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NOTICE

The annual meeting of the shareholders of the National Bank of Kinston will be held at 2 o'clock p. m., Tuesday, January 12, 1915, at their banking house, for the election of officers and such other business as may properly come before them.

J. J. STEVENSON, Cashier. 12-9-dly to 1-12

THE ATLANTIC COAST LINE "The Standard Railroad of the South" \$17.10 GOLDSBORO TO HAVANA VIA KEY WEST OR TAMPA. THENCE STEAMER TO HAVANA Rates cover meals and berth on the steamer.

Tickets on sale January 7th, limited to return January 25th, 1915. Children at half fare.

For any detail information, write to

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STOMACH TROUBLES

Mr. Ragland Writes Interesting Letter on This Subject.

Madison Heights, Va.—Mr. Chas. A. Ragland, of this place, writes: "I have been taking Theodor's Black-Draught for indigestion, and other stomach troubles, also colds, and find it to be the very best medicine I have ever used."

After taking Black-Draught for a few days, I always feel like a new man." Nervousness, nausea, heartburn, pain in pit of stomach, and a feeling of fullness after eating, are sure symptoms of stomach trouble, and should be given the proper treatment, as your strength and health depend very largely upon your food and its digestion.

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Miss Sallie Kilpatrick Professional Nurse 308 E. Vernon Ave. Phone 183

FRENCH SOLDIERS AT HOME IN TINY TEMPORARY TOWNS

By William Phillip Simms (United Press Staff Correspondent) With the French Army at the Front, Nov. 28. (By mail to New York)—The French soldier is beyond doubt the most persistently gay and at the same time inherently artistic creature in the world. Even here, under the snow and the rain, in the slush and mud, and with death stalking only one lap behind with occasional over-takings, he refuses to have either his gaiety or his love of the beautiful quenched.

Today I visited several camps of Train regiments—revictualing and ammunition supply corps—just behind the firing line. Evidently the soldiers believe they are there for the winter, for they have built themselves "permanent" houses, and have set up housekeeping in the most comfortable of ways. French officers call these settlements, "villages negres" or "negro villages," on account of their resembling, at first glance, the "native villages" one sees at world fairs. But the soldiers' villages are more artistic, much cleaner and more attractive.

One I visited near Saint-Minehould was typical. It was located in a wheat field and French wheat fields in this region have a habit, when wet by rain or snow, of trying to escape by clinging to one's feet. But soldiers have occupied their leisure hours in hauling sand and building sidewalks throughout the village which was, in consequence a sort of "spotless-town."

The houses are built of saplings and thatched with straw, but helter skelter and any old way, but neatly and in patterns, so that the finished structure resembles a very pretty, if tiny, French villas, with dormers and gables and turrets and spires. Many of the little houses have windows of glass, though where these came from goodness only knows—probably from the ruins of neighboring villages.

In front of most of the villas are French gardens. Little fir and cedar trees, or other small growth of evergreen variety have been transplanted, and the walks of these gardens are laid out in patterns and bordered just as walks in city parks are, only here pieces of tree-branches take the place of the interlacing iron borders of more conventional parks.

But it is inside that the inhabitants show the most ingenuity. Beds are of all varieties but I am sure that the worst was more comfortable than those one usually finds in an American small-town hotel. In principle most of them were alike. Four posts were driven into the ground with saplings to represent the sides of the bed. Across these, one against another, smaller saplings are laid, these chosen for their springiness. Over these, in soft hay, of a thickness to insure as much comfort as an ordinary mattress affords, and lastly the regulation blankets, sleeping bags and such other covering as the soldier may be able to procure.

In the middle of the room there is usually a table of saplings and such plats as the builder have found; upon this they eat and do their correspondence. Over such table I found a hanging lamp, though lanterns are usually used.

KANSAS CHILDREN USE KANSAS BOOKS

Topeka, Kansas, Jan. 4.—Kansas school children today began the study of agriculture from the text books compiled by Kansas authorities to cover conditions in the Sunflower state. The state printer state printed the text and Kansas Agricultural College professors prepared the manuscript.

Colds are Often Most Serious Stop Possible Complications

The disregard of a Cold has often brought many a regret. The fact of Sneezing, Coughing, or a Fever should be warning enough that your system needs immediate attention. Certainly Loss of Sleep is most serious. It is a warning given by Nature. It is man's duty to himself to assist by doing his part. Dr. King's New Discovery is based on a scientific analysis of Colds. 50c. at your Druggist. Buy a bottle today. adv.

SOCIAL And PERSONAL

Mrs. E. V. Webb has returned from a stay with friends in Roxboro.

Mrs. Walter Dail has returned to Greenville, after a visit here with relatives.

Miss Blanche Cox of Winterville was a Kinston visitor yesterday en route to Raleigh.

Mrs. Thomas W. Ozlin of Kenley is visiting her sister, Mrs. George W. Knott, in the city.

Mrs. W. E. Mewborne and children have returned from visiting relatives at Farmville.

Miss Velma Harrington left yesterday afternoon for Ayden to resume her teaching, after a visit in the city to her parents.

Miss Johnnie Patrick of Snow Hill was in the city yesterday afternoon on her way to Greenville to attend the Teachers' Training School.

Mr. Dorch Stroud of the Pink Hill section was here this morning en route to Trinity Park School at Durham, after spending the holidays at home.

Miss Alice Ward of New Bern, a student at Peace Institute, Raleigh, stepped over with friends here on her return to school from spending the holidays at home.

The following young gentlemen left yesterday for school, after spending the holidays in the city: Messrs. Meriwether Lewis, McDaniel Lewis, Guy Churchill, F. J. Wooten and Phil Hines.

The following young ladies of the city have left for out-of-town schools after spending the holidays at their homes here: Misses Sophia Knott, Sallie Mae Andrews, Muriel Hadley, Letha Hargett, Leafy Spear, Irene Broome, Mary Jeffries, Frances Tull, Pattie Grady and Eunice Grady.

Miss Lucile Collins Entertains

Miss Lucille Collins entertained the house party of Miss Carrie Duffy Wooten on Saturday evening last at the home of her father, Mr. Plato Collins, at Caswell and Independent streets. The young people comprising the party are now returning to their homes. Mr. Marcellus Wooten, one of the guests, left for Davidson College, where he is a student, and Mr. Kinsey Murrell and Miss Kathleen Murrell have returned to Rocky Mount.

HIGH AND GRAMMAR SCHOOLS WILL OPEN WEDNESDAY, 9 A. M.

Supt. Caldwell Officially Announced Today That New Building Would Be Ready for Children—Work to Be Resumed.

Superintendent of Schools Barron Caldwell today announced officially that the high and grammar schools will be reopened Wednesday morning at 9 o'clock.

These schools, with the exception of one grammar grade, have been suspended since before Christmas by the holidays and the failure of the architect to arrive to formally turn the new East Lenoir street building over to the school authorities. He was expected to come in time for the schools to start the spring term on Monday, and failed to arrive. He was wired for and is expected to accept the building and advise the officials today that the new building is safe and adequate in facilities for the comfort of the children.

CHICHESTER'S PILLS THE DIAMOND BRAND. Ladies! Ask your Druggist for Chichester's Diamond Brand Pills in Red and Gold metallic boxes, sealed with Five Ribbons. Take no other. Buy of your Druggist. 25c. CHICHESTER'S DIAMOND BRAND PILLS, 16 85 years success. Always reliable. SOLD BY DRUGGISTS EVERYWHERE.

SACRIFICE OF THE PHILLIES TO SAVE MAGEE FROM FEDS.

By Hal Sheridan (Written for the United Press) New York, Jan. 5.—Organized baseball is still waging war on the Federals. This was plainly evidenced by the trading of Sherwood Magee by the Phillies to the Braves. The Phillies were not very anxious to lose Magee and it is doubtful if Boss Stallings of the World's Champions, could offer enough men in exchange to make the Phillies' management make the trade for the trade's sake. But Magee was about ready to hop to the Federals and Phillies decided to do their part in the war on the "Outlaws" by trading the star outfielder to the Braves. It was pretty certain Magee wouldn't jump from the World's Champions to the Federals.

The National League moguls—and their American brothers, too—profess to be ignoring the Gilmore organization. But when they make deals like the Magee swap—an out and out war move—it is pretty certain that Organized Baseball is worrying a little.

Magee will come in mighty handy up Bostonway at that. Stallings has need of a star gardener of the brand of the Phillies crack. Magee is a terrific hitter against either right or left hand pitching. All last season Stallings had to juggle his outfield around. He had fair hitters against left hand pitchers who were weak against right handers and others vice versa. He did not have a real slugger in the outer garden. Magee is pretty certain of a regular job with the Champions.

Americans who were worried for fear the ranking committee of the National Lawn Tennis Association did not act rightly in putting in Maurice McLoughlin above Norris Williams as the country's greatest player can rest easily. Our English brethren also pick McLoughlin. "The Field," a London Sporting publication, declared in a recent issue that the Californian is the greatest tennis player of all time. Williams' one victory over him

The Liver Regulates the Body A Sluggish Liver Needs Care

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WAIT FOR ZUDORA

A Lot of New FLOWERS and SHAPES CALL IN AND SEE THEM

MRS. M. L. BRASWELL

does not entitle him to first honors, it was stated.

Miss Beulah Keel of Farmville, a teacher at Selma, left Sunday evening for the latter place after a visit with friends here. She stopped over in Kinston on her return from spending the holidays at home.

Mrs. P. H. Crawford has returned to her home in Goldsboro after a visit in the city to her father, Mr. W. P. Jones.

NOTICE

The undersigned, having been appointed and duly qualified as executrix of the estate of M. H. Carr, deceased, all persons having claims against said estate are notified to exhibit the same before the undersigned on or before December 3rd, 1915, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment.

This 2nd day of December, 1914. VIRGINIA CARR, Executrix of M. H. Carr, Deceased. By E. R. WOOTEN, Attorney. 12-3, 10, 17, 24, 31, Jan 7*

WHAT SHE WANTED

"I want to stop my baby's cough," said a young mother Tuesday, "but I won't give him any harmful drugs." She bought Foley's Honey and Tar Compound. It loosens the cough quickly, stimulates the mucus membranes and helps throw off the choking secretion, eases pain and gives the child normal rest. For sale by J. E. Hood & Co. adv.

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FRANK J. CHENEY, Notary Public. Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1914. A. W. GLEASON, Notary Public. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Send for testimonials, free. F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by all Druggists, 75c. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

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