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WASHINGTON TELLS CARRANZA CONDITIONS MUST IMPROVE.

More Battleships Will Be Ordered Toward Mexican Coast and Entire Atlantic Fleet Is Only Two and a Half Days Away.

After a conference tonight between President Wilson and Secretary of the Navy Daniels, it was learned on high authority that two or more battleships would be ordered from Guantanamo to Vera Cruz, probably tomorrow. The entire Atlantic fleet of twenty-one battleships is at Guantanamo within two and a half days sail at Vera Cruz.

Only one war vessel, the battleship Delaware, is at Vera Cruz, but, in addition to any battleships that be sent from Guantanamo, five warships will be in that vicinity in a few days. The Delaware will remain there indefinitely, the cruiser Tacoma left Port Au Prince, Haiti, today for Vera Cruz; the gunboat Petrel is en route from Mobile, Ala., and the cruiser Des Moines, is on and from Progress to Vera Cruz, while the gunboat Sacramento is at Tampico. Other available light draft vessels, more valuable than battleships in tropical waters, are the gunboats Wheeling and Nashville held in readiness with the armored cruiser Washington in Haitian and Cominican waters.

Brookdale Locals.

Mrs. J. J. Boone and little daughter spent the week-end in Durham.

We are glad to note at this writing that quite a number who have been suffering with grippe are convalescing.

Rev. J. J. Boone begins a revival here Wednesday, March 17th.

Mess. Sam P. Jones and Thom-Hamlin of Frog Hollow spent a few hours here Monday.

Miss Mary Goodwin is spending a few days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Algie Jackson.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Brooks and little daughter spent the week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. P. S. Rogers.—Billy Goat.

Car of Dunlop Flour just received at Hugh Wood.

DEATH OF THAD R. MANNING

For Many Years Editor of Henderson Gold Leaf.

Henderson, March 4.—Thad R. Manning for years well known as a newspaper man of this State, died here early today. He had been confined to his bed for three years. He was 58 years old and was the founder and up to four years ago owner of the Henderson Gold Leaf. He was at one time president of the North Carolina Press Association.

Honor Roll.

For Moriah School, fifth month.

First grade—Sabre Bowling and Ethel Day.

Second grade—Rufus, Mary and Pallie Mangum, William Bowling and Adelaide Meadows.

Third grade—Pearl Day and Herndon Bowls.

Fourth grade—Bernice Mangum, Charlie, Alpha and Ray Day, Mary and Nannie Bowling.

Fifth grade—James Newton, Sallie Riggs, Pervis Gray, Zelma Mangum and Broxie Meadows.

Sixth grade—Millie Day, Sim Clayton, Alphonso Riggs and Crawford and Lennie Newton.

Seventh grade—Iola Day, Maude Meadows and Annie Clayton.

Eighth grade—Thornton Cothran.—Teachers, Misses Cora and Vena Meadows.

Death of Little Rosafelt Moss.

When the sad news reached our last Sunday evening that the death angel had visited the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Moss of Madison, and taken their little baby girl, Rosafelt Moss, our heart went out in sympathy to the parents. She was one year and fourteen days old, and had been sick just three weeks and three days. All that loving hands and skillful physician could do was done for her but God had a better place for her than they had on earth. She leaves a father, mother, three sisters and three brothers. Her funeral was conducted by Rev. R. E. Surrate and the body was laid to rest in the cemetery at Madison.—A True Friend.

Moriah News.

On Feb. 19th the death angel visited the home of Mr. and Mrs. Mac Allen and claimed their darling little son, McGilmer, being about two months old. The remains were laid to rest the following day in the family burying ground near Surl.

Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Cash spent last Sunday with Mrs. Cash's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Fogleman.

Miss Lillie Bowling of Farmville, N. C., has returned to her home after spending several days with relatives.

Misses Grace Malone, Cora and Vena Meadows attended services at Mt. Harmony last Sunday and also visited Miss Annie Moore.

Owing to ill health, Miss Mabel Cothran has returned home from Littleton College. We wish her a speedy recovery and that she may soon be able to resume her work again.

Rev. O. L. Riggs will preach at Bethany next second Sunday and Saturday before.

Prof. H. A. Robertson of the Agricultural and Mechanical College will speak at Moriah school March 19th, beginning at 1:30 p. m. The public is cordially invited to attend. This school is nearing the completion of a most successful term of work, much approved by patrons and pupils of the district.

Miss Bettie Copely of the northern part of Durham county continues very ill.—C.

Market Will Close March 26th.

At a meeting of the Tobacco Board of Trade it was decided to close the market here on the 26th of this month. If you have any tobacco on hand you had better get it in shape and bring it in. We suppose, of course, if any comes in after the date mentioned some one will buy it, but you will probably get better prices if you will bring it in before the close.

The market has been very satisfactory considering the crop, and while the prices have not been as good as the farmer could have wished, still there has been very little complaint, for this market has at all times been equal to any.

Done Much For The County

We doubt if anyone has done more for this County than the firm of Viccellio, Abbit & Harris. Of course these people did not come here on a philanthropic mission, but they have nevertheless done much for the County. Today there is more improved machinery here than ever before, and in consequence the farmers are doing better farming than previously. Hardly a farm but what has felt the influence of this work.

Backed By Reputation

For nearly twenty five years Mr. E. D. Cheek has been doing the undertaking business for many of the best people of this County, and in his new place, the Person Dry Goods Co's old stand, says he is better prepared than ever to serve you in this capacity. When it becomes your sad duty to buy a coffin or casket he invites you to give him a call—coffins and caskets ready at a moments notice.

Mrs. T. H. Street Ill

Last Sunday night Mrs. T. H. Street of Mill Creek was taken suddenly very ill and for the next forty-eight hours was in a very critical condition. At this writing she is somewhat improved and her friends, and that includes all who know her, hope for her a speedy recovery. Her children were telegraphed for and some of them have arrived and are at her bedside.

The Prohibition Bill.

This act makes it unlawful for any railroad or express company to bring into the State or deliver more than one quart of liquor in a single package and makes it unlawful for any person to bring in more than a quart for any other person or for any person to receive more than one quart of liquor in 15 days, whether in one or more ways. It is made unlawful for any person to use another's name in ordering or for any person to allow the use of his name in ordering liquor. It is also unlawful to serve any kind of liquors with meals where a charge is made for the meal or for the service. It is unlawful for any drug store to sell or dispose of, for gain, any liquors. Therefore, it will be seen that this act comes much nearer to absolute prohibition than any law ever passed and will go a long way toward stopping blind tigers from selling liquor and people living in North Carolina from using liquor. The title of the act is "An Act to Restrict the Receipt and Use of Intoxicating Liquors."

In addition to the anti-shipment law, the passage of an act which makes it unlawful to manufacture or to sell malt and which requires railroads and express companies to keep, subject to inspection, a record of all receipts of malt. Since blockaders cannot make whiskey without malt, this act will help to break up the blockade business in the State. Where they get their malt over the railroads it will enable any officer to find out who is receiving malt in his section, and as malt is used only for the manufacture of liquor, the officer will know that the receiver of the malt is either blockading liquor or is assisting some other one to do so.

Week End at Loch Lilly

One of the most enjoyable of the mid-winter affairs was the week-end house party at Loch Lilly Lodge given by the young men of the town. These parties, always delightful, were more so this time, being enlivened by a number of out of town guests.

Various forms of amusements were indulged in, and Monday morning came only too soon.

The following were guests of the club: Mrs. B. R. Long, chaperone, Misses Lizzie Watkins, Henderson; Edna Taylor, Goldsboro, Margaret McMurray, Shelby; Sue Long, Lucille Pass and Breta Noell. Messrs. Charlie Long, J. B. Alderman, C. C. Cunningham, A. G. Powell, P. E. Whitehead and J. A. Noell, Jr.

Notice to Teachers.

Teachers, by all means be here next Saturday for the Commencement. Bring your spellers, declaimers, reciters, and all who take the seventh grade examination. Will have certificates for them. Let me have their grades made on examination. Have your register in good shape. Give all deserving students promotion cards. Let me have the names of the members of the Boys' Corn Club and the Girls Tomato Club. Get your committee to come. We want to make at least a start for County Commencement in Person.

Exercises will begin Saturday morning at 10 o'clock in the auditorium of the graded school. All are cordially invited. Come expecting a good day. Let nothing keep you away.—Respectfully, J. A. Beam.

The new Spring goods are arriving daily at Harris & Burns'. In a few days the stock will be complete and as usual you will find the best and biggest stock of new goods at this store that is in the county.

Enrolled For The

Boys' Corn Club.

The following names have been sent us by Miss Iola Burch, one of the progressive school teachers, as boys who have enrolled for the Boys' Corn Club: Charlie Allen, Irving Burch, Joe Allen, Bluford Wilborn and Noble Hargis.

We are delighted to have these boys join this club and we sincerely hope the fathers of these boys will lend all of the aid necessary and help the boys succeed. If there are any others in the County who have enrolled in this club we would like to have their names.

Postponed

Owing to the very bad weather Rev. D. F. Putnam did not preach the concluding sermon on the Life of Jacob last Sunday evening. This series will be completed on next Sunday evening at 7:30 and the public is cordially invited to hear this sermon.

Work on Movie Building.

The work on the building for the movies is going right ahead which pays its postmaster only and the managers tell us they hope to be able to move in within ten days or two weeks.

COUNTY COMMENCEMENT

At The Auditorium Next Saturday Morning At 10 O'clock.

On next Saturday the first County Commencement for this County will be held at the Auditorium, beginning at 10 o'clock. All of the Public Schools of the County are expected to take part in these exercises, and a general good time is expected.

Dr. Hill, President of the A. & M. College in Raleigh has been invited to deliver an address on this occasion, and there will be speaking, declamations, essays, etc., by the pupils of the various schools. The exercises will be in charge of County Superintendent, Rev. J. A. Beam, and this of itself assures the success of the occasion.

Everybody is cordially invited to attend these exercises, and we are sure that no one who avails himself of this opportunity will regret the time spent.

San Francisco.—To inspect a

little postoffice in far-away Guam, which pays its postmaster only \$125 a year, is the object of a 25,000 mile journey which Postoffice Inspector E. P. Smith is making.

A Welcome Season—SPRING

In just a few more days bright sunshine and balmy breezes will chase away the clouds and chill of winter. The plants and trees will vie with each other to take on the most beautiful Spring garbs and Mother Earth will be robed in the most harmonious blendings of color. Even the animals will throw off their winter coats and take on lighter ones with new lustre. With all nature making these changes, is it any wonder we all welcome this most beautiful season of the year and join in this casting off the sombre and donning the bright, comfortable and pretty Spring garments?

We are Ready to Supply You

with an outfit to please your taste and fit your purse. Many of the new goods are already here. Others are arriving daily and the new stock will soon be complete. You will find more, many more, NEW GOODS here than in any other store in Roxboro. We have been at this business for years. We know the needs of the people. We know merchandise and values. We handle only dependable goods. We discount every bill we buy which enables us to demand the very lowest prices. We sell at as low prices as anybody does the same grade of goods. We ask your patronage simply on the merits of our goods, prices and service.

You are cordially invited and urged to visit our store as often as you can. You are always welcome and we are always please to serve you the very best we know how.

Harris & Burns

ROXBORO'S BEST STORE.



MRS. GOODCOOK:

JUST LOOK AT THE OLD, WORN COOKING UTENSILS YOU HAVE IN YOUR KITCHEN, THEN COME, LOOK AT THE BRAND NEW ONES WE HAVE IN OUR STORE.

A LITTLE MONEY WILL BUY A BIG LOT OF NEW, IMPROVED KITCHEN TOOLS WHICH WILL SAVE YOU MANY, MANY STEPS AND TROUBLES AND MAKE COOKING A DELIGHT.

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