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LITTLETON NEWS

Mr. Frank Alston, of Warrenton, was in the city Saturday.

Mr. J. T. Delbridge, of Elams, was in town on business Saturday.

Mr. J. W. Nottingham, of Roanoke Rapids, was among the business visitors here Friday.

Miss Bettie Cropper left Friday for a visit to relatives in Rocky Mount.

Mr. J. E. Harper, of Brinkleyville, was in the city on business Friday.

Mr. L. P. Dawson, of Portsmouth, is the guest of Mrs. J. H. Newsome at her home on Mosby Avenue.

Messrs. Mason Mohorn and Will Clark made a business trip to Raleigh Thursday.

Miss Ruth Hart has been visiting friends at Elizabeth City for several days.

Misses Dollie, Minnie and Lillian Daniel, and Mrs. George Vick visited relatives at Macon last week.

Mrs. Ras Daniel, of Airlie, was a pleasant visitor at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Daniel last week.

Mrs. Jim Grant and children, of Andrews, S. C., who have been visiting Mrs. Grant's mother, Mrs. Marion Johnston left last week to visit relatives at Jackson before returning home.

Mrs. Ellen Harvey Bradshaw, of Raleigh, visited relatives in town last week.

Mr. and Mrs. V. F. Harrison, after spending several days at Norfolk, Ocean View and Washington, D. C., have returned home.

Messrs. Harry and Thayer Kenyon, of Macon, visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Daniel last week.

Misses Helen and Deion and Mr. Charlie Cooper, after a pleasant visit to their cousin, Miss Bettie Cooper, have returned to their home at Rocky Mount.

Miss Minnie Daniel and niece, Miss Fannie Kingsland Alston, spent a few days with relatives in Warrenton last week.

Mr. J. M. Pidot has returned from a pleasant vacation spent at Wrightsville Beach.

Mrs. Annie Heitcock made a week end visit to relatives at Weldon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Harvey have moved to Norfolk, and left this week for their home there.

Miss Elizabeth Boyce, after spending several weeks at the Greenville Summer School, has returned home.

Mr. Henry Whitehead, who has been here on a visit to his brothers, Messrs. F. H. and C. M. Whitehead, left last week for Coatesville, Pa.

Mr. and Mrs. George Vick and daughter, Frances, after a pleasant visit to Mrs. Vick's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Daniel, left this week for their home in Petersburg.

Miss Frances Sessoms left last week for a visit to relatives at Durham and Roxboro.

Misses Clyde and Tillie Moss, of Route No. 2, were shopping in town Saturday.

Mrs. Bettie Holley, who has been spending some time at the home of Mr. J. B. Boyce, left Monday for her home at Windsor.

Miss Rebecca Zukerman, of Durham came Sunday to spend the week at the home of Mrs. J. B. Boyce.

Mr. Ernest Bobbitt, of Atlanta, Ga., came Saturday for a two weeks visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. H. Bobbitt.

Misses Edith Browning and Annie Tucker Moore and Messrs. Luther Williams and John Swain motored to Weldon Sunday afternoon in Mr. Williams' car.

Mr. Floyd Browning, of Warrenton, spent Sunday among friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. H. Bobbitt and Mr. Ernest Bobbitt visited relatives in Weldon Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Johnston and Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Browning left Wednesday for an automobile trip to Richmond, Washington and Baltimore.

Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Dixon and children, of Weldon, were here Sunday to visit Mr. Dixon's mother, Mrs. J. S. Dixon.

Mr. Marvin Glasgow returned Sunday from Eddystone, Pa., where he had been for several weeks.

Misses Clara, Maude and Mary Iles, of Aurelian Springs, were among the visitors in town Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Thornton and children visited relatives at Enfield from Saturday until Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. David Anderson, of Weldon, visited relatives in town Sunday.

Mrs. T. N. Harrison left Tuesday for Norfolk, where she joined Mr. and Mrs. V. F. Harrison and accompanied them to Washington, D. C., to spend a

SOLDIERS TREATED

Wednesday night the Red Cross Auxiliary of Norlina motored to Warrenton and treated the soldiers.

A large crowd of Norlina people were present. The town was represented by Mayor J. C. Hardy; the Red Cross by Mr. R. S. Register, chairman, and Stephen W. Rose, of the advertising committee.

The soldiers formed a large circle upon the Court House square, and spent some time pleasantly there feasting upon the gifts of the Norlina Auxiliary.

Delicious ham, chicken and pepper sandwiches were served along with lemonade, made here by Mr. S. W. Rose.

Everybody enjoyed the occasion and Warrenton joins with Company H. in saying come again Norlina.

Mr. R. L. Capps, of Arcola, was in the city Monday on business.

Mr. Norman Moseley made a week end visit to friends in Weldon.

Mr. J. E. Lilley came home from Ridgeway to spend Sunday with his family.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Whitehead motored to Warrenton Sunday and visited friends.

Mr. Bogor Crawley went to Norfolk Sunday, and was accompanied home by his sister, Miss Mary Crawley, who was recently operated upon for appendicitis.

Mr. Henry House, of Nashville, has been in the city this week on business.

Mrs. Alex Crinkley and son, Alex Crinkley, Jr., after a pleasant visit to Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Daniel, have returned to their home at Black Mountain.

Misses Lizzie and Nancy Moore and Lucy Buffalo and Messrs. Eugene Gay Alan Flythe and William Pugh, of Jackson, were visitors at the home of Mrs. J. B. Boyce Sunday.

Messrs. Ernest Bobbitt and William Parsons left Tuesday for a trip to Norfolk and Washington, D. C.

Miss Florence Harvey, who was recently operated on for appendicitis at a Norfolk Hospital, returned home Tuesday.

Mrs. F. S. Packard, of Norlina, was a pleasant visitor at the home of Mrs. H. E. Walker last week, leaving Saturday for Norfolk.

Mr. and Mrs. Rom Parker, of Enfield, are visiting at the home of Mrs. Parker's mother, Mrs. J. J. Myrick.

Mrs. Ellen D. Leach and daughters, Miss Lucy Leach, Mrs. Mabel Morris and Mrs. J. B. Cole, of Washington, D. C., and Miss Carrie Helen Moore left Wednesday for a trip to Asheville and the Mountains of Western North Carolina.

Mr. M. W. Cooper is spending the week in Kinston on business.

Mrs. H. H. Whitaker, of Hilliard, is the guest of Mrs. E. P. Cooper at her home on Mosby Avenue.

ROOK PARTY

On Thursday morning, July 28th, Mrs. William Johnston entertained a number of young people in honor of her house guest, Miss Mildred Johnston, of Davidson.

After a number of interesting games of Rook had been played, a dainty and refreshing ice course was served.

Those enjoying this pleasant occasion at Mrs. Johnston's attractive home were, besides the guest of honor, Misses Frances Sessoms, Annie Tucker Moore, Carrie Myrick, Mary Nicholson and her house guest, Miss Emma Cothran, of Greenwood, S. C.; Messrs. John and Edward Harrison, Norman Moseley, Sterling Nicholson, Garland Daniel, and guest, Mr. Eugene Brower, of Winston-Salem.

BARBECUE AND DANCE AT PANACEA

A delightful barbecue and dance were given at Panacea Hotel on Thursday evening, July 28th, by Miss Mary and Mr. Sterling Nicholson, complimentary to Miss Nicholson's house guest, Miss Emma Cothran, of Greenwood, S. C.

About fifty guests were present to enjoy the tempting 'cue, served in the hotel dining-room about 7 o'clock.

Splendid music was furnished by an Orchestra of Raleigh, and when the time came for playing, "Home, Sweet Home" the merry young people who "tripped the light, fantastic toe" were loath to leave.

Those who had the pleasure of attending, pronounced it the most enjoyable entertainment given at Panacea this season.

COMPANY H. APPOINTMENTS AND CO. ROSTER

CAPT. GRAHAM PROMOTED; LIEUT. PRICE, CAPTAIN

It is a pleasure for the Warren Record to announce that Captain W. A. Graham, of Company H., through his ability as a soldier has been made Major of the Second Battalion, 3rd Regiment, North Carolina Infantry. This command embraces four companies—Company H., of Warrenton; Company E., of Oxford; Company G., of Reidsville, and F. Company of Franklinton. Major Graham has been Captain of H. Company for several years, and during this time the Company has stood among the first in the Regiment. Major Graham's many Warrenton and Warren county friends are glad to learn of his promotion, and trust that every good thing may attend him in his military career.

Captain E. C. Price it now is, and it is a man of soldierly bearing and ability who will guide the destinies of Company H. Captain Price entered Company H. as a private several years ago. Since that time he has risen by merit and ability to the Captaincy. Captain Price, while First Lieutenant, drilled and commanded H. Company upon many occasions, and his thorough capacity for his position has been proven. All hail to Company H. under its new Captain.

Archie W. Limer is first Lieutenant, and this too is good news to his friends in and out of H. Company. Lieutenant Limer is a Warren county boy, has been a member of the Company for several years, and his promotion is a joy to all.

No more will William Lawrence McCullen call the Company roll. He has risen to better things. He has received his appointment as Second Lieutenant of Company H. Lieutenant McCullen is a good fellow, a good soldier—has had two years military training at West Point, and was with H. Company on the Border—and his friends extend congratulations.

The First Sergeancy of the Company has been filled by Marvin W. Hardy. Mr. Hardy is thoroughly qualified for the position, and his friends will be pleased to know of his promotion. Mr. Hardy is a son of Editor Hardy, of the Headlight, and has been a member of Company H. about a year.

The Company according to actual figures lost 27 out of 140 men on the physical examination. This is slightly under twenty percent. The average is around thirty. Last year the Company lost twenty percent while undergoing examination at Camp Glenn preparatory for Border duty. This was one of the best records made in the Regiment. The loss on this examination has been even less, and it is believed that Company H. made a splendid record—one that will compare favorably, and we believe excel, any other Third Regiment company.

The officers of the Company are one, two, three when it comes to age. Captain Price is twenty-five; Lieutenant Limer, twenty-four, and Lieutenant McCullen twenty-three. It is believed that this is the youngest officered Company in the State. However, the Company has the confidence of the people of Warren with it.

Major Graham and Captain Price express for the public generally their hearty thanks for the Red Cross activities of Norlina and Warrenton extended to the Company, and the courtesies so gladly extended by the people of the town and county.

No intimation has come as to the length of the Company's stay here. A regular camp routine is being followed, and the men are being whipped into shape.

A complete roster of Company H., furnished from Company Headquarters Friday morning, follows:

Captain, Edward C. Price, Jr., 1st. Lieut., Archibald W. Limer, 2nd Lieut., William L. McCullen; 1st Sergt., Marvin W. Hardy; Supply Sergt., Eric Norfleet; Mess Sergeant, Ernest E. Frazier.

Sergeants—Dan M. Tate, Henry C. Montgomery, William K. Lifsey, Fletcher W. Merritt, Enos P. Pride, Nathan M. Palmer, Jr.

Corporals—Macy D. Harris, Bedford C. Tate, Oliver W. Howell, John R. Gardner, Edward H. Day, Thayer C. Kenyon, Henry L. James, Macon T. Rooker, Brown J. Coleman, Leon L. Powell, Curtis F. Rhem, Rufus J. Daniel, Stephen D. Loyd.

Cooks—Norman E. Rodgers, Frank Weaver.

Bugler—James W. Dennis.

Mechanics—Ridley L. Harris, Romeo C. Heuay.

Privates, first class—Percy T. Ayscuse, Andrew Burrows, Henry C. Bennett, Alex McQueen, Thomas F. G. Parham, Rufus B. Thomas, Lewis J. Taylor, Elzie T. Thomas, James L. Staton, Ben S. Vick, Grady W. Webb, Everett L. Moon.

Privates—Beverly M. Allen, Maurice C. Allen, Coleman W. Allison, Luther D. Ball, Charlie Barnes, James W. Barnes, William S. Bell, Godwin Bracy, Otelia C. Bryant, Dennis E. Bunting, Alonza K. Breece, Frank C. Coburn, Albert L. Coleman, Dennis M. Coleman, Quince A. Cutcheon, George T. Daughtry, George England, Andrews H. Ervin, John A. Evans, Rubie E. Evans, Dalton L. Finch, George E. Flowers, James R. Fisher, Harry G. Forbes, Geo. R. Gardner, Simon S. Griffin, Church W. Hardison, Joe H. Hardison, Joseph L. Hardison, Jerry Harris, Harvey Hazlewood, William J. James, Henry C. Jenkins, Lary Jordan, Theford Jordan, Edward G. Joyner, William P. King, Robert B. Lanier, William E. Loyd, Floyd L. Lynch, Arnold D. Lyerly, Paul W. Majette, Edmund F. Maston, Henry F. Mizell, John D. Mizell, Oliver C. Mason, J. H. Mobley, George E. Moore, William T. Moore, Freeman Myrick, James L. Newsom, William E. Nicholson, Jr., Haskell E. Page, Henry G. Pope, Eugene T. Price, Charlie P. Price, Hubert C. Robertson, Loyd P. Robertson, Benj. G. Robertson, Alvin R. Rose, Millard P. Rose, Fred M. Rivers, Charles S. Scott, William R. Strickland, Jessie C. Stubbs, William T. Savage, Lee P. Sheffield, Tignor K. Turner, John H. Watkins, George D. Webster, Hebron V. Webster, Robert A. Williams, Harvey L. White.

EMBRO ITEMS

We are having some warm weather at present.

The farmers in this section are busy curing tobacco this week.

Mr. Eddie Smiley passed through our burg last Sunday on his way to Grove Hill.

Mr. J. R. Rainey and family visited in the home of Mr. Henry Egerton last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Stallings and niece, Miss Regina Hardy, attended prayer meeting at Aspen last Sunday night.

Master Ben Harris attended Sunday School at Aspen Sunday.

The protracted meetings at Marmadue Baptist church the first Sunday, hope all the people from around here will attend.

Best wishes to the Warren Record.

ROSE-BUD.

TODAY'S MARKET REPORT

Butter (Country).....	36c. lb.
Eggs.....	30c. doz.
Chicken.....	25c. lb.
Peaches.....	40c. pk.
Apples.....	25c. pk.
Cabbage.....	3c. lb.
Corn (Roasting-ears).....	20c. doz.
Peas (shelled).....	15c. qt.
Tomatoes.....	25c. doz.

The above is local report.

Not every maid combines the aptitude for blundering and talent for ingenious explanation that characterize the young woman about whom the United Presbyterian tells this diverting story:

"What do you suppose has come over my husband this morning, Sophia?" exclaimed a conscientious little bride to the new servant. "I never saw him start down-town so happy. He's whistling like a bird!"

"I'm afraid I'm to blame, mum. I got the packages mixed this morning, and gave him birdseed instead of his regular breakfast food, mum."—Progressive Farmer.

Very strong peppermints are grandfather's favorite confection. One day, says the Christian Herald, he gave one to four-year-old Marjorie, and waited slyly to see what she would do when she should discover the pungent flavor of the candy. A few minutes later he saw her take the partly eaten peppermint from her mouth and place it on a table beside an open window.

"What's the matter?" he asked. "Don't you like the candy?" "Oh, yes," replied Marjorie, "I like it, but I thought I'd let it cool for a little while."

ALUMNI ASSOCIATION

A county State Normal Alumni Association has been formed.

A number of normal alumni met at the home of Mr. J. A. Dameron at four-thirty Wednesday and organized with the following officers: Miss Mariam Boyd, of Warrenton, president; Mrs. A. C. Bizzell, of Norlina, vice-president; Miss Mary Powell, of Macon, secretary and treasurer.

This Association is a unit in the State-wide Alumni Association of the Normal, and is organized to aid in the work of this State Association.

The question of the advisability of placing women upon local school boards was discussed. It was pointed out that in many states that women were holding positions on school boards, and that wherever this was the case educational progress was in evidence. This question will be thoroughly gone into, and it is hoped by the Association that women as members of our local school boards may be in evidence in our county very soon.

Another question which the local Association is much interested in that dealing with the difference in salaries between men and women. The question of "equal pay for equal work" is always a live one, and there is no field wherein there is as much need for a readjustment of the salary basis than that found in the teaching profession.

The Association can do great things for Warren and the teachers of the County, and it is believed that it will be an active, progressive and helpful body.

The gathering and the perfection of the organization arising therefrom is due the efforts of Miss Julia Dameron. Miss Dameron is a graduate of the Normal, a splendid teacher, and a woman who is always active in producing educational progress.

THE ROUGH, HARD SPOTS

"Do the hardest thing first," is the motto hanging above the desk of a very successful business man. This man has told me that that single short sentence has wrought a revolution in his life. "One day I suddenly realized," he said, "that I had fallen into the habit of putting off unpleasant duties and evading disagreeable or difficult tasks, until the ghosts of them blocked my path at every turn. I put up that motto where I could not help seeing it, and set myself to bring each day's work in line with it. The first day I began on the duties I had kept pushing aside, the long-deferred, long-overdue tasks, that had been put out of sight in favor of the easy, pleasant things. When at length I had cleared my path, I made it a rule to begin each morning at the biggest, toughest job in the whole day's work before me. I gave my freshest efforts to the kind of work I had previously put off the longest, and before a great while I found that what used to loom up before me like a mountain of difficulty, when handled with energy and determination, was really very simple and comparatively easy. It is to the forming of this habit to do the hardest thing first, more than to anything else, that I owe what is called success."

A great many people fail in this life for no other reason than that they shrink from doing the hard, disagreeable things. They pick out the things they like, the easy things first, and leave the disagreeable, difficult tasks until the last. In the meantime they are tortured with anticipation of the drudgery to come later. They do not seem to realize that this anticipating, dreading work is fatal to efficiency, and cuts off the largest percentage of one's power. The consciousness that there is always some disagreeable thing ahead, waiting to be done, affects the disposition and makes one fractious and irritable. The mind is also injuriously affected. It loses its elasticity, its freshness and buoyancy.

The great failure army is filled with men and women who from their youth up shrank from all the difficult or unpleasant tasks in life. It is as foolish to do this as it would be to shrink from all physical exercise, from using our muscles and faculties. It is only by use, by effort, by exertion, that we grow. In the last analysis, experience is our only asset.

Doing the hardest things first does not mean that it is always possible or advisable to pick out the difficult things in our work and do them out of their order. It simply means that one should not skip the hard things—

FOOD CONVENTION

Raleigh, August 2—Arrangements are rapidly being completed for the fifteenth annual Farmers' and Farm Women's State Convention, which will be held at the State College of Agriculture and Engineering, beginning Tuesday morning, August 28th, at 8 o'clock and continuing until Thursday noon, August 30th. It is expected that not less than 1,000 farmers and farm women will attend the Convention this year. The attendance last year was more than 700.

The Convention, always a source of inspiration and instruction and attended by earnest men and women from all sections of the State, will this year be more of a working proposition than usual. Because of the critical food situation throughout the Nation and the world, the central idea at the Convention will be food production and conservation and the farmers of the State from the Coastal Plains to the Blue Ridge will have an opportunity to learn by lecture and demonstration the why and how of the production of all food and feed crops suitable for their respective sections.

The mornings will be devoted to sectional meetings for the men in which actual class room instruction and laboratory instructions will be given. This is something of a departure from the custom of the past but will no doubt be worth much more to those who come to the Convention to learn. On the afternoons of Tuesday and Wednesday there will be joint sessions of the Men's and Women's Convention at which time some of the best speakers obtainable will address those present upon vital topics bearing directly upon the part of North Carolina men and women and the production and conservation of food and feed. The evening sessions will be given over to one lecture each evening and to motion pictures.

The Convention this year will partake considerably more of the nature of a short course of agriculture and live stock instruction than has been the custom heretofore. The farmer will be given an opportunity to get authoritative information on any farm problem and to witness actual demonstrations in many instances. There will be several sections going all hours of the morning so that the farmer will be able to get the information he desires on a particular subject without listening to other subjects which might not interest him. Among the subjects for instruction and demonstration will be: Swine, Beef Cattle, Dairy Cattle and Poultry, Seed Selection, Preparing Seed, etc.

All the railroads are giving special rates for the Convention good from August 26th to September 2nd. The expense of the Convention to those who attend will be very small—the college provides dormitory room without charge and meals at a cost of only 25c each. All who attend, however, will be required to bring their own bed sheets, pillows, towels and necessary toilet articles.

Not only the attendance but the helpfulness of the Convention has been increased yearly, and especially because of the necessity for the very best farming at this time, the officials of the Convention are confident all previous records will be smashed.

DEATH OF JOHN L. CURL

The friends of Mr. John L. Curl will regret his passing from among us. Death claimed him this morning at six o'clock at the home of his son-in-law Mr. George Frazier. Mr. Curl was for several years connected with the Warrenton railroad as locomotive engineer. He leaves two daughters, Mrs. Alex Walker and Mrs. George Frazier, and one son, Mr. Nat Curl, of Winston-Salem. He was a good man and a good citizen and his acquaintances were his friends.

The Warren Record offers sympathy to his bereaved children and grandchildren.

put them off when it is time to do them. Every hour we postpone only makes it more and more difficult to get up courage to tackle them.

The man who goes through life picking flowers and avoiding the thorns in his occupation, always doing the easy things first and delaying or putting off altogether, if possible, the hard things, weakens his character so that he does not develop the strength that will enable him to do the hard things when they are actually forced upon him—Merchants Journal & Commerce.