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SEVERN NEWS.

Work at Missionary Societies--Play to Be Given Nov. 19th--Domestic Science Club Organized.

Miss Una White, Mrs. C. H. Britt, Mr. M. L. Martin and Otis Joyner were in Norfolk last week to hear the famous tenor, Caruso.

Mrs. N. M. Boone and daughter, Mrs. J. L. Flythe, of Conway, spent Thursday in the home of Mr. W. H. Howell.

Mrs. J. L. Joyner left for Norfolk last Monday to be present at the marriage of her sister, Miss Grace Joyner.

Mrs. Alonzo McKeill spent a few days this week with her cousin, Mrs. Ernest Howell.

Mr. Harry Joyner spent Saturday in Norfolk. While there he attended the marriage of his cousin, Gordon Odom, to Miss Carrie Fuller.

Mr. Pittman and son of Lewiston spent Sunday with his son, Mr. Paul Pittman.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Martin and family spent the week-end with Mrs. Martin's parents at Rich Square.

Messrs. P. M. Fleetwood and Percy Tyler, Jackson, were in town ashore while Sunday afternoon.

Messrs. E. T. Britt and J. C. Stephenson were in Suffolk on business Saturday.

Mr. W. J. Barkley and son, Russell, motored to Branchville Sunday.

There will be a special missionary service held by the Woman's Missionary Society in the Methodist Church Sunday A. M. at eleven o'clock. Everybody is invited to attend.

The Woman's Missionary Union which met at Severn Baptist church Thursday was thoroughly enjoyed by all attendants.

The High School girls of Severn organized a Basket Ball Team last week with Miss Vera Soy McBan Director, and Etta Holder, Manager.

There will be a play, entitled "Valley Farm," given in the Severn High School Auditorium Nov. 19, at seven-thirty o'clock. Everybody come. Admission 35 and 50 cents.

The Domestic Science Club of Severn High School meets twice each month, on the second and fourth Fridays at 10:30 o'clock, under the supervision of Miss McLawhorn. The following officers were elected and installed: Claire Watson, President; Florence Barkley, Vice President; Claire Howell, Secretary and Treasurer; Etta Holder, Corresponding Secretary. At our last meeting we made sponge cake, which experiment was adjudged a success by our teacher. We have sixteen members and divide them into groups of four so as to not make our work too crowded. Our next meeting will be the 12th of November. Each member is looking forward to it with great eagerness.

DANIEL BEING THE FIRST.

Assuming that the recently signed contract for a home for the Leo family in Franklin Park is a good thing for the builder, R. D. opines that it is another instance of a profit in the lions' den.—Boston Transcript.

COLOR PHOTOGRAPHY.

The French government has adopted for use in one of its textile plants a process invented in that country for printing on silk by a photographic color process.

TO MEET A GREAT DEMAND

The Teacher's Helper--Will You Help?

How shall the average teacher start the work of Humane Education in the class room? In many a state where the law requires this instruction, no provision has been made to place in the teachers' hands brief, practical directions, telling just what Humane Education is, and how to reach the pupils with its fundamental principles. In thousands of instances teachers have neglected the subject, not knowing how to undertake it. In thousands of other instances they have had simply to do the best they could.

The President of the American Humane Education Society has been working on the problem for over a year, and the Society at last is ready to issue what will be known as "The Teacher's Helper." This attractive booklet of some 32 pages has condensed the needed information into the smallest possible space. It begins with a brief statement of what Humane Education means. It tells the teacher how, without having to make any serious drafts on his or her time, or interfering with the regular work of the class-room, or taking time from other studies, to awaken the pupils' interest in the subject. Various methods are outlined. Topics are suggested for essays for the various grades, a list of the best books on animals is given, also a list of pictures suitable for the class room, and mottoes for the black board.

With this concise, well printed easily-read pamphlet, teachers can at once, with pleasure to themselves and their pupils, make this branch of study, to which perhaps only a few minutes a week are devoted, one of the most profitable and enjoyable of all the subjects of the class-room. That no subject is of greater importance in the formation of character and in determining good citizenship for the future of the state, we believe all will agree who have ever given the matter thought.

This pamphlet has been submitted to several of the leading educators of the country for their judgment upon it, and up to the present every reply has contained a cordial endorsement.—Our Dumb Animals.

Are You Aware Of The Fact

That this fall there will be more than five million guns blazing away at our wild life all through the open season on game?

That three-fourths of the hunters are not sportsmen but just plain butchers?

That at the present rate of killing there will be no game left in a very few years?

That once gone this beautiful wild life can never be brought back?

That the only way to save it is by the passing at once of wise laws cutting in half the open seasons and the numbers of birds and animals a hunter may take in a season?

That this concerns not hunters alone but every man, woman and child in America?

That nothing is easier than to take life, but no human power can restore it?

That we of to day are responsible to the children of to-morrow for the preservation of their inheritance?

ANOTHER STILL CAPTURED.

Bertie County Loses Another Monkey Rum Establishment--Two Men Involved.

Sunday morning, before day-break, a revenue officer alighted from a Coast Line northbound train at Kelford and secured a conveyance and went down towards Aulander to the edge of War Tom pocosin, near Harrell's Siding, and direct to a monkey rum establishment. The party arrived at the still before day and hid themselves nearby to await developments. Early in the morning Walter Peele, white, and Tom Newsome, colored, came to the still and stirred the stuff but evidently decided it was not in the right condition for distilling. They were taken in custody, and Monday taken before a U. S. Commissioner at Tarboro for a hearing. About 250 gallons of beer was destroyed.

The supply of liquor for Rich Square has not been cut off yet, but if these revenue men continue to destroy the stills there is danger of the price going up. Our boys who are operating stills near Elm Grove school, in Bull Neck and on the Roanoke plantations had better be careful, or they will be pounced upon before they know it. Some of their customers in Rich Square and vicinity have permitted the whereabouts of the stills to be known.

From A New Voter.

Editor of the Times:
Mr. Harding is reported to be elected for our next President. Now I used all my feeble efforts to defeat him, but as he is to be our next President, I shall turn about, and wish him a happy, peaceful, prosperous term. Hoping he may execute all matters appertaining to his office, for this country and for the world's interest. And for doing his whole duty conscientiously, we may love and reverence him as much as we do Mr. Wilson. So let us begin right now to render him all respect as due our President. It would be too far beneath us as citizens to cherish any prejudice against our President. It would not only be very unpleasant to the President, but would lower our country in the estimation of other nations.

We should not speak evil of dignitaries, so lets all swallow our disappointments and Hurrah for Harding, with the spirit to make his term pleasant.

A New Voter.

PLEA FOR A "RAISE."

The high cost of living has reached even India, and a native teacher who was getting only five rupees a month felt it necessary to ask for a raise. For many days he considered the phrasing of his request, and finally, after much rehearsing, he went to the head of his district, bowed low and said: "Is it possible that I may have an increased compendium, as I find it difficult to glide my days peacefully on the hereby mentioned amount?"

Rural-Carrier Examination.

The United States Civil Service Commission has announced an examination for the County of Northampton, North Carolina to be held at Weldon on December 11, 1920 to fill the position of rural carrier at Seaboard and vacancies that may later occur on rural routes from other post-offices in the above mentioned county. Apply to postmaster for blanks.

SURPLUS OF PEANUT BAGS.

On Account of Short Crop Thousands Will Be Carried Over To Next Season.

There is a great surplus of peanut bags in the land. For two years they have been scarce and hard to buy, so the past summer dealers and users contracted for what they estimated would be the requirements for this season's crop, and late in the season when peanuts gave promise of a fair yield, and the price of bags went down, many bought a few more. Now that picking is well under way it has dawned upon all that there is not more than fifty per cent of an average crop and every farmer has a surplus of bags on hand. The price has gone down about eight cents a piece. It is estimated that as many bags will be carried over to next season as will be used this year. If any of our readers are in need of peanut bags they can find them by making their wants known.

Potecasi News.

Misses Eunice Parker, Myrtle Cape, Annie Ray and Estelle Beale attended the teacher's meeting at Milwaukee Friday afternoon.

Quite a number of our people attended the Woman's Missionary Meeting at Severn Thursday.

Mrs. P. G. Parker of Jackson spent last Thursday with Mrs. S. N. Parker.

The Ladies Betterment Society met Friday afternoon. They decided to have a Bazaar about Christmas. They want every lady of the community and others who will to make some article suitable for a gift. So lets everybody get busy.

Mrs. Jennie Baugham of Portsmouth is visiting friends and relatives in town.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Harrell spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. S. Britt, of Severn.

Mr. and Mrs. B. S. Liverman of Murfreesboro spent a short while Sunday evening in the home of Mrs. W. J. Bridgers.

Miss Fannie Grant of Weldon spent Saturday and Sunday with Miss Gladys and Mrs. A. L. Lassiter.

Misses Eunice Parker and Myrtle Cape spent the week-end at Miss Parker's home near Woodland.

Mr. R. L. Powell and family of Rich Square visited relatives and friends in town Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Benthall and children of Rich Square spent Sunday afternoon in the home of Mr. R. H. Parker.

Messrs. J. M. Edwards and Magnus Taylor of Pendleton were callers in town Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. J. H. S. Britt of Severn is spending sometime with her daughter, Mrs. A. J. Harrell.

Rev. T. C. Britton, a Missionary to China, visited our school last Tuesday. He gave the children a very interesting talk. He spoke to them about some of the customs of the Chinese and about the difference in their opportunities and ours. He urged them to put Jesus first and to make use of their opportunities. He said that the supreme need of China today was men and women to train them intellectually as well as spiritually and that they were looking to America for their aid.

Pendleton News.

Mr. Jim Edwards of Rocky Mount spent last Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. K. Edwards.

Mrs. Robert Gilliam of Milwaukee spent a few days last week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Stephenson.

Mr. Reuben Stephenson of Boykins, Va. spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Stephenson.

Mr. George Knight of Portsmouth, Va., spent Sunday afternoon in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Stephenson.

Messdams W. J. Beale, L. A. Stephenson, W. J. Lewter, R. E. Draper, J. M. Burgess, W. M. Stephenson and Miss Carrie Harris attended the Missionary Union at Severn last Thursday and reported a very interesting meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Spane of Sebrill, Va. and Mr. and Mrs. Worrell of Boykins spent last Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Tyner.

Mr. and Mrs. McM. Long of Severn spent last Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. B. P. Long.

Mrs. G. T. Stephenson and children of Winston-Salem returned home last Monday after spending two weeks very pleasantly in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Stephenson.

Miss Louise Knight left last Saturday for her home in Portsmouth, Va. after an extended visit to relatives here.

Messrs. Jim Edward and Magnus Taylor called on friends at Potecasi last Sunday afternoon.

Rev. E. N. Gardner filled his regular appointment at Roberts Chapel last Sunday and preached a very impressive sermon to a large and attentive congregation.

True Americanism

By Henry Van Dyke

What is true Americanism and where does it reside? Not on the tongue nor in the clothes nor among the transient social forms refined or rude, which mottle the surface of life. True Americanism is this:

To believe that the inalienable rights of man to life and liberty and the pursuit of happiness are given of God.

To believe that any form of power that tramples on these rights is unjust.

To believe that taxation without representation is tyranny; that government must rest upon the consent of the governed, and that the people should choose their own rulers.

To believe that freedom must be safeguarded by law and order and that the end of freedom is fair play for all.

To believe not in a forced quality of conditions and estates, but in a true equalization of burdens, privileges and opportunities.

To believe that the selfish interests of persons, classes and sections must be subordinate to the welfare of the commonwealth.

To believe that the Union is as much a necessity as liberty is a divine gift.

To believe that a free state should offer an asylum to the oppressed, and be an example of virtue, sobriety, and fair dealing to all nations.

To believe that for the existence and perpetuity of such a state a man should be willing to give his whole service in labor and in life.

MARGARETTSVILLE LOCALS.

Marriage of Camp-Atkinson--General News of Town and Surrounding Community.

Mrs. Rosa Norvel and Miss Pearl Norvel spent the week end in Seaboard in the home of Mr. W. T. Norvel.

Misses Mae Bridgers and Clara Bottoms were in Jackson last Thursday on business.

Mr. J. G. Stancell was in Norfolk, Va., a few days last week. Mr. Loyd Piland and Miss Mary Britton motored to Louisburg Sunday and spent the day with Miss Ruth Britton at Louisburg College.

Mrs. Clara Piland attended a missionary meeting at Severn last Thursday.

Mr. W. H. Faison of Rosemary spent the week-end with relatives here.

Mr. Loyd Garriss and Mr. Alton Bottoms spent a few hours with friends in Seaboard Thursday night.

Mr. Tom Pruden of Portsmouth, Va., spent Sunday with his brother, Mr. J. S. Gay.

Mr. Loyd Piland spent Thursday in Jackson on business.

Messrs. Carl Fleetwood and Will Bryant of Severn were callers in town Tuesday night.

Mr. Loyd Howell of Seaboard spent a few hours Sunday evening with friends here.

Mr. R. E. Taylor was in Jackson last week on business.

Mr. Jere Parker of Jackson spent Friday afternoon with friends here.

Messrs. Joe Rogers and James Jones of Seaboard spent a few hours with friends here Sunday afternoon.

Dr. J. W. Smith of Branchville, Va., visited his patients here Sunday.

The home of Mr. J. G. Stancell was the scene of a quiet but pretty marriage Sunday at 10 A. M., when Miss Elizabeth Ennis Atkins became the bride of Mr. James Lewis Camp of Garysburg, N. C. Rev. J. W. Downey, pastor of the bride, officiated, using the impressive ring ceremony. The bride is well known and is at present a member of the faculty of Buie's Creek Academy. She wore a handsome gown of midnight blue satin. Mr. Camp is a prosperous young merchant of Garysburg, N. C. Mr. and Mrs. Camp left on the four o'clock train for points North.

Pleasant Hill News

Mr. Aulus Clemons of Richmond spent the week-end with friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Robinson of Emporia spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mrs. W. L. Alston.

Misses Ethel and Elsie May Crew who are attending school in Weldon, spent the week-end with home folks.

Mr. J. W. Rowell died at his home near here last Friday night and was buried in the family burying ground Sunday afternoon. He leaves an aged wife and many relatives and friends to mourn their loss. He has lived in this community all his life and was highly respected by all who knew him.

Mrs. Eula Barham is visiting her sister, Mrs. G. A. Iles.

Mr. R. A. Moore was so fortunate as to kill two fine deer last Saturday morning. He and some friends have been deer hunting only a few times and this was the first kill of the season.