



ECHOS FROM THE PEOPLE.

NEWS FROM DIFFERENT SECTIONS OF GRANVILLE COUNTY.

What is Going on in Different Sections as Gathered by the Public Ledger Reporters—Views of Correspondents, &c.

NOTHING SAID

ABOUT POLITICS IN A SERMON AT GRAY ROCK.

My attention has been called to an article in your paper of July 7, from which I take this extract: "A Thirdite local Methodist preacher of South Granville filled the appointment, a few Sundays ago, for the regular pastor who was sick. He was so full of Thirdism, gassism, egotism, Republicanism, fanaticism, socialism and anarchism that it cropped out all through his sermon." As Gray Rock is the only place, that I know of, where a Methodist preacher who voted the Third party ticket filled the appointment of the pastor who was sick, that church is supposed to be the place referred to and the brother who was kind enough to come to the help of Brother Herman filling three appointments for him was justly aggrieved, and in justice to him I make this statement. I heard every sermon preached by the brother at Gray Rock and there was not a thing in any of his sermons to offend any one, certainly nothing about politics, but they were calculated to make men and society better.

JUNIUS P. HUNT.

"ASLEEP IN JESUS."

IN MEMORY OF OUR FRIEND ROBT. L. ALLEN.

Death has again visited our community and stolen from our midst our dear friend Robt. L. Allen. He was born Jan. 4th, 1867, and died Sept. 24, 1893, being 26 years, 8 months and 30 days old. When 21 years of age he left the parental roof and settled in Oxford, where he held a position at his death.

He passed away very easily of that dread disease, typhoid fever. He had been unwell for several weeks, but would not take his bed until two weeks before the white-winged messenger, death, swept down to earth and bore his soul to celestial realms, where there is no more sorrow, pain nor death. During his short sickness one could but notice how patiently and Christian-like he bore his sufferings, seeming to realize that soon all would be well.

No one has ever made more friends than he. He had such an admirable disposition—so kind, so noble and so true. How sad to think he is gone! Never more will we behold his face in this world, but how sweet the assurance that we will meet in a brighter, better world above. Though 'tis indeed heart-rending to give him up his mission on earth was finished, his work complete, and God, his loving Gather, called him up higher to dwell in glory. While sick he had every attention that could be given by a devoted mother and father, loving sisters and brother, and a host of kind friends, but of no avail. On Sunday night he fell asleep.

"Not lost, but gone before 1 yea gone
With Christ to be,
Life's conflict o'er, to find at last
Full liberty,
And wait with all expectant joy,
To welcome thee."

Monday afternoon a large concourse of friends gathered at the home of his father, Mr. W. T. Allen, to pay a last tribute of respect. Rev. Ernest Thacker read several verses from the Bible and offered a beautiful prayer, in which he especially invoked God's blessing and consolation upon the bereaved family. It was a beautiful and touching scene to witness the large number of friends who stood by with sobs and tears, strewing his grave with lovely flowers. May Bob's death be a warning to them all! and may God who is "the God of all consolation" bind up the hearts of his afflicted parents and loved ones.

A FRIEND.

AN ANSWER

TO MR. CHARLES F. CREWS ON THE DEATH OF THE WEST CHILD.

MR. EDITOR:—We are very sorry that our kind friend C. F. Crews should have become so aroused over a simple item of news we wrote in the PUBLIC LEDGER Sept. 22d about the West child, that he has nearly a column in this week's LEDGER. He starts out by saying that our item in regard to the West child was so far from being correct and cast such a fearful reflection on his community he feels it his duty to correct it. We have read it again and yet fail to see any reflection, but if my friend thinks there was, will state to him there was none intended. Never did it occur to us the good people of Salem would ever need vindication. But let's look at the item we wrote and see if Mr. Crews is correct.

We stated that William West, near Salem, had a child to die on Friday and we were informed he could get no one to take it to Antioch church in Vance county, which place they wished it buried until the following Tuesday. We gave it as a matter of news and our informant was Mr. J. Robert Daniel, the young man that buried it. He told us that Mr. West informed him that he could get no one to take it down to Antioch church for burial, and if there is any reflection on his people it was by Mr. West or Mr. Daniel and not by us. As to Mr. Crews' suggestion to inquire more minutely and get real facts, we thought we had done so, thinking Mr. Daniel an honorable, reliable gentleman.

LEOPOLD.

BEREA BREVITIES.

LATE SEEDING WHEAT—MT. ZION'S NEW PASTOR, ETC.

Squire Wm. Daniel is again able to visit our town.

Some of our farmers are not yet through curing tobacco.

Miss Callie Oakley has returned from a visit to friends at Keysville, Va.

Our farmers are a little late seeding their wheat crop on account of so much rain.

Mr. J. T. Ragan is again in the harness, drumming tobacco for Harris, Gooch & Co., of Henderson.

Mrs. J. N. Fuller spent last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Webb, at Warren Plains.

Several tobacco barns around here have gone up in smoke in the past few weeks. Mr. A. D. Frazier lost two, John Riggs one and H. H. Latta one.

Tobacco is so low that our farmers are almost discouraged and have almost quit calculating on it, and we have heard of some who swear they are done with it.

The old adage used to be take care of the pennies and the dollars would take care of themselves and we lost sight of it a few years ago, but we will have to refer back to the same old rule to solve this hard time problem.

Rev. J. H. Lambreth, the new pastor, preached at Mt. Zion last Saturday and Sunday, but he cannot take charge of the church before the first of January, 1894. Rev. E. Y. Pool, of Bethel Hill, will serve the church until that time.

We think that the Thirdites had as well dry up about the currency and Congress and stop wrangling over silver and gold. Silver and greenbacks have all about ceased to be money around here and we are using chickens, eggs, corn, beef and molasses.

Some wonder why Pond's Extract continues to be advertised, when nearly every family uses it, it being without question the most universally used remedy in the county. There are two reasons: First because Pond's Extract is so universally used, hosts of imitators have sprung up who, with a usually worthless article, endeavor to get in some of the justly deserved trade of Pond's Extract, and against the imitations it is distributed to the public. Second because though used to themselves, very much increase their use of it, should they consider how wide a range of disease it is applicable to.

For Sale or Rent on Easy Terms.
The small farm known as Bullock's about two miles from Stovall. For terms apply to
MRS. O. GREGORY,
Oxford, N. C.,
or Mrs. E. H. CLARKE, Weldon, N. C., Oct. 6

HAMPTON HAPPENINGS.

INTERESTED IN FISH—PERSONAL—OTHER NEWS.

Miss Mollie Carrington is teaching a subscription school at her home.

Mr. Allan Latta and his son, Alex, of Clay, visited our section last Monday.

Mr. Willie Bacon returned to his home near Chase City, Va., last week.

Farmers are nearly through curing tobacco and are now preparing their wheat land.

One of our farmers is very much interested in fish as he has four fish ponds on his place.

Mr. A. S. Carrington and his most estimable lady are visiting relatives at Stovall this week.

Mrs. W. S. Cozart and little daughter, Lillie, visited relatives at Virginia, Va., during the past week.

Miss Lillie Bowling, who taught school near Hampton's store last spring, is teaching at Moriah, Person county, this fall. We hate to give you up Miss Lillie.

Mr. Woody Bowen, who has been clerking for Mr. W. B. Hampton, has gone to Durham to clerk for A. Max. Sim Carrington, Jr., succeeds him.

P.

SATTERWHITE SAYINGS.

BAD CURES OF TOBACCO—PERSONAL—LESS DRUMMERS—DISSOLUTION.

Big meeting will begin at Geneva next Sunday, the 15th.

Miss Callie R. Puckett opened a subscription school on the 9th, and we wish her great success.

Mr. L. E. Blackwell and Miss Addie Wilson, of Stovall, visited friends at Whetstone the past week.

The farmers in this section will get through curing tobacco this week, and then begin sowing wheat.

It was our pleasure last Sunday to meet W. W. Hart, of Oak Hill, and he had on his usual broad smile.

Look out for frost, as the wild geese passed over last Saturday night going South, singing frost, frost.

There is some talk of a revival meeting commencing at White Rock on Sunday next, but we have not heard the rumor confirmed.

Tobacco is selling low. A farmer sold a few days ago nine small lots that only netted him \$1.80. How can farmers live at such prices?

Indications point to the fact that one of our young men will be made happy in the neighborhood of Whetstone ere many moon's shall wax and wane. May his future be bright and happy.

Some of our farmers made bad cures of tobacco the past week. Heard one say he did not think his crop would average \$5 per hundred like it was selling now. After paying for guano, where, oh where is the poor farmers part!

We are sorry to learn that Mr. J. H. Evans has dissolved copartnership with one of his share hands for curing black tobacco. It was so black that he said he intended to establish an ink factory.

Rev. R. H. Marsh preached an able sermon at White Rock last Sunday to a large congregation. All the people could not get in the church. The protracted meeting will commence second Sunday in November.

Money seems to be played out in this section. Some of our best farmers say they didn't have a cent, and talk like times would get worse instead of better. If this be true what will become of poor people by next year this time?

Some of our farmers are greatly in hopes that the warehousemen will not have so many drummers out this season going the rounds drumming tobacco at the farmers expense as they have in the past. The best place to drum our farmers is on the warehouse floor by giving them the highest market price for their tobacco, bringing little or much, and then they would not grumble about having to pay drummers.

P. M.

One wheat drill, the best made, for sale at a sacrifice on good terms. oct. 13. S. H. SMITH.

TRINITY TOPICS.

DEATH OF A LITTLE CHILD AND MRS. WM. THOMAS, ETC.

Farmers have commenced to seed oats. There will be an unusually large crop seeded.

Mrs. George Stem, of Stem, visited her father, Mr. R. D. Royster, Saturday and Sunday.

Rev. J. H. Lambreth preached at Mt. Zion the first Sunday. He thinks it very probable he will accept the call as pastor.

Why it is that every man in Granville county don't subscribe to his county paper is a reason or problem I can't solve.

Brunette, why do you wait so long to write? Don't let your meals be so wide apart as we can eat them three times a day.

We were pleased to see in the last issue a communication from V. L. H. Let us hear from you soon. Remember that the inquiry of all people is not more or less directed to the debates of Congress.

On Tuesday, the 19th of Sept., God saw fit to gather to Heaven the little babe of Mrs. Herbert Lunsford, of Roxboro, who was visiting her sick mother, Mrs. Wm. Thomas. Father and mother remember "of such is the kingdom of heaven."

If you are unmarried it will help you to get married and I recommend to you the most worthy and accomplished young ladies in the county. If you are a widower it will make you think of old times. If you are married you and your children will be pleased to hear what other people and other people's children are doing.

On the 4th the spirit of Mrs. Wm. H. Thomas took its flight to its heavenly home. She had long since repented of her sins, believed on the Lord Jesus Christ and been baptized into the Methodist church, and the promise is that she is now reaping what she hath sown in the arms of Jesus. The funeral services were conducted by Rev. D. L. Earnhardt, after which the remains were taken to the family grave yard to sleep until she shall rise incorruptible, put on immortality and praise God in the new heaven and the new earth.

GOOBERS.

A Point Well Taken.

Under this heading the Wilmington Messenger, of recent date, publishes the following letter from F. B. Hays:

72 WILLIAM ST.,
NEW YORK, Sept. 27.

EDITOR MESSENGER:—It occurs to me that one of the chief differences between the Northerner and the Southerner is that the former considers riches more to be desired than virtue while the latter is willing to sacrifice everything to the chastity of women.

It is not, therefore, so strange that the most respectable morning paper published in this city in an article referring to "the uncertainty of the criminal law in dealing with train robbers and the frequency of their attacks of late," should advocate "the summary shooting of men who hold up railroad trains for the purpose of robbery" as being "much more effective in putting and end to that kind of enterprise than any fear of the penalties of the law." These quotations are from the Times of this date.

This is in a Northern paper and refers to white men who attack something the price of which is reckoned in dollars and cents. Suppose such an expression of sentiment should appear in a Southern paper in reference to negroes who attack that which is beyond all price, what lambasting that paper would receive at the hands of the editors of the bloody shirt sheets!

Now Try This.

It will cost you nothing and will surely do you good. If you have a Cough, Cold, or any trouble with Throat, Chest or Lungs. Dr. King New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds is guaranteed to give relief, or money will be paid back. Sufferers from La Grippe found it just the thing and under its use had a speedy and perfect recovery. Try a sample bottle at our expense and learn for yourself just as how good a thing it is. Trial bottles free at J. G. Hall, drug store. Large size 50c. and \$1.00.

THE LATEST NEWS.

Happenings of Interest Gathered From Our Exchanges.

Thieves blew up the postoffice at Lidgewood, N. D., and got considerable money, burned the building and escaped.

The Safe Deposit and Trust at Nashville Tenn., has assigned. Liabilities \$200,000, assets exceed that amount.

Masked men held up the an electric car at Des Moines, Iowa, and robbed the motorman and passengers of their money and watches, and escaped.

A large fishing boat has been discovered floating empty in the lake near Deer Park. It sailed away Friday and encountered a gale the following day; five of the crew and three or four passengers are lost.

Three burglars blew up the vaults of the bank at Carleton, Minn. The police heard the report, fired upon the robbers, one of whom was wounded. The gang was followed up by the police who captured one of them. The robbers got nothing.

An attempt to wreck a train is reported on the Lake Shore a mile east of Quincy, Mich., by placing ties on the track. The obstruction was removed but placed on the track again by the wreckers and another train was imperilled. Neither was injured. Several arrests have been made of suspicious persons.

Wint Laughlier was shot and mortally wounded by Zeb Brown in a country road few miles from Asheville. Laughlier, it is said, had been unduly intimate with Mrs. Brown for several months. This morning Brown met Laughlier and after a few words, drew a pistol and shot him twice. Brown escaped but the sheriff's posse is after him.

The paid admissions the World's Fair grounds, Oct. 10, were 713,646, the largest by far ever known at any international or other exposition. Two men were struck by cables cars and killed. One fell down the steps of an intermural station and died an hour later. One was killed by the explosion of a mortar at the fireworks display, and many persons were injured.

A shocking scandal was caused by the coroner's investigation into the San Francisco foundling asylum, were thirty-three babies died in the past six weeks. The place was closed Thursday last and twenty foundlings given into the custody of the Catholic infant shelter. The coroner ascertain that the thirty-three waifs died from lack of nutrition and from inanition and pemphigus. The Daughters of the Good Shepherd have publically branded the asylum as a slaughter house for babies.

Spectai Round-trip Tickets on sale by the R & D.

NORTH CAROLINA STATE AGRICULTURAL FAIR, RALEIGH, N. C.

Tickets on sale Oct 14th, to 20th, inclusive, limited returning Oct. 23 d, rates including one admission to the Fair Grounds, \$2.80 Tickets must be stamped on back in Fair Grounds before being valid for return passage.

BLUE RIDGE ANNUAL CONFERENCE M. E. CHURCH, OGBURN, N. C.

Tickets on sale to Winston-Salem, N. C., Oct. 10th, to 15th, limited Oct. 22nd, rates \$5.45.

CONSECRATION CEREMONIES REV. DR. J. B. CHESHIRE, ASSISTANT BISHOP DIOCESSES OF N. C., TARBORO, N. C.

Tickets on sale to Selma or Goldsboro Oct. 13th, and 14th, limited Oct. 17th, rate to Selma \$4.45, to Goldsboro \$5.05.

N. C. STATE BAPTIST EDUCATIONAL AND MISSIONARY CONVENTION (COLORED) WINSTON-SALEM, N. C.

Ticket on sale Oct. 16th, to 18th, limited Oct. 23rd, rate \$5.45.

SYNOD OF NORTH CAROLINA, TARBORO, N. C. OCT. 23-31 1893.

Tickets on sale to Selma or Goldsboro Oct. 21st, to 24th, inclusive limited Nov. 7th, 1893. Rate to Selma \$4.25, to Goldsboro \$5.05.

CONVOCATION OF RALEIGH, BURLINGTON N. C. OCT. 23RD, TO 25TH, 1893.

Tickets on sale to Burlington Oct. 23rd, to 25th, inclusive, limit Oct. 28th, rate \$3.45.

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