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DRY AT ASBURY

PROHIBITION COME AT LAST

A Sad Time At the Home of Mr. D. Jessup—Dr. Leak Returns From Over the Mountain With Three Saddle Horses—Other Items.

Brim Route 1, March 29.—Mr. D. Jessup has had a sad time at his home for the last thirty days. Two weeks ago his baby, a girl of two weeks old, died with croup, and was buried at the Slate graveyard. The funeral was preached by Elder Presly Stone. On Saturday night last the next youngest 2-year-old boy, little Folger Jessup, died of brain fever and was buried Sunday evening at 2 o'clock at the same place and the funeral was preached by the same preacher. We feel like it is best for the children, but their parents have our deepest sympathy. They are good people and hardworking, and this is the first trouble they have ever had, and they take it very hard.

Mrs. Sam Jessup and her small boy are very sick.

Dr. Leak is back from across the mountain with three saddle horses, all young. His health is very much better, and he is riding almost regularly.

We are glad to state our neighborhood is not bothered any with whiskey now. Prohibition is with us at last, for which we feel very grateful.

Rev. John A. Gilmer preached an able sermon at the Asbury church last Sunday. His subject was "Charity, or Christian Love."

Mr. R. W. Neal, of Westfield, visited at Dr. Leak's and G. L. Simmons' Sunday.

John E. Simmons, 83 years old, visited at G. L. Simmons' Sunday and went to church. He is as healthy and strong as most men at 60 years old.

Miss Virginia Powers has 31 or 32 in her private school besides her music class. We have worked her in double harness for about eight months without any rest.

Mr. Ernest Brown, of Mt. Airy, was in Asbury last week looking for more tobacco. If good season, he will have plenty next fall. All the spare corners are being plowed for a larger crop than ever before.

Campbell.

Campbell, March 29.—Rev. R. Lee Wall preached at the Smith church Sunday.

The people are busy in this section breaking land for another crop of tobacco.

Mr. R. M. Williams had a sale Saturday. I guess he is going West.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Spencer visited at Mr. John Hawkins' Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Hill visited at Mr. P. J. Leak's Sunday.

Mr. Geo. Smith, of Smith, spent Sunday and Monday at Mrs. L. E. Hill's.

Courting is 'all the go in this community now. Some of the girls were seen casting sheep eyes at the boys Sunday.

Ma Sandy Moore called on the ridge Sunday. What does that mean, girls?

Mr. Bib Morefield called to see Miss Neely Sunday.

Mr. John Leak visited at Mr. C. D. Smith's Sunday.

Mr. P. J. Leak had a chopping Friday.

Easter will soon be here. Girls, let us all have another good time.

J. R. Leak called down on the ridge Sunday.

Madison Route 3.

Madison, March 28.—Rev. A. E. Burkley preached a splendid sermon to a large and attentive audience at Knollhurst Sunday evening.

Mr. S. G. Wall has gotten about well. Robt Joyce does not improve very fast. He is still in the jaws of the gripe.

Mr. Pete Tuttle, who has had a very bad attack of nervous prostration is improving rapidly.

The boys tried to have a party Saturday night but failed because the oldest rat in the barn did not take the lead.

The Misses Roars who spent the past week with their uncle Thos. Priddy left today for their home in Greensboro. Aloy and Grover are heart-broken.

Master Nick Wall is on the sick list this week.

MR. GREEN ROGERS DEAD.

Passed Away Sunday After Being Sick For Several Months--Mrs. James Sheppard Ill--Other News of Smith.

Smith, March 29.—Mr. Sam Brown was a visitor at Smith this week.

Mrs. R. L. Hall and children spent Saturday and Sunday with Mrs. J. W. Martin, at Stuart.

Mrs. Mattie Joyce of this place is right ill.

Mr. Green Rogers, after a lingering illness of several months, died at his home last Sunday morning. The interment took place Monday at Snow Creek church, the funeral services being conducted by Rev. E. M. Barnard.

Mrs. W. C. Slate, of Danbury, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Tilley.

Mrs. James Sheppard is on the sick list this week.

Messrs. Percy and Sanders Lovell, of Walnut Cove, are visiting relatives at Smith.

Mr. R. B. Hart has gone over in Virginia to get a pair of mules.

Mrs. Jas. Tilley, accompanied by his sister, Mrs. W. C. Slate, spent Sunday evening with Mrs. J. W. Martin.

Messrs. R. L. Hall and James Joyce returned from the Winston tobacco market Friday.

"POCAHONTAS."

Mr. Will Young Cuts His Foot--Other Dillard Items.

Dillard, March 30.—Farmers are busy at present preparing for another crop.

Miss Minnie Dix is teaching a private school here. The patrons of the district should make a little sacrifice and send their children all they can. This is a rare opportunity for the boys and girls to get a few months high school training--or the equal.

Mr. Anderson Duncan has accepted a position with Mr. S. F. Webster at Madison. We wish him success.

Mr. C. A. Mitchell went to Madison yesterday on business.

'Tis a boy and girl at Mr. D. H. Carter's.

Miss Ellen Dillon, of Bassett, Va., is visiting her sister Mrs. J. Ham Mitchell.

Mrs. W. P. Wilson, of Madison, has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Mitchell this week.

Mr. Will Young had the misfortune of cutting his foot very badly a few days ago, but is getting on very well at present.

Mr. J. A. Joyce failed to fill his appointment at Oak Grove Sunday p. m. on account of preaching at Bethel Sunday a. m. and could not ford Dan river to get here.

Miss Myrtle Neal, of Pine Hall, has been visiting friends and relatives here for the last few days.

Miss Emma Duncan has been on the sick list for several days, but was able to resume her school work today.

Farmers Lay Plans to Get Better Prices For Tobacco--Intelligence News.

Intelligence, N. C., March 29.—Farmers of this section are behind with their work badly.

The farmers met at the Academy here Wednesday evening and discussed plans by which they hope to get better prices for their tobacco than they are getting now.

The following were appointed a committee: J. P. Wilson, Robert Fobbs and C. Comer, to confer with the Virginia Tobacco Growers Association in regard to storing their tobacco. The next meeting will be held at New Bethel Academy April 10th at 8 o'clock, p. m.

New Bethel Academy baseball team had a contract again with the Reidsville high school for last Saturday, and when they reached Reidsville the team would not play. So under the rules the score would be 9 to 0 in favor of New Bethel Academy.

The New Bethel Academy commencement will be May 4 and 5.

Intelligence Junior Order will present a Bible and flag to the Midway school next Saturday, April 3.

FARM FOR RENT.

For rent, a good tobacco farm, the place known as the Hairston land, above Piedmont Springs. A good chance for right parties. See me at Danbury, April 13th, for particulars. J. H. CARTER.

KING LOOKING UP

SAW AND HAMMER TO CRY

In the Bustling Little Town Soon--A Good Deal of Sickness--O. L. Pulliam's School to Close April 24 With Entertainment.

King, March 29.—Right much sickness around King at present.

Miss Nannie Spainhower spent Sunday and Monday with Misses Maggie and Maude Petree, of Germantown Route 1.

Mr. G. M. Allen, of Germantown Route 1, will move to King this week to take an interest in the livery business, which will be established here soon.

King is building up of late. Several new dwellings will be erected soon, viz., Messrs. G. M. Allen, L. F. Meadows, W. R. Pulliam, L. K. Pulliam and several others.

Misses Lelah and Beulah Pulliam expect to visit relatives at Pilot 2, 3, 4, of April.

Mr. O. L. Pulliam's school will close April 24. He will give an entertainment on that day. Everybody invited to come.

Rev. and Mrs. P. O. Iver visited friends in King today.

Miss Pearl Caudie spent Saturday and Sunday with friends in Germantown.

Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Baker were in King on a shopping tour Friday 25.

Sunday school was organized at the first Baptist Sunday, with a large enrollment. Hope it will continue throughout the summer.

The wedding bells are expected to be heard at the home of Miss Maude Coe April 7.

We are glad that Miss Agnes Pulliam has recovered from her protracted illness, sufficiently "to ride around on Sunday afternoons with her beau."

Most all the young men of King, attended the "darkie entertainment" at Center Saturday.

Senator Overman Arranges For Mr. Taft to Come to Charlotte May 20.

Senator Overman was at the White House at dinner Friday and he and Mr. Taft talked the coming celebration over. It is the desire of the president to leave here on the night of the 19th and go to Charlotte, arriving there the following morning, and leaving there that evening, returning here the morning of the 21st. Mrs. Taft will accompany her husband and stop with him at the Selwyn Hotel, where she can be seen by those ladies of the city who wish to call on her. Senator and Mrs. Overman will be in the party from here. It was said at the White House today that Mrs. Taft prefers to be with the President at the hotel to going to a private home.--Washington Correspondence Charlotte Observer.

Prof. Revell's School Closes at Pinnacle--Other Interesting Items.

Pinnacle, March 29.—Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Sullivan spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hamm.

Rev. A. L. Hunter filled his regular appointment at the M. P. church Sunday, at 11 o'clock.

Prof. Revell's school closed last Friday and all seemed to be very sorry that he couldn't teach on another month.

Rev. J. H. Brendall is holding a series of meetings at Chestnut Grove church this week.

Miss Myrtle Wall spent Saturday night with Miss Fland Kallau. She reports a nice time.

Miss Dora Wall and brother, Early, visited a few days last week with Miss Flossie Lasley at Walnut Cove.

Misses Augusta Spainhower and Lora Mickey, and Messrs. Ebbie Mickey and Bernard Spainhower attended preaching at Chestnut Grove Sunday night.

"ARNICE."

The Reporter has not learned of any tobacco plants being hurt by the late heavy frosts. Farmers report their beds in fine condition, some plants having four leaves.

Mr. Jno. T. Carroll, a leading merchant on Mizpah Route 1, was in town Friday. Mr. Carroll believes in printers ink, and takes an ad in the Reporter this week.

ILL WITH HEART TROUBLE.

Mrs. Ella Martin Not Expected to Live--Miss Ella Martin Gives Party In Honor of Her Friends--Other Sandy Ridge Items.

Sandy Ridge, March 29.—Mrs. Ella Martin is seriously ill with heart trouble and is not expected to live.

Mr. and Mrs. Gib DeShazo, of Moore's Mill, Va., visited Mr. DeShazo's sick sister, Mrs. R. L. Pratt, who is low with pneumonia.

Miss Dasie Shelton, of Spencer, is the guest of Mr. Scales this week.

Misses Mabel, Florence and Lemmer Amos and Mr. Bob Joyce spent Saturday night at Mr. R. L. Brown's.

Miss Ella Martin gave a party Saturday night in honor of her friends. Those present were Misses Mattie and Bettie Wilkins, Lucy and Doshia Joyce, Mary and Kate Martin; Messrs. Jake Martin, John Butler and Clyde Joyce, Ben Tilley, George Wilson and Walter Wilkins. All seemed to enjoy themselves fine.

Mr. Frank Brown, of Madison, was on the Ridge Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Martin spent Sunday at Mr. J. T. Joyce's.

Measles Raging at Meadows--Mr. John A. Neal to Move to Winston--Personals.

Meadows, March 29.—Mr. Will Joyce, who has been sick a short while with measles, is improving. Nearly everybody in the neighborhood of Meadows who have not had measles have been exposed.

Miss Kizzie Easter is spending a few weeks with relatives in the community of Cana, Va.

Mrs. Susan Hicks, who has been very sick for a few weeks, is improving.

A little child of Mr. James Young is quite sick of pneumonia. It is a little better at this writing.

Miss Mary Lewellyn, of Madison, visited her sister, Mrs. J. A. Neal, last week.

Mr. John A. Neal will move to Winston about the middle of this month.

The Rev. Mr. Joyce held his regular meeting at Bethel Sunday. He always has a good attendance.

Mr. J. N. Young has just returned from Winston. He reports good rate on his chickens and eggs.

Mr. Richard Blair, of Danbury, was at Meadows this week and took the contract to repair Mr. J. M. Neal's residence.

Mr. C. E. Neal spent a few days at Meadows last week.

Mr. James Dot Hicks is expecting to take the measles every day. He is very much alarmed over the affair--has already consulted his physician about it.

Miss Maggie Adams and a Mr. Hedgecock, of Walnut Cove, were at Meadows a short while Sunday.

Misses Lelia and Gertrude Golden, of Flat Shoal, were visitors at Mr. Thomas Martin's Sunday. It is supposed that Mr. Slias Hicks was there too.

Mr. William Butner Improving--Farmers Preparing For Big Crops.

Tobaccoville Route 3, March 29.—Farmers are very busy around here preparing for a large crop of the weed this year.

Mr. Joe Loggins, who has been very ill with the gripe, is slightly improving, we are glad to say.

Miss Lula Lawson spent Sunday evening with Miss Alice Loggins.

Mr. Lee Wilson and Miss Lizzie Fulp were visitors at Mr. J. W. Loggins' Sunday, returning to Rural Hill Monday morning.

Pastor Holmes filled his appointment at Friends Union Sunday.

Mrs. Lucy Lawson, of Route 3, is spending a few days with her daughter, Mrs. Emma Newsom, of King.

Mr. William Butner, who accidentally shot himself some time ago, is able to be out again, we are glad to note.

Miss Pearl Hauser visited Mr. R. A. Pack Sunday evening.

PRIMROSE.

Mr. Rufus Mabe paid the Reporter a pleasant visit Monday. Mr. Mabe is on the side of good roads, and would vote for the bond issue, because he knows that it would pay him to do so in the long run.

WESTFIELD COMING

AUDITORIUM TO BE BUILT

In Time For Next Commencement--Preparations For Entertainment at Johnstown Easter--Death of Infant--Other News.

Westfield, March 29.—I see the Pinnacle Weasel says that "everybody works but father" but not so at Westfield. For father has gone to work too, now.

The ground hog was not fooled so bad after all, for we have had another cold snap.

We understand that Westfield is to have a large Auditorium ready by our next commencement. I hope the good people will shove this along, for a building of this kind is very badly needed here.

Prof. C. H. Johnson left this place the past week for his home at East Bend. Mr. Johnson made many friends here, all of whom would be glad to see him back again soon.

The people at and near Johnstown are making great preparations to give an entertainment at that place on Saturday night before Easter. Everybody is invited. Two balloons will be sent up that night, and the music for the occasion will be furnished by the Westfield String Band.

W. H. Owens is confined to his room this week with measles.

Robt Inman left this week for his home in Cedartown, Ga.

J. Howard Payne and Samuel Tilley called on friends at Pilot Mountain last Sunday.

Our people have at last become interested in sowing clover and grass seed. For our merchants claim to have already sold twice the quantity of seed they usually sell.

Mrs. Ellen Neal has been very sick this week, but she is now improving.

We have had a tobacco man, a piano man, a spectacle man, a shoe man, a hardware man and several grocery men with us this week. They all say business is picking up.

Everybody should be looking out for we don't know just who will get the April fools.

The Rev. S. B. McCall is expected to fill the pulpit at the Baptist church here next Sunday if the weather permits. Everybody invited.

Mr. W. T. McDaniel, of Pilot Mountain, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Neal, and Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Jessup, of Brim Route 1, were among the visitors at our town this week.

Elbert was trying his new horse last Sunday to see if he could pull two. This may mean something later.

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King Route Two.

King Route 2, March 29.—Farmers are behind with their work on account of rain.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. P. O. Bennett, a fine boy; also born to Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Campbell, a fine boy.

Mrs. Wiley Fulk and Mrs. E. W. Fulk went to Winston shopping last Wednesday.

Rev. A. T. Betts, of Winston, preached a fine sermon at Mount Olive Sunday. Quite a large crowd attended the meeting.

Mr. Allen has purchased an interest in the Southern Lumber Co. at King.

The Southern Lumber Co. will erect a livery stable at King. King is rapidly growing.

Come again, Rachel and Shaghead. You leave the impression that I have been making mistakes in my letters in the Reporter, but tell me what my mistakes were.

"Two Chums" of Pilot Mountain: Where do you find the shortest verse in the Bible? And meet me on the Pilot Easter Monday. There is a large crowd expected to go Easter, and why not you?

Come again, "Ninkie" from Madison Route 3. We like to read your letters in the Reporter.

COW BOY.

Mr. J. C. Davis, of Pinnacle, was in town Tuesday on business, and didn't forget to call in and see the Reporter, where he always finds a warm welcome.

Mr. John W. Young, of Dillard, accompanied by his daughter, Miss Cora, visited Danbury Thursday.

PINE HALL'S BRICK PLANT

Doing Good Work--Condition of Ford at River Bad--Reporter Welcome Visitor--Dr. Hanes In Demand--Old Negro Blacksmith Dies Suddenly--Other News.

Pine Hall, N. C., March 30.—The brick plant at this place is doing some good work.

Wonder what has become of our Beaver Island man, who wanted to get himself up as a judge as to what the people of this part of the county needed. We would be glad for him to inform himself a little better before he undertakes to sit in judgment on our people. Then he would be in a better position to give the facts. Come down, Beaver Island, and let us convince you that you are mistaken. Let us be neighbors.

The condition of the ford of the river at this place is very annoying to the public, scarcely any passing over this ford this winter. Our people are very anxious to see our commissioners commence the work on the bridge here.

The Danbury Reporter is a welcome visitor here. A great many people are anxious to see it when it comes. We wish more of our people would take this paper and keep posted as to county affairs.

Dr. Hanes has right much professional work to do. While he did not come here to practice medicine, but to engage in the brick business, he finds that he is most compelled to do some professional work. He is very successful, and is making many friends in the community. We hope he will find time to do the practice of the immediate community.

Mr. Len Berry has accepted a position with Carter and Williams as salesman.

Old uncle Clem Wilson, who has been running a blacksmith shop at this place for several years, left his shop Saturday evening to go home and died on the railroad a short distance from this place. Another reminder of the uncertainty of life. We are here today without any assurance of tomorrow.

Master Frank Cahill has been right sick with pneumonia.

Mr. Fred Shultz has become a permanent resident of our town. We welcome him and his good wife to our town.

Mountain View Commencement May 7--Crowd of Young People Going to Pilot Easter.

Mizpah, March 29.—The school here will close the 7th of May with a commencement.

Mrs. Minnie Overby is right sick.

Rev. Gibson filled his regular appointment at the M. E. church Sunday. He preached an able and interesting sermon.

Prof. D. D. Carroll attended the Guilford Alumni Banquet at Greensboro last week.

Mr. and Mrs. V. T. Hartgrove returned from Spencer, Va., Saturday. They were accompanied by Mrs. Hartgrove's sister, Miss Daisy Oakley, who will spend several days here.

Mr. John Jones, who is a student here, returned Sunday from a visit to his parents near Kernersville.

Miss Cora Bowles spent Saturday and Sunday with Miss Wilmeta Smith on King Route 2.

Mrs. W. G. Meadows and Mrs. D. V. Carroll visited relatives at Capella last week.

Messrs. Bud and Floyd Boyles entered school here this morning.

A number of our young people are planning to spend Easter Monday on Pilot Mountain.

Joyce and Boles Lose Fine Horse.

While being driven through sticky mud road of Sauratown township last Saturday, a horse belonging to Joyce and Boles of Walnut Cove soared itself that it fell and died of heart failure. The animal was worth \$225.00.

The mud tax comes sometime our people that way.

CORN FOR SALE.

Five hundred bushels for sale at 90 cents per bushel.

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