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## WOODLAND LOCALS

### Hailed to Court For Violating Quarantine Law--Canning Club Work--Social Event--Personals.

On account of bad weather the L. T. L. Medal Contest which was to be at Conway last Friday night was postponed.

Mesdames Minton and Tynes of Roxobel spent Sunday in the home of Mr. J. W. Lee.

Miss Pauline Outland and Mr. H. C. Griffin left last Wednesday for Chapel Hill to attend the Summer School.

Mr. Archie Futrell, who holds a position in Scotland Neck, is spending this week at home.

Miss Bell of Raleigh, who is in this county in the interest of the canning club, and Mrs. D. H. Brown of George, gave lectures and demonstrations on the canning club work here Friday afternoon.

Misses Bruce and Alice Griffin are visiting relatives at Lasker. Little Miss Elizabeth Stephenson is visiting relatives at Conway this week.

Messrs. Ben and Wiley Stephenson of Pendleton were callers in town Sunday afternoon.

Quite a number from here attended the Baraca-Philathea Convention at Lasker Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Julia Blanchard and Mr. Howard Outland are at home from Westtown for their summer vacation.

Miss Maie Horne of Pendleton spent Sunday at the Harrell House.

Miss Margaret Sallenger of Windsor is visiting Miss Inez Benthall.

Miss Hettie Blanchard and Mr. S. N. Blanchard spent Sunday at St. Johns.

Mrs. C. J. Vaughan entertained at a Leap Year's Party last Tuesday evening in honor of her sister, Miss Pauline Outland. The parlor and porch was beautifully decorated, the color scheme being red and white. The main feature of the evening was the proposals by the young ladies, which were highly amusing to the gentlemen we are sure. Miss Vesta Benthall won the prize for the best proposal. The couples were then matched for supper by Cupid, and the menu consisted of Lover's Food, sandwich, Leap Year salad and cupid darts. Those enjoying Mrs. Vaughan's hospitality included besides the guest of honor: Misses Margaret Futrell, Grace Joyner, Jessie Griffin, Irma Ward, Inez, Elsie, Vesta Benthall, Beatrice Smith, Sibyl Harrell, Lillian Carter, Marguerite Blanchard and Hannah Holloman; Messrs. Harry Vaughan, Roy and Harry Griffin, Selvin and Jack Blanchard, Judson Carter, Grover Joyner, Carson Kerans, Carl Futrell and George Parker.

Mr. W. H. S. Burgwyn went to Garysburg Tuesday to appear as counsel for Messrs. W. H. Boone and D. A. Draper, indicted by the U. S. Commissioner, Dr. Owens, for violating cattle quarantine law. M. C. Kerans went as a witness in the case.

### Fourth of July Picnic.

There will be a basket picnic Fourth of July at Milwaukie. J. B. Stephenson and J. T. Flythe will speak, one at 11 o'clock and the other at 3 P. M. Mr. Stephenson's subject will be, "My duty to my child as a parent," and Mr. Flythe's, "My duty as a man to my community." There will be refreshments on the ground.

BETTERMENT COMMITTEE

## University Summer School.

Chapel Hill, N. C., June 19.—In both the enthusiasm manifested and the number of students so far registered the twenty-ninth session of the University Summer School, which opened Thursday, June 15, has surpassed all previous sessions. The enrollment on the last day of registration was 729, within two of the total for the whole of last year. The enrollment passed the 800 mark before Sunday, thus making it practically certain now that over 1000 students will be enrolled before the summer is over. All available dormitories are full, and the University is taxed to accommodate all who come. It is also hard to find a sufficient number of class-rooms.

In the absence of President Graham, Dean Marvin H. Stacy welcomed the summer students to the University at the formal opening on Friday. He declared that the summer students were here by right of citizenship, right of hospitality, and right of growth, the last right being one which the teacher should by all means exercise. "There has not been in North Carolina this year," he said, "an assembly of men and women that means more to the state than the assembly of men and women here this summer."

The Summer School management has left no stone unturned in providing for six weeks of combined profit and pleasure. Most of the best teachers in the winter school have been retained, and their number has been supplemented by distinguished teachers from other schools.

Miss Emily Rose Knox, of Raleigh, and Miss Dycie Howell of New York give the first of the New York musicals on Tuesday night. Prof. Gustav Hagedorn of Raleigh is planning big things in Summer School music and singing this year. The chorus will give a concert on July 12.

The campus presents an unusual appearance to those who know the University only during the winter term. The fair sex may be said to predominate, and feminine voices ring out from the dormitories, which now are reserved for women. The summer school is first of all a school for teachers, and naturally those interested in the profession of teaching are here in great numbers, approximately two-thirds being normal students.

An increasing number of men is yearly coming to the summer school, many being winter students. Many also come from other standard colleges and universities to do graduate work, or work towards a college degree. Over 50 students have already registered for graduate study—more than in the regular session last year.

The Y. W. C. A. has this summer taken charge of the University Y. M. C. A. building, and will thus be enabled to render help and guidance to the women of the school. Miss Margaret Anderson of Winston-Salem, is secretary.

R. D. W. Connor starts his series of lectures on North Carolina history Monday. State Supervisor, L. C. Brogden, is also teaching here this summer.

### Better Roads Mean

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## PLAY IS NECESSARY TO KEEP GOOD HEALTH

It has been prophesied that within the next ten or fifteen years the doctors will prescribe a horseback ride for his patients where he now prescribes a pill. It is now well understood that in order to keep in good health one needs to be shaken up occasionally, and for that reason play becomes an important health factor. One difference in play and work is, in work we do only what is required; in play we do all that we can. Another difference is, in play we want to do it; in work we feel it a duty. In wanting to do a thing lies half the value of doing it. Play becomes work when it is done from a sense of duty.

Play is as essential to our health as is work. A man needs to have his heart beat fast and his face flushed at times. He needs often to breathe deeply and to exert himself to the utmost. Play does these things. Furthermore, play takes one out into the open air and sunshine. It takes him away from his work and worry. It trains mind along with muscle. It develops judgment and will power and makes a bigger, better life. Furthermore, it makes for a longer, happier life.

Dr. Woods Hutchison says: "Never till we are ready to graduate from the university of life, which ought not to be before 65 or 70, should we cease to regard play as one of our major electives. Play makes the child into a man, and keeps the man into a child, growing and improving all his life long."—Bulletin State Board of Health.

### Turner-Boone.

On Tuesday evening, June 13, in the Monticello Hotel, Norfolk, Va., was solemnized the marriage of Miss Annie L. Boone to Mr. Charlie Phileas Turner, of Gatesville, N. C.

The bride was becomingly attired in a going away costume of dark blue with hat and gloves to match and carried brides roses, while the groom wore conventional black.

The ceremony, performed by the pastor of the First Baptist church, Norfolk, Va., was short but impressive, and after sealing their vows with the wedding ring the young couple received the congratulations and good wishes of their friends.

Mr. Turner is a very popular merchant in the thriving town of Gatesville, N. C., and is a young man of pleasing personality and sterling character. The bride is the accomplished daughter of Mr. Burgess P. Boone, Margarettsville, N. C. She was a student of Chowan College, also of Shenandoah Collegiate Institute, after which she was a very successful teacher in Northampton, also in Gates county. She is a young lady of many good qualities and will be greatly missed in her community; but while it is our loss we know it is Gatesville's gain.

After several days sojourn in Northern cities they will be at their beautiful home which is nearing completion, in Gatesville, N. C.

Mr. Norris Boone, brother of the bride, also Mr. John Lilly, cousin of the groom, and a few intimate friends, witnessed the marriage.

Many congratulations and very best wishes for a long and prosperous life.

## Mrs. Mollie Stephenson.

The subject of this sketch—Sister Mollie Stephenson—was the daughter of Mr. James F. Long, a prosperous farmer and highly esteemed citizen of Northampton County, N. C. He lived near Jackson, the County seat of said county.

She was of a natural genial, sunny disposition, and won many true and life-long friends. In early girlhood she professed faith in Christ, and being buried with Him in Baptism, she connected herself with the Mt. Carmel Baptist church, and lived a beautiful christian during the remainder of her natural life. Soon after the close of the Civil War, she was united in marriage to Mr. James N. Stephenson, and settled upon a farm near the family homestead, there to begin the journey of life and make a home for themselves. This union was blessed with seven children, five of whom are still living—three sons and two daughters. They lived happily together for many years, when the heavy hand of affliction was laid upon the husband and father. She was true to her loved one and nursed him tenderly, till it became necessary to take him to the Central Hospital in Raleigh for treatment. After this she gave up housekeeping and made her home with Mrs. Peter Spencer, her daughter. Her health began to decline, and she was a great sufferer. Notwithstanding her broken health and her sad bereavement, she never murmured at her lot, nor lost hope, but bore it all with courage and true christian fortitude to the very last of her earthly pilgrimage. She seemed to realize that the end of the journey was approaching, still she faltered not when the grim messenger came. She had passed the allotted span of life—the "Three score years and ten," and died in the full triumph of faith. "She knew whom she had believed, and was persuaded that He is able to keep that which she had committed unto Him against that day."

"Blessed are the dead which die in the Lord henceforth: Yea saith the Spirit, that they may rest from their labors; and their works do follow them."

### ONE WHO KNEW AND LOVED HER.

### "The Boy Without a Playground is Father to the Man Without a Job."

The Devil not only finds things for idle hands to do, but he finds thoughts for idle brains to think and words for idle tongues to say. All of the vices of childhood are nourished in idleness, and almost anything that prevents the idleness will also prevent the vice. It is the fact that our city children, at present time, have nothing to do in the time when they are not in school, that makes the playground problem the great problem that it is.

The habit of idleness, for men in youth, grows naturally in the adult into loafing and all that series of crimes that are attendant thereon. "The boy without a playground is father to the man without a job," and the man who is not willing to work finds it necessary to make his living in some easier way, which can only come through begging, gambling, stealing, or some other illegitimate method.—Curtis' Education Through play.

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## EXTERMINATE THE WEEDS.

### State Board of Health Advises Doing Away With Weeds as Menace to Health and Sanitation.

"There are two main reasons" says the State Board of Health, "why weeds should not be allowed to grow up and mature. The first is that their pollens cause hay-fever and the second is that the space on which they grow, in most cases, becomes a dumping ground for refuse and all sorts of filth. Another reason aside from those having to do with health is that they are unsightly and lessen the value of the real estate on which they grow as well as adjoining property. People know that a vacant lot or an alley thick with grown up weeds serves to accumulate all sorts of rubbish and filth, from tin cans to dead cats, and thus becomes a nuisance. Furthermore, they know that it is insanitary and, therefore undesirable to have in the neighborhood or even in the town, as for that matter.

"A weed-covered lot or alley becomes a menace to health chiefly when it becomes a breeding place for flies. This is made possible when garbage and filth are allowed to collect in such places.

"Hay-fever is a disease that is hard to cure, and barely less hard to prevent. It is believed to be caused by the pollens of certain plants, such as rag weed, golden rod, yellow dock, cocklebur, careless weed and various grasses. Experiments show that the pollens of these plants so irritate the membranes of the nose as to bring on symptoms of cold which persist throughout the pollen season. It is best prevented by exterminating weeds and grasses before their flowering season. This can be done by cities and towns, as Asheville is doing for her people, but the plan is hardly practical for individuals alone. However, individuals can go after their town authorities and both can co-operate as to get rid of weeds and all the evils that are attributed to them."

### Woodland Epworth League.

The Epworth League program for Sunday night, June 25, will be as follows:

Subject: "Love in Deeds."  
Leader: Mr. Willie Brown.  
Hymn.  
Scripture.  
Prayer.  
Hymn.  
Leader's talk.  
Duet—Misses Nell Benthall and Grady Parker.  
Clipping—Miss Ethel Futrell.  
Hymn.  
Paper—Miss Mary Ella Code-land.

Quartette—Mesdames C. J. Vaughan, S. T. Brittle and Misses Inez Benthall and Clorine Parker.

Talk—by W. H. S. Burgwyn.  
Hymn and Benediction.

### Married in Aulander.

A pretty but quiet marriage was solemnized at the home of Rev. M. P. Davis in Aulander when on Sunday afternoon, May 28, Miss Willie Lee Peele, the accomplished daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Peele, became the bride of Mr. Oscar R. Vaughan, a prosperous farmer of Hertford County. This young couple was quite popular with the Junior set and we wish them a long and happy life.