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## SHORT PASSING EVENTS

### WEDNESDAY.

Saturday morning at 10 o'clock the Craven County Teachers Association will meet in Griffin Memorial Building, Supt. Ragsdale, of Pitt county will address the teachers.

Kinston and New Bern High School will have a spelling contest in Kinston, Saturday, March 11, at 8 p. m., and it is probable that the two schools will also play baseball of the afternoon of the same day.

It is understood that the citizens of LaGrange will begin work at an early date to rebuild the section of town that was destroyed by fire last Sunday night. This shows an excellent spirit of progressiveness. Although they have suffered a severe loss, out of the ruins they can build a town that will be one of the foremost in that section.

While walking around the various docks in the city yesterday the writer noticed a number of large boats unloading cargoes of merchandise. Inquiry elicited the information that they were from northern ports and were loaded with cargoes of merchandise for merchants in and around this city. Each week a number of these boats arrive in this port from northern ports, the merchants claiming that the freight rate is cheaper.

### THURSDAY.

Yesterday morning the remains of Mrs. C. F. Taylor, who resided on Broad street and whose demise was mentioned in yesterday's issue of the Journal, were taken to Bellair and interred in the family burying ground at that place.

We are pleased to note that Mrs. Alonza J. Gaskins who was carried to Stewart's sanitarium a few days ago to be operated upon for an attack of appendicitis, has sufficiently recovered to be able to have the operation postponed indefinitely.

Whether the inclemency of the weather had anything to do with it or not there was not a single arrest made yesterday by the local police. Neither was there any session of the police court yesterday afternoon, there being no cases ready for trial.

Rev. Charles L. Greaves who recently resigned the pastorate of the First Baptist church of this city to accept a call to the First Baptist church at Hawkinsville, Ga. left yesterday with his family for their new home. Rev. Greaves held the esteem of the entire community and will be sadly missed by all who were acquainted with him.

Yesterday was the first day of March and the weather in this city was characteristic of that month. There has been no very disagreeable weather in this locality during the past few weeks up to this time, but early yesterday morning a cold drizzling rain began to fall and all through the day pedestrians found it very disagreeable. There was very little wind.

Only a few short weeks intervene before the Spring season will open and al-

ready the local clothiers and milliners are making preparations for the Easter trade. Several have already sent representatives to northern markets to learn the styles that will prevail and to purchase goods and in a few days these will begin to arrive and will be made ready for the opening.

But for the fact that he was persuaded to put his stock of merchandise back into the building, Joseph Kahid, an Assyrian merchant who conducts a store in the Bangert building on Middle street and who moved his entire stock of goods into the street on the previous night when fire destroyed the Eubank building which was located adjacent to him, would have lost the majority of it during the heavy rain which fell early yesterday morning. The building in which he was located was only slightly damaged.

Geo. Eubank, whose buildings were burned on Tuesday night, was seen yesterday and said in regard to the fire the buildings are a total wreck and as soon as he can make arrangements the debris will be removed and new buildings erected. He carried no insurance owing to the fact of his controversy with the city over the previous fire. He appealed this case and it went to the State Supreme Court, which, according to report refused to consider the case as the controversy at issue was held as being too trivial for its consideration.

### FRIDAY.

A correspondent in Carteret county writes that the woods in different sections of that county have been burning furiously for several days past and much valuable timber has been destroyed. The rain which fell Wednesday doubtless assisted greatly in extinguishing these fires and saved the land owners in that locality further loss.

Passengers arriving in this city yesterday from Greensboro, stated that there was snow all along the line between Greensboro and Goldsboro and that there were some evidences of a downfall on this side of the latter place. There have been one or two flurries of the little white flakes in this city this Winter but each time the shower lasted for only a few minutes.

Just what variety of material will be used in paving East Front street and a section of Pollock street after the work has been begun has not been definitely decided. A number are in favor of putting down asphalt while others think that to have them macadamized would be better. However, whether they use asphalt or macadam, neither will stand the wear that the brick paving would.

London's Lord Mayor's show. The lord mayor's show is generally held to have been instituted by Sir John Norman, who held office in 1453.

## LOT FOR SALE

The Masonic lot, 2 acres, best lot in the town of Pollockville, is for sale. WRITE OR SEE

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## Silence!

The instinct of modesty natural to every woman is often a great hindrance to the cure of womanly diseases. Women shrink from the personal questions of the local physician which seem indecent. The thought of examination is abhorrent to them, and so they endure in silence a condition of disease which surely progresses from bad to worse.

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## MAIL CLERKS TO FORM UNION

Think Affiliation With Federation of Labor Only Way to Secure Better Conditions.

Washington, D. C., March 2.—An union of railway clerks, affiliated with the American Federation of Labor, may result from a general underground movement which became known here yesterday.

Postmaster-General Hitchcock does not believe in the unionizing of his employees. The clerks declare that it is only through organization that they can hope to secure better working conditions. The clerks now have an association, but they say it is little more than a life insurance plan and has the approval of the postmaster-general.

Preliminary soundings of the other officials of the labor federation led those behind the clerks' movement to believe that President Gompers would grant the new organization a charter at once.

It has been our pleasure to receive a few of the products of The J. R. Watkins Company of Baltimore. These are something quite unusual in their way, and we shall be pleased to show them to anyone interested. Anyone is welcome to come in and examine them thoroughly. When one sees the class of goods The J. R. Watkins Company turns out and the prices at which they are sold it is no longer a matter of wonder that it requires a plant with ten acres of floor space, and a \$2,000,000 capital to keep up with the enormous demand for these fine products all over the United States and Canada. This Company is rapidly increasing its business and is taking on more and more salesmen all the time.

## A FIERCE ANATHEMA.

The Pious With a Woman Flung at Jean Paul Richter.

Jean Paul Richter once observed that if a lady officer wanted to give the word "halt!" she would do it in the following strain: "You soldiers, all of you, now mind what I say. I order you as soon as I have done speaking to stand still, every one of you, on the spot where you happen to be. Don't you hear me? Halt, I say, all of you!"

Upon this a strong minded woman made the following comment: "Now, M. Jean, it was an unkind day on which you wrote that sentence. My own never hear anything but that little, concise word 'No' from every ray of light of life you meet. May your hat-tions be snappish, your strings knotty and your stockings full of holes. May your bootjack be missing, your feet corny and your shaving water cold, your razor dull, your hair stand up, your collar lie down. May your beard be peeping, your whiskers thickly settled and your moustache curl the wrong way. May your coffee be muddy, your toast smoky and your tea water bewitched, and, with a never dying desire for affection, may you crawl through creation a meek, miserable, nasty, forlorn, fidgety, fussy, ridiculous, ruined, dejected old bachelor."

High Sounding Names. Writing in his Paris paper on the growing custom on the part of parents to give their children "high sounding" names, Clergent Vautel says: "When the boy is old enough to understand he rebels at being compelled to carry through life a name like Anacreon or Hipparchus. But he has a company. I know a deputy whose parents named him Franklin. The name in itself is not so bad, but he has two brothers, Voltaire and Socrates respectively. Fancy this scene in the nursery: Franklin howling because Voltaire has broken his toy, while Socrates laughs at both. The mother as pence-maker shouts, 'Stop, Socrates, or you'll be punished!' In a narrow street in Versailles one broiling hot day I saw a woman spanking a child, shouting in anger, 'You naughty Epaminondas! I'll teach you, Epaminondas!' I could never think of the Theban general after that without laughing."

To Say and to Do. "Do you wish to go to church this evening? Father is going to preach, you know," the minister's fair daughter asked.

The young man considered. "Um! The last time I went he rather fell on some of my small failings. Do you know what his text will be to-night?"

"Yes: 'Love one another.'"

He regarded the round pink cheeks approvingly.

"Suppose," he suggested softly, "that we let the old gentleman go preach, while we sit here and practice?"—Lippincott's.

Not Perfect. A horse dealer was showing a horse to a prospective buyer. After running him back and forward for a few minutes he stopped and said to the buyer: "What do you think of his coat? Isn't he a dandy?"

The buyer, noticing that the horse had the hives, replied, "Yes, I like his coat all right, but I don't like his parts."—London Tit-Bits.

Shop Talk. "If we didn't have to give back any change think of the money we merchants would make."

"We all have our troubles," said the magazine publisher. "Sometimes it tries me to have to print any reading matter, but I suppose it must be done."—Kansas City Journal.

The Age of Competition. "How high is his temperature, doctor?" "Well, he's closely crowding the record." "True?"—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

## A MISSISSIPPI ENTHUSIAST

Mrs. Lena Gresham, of Clinton, Miss., Has a Few Facts to Tell Our Readers About Cardui.

Clinton, Miss.—"Thanks to Cardui," writes Mrs. Lena Gresham, of this place, "I have been greatly relieved."

"I suffered for three years from female inflammation, and had taken medicine from four different physicians without much benefit."

"I have received more benefit from seven bottles of Cardui, than from all the physicians."

"Just try Cardui. That's all we ask. It speaks for itself. It has helped so many thousands, it must be able to help you."

"Trying Cardui won't hurt you. It is safe, harmless, gentle in action, and purely vegetable."

"If you are weak, tired, down and out, try Cardui."

"If you are sick, miserable, and suffer from womanly pains, like headache, backache, dragging feelings, pains in side, arms, legs, etc.—try Cardui."

"It is the medicine for all women. It is the tonic for you."

N. B.—Write to: Ladies' Advisory Dept., Chastanooga Medicine Co., Chattanooga, Tenn., for Special Instructions, and 64-page book, "Home Treatment for Women," sent in plain wrapper, on request.

## EDWARD NOTES.

Feb. 27—Days are growing longer and Spring is beginning to make its appearance.

Mr. Will Stillely was the guest of Mr. G. R. Lane and family Sunday afternoon.

We were pleased to have Mr. E. S. Walker and Miss Bettie Dixon in our midst Sunday.

Mr. Ralph Jones of Blount Co. visited friends near Edward Sunday afternoon.

Mr. Eugene Clayton passed through our burg Sunday.

Mr. Joseph Edwards attended church at Pollockville, Sunday night.

Miss Bettie Walker was the guest of Miss Amanda Rowe Sunday.

Miss Lillie White of Small was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Wallie of Edward Sunday, last.

Mr. Luther Speights of New Bern, was the guest of his brother near Edward Sunday.

Mr. J. A. Hardy of Small took a business trip to Washington, Saturday, last.

Mr. Joseph Sawyer was in our midst Saturday, last.

"Lilacs"

Some people seem to think it is useless to do right unless a crowd happens to be present.—Chicago Record-Herald.

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## NO PAY FOR THE MILITIA

Bill to Place Officers on Pay Basis Defeated by Technicality.

Washington, March 2.—After a fight in the House a direct vote on the bill to establish the organized militia upon a pay basis was prevented by a technicality. The friends of the measure are confident that it will be passed when it comes up later.

The bill provides a system of federal pay for the officers and enlisted men of the State militia, based upon their efficiency and their attendance upon drills and regular duties.

The bill makes the members of the militia subject to direct call by the President for service as a regular national defense force, and binds the members to service for a period of two years from date of the president's summons. Failure to respond to this summons will subject the members of the guard to punishment.

The latter provisions were proposed by the war department and their character provoked much opposition from Democrats and a few Republican members who declared that the officials of the war department were trying to develop a spirit of militarism. Democrat members also opposed the bill because of its added burden of expense, about \$3,000,000 for the support of the militia.

When Wagner Died.

"Nearly all the visitors to Venice," says a letter from that city, "go to the Vendramin palace to see the place where Wagner lived nearly a year and where he died in February, 1883. We who were here on that glorious spring day when they bore the master away, who remember the long line of mourning barges, wish that the palace could have among other mementoes a picture of that occasion. The great state barge contained Anton Seidl's orchestra, and after it came barges with singers, nobles, great men and women, all in deepest mourning. This is the scene which some artist should fix on canvas. But, alas, he who saw it could never know what it represented unless he had been here at the time. The music, under Seidl and Neumann, and its effect on the mourning throng no brush could portray."

Last Revolutionary Survivor.

The last survivor of the Revolutionary war was John Gray, who died in Noble county, O., aged 104 years, on March 26, 1898. He came to the Buckeye State early in its existence. For some years before he died he drew an annual pension of \$500 from the government. General John A. Bingham having got a special act through congress for this. Gray's father was killed at the battle of Stillwater and he took his place in the army, being only sixteen years old then. He served through the remainder of the war. His military record is on file at the office of the state commissioner of soldiers' claims.—Columbus Dispatch.

The Bull of Perillus.

Perillus of Athens is said to have invented for Phalaris, tyrant of Agriguntum, 570 B. C., a brazen bull which opened on the side to admit victims who were to be roasted by the fire which was built underneath. The dying groans of the sufferers resembled closely the roaring of a mad bull. Phalaris greatly admired the invention and by way of test roasted the inventor first. Later the populace rose in rebellion and burned Phalaris.

Progress.

"I notice a lady has received by wireless a prescription from her doctor at sea."

"What was it?" "Told her to brace up and she would be O. K."

"Well, well. Here's a case of drugless treatment by wireless prescription for a sickless illness. What an age we live in!"—Philadelphia Ledger.

Small Things.

We are too fond of our own will. We want to be doing what we fancy mighty things, but the great point is to do small things, when called to them, in a right spirit.—R. Cecil.

Marvelous.

He—There is no doubt that nature's works are indeed marvelous. She—Aren't they? Only fancy, even the tiniest insect has its Latin name.—London M. A. P.

Indispensable.

Kalcker—Did he make himself indispensable to the firm? Bocker—Yes, so much so that when he left they set three detectives looking for him.—New York Times.

## TO THE PUBLIC.

I have this day purchased the interest of E. W. Lupton, in the Carolina Grocery Company, doing business in New Bern, N. C., assuming all liabilities in said company.

H. W. LUPTON,  
New Bern, N. C.  
Feb. 1st 1911.

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E. W. LUPTON,  
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Feb. 1st 1911.

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