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TUESDAY EVENING, . . . May 5, 1903

No w Advertisements.
OXOLO.
PEPSI-COLA—All Soda Fountains.
KINSTON COIN AND BOOK EXCHANGE
—May Magazines.

Messrs. Sumrell & McCoy have moved their stock from the building on west Gordon street to the building recently erected for them on east Gordon, next to the postoffice.

There will be a called meeting of the A. M. Waddell chapter U. D. C. tomorrow afternoon at 3:30 o'clock at the home of Mrs. J. T. Midyette. All members are requested to be present.

Mr. John Coward went to Raleigh this morning to take his wife, who is very ill, to the Royster Hospital in that city. Mrs. Coward had to be carried on a cot, being to ill to sit up.

Mr. W. D. Reynor received a dispatch from New York yesterday, stating that his sister, Miss Minnie Reynor, died there Sunday night. Miss Reynor was well known here, having visited her brother several times.

A special excursion rate of \$1 from Kinston to Newbern will be given by the A. & N. C. railroad, next Monday on account of the Memorial Day exercises there. The train leaves Kinston at 8:48 a. m. and returns at 7:37 p. m.

A gentleman representing vast business interests, in writing a private letter to THE FREE PRESS says: "we are very much of an admirer of your progressiveness, and think your town is away ahead of anything in the eastern section."

There will be Memorial Day exercises in this city next Monday, May 11th, by the United Daughters of the Confederacy, a program of which will be published later in THE FREE PRESS. Memorial Day, May 10th, falling this year on Sunday the exercises will be on Monday, the 11th.

Mr. Jesse Fields et. als., brought suit before Clerk of the Court Collins against Mr. Edward Uzell, et. als., for a sale of land for division between the heirs of Mr. James Fields. The suit was begun to day but service of summons not having been made on the minors, who were heirs, the case was continued until May 26th, to allow the summons to be served on the minors. Twenty days notice is required, hence the continuance to May 26th.

Mr. W. F. Harper, of Contentee Neck township, owns a cow which has been giving milk since February 15, 1892. She started with a production of 24 gallons of milk per day, and now yields 1 gallon per day. This cow is a perpetual milker, and was a fine investment. Mr. Harper paid \$10.70 for her, sold her calf for \$10, and has had milk from her every day for over 11 years. Putting the average at 2 gallons of milk per day, the cow has yielded 8,030 gallons of milk during the 11 years and estimating the value of the milk at 20 cents per gallon, which is easily obtained for the lactical fluid in this section, we have \$1,606. Deducting \$3 a month for the cow's support, or \$396 for the 11 years, the cow has \$1,210 to her credit, besides \$10 obtained for the single calf of this remarkable cow. This beats the most intensive farming.

School Trustees Meet.
The new board of trustees of the Kinston graded schools met at Mr. N. J. Rouse's office yesterday afternoon and organized, electing Mr. S. H. Abbott chairman and Dr. V. E. Weyher, secretary. Those present were S. H. Abbott, J. A. Pridden, B. W. Canady, D. Oettinger and V. E. Weyher.

The board received a bill from Mr. H. W. Simpson for \$53 balance due him for the plans and specifications submitted by him for the construction of the new graded school building. The account was approved and ordered paid.

The board then adjourned to meet again Thursday afternoon at Canady's hall at 8 p. m.

Dr. Pridden Re-Elected.
The sanitary board for this county met yesterday and re-elected Dr. C. L. Pridden, the present incumbent, county superintendent of health.

A misunderstanding caused by overlooking a clause in the law providing for the election of superintendent of health was the reason of yesterday's election by the board, as it was thought that the election was made by the board at their meeting in December, after the board was elected.

The law, however, provides that the superintendent shall be elected on the first Monday in May, and yesterday's election was in accordance with that section.

The election of Dr. Pridden by a unanimous vote of the members, present at the meeting was a complimentary endorsement of his administration of the duties of this important office.

Raleigh's May Festival, May 4th-9th.
The attractions are to be furnished by the great Caskill-Mundy Levitt Carnival Co., the largest amusement enterprise of the kind in America. All the nations of the globe are represented. Great free parades every day and night. The following attractions are to be seen: Trained wild animals show with steel arena, the Grytala maze, streets of India or stadium, moving pictures, a night in the Orient, a house upside down, a Lewis wheel dog, pony and monkey circus, German village, fair Japan, the girl from up there, Venetian glass blowers and many others. Free entertainments will be at frequent intervals during the day, which will consist of the highest class sensational acts in this country, including electric fountain, a high dive high wire act, slides for life, cycle wheel, etc. Don't fail to attend this grand event, it will certainly be the largest thing in the south this season.

AS THEY COME AND GO.

These Were Seen at the Train, Coming and Going.
Mr. Hoge Irvine went to Danville, Va., today.
Mr. S. W. Isler went to Goldsboro this morning.
Mr. E. M. Land returned yesterday from Wilson.
Mrs. J. L. Nelson, returned from LaGrange yesterday.
Mrs. George B. Wilson returned to Dover yesterday afternoon.
Mr. J. W. Grainger returned yesterday afternoon from Weldon.

Mr. H. V. Williams, of LaGrange, is a visitor to the city today.
Mr. Alpheus Moore returned from the western part of the State this morning.
Mrs. E. Y. Speed went to Durham this morning to visit friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Best returned from visiting at Wilson, yesterday afternoon.
Mrs. W. A. Wilson and sister, Mrs. W. H. West, of Dover, were Kinston visitors today.

Mrs. John Crawford, of Goldsboro, came this morning to visit at Mr. Kleber Denmark's.
Mrs. Geo. H. Richardson and little Misses Fannie and Jessie Richardson, of Dover, came this morning to visit in the city.

Apology and Appeal of "Observer."
I humbly beg your pardon and ask to apologize: Oh, do forgive mine error, for diminishing your size.
Most mighty E. B. L.

You are wiser far than Solomon and smarter than Shakespeare.
None, whether dead or living, but must acknowledge you as peer:
Right excellent E. B. L.

You are the man who rules the world, writes novels and fine plays:
It's you who grants us our lives, makes sunny our days.
Sublimest E. B. L.

It's you who sends us cotton seeds, from which cabbage do grow.
You are the biggest elephant in Uncle Sam's show:
Most honorable E. B. L.

It's you and not Columbus, who America did find.
You conquered mighty nations and left Napoleon behind:
Exalted E. B. L.

You are who taught George Washington to never tell a lie.
You have invented courage, you do Sullivan defy:
Most gallant E. B. L.

No Rothschild and no Morgan can in wealth with you compete.
Your beauty, as your manners, is perfect and complete:
Immortal E. B. L.

You are the greatest statesman upon this continent:
Not Roosevelt, Bryan, Cleveland; you—shall be president:
Oh, glorious E. B. L.

And now I once more ask you upon my bended knee:
Withdraw from me your anger, permit me to go free:
All merciful E. B. L.

BUCKLESBERRY ITEMS.
May 4, 1903.
Mr. and Mrs. John I. Sutton spent Friday in Kinston.

Mr. N. B. Wooten was a visitor in our community Friday.
Mr. E. E. Byrd, of Institute, visited friends Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. J. S. Rouse, of Strabane, spent Sunday at Mr. Wm. Sutton's, Sr.
Mr. Joshua Creech, of Richlands, spent Saturday at Mr. A. H. Sutton's.

Rev. S. H. Isler, of Goldsboro, spent Saturday night at Mr. Chas. Ivey's.

Messrs. K. E. Sutton and G. L. Capell spent Saturday night at Mr. A. H. Sutton's.

Mr. Joseph Kinsey and Dr. Hodges, of LaGrange, spent Tuesday evening in our midst.

Messrs. J. F. Barwick, Jr., and L. J. Moore made a business trip to Kinston Saturday.

Rev. Alfred Rouse filled his regular appointment at Oak Grove Saturday night and Sunday.

The Sunday school picnic was quite a success, Saturday. All who attended enjoyed the sumptuous feast very much.

We are glad to welcome Mr. Major Barwick home again, who, for the past three years, has made Baltimore his home.

Mr. Dempsey Parks, of Mount Olive, returned home last Monday after spending several days with relatives and friends.

Miss Annie Waters successfully closed her school Friday. We can highly recommend Miss Waters as a good teacher. We regret having to part with her, but hope to have her back again next fall.

NEW HOPE ITEMS.
May 4, 1903.
Mr. Hardy Loftin spent Sunday at Mr. Jesse Jackson's.

Mr. Major F. Sanderson reports having Irish potatoes as large as hen eggs.

Mr. Willie Dudley spent Sunday in Woodington township visiting relatives and friends.

We have been having a picnic every year before, but we think the chances doubtful this year.

Some of the farmers in this section report tobacco plants scarce. Others report them plentiful.

Mr. Willie G. Sutton and Miss Dora Grady, of this section, attended church at Sandy Bottom Sunday.

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