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## GERMANTON NEWS

### SCHOOL OFFICERS ELECTED

"A Kentucky Belle" To Be Presented By Germanton Dramatic Club—Personals and Other Items.

Germanton, April 29.—The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Germanton Academy Co. was held Saturday the twenty-seventh. A majority of the stockholders were represented in person and by proxy. Election of officers for the ensuing year was held and re-elected as follows:

B. J. Savage, President.  
E. J. Styers, Vice Pres.  
R. T. Beck, Sec. and Treas.  
L. M. McKenzie, Asst. Sec. and Treas.

The old board of directors were re-elected except George H. Charles and are:

B. J. Savage, Chairman, Dr. W. H. Bynum, Jno. W. Kurfees, R. J. Petree, W. D. Browder.

Mrs. Lena Sullivan, of Walkertown, is spending some time with her sister, Miss Carrie Poindexter, who has been right sick, but is able to be out again.

Miss Sarah Styers returned today from a week's visit to her friends, the Misses Wall, of Wallburg.

Mr. P. H. Hill is home again from Rocky Mount and Enfield, N. C., where he has been for the past month.

Mrs. Hannibal N. Simpson, after visiting her cousin Mrs. W. C. Matthews, returned to her home in Stoneville last Wednesday.

Dr. Dave Hill, of Lexington, and Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Stedman, of Winston-Salem, spent Thursday night with their sisters, Misses Mollie and Alice Hill.

Miss Maude McGee, of Salem Academy and College, spent today with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. McGee.

Mrs. R. J. Petree returned from Winston today where she has been at the bedside of her mother, Mrs. Blum, who was not expected to live.

Mr. Ofis Bodenheimer, who has been attending the Walnut Cove High School for the past school year, is at home again.

Miss Eunice McIver spent the week-end with Mrs. R. L. Tuttle.

Mr. John Styers witnessed "The Counterfeiters" given in the Elks' Auditorium at Winston-Salem last Tuesday.

Miss Mabel McKenzie attended the Walnut Cove commencement.

"A Kentucky Belle," a comedy in three acts, will be presented by the Germanton Dramatic Club in the High School Auditorium here Saturday, May the eighteenth.

Miss Linda Gibson is suffering from an attack of neuralgia.

### Yadkin Township Sunday School Convention.

The Sunday School Convention for Yadkin township will be held at King Baptist church on Saturday before the fifth Sunday in June, on the 29th inst., at 10 o'clock.

All of the Sunday Schools of the township are cordially invited to arrange a program for the day.

Now is the time to get rid of your rheumatism. You can do it by applying Chamberlain's Liniment and massaging the parts freely at each application. For sale by all dealers.

Mr. J. R. Forest, a merchant of Francisco, was here yesterday.

## DRY PRIZERY CLOSES TODAY.

About One Million Pounds of the Weed Pooled—Company Was Pressed For Storage Room.

The dry prizery of the Stokes County Union Warehouse Co., at Walnut Cove, will close for the season today, having kept open several days longer than was intended to run in order to allow the farmers who were late to finish pooling their tobacco.

The exact amount of tobacco stored in the dry prizery could not be learned but the figures are right around one million pounds. The sheds were filled several days since and more than one hundred thousand pounds had to be stored in the main building.

Several loads of the weed passed through here yesterday and today enroute to the dry prizery.

## TAX-LISTING TIME.

This Year the Month of May is the Date to Tax Property.

During May instead of the month of June as heretofore there will be in all counties in the State the assessment and listing of property for taxation and giving in of polls and the North Carolina Corporation Commission has the supervision of this work in all the counties as State tax commission. This time assessments will be limited to improvements or damages as real estate was assessed last year for a four-year period. The commission says "the assessment of property of the entire State for 1911 showed a total of 20 per cent gain." Necessarily the attention of assessing officers was given largely to the valuation of real estate. This time the real estate assessments will be nominal and greater attention can be given to personal property and incomes. The commission says that it is a matter of regret that there was an actual decrease in the incomes listed for taxation.

## NEW POSTOFFICE.

Winston-Salem to Have Marble Structure Costing \$200,000.

Winston-Salem, April 29.—James Know Taylor, the government architect who has supervision of the plans for Winston-Salem's new postoffice building, was in the city today looking over the lands recently purchased by the government and securing data to be used in drawing up the plans.

The appropriation for the building is \$200,000 and it is thought that a beautiful structure can be erected for this amount. It is thought that work on the new building will begin within the next three months.

The present postoffice building fronts on Fifth, Trade and Liberty streets. The old building will be practically demolished and replaced by a marble structure with massive columns and extending all the way down Fifth, to be 180 by 80 feet, will give four times the floor space.

There never was a people who appreciated the merits of Chamberlain's Remedy more than is shown by the increasing and voluntary testimonials of persons who have used it. If you or your family are troubled with a cough, cold, or any other ailment, give it a trial and you will be acquainted with its merits. For sale by all

## ABOUT 300 POLLS

### STILL REMAIN UNPAID ON MAY 1

Good Many of these Are People Who Have Left the County Or Died—Impossible To Say What Per Cent of these Belong To the Respective Parties.

An examination of the tax books of Stokes county today, May 1st, shows that there are still about 300 poll taxes unpaid.

A good part of these are people who have moved out of the county or died, while others are unknown, and it is impossible to make anything near an accurate estimate as to what per cent. of the number belong to the respective parties.

## FOR COMMISSIONERS.

Mr. L. J. Young Names a Board Who He Thinks Would Fill the Bill.

Danbury, April 30. Editor Danbury Reporter:

As the time is approaching when we shall be ready to nominate candidates for the various county offices, I desire space through the columns of your paper to suggest a board of county commissioners. I consider that our county commissioners are the most important officials of the county. They should be men in whose judgment the people have confidence, and men who have succeeded in their own business, showing their capability and fitness for the public business. At the same time they should be men who are abreast of the times, and who are conscious of the needs of our county. I don't believe we could find three better men for this position than Chap Bodenheimer, of Germanton; Riley F. Fulk, of Pinnacle, and Joseph Martin, of Danbury Route 1. These are long-headed, safe and conservative citizens, yet they are progressive, and know what is the thing to do in the management of our county affairs.

Subject to the action of the Republican county convention, I nominate for county commissioners Bodenheimer, Fulk and Martin.

L. J. YOUNG.

## BROUGHT HERE TO JAIL.

Jim Welsh, Will Tilley and Charlie Welsh Arrested in Danville—Held Under \$500 Bonds.

Jim Welsh, Will Tilley and Charlie Welsh, all of the southern part of Stokes, were brought here yesterday and placed in jail by special officer John R. Smith, of Walnut Cove.

All three of the prisoners were arrested in Danville Saturday on warrants charging them with abandonment and f. and

They were tried yesterday at Walnut Cove before Judge C. Rierson and before Superior court \$500.00 each, was unable to give

## DR. PRATT COMING

### STATE GEOLOGIST TO SPEAK

At Several Points In Yadkin Township—Everybody Should Hear the Leader in Good Roads Movement In the State.

Dr. J. Hyde Pratt, State Geologist, of Chapel Hill, accompanied by local representatives, will address the people of Yadkin township on the question of good roads, as follows:

King, May 3, 1:30 P. M.  
Dalton, 3:00 P. M.  
Pinnacle, 7:30 P. M.  
Boyles Store, near Mt. Olive, May 4, 9 A. M.  
Capella, 1:30 P. M.

Everybody cordially invited to come out and hear the best posted man on roads in the State. Dr. Pratt is a live wire on this great question. Come and bring all your friends and neighbors.

## Music Club Has Another Interesting Meeting.

Misses Janie and Agnes Martin entertained the music club most delightfully on Friday evening, April 26th.

Schubert was the composer studied. The program was as follows:

Reading, "Reminiscences of Schubert," by Miss Raynor Joyce.

Piano solo, "By Moonlight," Miss Grace Taylor.

Instrumental duet, by Misses Janie and Agnes Martin.

Vocal solo—"Schubert's Serenade," by Miss Mary Joyce.

Reading—"Schubert's Friends," by Miss Annie Blair.

The committee had prepared a musical spelling game, which was enjoyed by the members. The prize, a box of candy tied with blue and gold ribbon, was awarded to Misses Reva McCannless and Grace Taylor.

Just before leaving each member was given a bouquet of blue and gold ribbon, which was the flower chosen to be the club emblem.

Dainty refreshments were served consisting of chocolate, cake and pickles.

The next meeting of the club will be held at Mr. H. M. Joyce's and the committee to arrange the next program is Misses Mary Joyce and Janie Martin.

## Pine Hall.

Pine Hall, Apr. 20.—Miss Virda Creakman is spending this week with her grandmother.

Mrs. Anna Goolsby is spending this week with her mother, Mrs. Nelson.

Mr. John Tuttle come through Pine Hall going to Winston-Salem a load of tobacco.

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## NEWS OF SANDY RIDGE.

Bugs Destroying Tobacco Plants Fine Prospect For Wheat Crop—Personals.

Sandy Ridge Route 1, Apr. 29.—We are having some fine weather at present, and farmers are busy planting corn and breaking land.

Wheat is looking promising in this section and with favorable weather the opinion is that the farmers will be blessed with an abundant harvest.

Most of the public roads in this section were worked the past week.

There was a singing at Roark school house Sunday. Quite a large crowd attended.

Among those visiting at Mr. W. T. Ward's Sunday were the following: Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Carter and children, Mr. W. H. Hutcherson and family, Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Oakley, Mr. W. B. Dodson and Mr. J. G. Dunlap.

Mr. A. B. Carter conducted prayermeeting at Delta Saturday night. There was a large crowd out.

Among those visiting at Mr. J. W. Ward's Sunday night were the following: Misses Della and Lula Carter, Viola, Nannie, Pink, Annie and Lilla Dodson, Willie, Dora and Lillie Ward, Sadie and Lula Duncan; Messrs. Hard, George, Harry, Hermon and Roy Duncan, Turner, Wayne, Willie, Robt. and Billie Dodson, Frank, Robt. and Cleveland Carter, Ebby, Russel and Billie Ward, Zeb and Isaac Terrell, Dillard and Floyd Venable, Reuben Pergeson, Luke Amos, Sam Wilkins and Alex Oakley.

Some of the farmers report the bugs destroying their tobacco plants while others report them plentiful.

Quite a crowd visited at Mr. E. K. Vernon's Sunday.

J. E. W.

## MOREFIELD-MURPHY.

Mr. L. E. Morefield and Miss Sarah Murphy Wed On Sandy Ridge Route One.

Mr. L. E. Morefield and Miss Sarah E. Murphy, both prominent young people of Sandy Ridge Route 1, were married Sunday at 10:00 o'clock at the bride's father's home.

Mrs. Murphy, quite a young lady, relatives and young people were present. Elder Routenberry officiated.

## THE DATE IS FIXED

### FOR NEXT STOKES COUNTY FAIR

Fair Association Holds Meeting At King and Elects Officers—A Marriage—Dolphus Putner Kills A Dog.

King, April 29. The Stokes County Fair Association held a meeting here Saturday and fixed the date for this year's fair to be held at King, October 15-16. The following officers were elected: S. R. Fulp, manager agricultural department; J. T. Johnson, manager stock department; J. F. Newsom, manager poultry department, and Misses Mamie Moore and Delcena Green, managers of the ladies' department.

Robert Southern stepped on a nail a few days ago and as a result has been unable to work since that time.

Lee Calloway, a youth of 19 summers, was married here yesterday to Miss Ella Ingram. The blushing bride gave her age as 25.

Dolphus Putner slew a dog late Saturday evening that had every appearance of suffering from rabies. As far as known the dog had not bitten any other animal.

## A SURPRISE MARRIAGE.

Mr. Jas. E. Miller and Miss Rachel Moore Wed At Lewisville—Prominent Young Stokes People.

Mr. James E. Miller, of Dalton, and Miss Rachel Moore, of Smith, two of our county's most prominent and popular young people, were married last Wednesday at the home of the bride's uncle, Mr. J. W. Coe of Lewisville, Forsyth where she was visiting.

Immediately after the ceremony the young couple left for Asheville and other the western part of where they are spending time.

The marriage of the couple was a disappointment to their many friends in Stokes. The bride

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