

TOWN AND COUNTY NEWS

(By W. F. H.) Some folks find time for a vacation, others take it. Racing an auto against a train, too often results in a tie. Your city is what you will make it. Neglect it and you will never realize much in the way of a crop of real assets. You may have a fine automobile, but it represents a mighty little without enough gas to run it. A chamber of commerce is considerable like the auto. The great benefit of a chamber of commerce is in advertising the city it represents. Deprived of a fund for advertising, its utility is curtailed to such an extent, that nothing of great moment can be accomplished. The greater advertising, the better the chamber of commerce functions. Messrs. G. P. Fox and C. M. Staley, of Staley, were business visitors in Asheboro last Friday. Mr. E. B. Moss, the cashier of the Bank of Franklinville, has recently renewed his subscription to The Courier. Mr. Moss thoroughly understands every feature of the banking business. At all times he can be found willing to co-operate in every way possible for the betterment and upbuilding of his town and county, therefore we make this most deserving mention of him, giving praise to him to whom it is due. Mr. Raymond Allred, a prosperous young farmer and merchant of the Cedar Falls section, transacted business in Asheboro Saturday. The curb market idea is growing. The home and farm agents have established a number of them in the small towns of North Carolina and the town people find these markets a good place to secure fresh produce right from the farm without paying a profit to the middleman. Among the Randolph county people who are growing tomatoes for the market is Mr. M. Wicker, of the Cedar Falls section, who has already sold three hundred dollars worth of tomatoes from an acre of land. Mr. E. L. Reese, who holds a good position with Columbia Manufacturing Company at Ramseur, has favored us with a renewal of his subscription to The Courier. Dr. M. G. Edwards, of Asheboro, has purchased the Williams farm near King Tut. The purchase price was \$4,000. Mr. S. F. Lovell, who lives near Cedar Falls, has the finest tobacco we have seen. Mr. J. C. Cox, who holds a position in Asheboro, spent Saturday and Sunday with his family in Liberty. The fellow who crossed red cedar and white pine trees, to grow barbed poles, is in evidence. He is on a par with the man who burbanked the milk weed and egg plant, to grow custards. 1926 is a political year and of course the Democrats are going to redeem the county. By the proper work and the getting out of every Democrat. It is only a question of large the majority will be. Send a copy of The Courier to an absent friend and invite him to subscribe for the best newspaper published in the State. No reason exists for Asheboro to transact her municipal affairs in the little two by four which is utilized for such purpose at present. A real city hall, two stories in height, with suitable place for the offices, fire department and public on the first floor, and a real auditorium above would do for years to come. It would add to the general appearance of the city and by purchasing a lot now, considerable money would be saved. Fifty thousand dollars would cover the cost and Asheboro have something worth while. As it is, the public is really ashamed to point out the present quarters, as the seat of municipal government. Mr. W. C. Brewer, a prominent citizen of Bennett, is numbered among our renewal subscribers to The Courier this week. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Davis have moved from Central Falls to King Tut. Prof. R. C. Cox, who has for several years been superintendent of the Mt. Gilead school, has resigned and accepted a position at Guilford College. Mr. Cox is a native of Randolph and had charge of the Liberty high school for several years. Mr. A. L. McPherson, one of Liberty's leading merchants, has favored us with a renewal of his subscription to The Courier. Mr. E. M. Kearns, a prosperous young farmer and saw mill man of the Caraway section, is erecting an attractive bungalow on his lot in West Asheboro. The house will be for rent or sale. Mr. G. F. Barker, of Providence township, has a fine crop of corn. Mr. Barker is a good farmer and has a fine farm and people who pass that way are already taking notice of improved methods he has introduced. A stranger would be surprised to see how good people live in Providence township. Mr. R. W. York, a prosperous farmer and trucker, of Ramseur, Route 2, was in Asheboro selling produce Saturday. He is one of the county's best and most highly respected citizens. Mr. John Pressnell and Miss Effie Beeson, both of Asheboro, were married June 27. Messrs. G. L. Clyde and J. R. Craven, of Cedar Falls, and Graham Craven, of Franklinville, have returned home from Tennessee where they had spent a week. Large numbers of people from all sections of the county were in Asheboro to attend the land sale last Saturday. Mr. Troy Redding, of Back Creek township, was among the visitors in Asheboro Saturday. When two neighbors enter into a dispute there are usually two sides to the question at issue with merit on both. If each is willing to talk it over dispassionately it is not difficult to arrive at an amicable adjustment. But if one is both a stubborn and a

good thing. It is a jewel to be fostered and encouraged among our people. It brings to light the good and the weak points of both sides, inculcates an element of self restraint into turbulent dispositions, preserves that spirit of amity which supplies the sunshine of our community life. Talk it over by all means—and if at first your talk does not succeed talk again. Mr. R. F. Cheek and son, Frank, spent Sunday in Moore county. Mrs. Claud Cheek, of Bennett, is visiting Mrs. R. F. Cheek in West Asheboro.

FARMER NEWS

An excellent Children's Day service was given on Sunday morning at Concord church in which most of the children of the community took part. The children were carefully trained by Mrs. A. L. Hill, and Misses Linnie Dorsett and Juanita Kearns. Miss Fannie Gray, of Raleigh, spent several days last week with her aunt, Mrs. C. C. Hubbard. Misses Linnie Dorsett, Kate Nance, and Emma Ridge left on Monday for Boone where they will attend summer school for the next six weeks. They went with Mr. Jack Lowe, who is engaged in road building near Jefferson. Mr. Henry Welborn and family, of Greensboro, were guests for a while on Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Skeen. Mr. Manly Fuller, of Lumberton, spent one night in Farmer last week. Mr. Fuller is a native of this section, and comes back to renew old friendships at least once a year. Miss Annie Midgett, of Elizabeth City, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. F. A. Fiquett. Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Kearns, of Greensboro, spent the week-end with kinfolks here. Mr. Kearns was on his vacation and they spent the first of the week visiting relatives in Wilkes county. On Wednesday Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Kearns and Alton Kearns went with them to Wrightsville Beach, returning Thursday. Mrs. Lula Hubbard, of Wilkesboro, was the guest of Dr. C. C. Hubbard for a few days last week. Mrs. Roxana Dorsett visited her son, Mr. Lewis Dorsett, at Mt. Gilead, last week. Mr. R. F. Brackin is in Raleigh attending a summer school for agriculture teachers of the State. Mr. Walton C. Kearns and Mr. Campbell, of Winston, were guests of Mr. J. H. Kearns one day last week. Mr. and Mrs. Neal Kearns, of High Point, are spending this week with Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Kearns. Farm and garden crops in this section have been suffering from the continued drought, but we had a shower on Saturday that will be a great help. We have had only three or four light showers since April.

New Manager For Gilmer's, Inc. C. H. Cooper, highly experienced department store man, has assumed personal management of Gilmer's, Inc., Greensboro. Mr. Cooper began his merchandising career several years ago in a small store in Atlanta. Following this he was for ten years connected with a large department store in New York State and after that was for six years assistant manager for G. F. Huey Company, of Boston. For the past three years he has been manager for the big Boylan-Pierce establishment in Raleigh. Mr. Cooper has some ambitious ideas as to the general policies and the upbuilding of the Gilmer's store in Greensboro. He states that it is his intention to make such improvements and add such new departments to the store as will be a convenience to the shopping public.

Citizens of Raleigh have for some time been complaining about the high price they have to pay for ice. It is stated that ice prices are higher in Raleigh than in any other city of its size in the country. The Wake county grand jury is investigating the charges that the Raleigh ice manufacturers are violating the State anti-trust law. It is pointed out that in 1924 ice was furnished by the manufacturers and dealers at 40 cents per hundred pound by tickets and 60 cents cash. These companies merged and all formed one company. Now the price charged ranges from 60 cents per hundred to 80 cents.

While we reckon Evolution is a right smart institution, it not a most important one to us—for, our biggest minds have spouted—fairly popped their fists and shouted, till they nearly make the opposition cuss! It keeps us small-folk rattled, cause they never get it settled—it leaves us blindly gropin' in the dark—and we wonder if our cousins entertain the crowd by dogmas. In an evil-smellin' cage in Central Park? I don't know much about it—I am half inclined to doubt it, as I contemplate the baboon in the zoo—I can't discern affection when he looks in my direction, so I slide off toward the kangaroo. It aint my inclination to discover my poor relation, not to snub a decent fellow that's my kin, but if Adam was a monkey—and his great-grandson a donkey, can't ye see the sort of fix that we are in? Let us come to some conclusion that will settle all confusion as to whether we was tadpoles at the start.

TRINITY NEWS

Mrs. W. F. Ellis, of Salisbury, and her mother, Mrs. F. H. Wood, spent Friday and Saturday in town. They have both returned to Salisbury. Mrs. Bessie Willis spent a few days here last week. Jessie Royals, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Royals, of North Main, has been visiting relatives in the Hopewell section. Miss Eleanor Craven spent Friday in Greensboro. Miss Hylan, of New York, has been visiting Miss Nancy Worth. We learn Miss Worth will accompany Miss Hylan when she returns to her New York home. A dog epidemic known as black tongue has been about here. Several lost favorites. Sunday, last, was baptizing day at the Baptist church. Quite a number were baptised and received into the church. Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hughes, the newly wedded couple of South Trinity, spent the week-end away from home. Wade Leach, well known all around here, is conducting a store at Archdale now.

PLEASANT GARDEN NEWS

Rev. J. W. Hoyle filled his regular appointment at the M. E. church here Sunday morning. Miss Addie Howell, of North Wilkesboro, visited friends and attended church here Sunday. Mrs. Chas. Russell is spending a few days with her parents in South Carolina. Mr. C. Wilson and family, of Greensboro, visited at J. R. Jones' Sunday. Mrs. C. H. Grooms, of Groomtown, was the guest of her parents here Sunday. Cranford Hoyle left Monday after spending a few weeks with his brother, Rev. J. W. Hoyle. Mrs. E. R. Tucker, who has been on the sick list for several weeks, is slowly recovering. Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Dixon are making their home with Mrs. J. A. Sikes on Sunset avenue. S. Pentress and family, of Greensboro, visited relatives here Sunday. Michigan is the leading state in the union in the production of salt.

MEETING AT JOHN WESLEY STAND BEGINS AUGUST 2

The camp meeting at John Wesley Stand will begin the first Sunday in August and will continue for ten days. The pastor has secured the services of Daniel G. Hodgins, of Brighton, Mich., to do the preaching. He was here in 1903 and is the founder of the church at Sawyer's Mill and at Troy, in Montgomery county. This is the 22nd year of the camp meetings at John Wesley Stand. It is said that John Wesley preached at this place in 1737, and that Charlie Phelps was the pastor in 1847, and Amos Gregson in the year 1852. John Wesley Stand is in a large grove on the state highway from the old county home to Randleman. Preaching will be held in the new tabernacle. For further information about the meeting see or write J. F. Burkhead, pastor, Asheboro, N. C.

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