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Corner Main and Tenth Sts. Clean Shave. Every Shave and Hair Cut to suit you.
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Lady's watch. Initials E. M. M. on case and Wake Forest College badge attached. Finder will be suitably rewarded by returning it to N. B. JOSEY, Scotland Neck, N. C. 6-6-13-tf

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DR. CLARK'S SISTER DEAD.—Mrs. H. C. Bourne, who died in Tarboro last week, was sister to Dr. H. I. Clark of this place. His friends here and elsewhere sympathize with him in his bereavement.

UNLUCKY "13."—Some of our readers will no doubt observe that the date of their paper this week is printed June 6. By mistake part of the issue was printed before the date was changed. Was it because the date is "13"—that unlucky number?

Another Old Soldier Gone.

Mr. J. F. Craddock died at his home near Hobgood Wednesday, June 5th, aged 68 years. He was a brave Confederate soldier, served four years in the war, in the First N. C. Infantry. He was wounded in the head at Gettysburg, and was wounded on two other occasions.
Mr. Craddock was a loyal member of the Buck Kitchin Camp of Confederate Veterans, and his comrades remember him kindly and pleasantly, and deeply regret his death.

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Mrs. Mary Winifred Riddick.

Mrs. Mary Winifred Riddick wife of Julian S. Riddick of Spring Hill, passed out of this life of pain and suffering into the life of joy and peace, Wednesday night, June 5th, 1907, about 11 p. m., at Sarah Leigh hospital Norfolk, Va.

Mrs. Riddick had been a sufferer for several years from some subtle disease which had been all the while gradually sapping her strength and vitality; so that no one knew, until recently, that her case was one of such extreme difficulty and danger and, when scarcely anything could be done to ameliorate her awful suffering, then as a last resort, she was taken to the hospital, where, after everything was done for her that the best skill of wise and able physicians could do, she passed into the life where there is no death.

Mrs. Riddick was a good woman—good from her childhood, always loved truth and God, and hated falsehood with all her soul. The way of righteousness was joy to her. When 14 years of age she was confirmed in the Episcopal church, in Trinity church, Scotland Neck, April 3rd, 1892 by Bishop Theodore B. Lyman. One year afterward, on Easter day, April 3rd, 1893, she came for the first time to the Holy Communion. From that day until death, she led a sincere Christian walk with God.

Her three children will no more know the sweet influences of her mother love. Their grand-mother, Mrs. Mary E. Darden, will tenderly care for them. But no one else on earth can ever completely fill the wonderful and the unique position of the affectionate mother.
On Friday, June 7th, 1907, at 11 a. m. the funeral services were held in Old Trinity church. Many kind friends and neighbors were present to manifest their love and respect for our departed sister. They brought many beautiful flowers, and wreaths of roses, and fragrant lilies to lay on the grave, as a sweet tribute of affection, and loving remembrance of her, who is "Asleep in Jesus."

We cannot understand the mysteries of God. But we must know that God doeth all things well. He alone seeth through all the subtle intricacies of things in heaven and earth, and knoweth the wisest means of working out the greatest good for the souls of men, whom He wills to rejoice with Him in eternal glory. And suffering, and sorrow, and loss, and pain, and death are the agencies that God uses to bring men to Himself, so that as it is written, we must "through much tribulation enter into the kingdom of heaven." And labors, and afflictions, patiently borne, "are not in vain in the Lord." But they are the forerunners of that "glory which shall be revealed in us." And of that welcome into rest, "well done good and faithful servant, enter thou into the joy of the Lord."
G. W. P.

An Important Suit.

In Halifax Superior Court last week was tried an important suit between Mess. W. H. Josey and S. J. Stern, both of Scotland Neck. Mr. Josey sued Mr. Stern for damages in being placed on the "black list" through the Merchants Association of Scotland Neck. Josey claimed that Stern owed him when he (Stern) had his (Josey's) name placed on the black list.
The trial consumed four days and the verdict of the jury was in favor of the defendant. Notice of appeal was given.
The attorneys in the case were Mess. Albion Dunn, David Bell and ex-Governor C. B. Aycock for Josey, and Mess. Claude Kitchin, E. L. Travis, A. P. Kitchin and W. E. Daniel for the defendant.

Criminal Court.
The criminal court docket was pretty well cleared in Halifax last week. Following were the sentences by Judge Lyon, except the cases in which judgement was suspended on payment of cost:
Robert Armstrong, larceny, sentenced 12 months on the county roads.
Ed. Williams, larceny, 8 months on county roads.
Ples Jackson, affray, fined \$10.
Verner Gregory, larceny, 4 months on roads.
Irvin Whitaker, affray, 12 months on roads.
James Brown, assault and battery, 3 months on roads.

Miss Eunice McDowell, Lady Principal of Central Baptist College, Conway, Arkansas, came some days ago and will spend a good part of her vacation here. She was for some years one of the leading teachers in this State and now is doing a splendid work in far away Arkansas. Her friends here are glad to welcome her home and will enjoy her presence during her vacation rest.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

The Coming, Going and Whereabouts of Our People and Other Folks.

Mrs. C. V. Darden returned home Tuesday.

Miss Mabel Vaughan is visiting friends at Tillery.

Mr. J. D. Stewart returned from Hertford Tuesday.

Mr. Walter Leggett, of Edenton, was here Monday this week.

Mr. W. H. Kitchin came home some days ago from Chapel Hill.

Mrs. Dr. F. M. Register, of Tillery, was here one day last week.

Mr. Henry Clark and sister, Miss Anna, are visiting in Wilmington.

Mrs. S. J. Everett, of Williamston, was here Monday visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Madry are here from Penelo visiting relatives.

Mr. W. L. Vaughan left Saturday to enter the Wake Forest law school.

Dr. J. D. Hufham, of Henderson, is the guest of friends here this week.

Mr. R. E. Hancock returned Tuesday from a visit to the Jamestown Exposition.

Mr. O. A. Snipes, of Rocky Mount, was in town Tuesday shaking hands with friends.

Mr. Bruce Lewis, a student for the past year at Chapel Hill, has returned home.

Mrs. L. W. Bagley is here from Littleton visiting her daughter, Mrs. G. T. Lumpkin.

Miss Margaret Bowers, says the Enfield Progress, was visiting in that town last week.

Mrs. Susan Proctor, of Washington, N. C., is here on a visit to her son, Mr. E. J. Proctor.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Josey left Tuesday to spend a few days at the Jamestown Exposition.

Mrs. D. R. Anderson, of Weldon, was here last week to attend the funeral of Mrs. Riddick.

Mr. E. H. Pope, after a visit here to Mr. J. Bruce Futrell, left Friday for his home in Corry, Pa.

Mr. Edwin B. Josey has returned to Wake Forest College to resume his studies in the law school.

Rev. W. J. Smith, of Charlotte, was here last week. His many friends were glad to see him.

Rev. G. T. Lumpkin is in Rocky Mount this week assisting Dr. I. M. Mercer in a series of meetings.

Mrs. Lucy Mangum and daughter, Mrs. C. W. Wilson, left Tuesday for a short visit to relatives at Rich Square.

Miss Mary King, who spent a few days here visiting Mrs. J. B. Jones, left last week for her home at Thelma.

Mrs. J. H. Deford, of Suffolk, Va., is here on a visit to her cousins, Mrs. Joe H. Allsbrook and Mrs. W. W. Manning.

Mrs. G. T. Lumpkin and Miss Addie Lumpkin returned Thursday from a visit to Mrs. Lumpkin's parents at Littleton.

Misses Reba Clark a Rebe Shields came home some days ago from Raleigh where they had spent a year in St. Mary's school.

Mrs. Raymond C. Dunn, accompanied by Misses Anna Kitchin and Ethel Dunn, returned to her home in Enfield Friday.

Mr. R. J. Madry was called to Rocky Mount one day last week by the death of the child of his sister, Mrs. T. L. Worsley.

Miss Lucy Whitehurst has returned home from the State Normal at Greensboro where she had been in school for the past year.

Misses Grace and Iver Pope, who spent some days here visiting their aunt, Mrs. J. P. Futrell, left last week for their home in Corry, Pa.

Miss Bertha Keel, who has been visiting Miss Annie Blount Arrington, has returned to her home in Scotland Neck.—Enfield Progress.

Miss Reba Bishop came up from Norfolk to attend the funeral of Miss Rebecca Purrington. She remained a few days on a visit to her brother, Mr. W. E. Bishop.

Rev. L. J. Powell, a student of the Southern Baptist Theological Seminary at Louisville, is here for the summer to assist Rev. G. T. Lumpkin in his pastoral work in and around Scotland Neck.

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Death of Mr. J. H. Allsbrook.

Mr. James Henry Allsbrook, Sr., died at his home three miles from Scotland Neck, Wednesday night, June 5, at 9:30 o'clock, aged seventy-nine years. His remains were interred in the Episcopal cemetery Thursday afternoon, June 6, Elder W. B. Strickland conducting the burial service. The members of the immediate family are a wife, three sons, and one daughter, Mess. T. M. Allsbrook, of Kenly, N. C.; N. B. Allsbrook, of Louisburg, N. C.; Willie Allsbrook and Mrs. L. Wilkinson, of Scotland Neck.

Mr. Allsbrook was one of the best known and most highly esteemed citizens of this community. He had for many years been a consistent member of Kehukee Baptist church, and was devoted to it in prompt attendance as long as he was able to go. He had devoted most of his life to agriculture and was quite industrious in the work of his choice. He was a good neighbor, an upright citizen, a fond father and devoted husband. His death is a great loss to the community, the county and State. The loss of one of an upright life means much to any community; but it is a pleasing contemplation that Mr. Allsbrook came to a ripe old age with the heritage of a good name to his posterity.

In the service of the Southern Confederacy, he cut the timbers for the Confederate ram Albemarle, which was built on the Roanoke river about six miles from Scotland Neck. He was a man of remarkable physical strength and endurance, and maintained it until a few years ago when his health failed.

The large concourse of people which followed the remains to the cemetery attested the high esteem in which he was held in the community, and the many friends of the family keenly sympathize with them in their great affliction.

Mr. George Gardner's Marriage.

Some days ago the account of Mr. George W. Gardner's marriage appeared in the Wilmington Star. He is the son of Mr. R. Gardner, of this community, and lived in and about Scotland Neck until a year or two ago when he went to Wilmington to live. The Star says:

"A marriage of much interest to many friends here and elsewhere was that of Miss Marie G. Ennett, the attractive young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Ennett, of Middle Sound, and Mr. George W. Gardner, a son of Mr. and Mrs. Gardner, of Scotland Neck, but now a resident of this city. The ceremony was performed in the presence of a number of friends and relatives at 6 o'clock yesterday evening at the parsonage of Fifth Street M. E. Church, Rev. Kenneth D. Holmes, pastor of the congregation, officiating. Mr. and Mrs. Gardner received the happy congratulations of many friends. They will make their home in this city, the groom having a responsible position with Messrs. Levi McMillian, the shoe merchants on North Fourth street."

Children's Exercises.

There were interesting exercises in the Baptist church last Sunday afternoon. The children who participated were from the infant class, and their songs and recitations did great credit to the training which had been given them by Miss Annie Biggs.

Some two years ago this Sunday-school took up the cradle roll work, which has been under the management of Miss Annie Biggs; and part of the exercises Sunday was the promotion of twenty-five little children from the cradle roll to a place in the infant class. Each one was given a certificate of promotion.

Destructive Hail Storm Visits Hobgood.

A destructive hail storm visited the Hobgood community last Saturday afternoon, extending over a territory four miles in length and one mile wide. It was one of the severest that ever visited that community, and the cotton crop was almost entirely destroyed. Corn and peanuts were badly torn up but the damage was not so great as to the cotton. It is said that some of the farmers will plant peanuts in the place of the destroyed cotton while others are ordering more cotton seed and will plant a second time.

Will Preach at Roseneath.

We are requested to make the following announcement:
Rev. T. M. Johnson, of Greensboro, and President of the North Carolina M. P. Conference will preach at Roseneath Wednesday night June 19th, at 8 o'clock p. m. The public are cordially invited to attend this service.

Father and Sons Soldiers Together.

Mr. M. D. Allsbrook and his two sons, Mess. Bennett Allsbrook and Wilson Allsbrook, of this place, were all Confederate soldiers and are still living in Scotland Neck. The father, Mr. M. D. Allsbrook, and his son, Mr. Wilson Allsbrook, attended the Confederate reunion together at Richmond May 30th.

Death of Mrs. Louisa Parks.

Mrs. Louisa Parks died Saturday morning, June 8, at 6 o'clock at the home of her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Rosa Parks, aged eighty years. The remains were interred in the Baptist cemetery Saturday afternoon at 6 o'clock, Rev. G. T. Lumpkin conducting the funeral services.

Mrs. Parks' home had been near Crowells where she had spent most of her life until recently, when she moved to Scotland Neck to live with her daughter-in-law. She had long been a member of the Baptist church at Crowells. She leaves two sons, Mess. B. F. Parks and Jos. A. Parks, together with other relatives.

Hers was indeed a ripe old age and she leaves the abiding memory of a Christian life spent in the service of the Lord. Such an example and a good name make the best and noblest heritage that one can leave to those who are to come after.

Death of Thurman A. Pierce.

(Cor. to The Commonwealth.)
Hobgood, N. C. June 10th, 1907.

At eight o'clock Saturday morning June 8th, 1907, near Speed, N. C., death entered the peaceful home of Mr. and Mrs. William Pierce and robbed them of their only son, Thurman, who closed his eyes to the scenes of time to open them upon the beauties of eternity. Little Thurman was blind and never knew what it was to see. No one can tell the affliction and pain he suffered. His age was six years five months and twenty-four days.

We know he has gone to rest and we cannot murmur. Thurman was a sweet child, but God's wisdom cannot make a mistake and we know it was right. We believe, we love, we submit.

Death is sad and separation tears our heart, but hope in Christ is the sweet consolation and the comforting thought that drives the gloom from the grave. Many were the friends who went to weep with the bereaved ones. And for them and myself I speak the consoling word and commend them to Him who doeth all things well. His body was taken to Hobgood Sunday p. m. and laid to rest.

He leaves to mourn a father and mother and two dear little sisters, Misses Sarah and Nannie. We deeply sympathize with them in their sad bereavement.

Mr. Pierce wishes to express his sincere thanks and gratitude for the kindness and sympathy of the people of our neighborhood during the sickness of his child.

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