. Try it today. It will cure your pains.

Town Property For Sale

One 7-room two story residence, good well of water, one good barn and out houses, good young orchard. Corner of Cox and Rush streets, within four hundred yards of Graded school. This is the most desirable residential section in Asheboro—the home place of Mr. O. R. Fox. Price and terms of sale reasonable.

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Real Estate, Insurance and Loans

Good Farm For Sale

I offer my farm of 130 acres for sale. This farm is located on Caraway, in Back Creek township. 60 acres in cultivation, 25 acres sandy soil bottom, 8 acres clover, 17 acres growing wheat, remainder in woodland of over 50,000 ft. merchantable oak timber, good pasture land, good fence, fine location for flood dam, flooding 12 to 15 acres. Good 2 story 9-room dwelling house, two barns and other outbuildings, good well and good orchard. Telephone in residence. Special inducement to purchaser if sold within 60 days. For further particulars call at residence or Address S. W. KEARNS, Caraway, N. C., Route 1.

Ball Game.	Subscriptions Paid
On last Friday January 13th Belvidere and Back Creek base ball teams crossed bats on the latter's ground. The score being six and ten in favor of Belvidere.	J. R. Johnson, T. W. Parks, C. R. Siler, E. E. Kime, E. D. Frazier, W. S. Gatlin, Mrs. Jane Stout, S. R. Richardson, T. Brooks, J. F. Jones, J. R. Marley, C. C. Miller, E. O. Jennings, M. Burris, Mrs. J. C. Clark.

**Clearance**  
**SALE!**  
Beginning  
**January 24**  
Ending  
**February 4, 1911**  
Preparatory to our Annual Inventory, and in order to reduce our stock we are going to offer anything in our line of Clothing, Shoes, Hats, Dry Goods, and Notions at absolute cost during the time between dates above mentioned.  
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