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Went After the Key and Has Not Returned.

On last Friday night Sheriff Thompson learned that there was probably some booze located in the home of one Joe Humphries, who lives adjoining the County Home. He, with Deputy Morris, Chief Cash and Mr. Colvin went out to investigate. After searching the home and failing to find anything they went out to one of the outhouses which they found locked and proposed to search it, whereupon the owner, Joe Humphries, said he had not the slightest objection, but that he would have to go and get the key. Accordingly he went after the key and up to this writing has not returned. After breaking into the house the posse found eight gallons which the Sheriff took in possession.

Mrs. Putnam Breaks an Arm.

On last Saturday evening Mrs. D. F. Putnam had the misfortune to fall and break her arm. It seems that she was standing on a rocking chair looking into the closet for something and when she attempted to step from the chair, forgetting that it was a rocker, her foot caught on one of the arms which threw her backwards, the entire weight of her body falling on her arm. She was alone in the house at the time and it was about thirty minutes before she was discovered. Finding that she was becoming faint she lay down across the bed and was in this position when some one came in and found her. While the accident was very painful she is now resting well and no serious results are anticipated.

Entertainment

The Birth of A Nation.

A large delegation went to Raleigh last week to take in The Birth of a Nation, the famous moving picture shows. All report it a most wonderful production, and when it shows in Durham many more will witness it.

An entertainment will be given by home talent at the auditorium Friday night, Nov. 19th, at 8:15, for the benefit of the Confederate Monument. Admission 25 and 15 cents.

Remember the races Thanksgiving Day.

Have You Responded?

The first of this month we again sent out statements to every one who was behind with their subscription to The Courier. Some were only a few months and some were more than a year, but we sent them to one and all. Many, many have called and settled and almost in every instance paid in advance, but of course, some got mad and said "stop my paper", for I do not want to be dunned every month. Well, we stopped it, for we never take offense at any one for stopping their paper when they pay up, but what do you think of the person who will get mad and order the paper stopped without paying up? A few did this, but they were few and far between, because we do not have many of this kind in this County of good folks.

If it has not been convenient for you to see us and pay up since you received the statement we trust you will kindly give the matter your attention the first time you come to town, or if you are not coming this way soon send it to us, by mail. It is absolutely necessary that we get on a cash basis and we can not do this without treating one and all alike. If there is an error in your statement come in to see us and we will cheerfully make the correction. With more than two thousand to send out it is hardly probable that we would not make a mistake. But whether you owe us anything or not, come in to see us when you come to town and give us the neighborhood news.

Dunn-Buchanan.

On October 31, at 2 o'clock, a beautiful wedding was solemnized at Providence Church, when Miss Roberta Dunn became the bride of Mr. Thomas Grover Buchanan. The church was beautifully decorated with cedar, ferns and potted flowers. The flower girls were little Misses Estelle Whitt, Buckner Whitt, Katie Perkins and Effie Perkins. They entered the church as Miss Evie Street began to play the wedding march. The bride wore a blue suit and carrying white chrysanthemums, came in on the arm of Miss Maggie Harris. Miss Harris wore a blue suit and carried white roses. The groom entered with his best man, Mr. Walter Whitt. The ceremony was performed by the pastor, Rev. D. F. Putnam.

After the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Buchanan and many friends were delightfully entertained at a delightful supper by Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Fox. The couple received many presents. The bride is a charming and popular young lady. The groom is a man of fine qualities and one of the most prosperous farmers in the county.

A long life, much joy and happiness to this couple is the wish of all.—B.

House Party at Loch Lily.

A delightful week-end house party was given at Loch Lily Lodge by the young men of the town last week. This is an ideal place for such an event and each occasion is looked forward to with a great deal of pleasure. Among those present were: Misses Mildred Turner, Durham, Julia Denny, Greensboro, Dore Korner, Kernesville, N. C., Breta Noell, Messrs. C. W. Long, E. G. Long, J. Y. Stokes Jr., W. S. Clary Jr. and J. A. Noell Jr., with Mrs. B. R. Long as chaperon.

Ladies invited to attend the debate Monday evening Nov. 22nd in the club rooms at 7:30. N. Lunsford, Sect'y.

VILLA'S OVERTHROW QUESTION OF WEEKS

Carranza Has Matters Well in Hand. Says His Confidential Representative Arredondo.

New York, Nov. 14.—General Carranza is fast restoring order throughout Mexico and is confident that he will soon conquer Villa and Zapata, according to Eliseo Arredondo, confidential agent of the Constitutionalists in this country, who arrived here today from a visit to the first chief, whom he accompanied on a tour of the northern part of Mexico. After a brief stay here Mr. Arredondo plans to return to Washington to resume his duties.

"General Carranza will reach Mexico City at the end of this month and then begin to organize his Cabinet and make the necessary Government appointments," said Mr. Arredondo.

"Mr. Carranza is confident," Mr. Arredondo continued, "that he has the military situation well in hand. He has appointed men of military ability to cope with the lawlessness on the border and feels that they will be able to protect Mexicans as well as Americans from the dangers of bandits."

"It is but a question of a few weeks when General Villa will be conquered. To this end General Dieguez is marching with 8,000 men from Hermosillo while General Calles with 9,000 men, is well fortified in Agua Prieta. Outside of Mexico City the forces of General Zapata are surrendering daily by the hundreds, so that he is absolutely of no military significance at present. Villa troops also are fast rejoining the ranks of the Constitutionalists indicating that the Mexican people realize that the Carranza Government stands for the highest ideals of democracy and independence of Mexico."

Satisfied Customers at the Hyco.

Below are a few of the many who made big averages at the Hyco this week: C. H. Willis, R. A. Bowes, J. T. Jones and Noell, G. W. Thomas & Carver, Earl Morton, W. H. Brown, K. Broach, A. E. Newton & Bowes, W. E. Phelps, W. G. Burch, J. W. Younger & Outlaw, W. I. Tatum, R. T. Bowes, D. A. Murdock, J. Mc. Long, W. R. Hambrick & Brooks, E. G. Daniel, F. L. Cooper, J. L. Terry, C. T. Duke, J. H. Carver, W. A. Hicks, J. S. Wilson, C. P. Wilson, Oscar Davis, Wm. A. Warren, H. A. Oakley, J. E. Clayton, H. S. Barnett, John Barnett and Phelps & Ward.

Sunday School Institute.

Mr. E. L. Middleton, Sunday School Secretary of the Baptist State Convention, will be at Mill Creek Church next Saturday and Sunday to conduct a Sunday School Institute. Sunday School workers of adjoining churches are cordially invited. Exercises will begin at 10:30 Saturday. Lunch will be served on the grounds Saturday.

Mr. D. S. Long, easily one of the best farmers in this township living out on Route 1, was a welcome visitor yesterday. He had a load of tobacco which he sold, and was well pleased with the prices. Mr. Long is one of the farmers who live at home and usually brings something to sell along with him when he comes to town.

Rev. J. L. Cunningham, Presiding Elder of this district, will preach in the Methodist Church Sunday night, the 21st, at 7 o'clock. The public is very cordially invited to hear him. Immediately after the services, the Fourth Quarterly Conference will be held. Every official member of the Quarterly Conference is earnestly requested to be present, as this will be a very important meeting. N. C. Yearby.

Attend the races Thanksgiving

Miss Myrtle Barnett spent Saturday in Durham.

Remember Hugh Woods for Shoes.

Miss Lucille Umstead spent the week-end at her home in Bahama.

Mrs. N. Lunsford spent Friday in Durham the guest of friends.

Mrs. F. L. Howard and son, Wm. Howard of South Boston, spent last week visiting in this County.

If you wish to see some of the best races ever, go to the Person County Fair Grounds.

Miss Lucille Pass who has been spending the summer in Asheville returned to Roxboro Tuesday.

There will be an entertainment given Friday night at the auditorium under the auspices of the daughters of the Confederacy.

Look out for wind storms, they come when least expected. See S. P. Satterfield, and get a storm policy on your dwelling, it costs very little.

Mr. W. H. Tuck of Route 2 made us a pleasant call last Thursday. He is a good farmer and thinks The Courier is one of the necessities for good farming.

Brewer Corcoran, A. S. Pier, and other writers of corking baseball, football, and hockey stories are now doing some of their best work for The Youth's Companion.

Mr. Jno. L. Gentry favored us with a pleasant call last Thursday. He is the popular and efficient Justice of the Peace for Alenstville township and is reckoned among the best citizens of the entire County.

Everybody invited to attend the meeting of the Business Men's Association, Monday evening November 22nd, at 7:30. Debate on National defense. N. Lunsford, Sect'y.

Myron T. Herrick, Ex-President Taft, Harry Vardon, Surgeon-General Gorgas, Rev. Francis E. Clark, Charles Wellington Furlong, Beverly T. Galloway, and President Hadley of Yale will write for The Youth's Companion next year.

Commits Suicide

on Wedding Trip.

Durham, Nov. 15.—Joseph H. Gooch, of Stem, Granville county passed through Durham this afternoon en route to Houston, Tex., in response to the news that his brother, Wayne H. Gooch, of Clarksville, Va., had committed suicide on his return to Lexington, N. C., from his bridal trip to San Francisco. No reason was assigned for the suicidal act. Mr. Gooch was a wealthy real estate and whiskey dealer of Clarksville, Va., and had accumulated \$100,000. He had lived in Clarksville for 23 years, although he was born near Stem, Granville county. His real estate holdings were extensive in that portion of Virginia.

It was only six weeks ago that he married Miss Margaret Radcliff, of Lexington North Carolina, and they had gone to San Francisco on a honeymoon. He had been married three times before. He was fifty-one years old. One brother, Joseph H. Gooch, a well known and esteemed merchant and former postmaster of Stem; Mrs. Emma Clayton, of Stem; and Mrs. D. S. Reid, of Winston-Salem, are the brother and sisters surviving. The telegram to his brother did not contain the news of the manner of the suicide, but later advices confirmed the report that he shot himself near Houston. Mr. Gooch left Durham on the 5:08 train and will meet the body in Atlanta, from which point it will be brought to Lexington.

Teachers Meeting.

The Teachers Association meets here next Saturday, Nov. 20, 1915. Let no white teachers fail to be present.

Sincerely,
J. A. Beam.

George Stanfield, one of the good colored farmers on Route 3, paid his subscription in advance. George says that while his tobacco crop is common he has a big crop of wheat sown and has corn enough to run him, while his prospects for meat are very promising. He has the right idea, for with bread and meat the wolf can not get very near his door.

Get It Now

HAVE you bought that Coat Suit for Thanksgiving?



Dressing up on this day makes you feel as good or better than any other one day in the year, because everybody else will be dressed up. Our entire stock is composed of this years style suits, and nobody in town can undersell us. We bought them to sell and we let

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