

**OF LOCAL INTEREST**

**SUNDAY SCHOOL TO GIVE ENTERTAINMENT.**  
There will be a Sunday school entertainment at Institute Friday night, March 19, for the benefit of the Sunday school.

**MRS. HERBERT LUPTON WAS OPERATED ON IN NEW BERN**  
Mrs. Herbert Lupton of this city was operated on at New Bern Saturday morning. She was taken to the hospital the night before. Physicians say Mrs. Lupton's recovery is assured.

**MICROSCOPE EXPERT RETURNS TO HOSPITAL.**  
Miss Carrie Blount, expert in microscopy at the Parrott Memorial Hospital, has returned from the North, where she has been taking a three months' special course of study.

**MARRIAGE LICENSE.**  
The only marriage license issued in nearly four days was granted Sunday to a colored couple of this county, Jordan Hicks, 23, and Hattie Howard, 18.

**CONCERTS IN TWO RURAL SCHOOLS.**

The Lenoir Concert Company will render programs in Airy Grove schoolhouse on the night of March 10 and in Farm Valley schoolhouse on the night of the 12th. The entertainments will consist of humorous readings and dramatic sketches and musical numbers by soloists and ensemble of violin, flute, cornet, cello and organ. A spelling bee of the old-fashioned kind will be a feature at each performance.

**MARY PICKFORD IN PICTURES AND BIJOU STOCK COMPANY AT GRAND TODAY AND NIGHT**

Mary Pickford, the favorite movie star, will be seen at the Grand today in a five-reel feature, "Tess of the Storm Country." The Bijou Stock Company opens a week's engagement. Their bill today is "Tampart and Sunshine. Ladies were admitted free at the matinee performance. Tuesday the fifth episode of the popular serial "Runaway June" will be shown and a two-reel Kalem feature entitled "His Inspiration."

**POPULAR OFFICER OF 2ND INFANTRY RESIGNS**

Captain N. R. Morgan of Goldsboro will be succeeded by Captain J. L. Shaw—Reason for Morgan's Stepping Down is Not Known Locally.  
It was announced from the regimental headquarters Sunday night that Capt. N. R. Morgan of Goldsboro, adjutant of the Second North Carolina infantry, has resigned. Colonel Rodman stated that he would appoint Capt. J. L. Shaw to succeed Morgan and Capt. George K. Freeman to succeed Captain Shaw as inspector of small arms practice. Captain Shaw is from the southern part of the State and Captain Freeman from Wilson.  
No reason was given for the resignation of Captain Morgan, who was one of the most popular officers of the regiment. He had matriculated at the Army Service School at Ft. Leavenworth, Kansas. It was as a boy when his father was a missionary in Japan, that Captain Morgan was adopted as mascot by a garrison in Nippon and there had his first military training. He had been in the Second Infantry about fifteen years.

**VERY LOW ROUND TRIP FARES TO DURHAM, N. C., VIA SOUTHERN RAILWAY, PREMIER CARRIER OF THE SOUTH.**

Account of Biennial Session. Head Camp, Woodmen of the World of N. C., the Southern Railway Company will sell low round trip tickets from all points in North Carolina to Durham, N. C.  
Dates of sale, March 7, 8 and 9, with final limit midnight of March 13, 1915.  
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Hard times drove William Hughes here from some point in the State, where he has been living and surrender himself to the authorities to do six months of a two-year's sentence for assault with a deadly weapon. Hughes escaped from the roads in 1911 after he had worked out about three-quarters of his time.

With the law hanging over his head and the knowledge that he was doomed to eternal banishment from home worrying him, Hughes wrote his father in the LaGrange section. The elder Hughes got into communication with the county officials. The young fellow, a stalwart, fine-looking chap, formerly was addicted to drink. He has completely reformed, he avers. It was while under the influence of whiskey possibly that he attacked Joseph Singleton with a knife and earned his sentence. The authorities informed Mr. Hughes that if his son was willing to return and finish out his term there would be all the leniency possible shown him. So, when Will Hughes stepped into the Court-house and manfully surrendered himself, he was sent to a job on the motor truck of the roads gang. The employment there is not nearly so degrading, and he is not to be thrown into contact with the commoner of the prisoners.

Hughes wanted to come back home. Making a living here when he has evened up score with the State will not be so hard as it was in Western Carolina, and in the conviction that he is as good as any man now and will make a good citizen and prosper, Hughes has gone cheerfully about his task and is earning the admiration of those around him.

**WISE SAYINGS.**

Whoever has the seed of virtue and honor implanted in his breast will drop a sympathizing tear on the woes of his neighbor.—Nakhshabi.

Every bird has its decoy, and every man is led and misled in his own peculiar way.—Goethe.

**Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA**

**TOMORROW MORNING IS STOCK SELLING TIME FOR BIG FAIR**

Committee of Fourteen Will Commence the Whirlwind Canvass About 10:30 o'Clock—Everybody Expected to Take Stock

Every person in the city regarded as likely to take stock will be visited tomorrow morning at or soon after 10:30 o'clock by one of the fourteen members of the committee preparing to organize the nine-county fair. It is the hope of Chairman J. F. Taylor and the other business men comprising the committee that every one take as many shares as they feel able to take care of. As stated before in The Free Press, shares will be sold at \$25, non-assessable and payable half down and half on the first day of September. Mr. Taylor hopes that no one approached will turn down the proposition flatly; at least one share should be subscribed for every person visited. The fair is to be a cooperative-community-mutual affair, with no actual monetary profit to anyone; it is the intention of the Chamber of Commerce and the men co-operating with that body that the undertaking shall be forced to a success. Then every person in the community will benefit directly. The larger the number of stockholders, the better the advertisement for Kinston as a "pull-together" city.

Enough money will be raised Tuesday—the committee members don't hesitate at the "will" to set the project off fairly and affect the organization, which will be accomplished in a few days. After the \$5,000 to \$10,000 has been raised for the start all the capital that the farmers and manufacturers and merchants of the nine counties of the section are willing to put into it will be accepted. They have already evinced a lively interest in "Our Fair."

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33 x 4	\$30.80	\$23.45	\$19.05
34 x 4	\$31.45	\$23.95	\$19.40
36 x 4	\$33.50	\$25.50	\$20.50
36 x 4 1/2	\$44.50	\$32.85	\$27.35
37 x 5	\$51.90	\$38.90	\$32.30

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