

**AROUND TOWN**

It is time to give in your taxes. Call on Mr. H. C. Guthrie at the court house and he will attend to you.

The democratic congressional convention of this district meets at Ashboro on Wednesday, June 17th, at 12 o'clock.

The Rockingham girls are getting so popular that the Hamlet boys come over on horseback—sometimes two on a horse—to see them. This is no joke. We "seen" it.

If a town is to be judged by its postoffice receipts then Rockingham must be spreading herself. The postmaster here has had an increase in salary twice within the last twelve months—\$100 each time—the last raise to take effect July 1.

**PERSONAL**

Mrs. Bettie Holt is confined to her room with sickness.

Miss Hanner, of Baltimore, is visiting Miss Lena Everett.

Mrs. J. B. Brewer, of Danville, Va., is visiting Mrs. Claude Gore.

Mrs. A. Taylor, of Hamlet, paid the Anglo-Saxon a pleasant visit Saturday.

Mr. H. S. Ledbetter, Jr. has returned from Trinity Park High school, Durham.

Mrs. W. F. Long has returned from Statesville where she has been visiting her daughter.

Mrs. M. C. Arnold, of Indianapolis, Ind., is here on a visit to her sister, Mrs. Bettie Holt.

Miss L. E. Blakey has returned from Gibson where she has been on a visit to her sister.

Col. U. L. Barrett, traveling representative for Parker & Godwin, Charlotte, was here Tuesday.

Mrs. Barney Criscoe, who has been sick for a long time, died at her home in Black Jack township Thursday.

We are glad to state that Mr. J. M. Smith, who has been confined to his room for three weeks, is improving.

Mrs. A. S. Dockery left for Charlotte last Monday, where she will be the guest of Miss Nettie Dockery for a few days.

Miss Pearl Stewart and brother, Herbert, who have been visiting Mr. W. P. Covington, of Benhettsville, have returned home.

Miss Eva Brantley, of Cheraw, was visiting relatives here this week. She returned home Tuesday night and was accompanied by Miss Johnnie Cameron.

Mrs. W. A. McDonald and daughter, Eva, have gone on a pleasure trip north. While away they will visit Washington, Winchester, Va., where her son died recently. She will also visit Brockton, Mass., and other cities. She was in Canada this week.

**Jr. O. U. A. M. District Meeting**

A district meeting of the Jr. O. U. A. M. will be held in Rockingham next Thursday, June 18th. The private sessions will be held at the lodge room and will begin at 10 o'clock, a. m.

A public session, to which everybody is invited, will be held at the court house, at 8 o'clock p. m. on the same day. Col. Z. P. Smith, of Raleigh, Prof. Chas. E. Brewer, of Wake Forest, Mr. R. T. Poole, of Troy, Mr. John F. Reynolds, of Winston-Salem, and possibly other distinguished members of the order, will address the meeting. The W. O. W. band has been engaged to furnish music for the occasion.

Refreshments will be served to the members at the private sessions.

**To Meet Sweetheart in New York**

Mr. Henry Stockdale, of the firm of Stockdale Bros., fancy cement workers and plasterers, who has made his home in Rockingham for the past several months, will leave Sunday night for New York city where he will meet and marry Miss Clara Lewis, who is now sailing to America from England. Mr. Stockdale, who is an Englishman, has not seen the young lady who is to be his wife since he left the old country two years ago. Mr. Stockdale will return to Rockingham, with his bride, in about 10 days.

**Cards of Thanks.**

We desire to extend our heartfelt thanks to the many friends at Pee Dee, and to others, who rendered so much aid and kindness in the sickness and death of Mrs. Margaret Jones. We will never forget those dear friends if trouble comes to them.

B. H. HANCOCK AND WIFE

**Rockingham's New Hotel Now in Course of Construction.**

**MORE IMPROVEMENTS**

**The Graded School Building and Grounds—Fire Escapes**

The board of trustees of the graded school met last Thursday, the 4th, and transacted a lot of business.

Mr. O. V. Hicks, who was principal during the last term, resigned, as did also Miss Faith Covington, one of the teachers. The following were elected as superintendent and teachers:

Among other things that were done, the board abolished the tenth grade of the school, saying it was too expensive.

New teachers, who have not yet been elected, will be given the work of the primary grades.

Miss Marianna Mann, who has the degree of bachelor of pedagogy from the State Normal and Industrial College, was elected for the eighth grade.

Miss Bessie Richardson, who has taught the third grade in the graded school at High Point for the past two years, was elected to do similar work here.

The board also decided to make several improvements upon the building and grounds. Among other things, water will be put in, fire escapes provided from the second floor and the building otherwise improved.

**You Should Know This**

Foley's Kidney Remedy will cure any case of kidney or bladder trouble that is not beyond the reach of medicine. No medicine will do more. L. G. Fox.

**JAIL DELIVERY**

**Thirteen Prisoners in Jail File Their Way Out**

The citizens of Rockingham were rather surprised Thursday morning when they learned that all the prisoners in jail but two had escaped.

A white man, charged with carrying concealed weapons, was the cause of all the mischief. It seems that the lock of the cell door was filed so that it was an easy matter to get out into the corridor. Here they filed the fire escape lock and by tying blankets together they let themselves to the ground, some 20 or more feet below. All this happened somewhere about midnight.

None of the prisoners were under serious charges. Curtis McNeill, one of those who escaped, was caught at Hamlet and brought back by Sheriff Hinson.

In justice to Sheriff Hinson we would state that everything in his power has been done to apprehend the escaped men, and it is to be hoped that they will be caught within the next few days. The following are the persons that escaped and what they were charged with:

Tom Frazier, Will Blue, Man Crump, Dop Ingram, Ed McKean, John Harrington, Henry Gibson, Harlee McDonald, Curtis McNeill and Robert Jenkins, all for larceny; W. I. Wrigley, carrying concealed weapons; Jesse McCall, serving two years on the roads, and John Sumpter, for beating a train.

Wrigley was the only white man in the crowd. Milton Kendall, colored, refused to leave. It is said that he told the sheriff that he ought to be turned loose as he was the only one left. Another prisoner, a "trust," was asleep in the basement of the jail and did not know anything of the trouble.

Kendall says that Wrigley, who is a tramp, brought files with him when he was lodged in jail. They were hid in his shoes and were overlooked when he was searched by officers.

**Covington-Dunlap.**

The following will interest a good many people around Rockingham:

Invitations have been issued by Mrs. C. V. Dunlap for the marriage of her daughter, May Little, to Dr. James Madison Covington, Jr., on Tuesday evening, June 23rd, at half after eight o'clock, in the Methodist Episcopal church, Wadesboro, N. C.

**Excursion to Wilmington**

From Charlotte and Chester, June 17th-19th. Rate from Rockingham to Wilmington and return \$2.25. This train will pass Rockingham at 11:02 a. m. and will arrive at Wilmington about 3:30 p. m. on Wednesday, the 17th, and returning will leave Wilmington at 9:30 a. m. on Friday morning, 19th, three day outing at the seashore. You will note also that you will be in Wilmington on Thursday, the big day of the Fireman's Tournament; on this day the horse reel races will take place.

For rates and other information see the agent, Rockingham.

Sick headache and biliousness relieved at once with Rings Little Liver Pills. A rosy complexion and clear eyes result from their use. Do not gripe or sicken. Good for all the family. Sold by Ludolph G. Fox.

**Married**

At the home of the bride's mother, Roberdel No. 1, Monday evening, June 8th, there was a quiet home wedding when Mr. Herber Paris Cox, of Asheville, N. C., led to the hymenial altar Miss Annie Banks Ballard, Rev. A. J. Groves said the words that made them husband and wife. Immediately after the ceremony they left for the home of the groom's father in Randolph Co., via Raleigh.

**For a Sprained Ankle**

As usually treated, a sprained ankle will disable the injured person for a month or more, but by applying Chamberlain's Liniment and observing the directions with each bottle faithfully, a cure may be effected in many cases in less than one week's time. This liniment is a most remarkable preparation. Try it for a sprain or bruise, or when laid up with chronic or muscular rheumatism, and you are certain to be delighted with the prompt relief which it affords. For sale by all druggists.

**Masonic**

Members Rockingham Lodge No. 495 will please assemble at Masonic hall on Tuesday evening June 16th for the purpose of electing officers for the ensuing year. Members please attend promptly at 8 o'clock, p. m. W. S. FOWLKES, Sect'y.

**No Need of Suffering from Rheumatism**

It is a mistake to allow anyone to suffer from rheumatism, as the pain can always be relieved, and in most cases a cure effected by applying Chamberlain's Liniment. The relief from pain which it affords is alone worth many times its cost. It makes sleep and rest possible. Even in cases of long standing this liniment should be used on account of the relief which it affords. Do not be discouraged until you have given it a trial. For sale by all druggists.

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**BUSINESS LOCALS**

**Strayed or Stolen**—Bay mare, slit in left ear, crop in right ear; either strayed or was stolen from my premises, near Roberdel No. 2, Saturday, May 30. Liberal reward for horse or information. T. W. Covington.

**Reticking Mattresses**—If you have a mattress that needs renovating, send it to us. We will retick it and make it as good as new. Prices \$3.75 to \$4. We also make cushions for cozy corners. Leak, Wall & McRae. For further information see R. L. Biggs, Rockingham, N. C. my2

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**Announcements**

**For Representative**

I am a candidate for the House, subject to the Democratic Primaries of Richmond County.

A. D. SCARBORO.

**To the Democrats of Richmond County**

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of County Treasurer of the county, subject to the action of the primary and will appreciate all votes I may receive.

WM. LITTLE STEELE.

**Announcement.**

I hereby announce my candidacy for re-nomination for the office of Register of Deeds of Richmond County, subject to the action of the Democratic primary. I have bent every energy to fill the office efficiently during my first term, and I hope my services have been acceptable to the public. I shall appreciate any and all support of the voters of the county in my behalf.

Respectfully,  
B. F. REYNOLDS.

**For Sheriff**

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of Sheriff of Richmond county, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary. All support given me will be gratefully received.

Respectfully,  
April 21, 1908. P. A. S. ORMSBY.

**Announcement for Sheriff**

I wish to announce myself as a candidate for the office of Sheriff of Richmond county, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary. I shall strive for my election by every honorable means. I am not a believer in lifetime service in office. I ask all of my friends to rally to my support. If elected I shall serve my constituents to the best of my ability.

H. D. BALDWIN.  
April 11th, 1908.

**To the Democratic Voters of Richmond County:**

I will be a candidate for the nomination of the Democratic party for Treasurer of the county.

I will greatly appreciate the support of every Democrat. It is an old custom to give officer who performs his duty a second term. I have tried to perform my duty, and if there has been any complaint of the manner in which I have done so, I have never heard it. I hope the voters of the Democratic party, who think I have performed the duties of the office acceptably, will stand by me in resisting the effort which I hear is to be made to refuse me the endorsement which it is the custom to give all officers.

If nominated I promise to be as accommodating to all the people as I possibly can.

Very respectfully,  
D. M. MORRISON.

**To the Democratic Voters of Richmond County:**

I desire to thank the people of Richmond county for their kindness in having twice made me Sheriff. I have faithfully endeavored to fill the trust and please the public. I hope I have succeeded.

I shall be a candidate for renomination, subject to the action of the Democratic primary and will ask my friends throughout the county for their support.

M. L. HINSON.

**For Treasurer**

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of Treasurer of Richmond county, subject to the action of the Democratic primary. I shall appreciate any and all support of the voters of the county.

A. JEROME WILLIAMS.  
April 30th, 1908. my2

**For Representative**

I will be a candidate to represent Richmond county in the next House of Representatives, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries.

M. C. FREEMAN.