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TUESDAY EVENING,..... July 14, 1903

New Advertisements.

HENRY DUNN—Ice Cream.
ERSKINE CO.—Great Reduction.
J. A. McDANIEL—Silver Spoons.

Mr. A. J. Scott, of Adams' School House, Onslow county, sends THE FREE PRESS a curiosity in the shape of a ear of young corn. It has about 25 branches growing out of it.

The average tax valuation of farm land in Wilson township outside of Wilson, as returned by the board of assessors is $12.02 per acre. In Kinston township outside of Kinston, $12.

A colored excursion from James City today, brought 400 or 500 to Kinston and they will return tonight at 12 o'clock. A game of ball will be played at the ball park this afternoon at 4:30 between a team of the visiting crowd and a local team.

Miss Marietta Hewlett, of Newport, came Sunday night to relieve Miss Nettie Perry in the Western Union telegraph office here for a couple of weeks. Miss Nettie and her sister, Miss Ida, will take a two weeks' vacation and visit at their old home in Louisburg.

The board of trustees of the Kinston graded schools held a meeting yesterday, and among other business transacted, lowered the tax rate from thirty cents on $100 valuation of property to 22 cents. This will make poll tax for school purpose 66 cents, whereas heretofore it has been 90 cents. The eight cents reduction is a little over 25 per cent.

The Retail Grocers and General Merchants association will meet tonight at the court house, and everybody interested in the work of this organization is cordially invited to go. State Organizer Johnson, of Burlington, will be there and make a speech on the objects of the organization. It may be of interest to you, so you had better go.

The local newspaper is not a charitable institution but a local industry, says an exchange, just as much as a cotton mill or any manufacturing enterprise. It has just as much right to demand of its people their individual and united patronage as does the local merchant, who will complain if any person goes away from town to buy the goods he has for sale. The citizens of a town will complain of the small size of their local newspaper and the scarcity of its news, and never think that the real cause of its smallness is due to themselves, their meager support of it.

The little two-and-a-half-year-old child of Mr. John Jarman, in Tuckahoe section of Jones county, was kicked by a mule Sunday and all its front teeth were knocked out. The child was at the artesian well in its father's yard getting a drink of water when the mule came up and kicked the little fellow over, the hoof landing squarely on the child's mouth and knocking it back into a puddle of water where it lay insensible until its parents got to it. All of the child's front teeth were knocked out and its face badly bruised. The child was brought to Kinston yesterday for treatment.

Mr. Oscar LaRoque, who was formerly with the Bank of Kinston and recently in the commission and brokerage business in this place, has been elected to the responsible position of cashier of the Bank of Beaufort, at Beaufort, N. C. He, in company with other young men of this place were at Morehead Sunday, and Monday morning he was selected by the directors and the position offered him, which he accepted. The position is a lucrative one and carries with it great responsibilities for one of his youth—being only 20 years of age—and is a decided compliment to him. We venture the conjecture that he is one of the youngest, if not the youngest cashier of a bank in the country.

Charlie Jackson, colored, a workman at the Kinston furniture factory, had a right painful accident at the factory yesterday afternoon which caused the loss of a finger, two broken ribs and sustaining internal injuries of a very serious nature. He was running a rip saw, and in the piece of wood was a knot, and when the knot reached the saw the piece was thrown back at him, striking Jackson in the breast with great force. This caused him to get his hand in the saw which cut off a finger. He was taken to Dr. Pridgen and given medical attention after which he was placed in a hack to be taken home and the hack ran into a hole and threw Jackson out, shaking him up still further. He was gotten home after awhile and was in fairly good condition this morning when visited by the doctor.

Kinston Rifles Encamp July 22-28.

The Kinston Rifles will go into encampment with the second regiment two miles this side of Morehead City, July 22-28.

Capt. H. D. Harper, Jr., has orders to that effect from the adjutant general. These orders are sweeping and give the commanding officer the power to carry the members into the encampment if necessary, but it is to be hoped that the members of the Kinston Rifles and their employers will show their appreciation of the value of a military organization in Kinston, by turning out in force for the encampment.

Seventy-five per cent. of the company have to go or the Kinston Rifles will not get the appropriation from the government, and besides the company can, and will probably be disbanded if this percentage does not go.

The importance of all going who can possibly go is apparent.

When you wake up with a bad taste in your mouth, go at once to J. E. Hood & Co.'s drug store and get a free sample of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. One or two doses will make you well. They also cure biliousness, sick headache and constipation.

SEEN AT THE TRAINS

Coming and Going. People you Know or Somebody Else Knows.

Mr. S. W. Isler went to Goldsboro this morning.

Mr. J. Hickson, Jr., went to Tarboro this morning.

Mr. D. L. Ward returned to Newbern this morning.

Mrs. A. T. Redditt returned last night from Ayden.

Dr. John A. Pollock went to Seven Springs this morning.

Mr. Albert Rountree returned to New York this morning.

Prof. A. J. Barwick returned to Goldsboro this morning.

Miss Jenny Moye returned last night from Virginia Beach, Va.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Marston left this morning for Virginia Beach.

Mr. W. O. Wooten returned last night from Virginia Beach and Norfolk.

Mr. Dan W. Patrick, of Snow Hill, took the cars here this morning for Newbern.

Mrs. Amanda Howerton, of Morehead City, came this morning to visit at Dr. R. A. Whitaker's.

Mr. and Mrs. K. R. Tunstall and daughter, Miss Ada Glenn, returned from Greenville last night.

Mrs. John Fields Jr., and Miss Lilla Sutton, of Fields, spent a few hours in the city this morning.

Miss Sudie Gully, of Goldsboro, who has been visiting Miss Martha Allen, returned home this morning.

Mrs. M. A. Jarvis and daughter, Miss Sofia, of Greenville, spent last night in the city on their way to Seven Springs.

Mrs. John Flanagan and daughter, Miss Blanche, of Greenville, spent the night at Mr. E. L. Brooks' and went to Seven Springs this morning.

MISSING.

Contributed.

A hall erected to Memory
Stands here on the campus sod.
And on its walls are placed the names
Of those who have rendered God
An account of their life and stewardship:
So, when earth's task is done
The Alma Mater still keeps green
The memory of each son.

Here is a list of Heroes
Inscribed "The Confederate Dead."
And "James K. Polk," on a tablet,
Is written above my head.
There, patriots, poets and statesmen,
I read in the sun's bright glance.
But the best beloved is missing
The sacred name of Vance.

It is true, O Carolina,
This noblest name of all,
Still waits to be recorded
In your grand Memorial Hall.
But I think as I pass its portals,
Pondering sad and slow,
The name of Vance will take its place,
When we let the people know.

Jr. O. U. A. M. to Have a Banquet.

At the meeting of the Jr. O. U. A. M. last night they decided to have a banquet after the public installation of the recently elected officers in the court house next Friday night.

Mayor Hood, of Goldsboro, State councillor of the order, will be here and publicly install the officers and make a talk on the principles of the order.

Mayor Rouse will introduce Mayor Hood, who is a captivating speaker, and the public is assured of a pleasant evening's entertainment in listening to State Councilor Hood explain the objects and aims of this patriotic order.

Invitations to the banquet will be sent to 50 outside of the council and after the public installation the members and invited guests will gather at Canady's hall where covers for 100 will be laid.

The members of this order is increasing very rapidly, having doubled within 30 days after the council was instituted at this place.

The public is cordially invited to attend the public installation and hear Mayor Hood's talk.

Heaviest Rain in Years.

The oldest citizen says that yesterday's rain was the heaviest in years, amounting to 2¾ inches according to the official report of voluntary observer, Dr. R. H. Lewis.

The rain of yesterday was in the nature of a cloudburst on a small scale, and came down decidedly faster than it could run off, thereby causing much inconvenience to pedestrains.

It was incessant from the beginning at 3:30 until after dark, though not all so hard as the first burst.

Many remember when more water was on the streets but it was due to poorer drainage, no doubt, as yesterday's rain was more of a sudden down pour than any previous rain in this city.

No serious damage resulted from the rain in this place, but it is expected that reports from the outlying districts will disclose considerable damage to crops.

The Roselle Opera Company.

The Roselle Opera company was here Tuesday night and gave a splendid performance. The singing and acting was admirable and the audience manifested its appreciation in constant applause. The gems of the evening were "The Last Rose of Summer," and the famous intermezzo from Cavalleria Rusticana.—Patchogue, N. Y., Advance. At the opera house on July 23rd.

CLOSS ITEMS.

Mr. W. C. West and sister spent yesterday at Dover.

Every farmer is busy with tobacco today. The yield will be better than some thought two weeks ago.

Mr. Lewis Kilpatrick came home Saturday to see his mother. He has been in the extreme eastern part of the State since January, but is now at Newbern.

Mr. Furney Dupree was buried here Friday at British Chapel. Rev. E. H Davis, of Kinston, conducted the burial service. He was a good man, and the large attendance at his burial showed he was held in high esteem.

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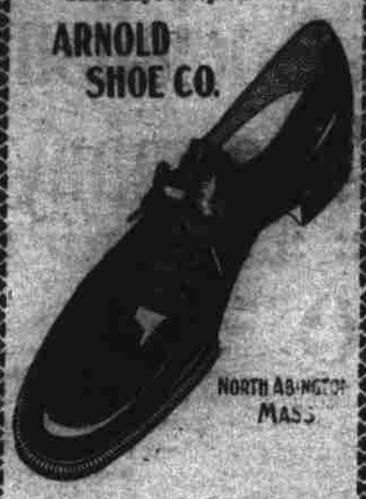

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