

THE COURIER.

ROXBORO', N. C. APRIL 28, '97

Post Office Hours.

The Post Office will be open every day except Sunday from 7:30 o'clock a. m. to 6:30 o'clock p. m.

Mail for Durham and points South will close at 7:10 p. m.

Mail for Lynchburg and points North will close at 8:00 a. m.
JOHN A. NOELL, P. M.

Mr. E. R. Noell, went over to Durham last Thursday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Davis are visiting their daughter, Mrs. John Barch.

Mr. R. J. Hall is improving his residence by placing pailings around his lot.

Mr. J. de Morris went over to Chapel Hill Saturday to visit his mother.

Mrs. Jno. Nelson spent last Thursday and Friday in town visiting friends.

We had a pleasant call yesterday from our friend Mr. Jno. R. Pettigrew, of Prospect Hill.

Mrs. Joe Noell, of Mt. Tizah, was in town a few days last week, the guest of her sister Mrs. W. H. Long.

Mr. E. V. Webb, accompanied by his sister, Miss Jessie, went over to Durham last Friday night to visit relatives and friends.

Our fertilizer dealers are doing a good business these days, judging from the way the farmers have been hauling it away from here.

Mr. Jacob Slaughter, who was noted for hard work and close economy died at his residence in this County last Sunday night.

Congressman, W. W. Kitchin and wife left for Washington last Friday. Mr. Kitchin spent two weeks at home to the delight of his many friends.

Mr. E. H. Satterfield, of Prospect Hill, was in town Monday and made us a pleasant visit. He says the McKinley prosperity has not struck his section yet.

Miss Cora Cunningham, the popular milliner at Messrs. J. A. Long, Son & Co., went down to Chase City last Saturday to spend a few days with home folks.

The many friends of Rev. J. H. Lamberth will be glad to learn that he is steadily improving. We would all be delighted to see him restored to his old time good health.

Mr. T. J. Gattis, Jr., of Durham is spending a day or two in town. He gave an entertainment at the Academy last night with his Giamophone for the benefit of the Methodist Sunday school.

Next Monday is the regular time for the annual town election, we hear very little talk of the matter, but hope that a progressive Mayor and Board of Commissioners will be elected.

On and after Sunday next there will be no Sunday train on the L. & D. Division of the Norfolk & Western Railroad. This is very pleasant news indeed for our efficient and accommodating agent, Mr. Taliaferro.

No difference whether it is a barrel of flour, a side of meat, or some of the dainties for your table, Johnson the groceryman, wants to supply you. He carries in stock at all times everything that a first class grocery store is expected to handle.

Messrs. J. A. Long, Son & Co., in their announcement this week have something especially interesting to the ladies—their special sale of Trimmed Hats, Saturday, May 1st. Rare bargains will be offered. They also announce the arrival of a new lot of Pants, of the very latest styles. Read their ad, it is full of the most interesting informations for both ladies and gentlemen.

The Greco-Turkish war, the Cuban insurrection, and the sealing question are the principal topics covered by the May Reviews, of Reviews in editorials, special articles, and magazine and book reviews together with cartoon and other illustrations.

The Public School in District No. 2 will close May the 14th 1897. The children will give an entertainment to the public, everybody invited. Exercises will commence promptly at one o'clock P. M. Mr. A. L. Brooks of Roxboro, will deliver an address.

One of our very young men escorted a young lady to her home a night or two ago and on his return home some of the boys decided to have a little fun and as he walked along dropped a few rocks behind him—we were not informed as to the effect, but don't think the boys had much fun.

The meetings at the Baptist church continues. There are two services each day—at 4 o'clock in the afternoon and 8 in the evening. The congregations are large and attentive, and the Pastor is doing splendid preaching—his sermons are earnest, and full of love for those he would lead to a higher life.

Mrs. Anna Harrison.

A word from a friend to all concerned, may be timely, and of service to teachers, patrons, and scholars. Divine advice is, "And let us not be weary in well doing." A human saying closely akin to the above is, "Let well enough alone." Yet people are very slow to heed and profit by such counsel. Roxboro has had a most excellent school during the last scholastic year from all reports; and the action of the trustees on April 26th, in reelecting Prof. Bivins, as principal, and Mrs. T. Anna Harrison as assistant, gives universal satisfaction. It is hoped that Prof. Bivins will turn a deaf ear to even better propositions elsewhere, and continue his good work of importing light and information to our youths and content himself among a people who now appreciate him. But it is in mind especially to say something about so worthy and competent an assistant as is Mrs. Harrison. She has been teaching for several years in good communities, and in every place where her labors have been bestowed, she has made for herself an enviable reputation. Mrs. Harrison is now in the prime of life, very pleasant, socially, a Christian lady, with hands, heart, and influence to help on Christian education, and with all, an experience in managing, teaching, and helping children, which is only obtained through years of study, experience, and application. She being thus qualified by nature, self application, Christian graces, and years of experience, should be more eagerly sought by a community as teacher more highly appreciated, and better remunerated, than those less prepared for such responsibilities as rest upon teachers. We write these lines to say to the people of Roxboro and community, you had better appreciate a good thing while you have it, and to any other community, who may value and secure the services of such a teacher, you are to be congratulated on so doing.

BY A FRIEND SOJOURNING
Roxboro, April, 27, 1897.

Congressman Kitchin the Orator.

The Commencement invitations to be sent out by Oak Ridge Institute this year are very handsome. They are designed by one of the Japanese students now attending that institution. Hon. W. W. Kitchin, member of Congress from this Congressional District will be the Orator this year. The commencement exercises occur May the 23, 24, and 25.

Arrivals at Hotel Dowdy.

The following were the arrivals at Hotel Dowdy since our last issue:
P. G. Cosby, Va., D. Lawson Va., G. W. Davis, Baltimore, C. Lawson, Va., Coles Spragins, Va., W. C. Goode, Va., E. G. Muse, N. C., Wm. B. Guthrie, N. C., C. A. Albright, N. C., L. C. Watkins, Va., H. L. Cannon, N. C., J. E. B. Stewart, Va., Jno. Gooch, Va., W. C. Bowling, Va., C. W. Stanford, N. C., E. Warne, N. C., Geo. A. Cosby, Va., S. A. Brothberg, Philadelphia, H. S. Beverly, Va. S. B. Gunst, Va., R. Lee Brown, C. S. Sundon, Va., S. V. Levenistene W. D. Cothran.

Leasburg Notes.

We believe our little town has not been represented in your columns recently, so we attempt to write a line or two.

Mr. Arthur Thomas, who has had a position in Raleigh, is now at home for a short stay. He will return to Raleigh about the 22rd of May we understand. We are glad to have Mr. Thomas in our midst.

Mrs. M. T. Hambrick has been sick for several days. Severe cold, we think is the trouble. We hope she may recover very soon.

Rev. R. H. Broom gave a very interesting and instructive lecture here a few days since. His subject was, "Education" and the lecture was intended specially for the students of the academy. His characterization of the "Little man" was greatly enjoyed.

Leasburg Sunday school is preparing to celebrate Children's Day the second Sunday afternoon in May. The exercises will, it is expected, be very entertaining. We suppose all friends are invited.

On Friday night, it is stated that Rev. E. W. Fox, of Milton will lecture before the students of Leasburg Academy. We don't know his subject but to recommend the lecture, we need only to mention the name of the lecturer. The friends of the school here; and of education generally, we think are invited.

Miss Bessie Thomson and Prof. Newbold spent the Easter holiday in the western part of Caswell, near Locust Hill. On their way back to Leasburg Miss Bessie stopped in Yanceyville for two days. They report a pleasant time.

We learn that Dr. W. I. Crawford, of Trinity College will deliver the commencement address at the closing of the school here on May 25th, '97.

April 27, '97.

Roseville Notes.

News is somewhat destitute in our community at this time. But nevertheless we must answer at our post sometimes.

The most of our farmers are very busily engaged in preparing their land for tobacco this week.

Miss Mattie E. Morton, one of our most prominent and popular young ladies has returned to her home since spending two weeks among her relatives near Osmond, N. C. Miss Mattie is truly a nice young lady and we are always sorry to see her leave us, and rejoice at her returning.

Miss Lee O'briant has been sick during the last few days. We are sorry to state; hope that she may soon recover.

Mr. N. R. Villines from near Hesters Store called to see us on last Sunday. We are inclined to think probably that he was left by some of his friends.

We think that Mr. Alex Whitfield has almost completed his new residence which is very attractive indeed.

For fear of finding our route to the waste we will close by extending our best wishes to THE COURIER.

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April 27, '97.

Season Opens With a New Boat.

The Messrs. Winstead & Co. have just finished and put in a new boat at Loch Lilly. It is convenient, large and comfortable, and is now ready to serve the public. The boat will be in charge of careful and competent men.

On the first of May I will have a full line of new goods, laces, flowers hats and fancy notions. Come in to see me before you buy—my styles will convince you that I have the latest novelties, and my prices will prove to you that I will save you money, quality and price unsurpassed.

Respectfully,
MISS PALLIE YANCEY.

Four Hundred New Styles.

I have just received samples of four hundred new styles of wall paper. Styles and coloring unsurpassed and am prepared to identify your home at reasonable prices.

H. H. MASTEN.
The more grateful we are for our blessings, the smaller our trials will look.

An Enjoyable Evening.

DENNISTON, Va.,
Last Monday evening was a scene of great pleasure. About the time the sun was sinking beyond the Western Horizon, and the cars were roaring by; a crowd began gathering at Mr. Geo. W. Joyner's beautiful new home to enjoy a sociable, given in honor of Miss Ella Joyner, the accomplished sister of Mr. George Joyner. Supper was served early, after which the crowd assembled in the parlor, and enjoyed the charming music made by Mr. Jamie Brooks and his daughter.

It is always a treat to hear those two make music. About ten o'clock we were again invited into the dining room. Beneath the large burning lamp set a table of "white." It was full of delicious ice cream and cake of excellent flavor, and everything to please even the most delicate taste. The good host and hostess did everything in their power for the pleasure of the guests, and their efforts were not in the least blighted. After partaking of the dainties we again went to the parlor and engaged in "sociable chat" until the wee hours of night when we had to our friends adieu. We cannot thank the family too much for their hospitality, and we not many months hence have may another such an opportunity.

MONTEZ.
April 24, '97.

An Affidavit.

This is to certify, that on May 11th I walked to Melick's drug store on a pair of crutches and bought a bottle of Chamberlain's Pain Balm for inflammatory rheumatism which had crippled me up. After using three bottles I am completely cured. I can cheerfully recommend it.—Chas. H. Wetzel, Sunbury, Pa.

Sworn and subscribed to before me on August 10, 1894—Walter Shipman, J. P. For sale by Drug-gists.

Don't Forget That D. Barton Scoggin Wants To Furnish Your

ICE

This Season. He will have in a car load in a few days. Ice house under Peoples' Bank.

We advertise nothing that we haven't got, and everything just as represented.

J. A. LONG, SON & CO.

AMONG THE DRESS GOODS.

We are offering the most desirable line of Dress Goods this season at prices never before heard of—Black Brogaded Silks, Wash Silks, Grenadines Organdies, white and yellow, and yellow flowered, solid and flowered Lapets. Wash goods in abundance. Our line of Shirt Waists are unsurpassed anywhere.

SPECIAL ATTENTION

Is called to our line of eight cent Percals, yard wide—and extra quality, ask to see them when you come in.

HATS, STRAW AND FELT.

We have just received our line of Spring Hats for Gentlemen—this line is complete in both Straw and Felt. Also just received a new line of pants—at prices that will make them go.

Saturday, May 1st.

SPECIAL SALE OF TRIMMED HATS.

This will be "Bargain Day," so be certain to see our bargains before buying elsewhere, for we can save you money. Don't forget the day.

J. A. LONG, SON & CO.

Why will you buy bitter nauseating tonics when Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic is as pleasant as Lemon Syrup. Your druggist is authorized to refund the money in every case where it fails to cure. Price, 50 cents.

Do You Want the Best Fertilizer?

The Hycos brand is the highest grade fertilizer on this market which is proved by the analysis. It is strictly a high grade for tobacco. If you want to raise fine tobacco it will pay you to get the BEST fertilizer. Call and let us tell you about it.

C. T. Wilson & Co.

The man who minds his own business will always have something to do.

Everybody wants a good garden and good fresh seeds are as much a necessity as good soil. Morris has The Seed at the right price for every body.

Help for the Helpless.

Dr. B. M. Wooley, of Atlanta, Ga., whose opium and whiskey cure is presented in another column is a benefactor to our generation. Ten years ago he rescued some of our citizens who live heartily and well to bless and to praise him.

Lukin & Long

Wholesale and Retail HARDWARE!

2' good hand saw files for	5c
Genuine No. 5 F F Points	5c
Genuine Boy Dixie "	5c
Genuine No. 5 F F Plows	\$1.45
Imitation	\$1.25
Shovel plow stocks,	75c
Good handled hoes	25c
Trace chains	35c
Forks	25 and 35c
No. 7 Cook stoves	\$7.50 and up
" 8 " "	\$10 and up

Crockery and Tinware

at bottom prices. Agents for Osborne Mowers and Rakes, Cutaway Harrows, Oliver Chilled Syracuse Plows, Rou Feed Cutters, Geiser Manufacturing Co.'s Thresher, Engines, Saw Mills, Richmond Horse Powers, &c. Sash, Doors, Blinds, Paints, Oils, Glass, and all kinds of Builders and Wagon Hardware. Tin and Iron roofing and guttering a specialty.

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