

SHORT LOCAL HAPPENINGS

Many Items of Interest Here Recorded. All of Which Will Perhaps Interest You—Read Them.

Henry Bennett, colored, is the only prisoner in jail.

Farming lands are damaged considerably by the recent rains.

Some hail fell here yesterday and a light frost was seen this morning.

Mr. W. B. Gray, who recently fell and broke his hip, is very much worse.

The infant child of Mr. John Hooks died in South Wadesboro this morning.

The advocates of a graded school for Lilesville were defeated last Tuesday by a vote of 35 to 57.

Rev. R. M. Mann spent several days of last week assisting in a protracted meeting at Marshville.

It is reported that an unusually heavy hailstorm did considerable damage near Lilesville yesterday afternoon.

The Martin Drug Co. has an alligator on exhibition which is adding much to the merriment of the youngsters of the town.

Mr. Jesse Edwards and Miss Annie Parker, both of upper Burnsfield, were married Sunday, May 27, by S. J. Turner officiating.

Don't forget the interesting picture show at the court house Thursday night. Part of the proceeds go to charitable objects.

Mr. E. F. Fenton will erect a six room cottage on his lot on Orchard street. The Wadesboro Brick & Lumber Co. will do the work.

Many of our young people attended the closing exercises of the Lilesville High School Friday night and report a very creditable entertainment.

"Uncle Jimmie" Martin is quite sick in his home near Red Hill. He has a host of friends throughout the county who will be sorry to learn of his illness.

His many friends here will sympathize with Maj. J. D. Shaw in the death of his wife, which occurred at Laurinburg Sunday night where she had gone to visit friends.

Mrs. "Sae" Ingram, relict of the late George Ingram, died at her home yesterday near Ansonville. The deceased was about 70 years of age and is survived by no children.

Six members of the family of Mr. W. P. Ingold of Ansonville are dangerously ill with typhoid fever. There is only one member of the family not suffering with the disease.

Foreman Womble of Blewett Falls was painfully hurt Tuesday by a falling cable which broke above him. Dr. Bennett was called and rendered the medical attention required.

Geo. Williams, colored, fell dead while plowing in his field near Mangum Thursday. He drank a large quantity of water just before and it is thought that this was in part responsible for his death.

It is earnestly requested that all members of the Baptist church will be present tomorrow night, when the calling of a pastor is to be considered. Let everyone, young and old, make it convenient to be present.

John McLean, a respected farmer, who lived just over the South Carolina line and in Chesterfield county, died Saturday. Mr. McLean had never married and was about 60 years of age at the time of his death.

Mr. C. R. Luther, under the direction of the new street committee, has completed an excellent sidewalk from the residence of Mr. T. J. Covington to the Cemetery. The work is very well done and adds much to that section of the town.

Mr. Vallie Lowe returned Saturday from Burlington, where he pitched a successful game of ball for that team against the Greensboro nine. Mr. Lowe struck out 18 of Greensboro's men and won the game for Burlington by a score of 11 to 4.

Prof. McIver, the recently elected superintendent of the graded schools for this place, is expected here within the next few days. He will spend sometime in the town and then decide whether or not he will accept the work here. We understand that a very strong effort is being made to retain him at Farmville, where he has taught for sometime.

Mrs. Laura Little of Richmond, Va., and a member of the Holly Wood memorial committee, has asked that those who have the graves of the Confederate dead at Richmond this week, will please send them to Mrs. Eugene Little not later than Wednesday at noon, when they will be sent to that place by express.

Piano Recital. The music class of the Pee Dee Institute will give a recital Friday afternoon to which the public is cordially invited. Miss DeVane is a teacher of rare training and she has been unusually successful with her class here this year, some credit for which is due to the bright young ladies who compose the class. The recital will be in the Institute at 5.30 o'clock and it promises to be one of the most enjoyable musical treats of the season.

Colored Man Drowned in Pee Dee.

Ed Dockery, colored, was drowned in Pee Dee river Tuesday night of last week. He came here early in the morning from his home at Mangum and got drunk before leaving town. When near the river he drove passed other wagons in the road and it is supposed, was unable to control his horse when the Dumas ferry was reached. At this point in the river, the water is eight or ten feet deep and it being late at night, no one was able to render any assistance. The wagon and horse washed down the river for about thirty yards and lodged. The body of the negro was found next day a little farther down the river.

Settlement With Ex-Sheriff Boggan.

The county commissioners were in session most of last week settling the taxes with ex-Sheriff Boggan. The amount of taxes actually paid in for the year 1906, is \$12,539.87. This is for the county, and a final settlement will be made in December. The amount of county funds now in the hands of Treasurer Craig is \$6,675.75. The following amounts have been paid in for the different road funds:

Table with 2 columns: Fund Name, Amount. Includes Wadesboro (\$7,512.08), Morven (934.11), White Store (304.65).

Mayor's Court.

D. H. Covington, drunk; \$2.50 and cost. D. H. Covington, carrying concealed weapon; bound to court in \$100 bond. L. T. Burr, drunk; \$2.50 and cost. Robt. Watkins and J. L. Deberry, both colored, boisterous conduct; Watkins fined \$2.50 and half cost and Deberry fined \$1.00 and half cost. Ed Little, a young negro, drunk; \$2.50 and cost. He was later sent to the streets to work out his fine and cost.

Temperance People Have a Meeting.

There was a meeting in the Presbyterian church yesterday of representative citizens from different sections of the county and the petitions asking for an election on the saloon question received. Reports from the county at large are quite flattering and there seems to be a spirit of determination existing among the temperance forces. Those who have petitions are urged to complete the canvass and send in their petitions by Saturday or not later than Monday, as that is the day when they are to be considered by the county commissioners.

Papers For Farmers.

At the "Anson County Rest Room For Ladies" are magazines for the ladies to read while they are waiting for their husbands, fathers and brothers to get through with their business.

The Rest Room is free to all ladies and they are privileged to carry their lunches to the room and have a nice quiet in-town picnic dinner every time they come to town.

There will be a number of daily and weekly papers sent to the room every day and the visiting ladies are requested to carry these to their homes and distribute them among their neighbors. All the business men and citizens of Wadesboro when through with their papers and magazines are requested to send them to the Rest Room so they may be given to the farmer's families.

New Advertisements.

How to take life easy—W. N. Jeans. Driving turnout—Huntley & Martin. Your first experience—Bank of Wadesboro. Around the world—J. L. Rayner. Stylish clothing—H. B. Allen & Co. Cool by day and by night—Gathings Furniture Co. Your dollars—P. T. Rhyne. Announcement—Rocky River Springs Hotel. For men only—Liles' Underselling Store, Morven. People's Headquarters—Henry Liles. Number of new business locals and mortgage sale.

Peachland.

Fine rains, fine stand of cotton and fine grass. The storm last Friday evening blew off the front of Mr. Jas. Crowder's store. The health of this section is good. Mr. T. C. Austin's little boy fell from a door, a few days ago, and broke his arm. Dr. Barrett set it and the little fellow is doing well. Sheriff Martin spent part of last week here with his family and friends. Mr. Raymond Kelly lost his horse and part of the contents by fire last week. No insurance. Some of the sportsmen from here went to Brown Creek last Friday with a dip net and report a thousand perch. Mrs. A. L. Garrison of Abbeville, S. C., who has been visiting her father, Mr. F. M. Gray, left for her home Sunday.

"Uncle" Bob Bastard, colored, died at the county home yesterday. He was a highly respected ex-slave and was perhaps 100 years old. Henry Leak, colored, died here last night. See H. H. Cox for Home or Church Organs.

PURELY PERSONAL

Miss Ada Carpenter of Cedar Hill returned Friday from Moultrie, Ga., where she has held the position of principal in the primary department of the graded school at that place.

Rev. F. A. Liles attended the Lyles-Lusk marriage at Hamlet Wednesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. McLendon and Miss Lina Lockhart went to Charlotte Thursday, returning Friday.

Miss Lena Burns is spending sometime with her aunt, Mrs. J. T. J. Battle of Greensboro.

Messrs. W. C. and Osborne Hardison, Fred Dunlap and T. J. Covington, Jr., returned from Horner's Military School Friday night. Mr. W. C. Hardison graduated there this year.

Miss Bessie Dunlap of Cedar Hill has returned from Norwood, where she taught most successfully during the past year.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Via are spending this week at Wilmington.

Miss Lucy DeVane of Red Springs is expected here Friday to visit her sister, Miss Clara DeVane.

Mrs. J. A. Covington of Rockingham, with her children, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Fenton, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bennett of Sumter, S. C., spent yesterday and Sunday with their mother, Mrs. L. C. Bennett.

Mrs. Young Morton of Rockingham spent Sunday and Monday with her sister, Mrs. W. B. Gray, in North Wadesboro township.

Mrs. J. D. Leak spent Friday and Saturday in Charlotte.

Prof. and Mrs. Kirby Rivers of Chesterfield, S. C., spent yesterday and Sunday with Mrs. Rivers' parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. S. P. Smith.

Miss Mary Clifford Bennett is visiting Miss Nan Little of Little's Mill.

Miss Lucretia Lee of Timmons-ville, S. C., is visiting her sister, Mrs. B. E. Bennett.

Miss Effie McAllister of Lilesville spent several days of last week with her sister, Mrs. T. C. Cox.

Mrs. N. T. Fletcher of Gibson is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Little.

Mr. E. C. Ingram spent several days of last week at Hendersonville, where he bought several town lots which he will improve with nice residences.

Miss Addie Bowman of Morven has returned from Concord, where she has been in school.

Mrs. E. W. Martin is visiting Mrs. W. J. Ferrell of Raleigh.

Miss Ella Tice left today for Pinehurst to visit her brother, Mr. G. W. Tice.

Col. W. C. Jones was here yesterday from Carthage.

Miss Mollie Tarlton of White Store returned yesterday from Sanford, where she spent a week with her sisters, Mesdames J. W. Little and G. F. Myers.

Mr. and Mrs. T. V. Hardison of Morven expect to go to Chapel Hill the latter part of this week, where their son, Mr. Battle Hardison, will graduate.

Messrs. Eugene Moore and Thos. Hardison of Morven returned from the A. & M. College last night. Mr. J. P. Bivens, who graduates there this year, will return later during the week.

Messrs. Tyler Dunlap of Cedar Hill and James Brasington came in from the A. & M. College at Raleigh this morning.

Mr. Reese Blair Boylin returned from Chapel Hill last night.

Miss Carrie Mayes of Mayesville, S. C., is visiting her sister, Mrs. W. B. Smith.

Mrs. Mary Little and daughter, Mrs. E. A. Covington, Mrs. J. M. Covington, Miss Kate Leak and Mr. John T. Bennett went to Rockingham this morning to attend the burial of the late Mrs. J. D. Shaw.

Miss Hattie May Gathings will return from the Baptist University tomorrow.

Mr. Ed. Sullivan went to Pittsburg, Pa., last night where he will spend the summer.

Morven News.

Misses Carrie and Essie McQueen came home last week from Raleigh, where they had been attending school at the Peace Institute.

Mrs. M. F. Robbins of Rockingham is visiting Mrs. M. M. Long.

Mrs. Mattie Woodburn left last week for Dillon, S. C., where she was called to the bedside of her sister, Mrs. Emma Bass, who is critically ill.

Master Dixon Hines of New York is spending the summer here with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Hines.

On Thursday night next there will be a spelling match at the academy, after which the Ladies Aid Society of the Methodist church will serve ice-cream. The grown people as well as the children will take part in the spelling.

The Children's Day exercise which were held at the Presbyterian church Sunday was quite a success. The church was filled to its capacity and the children acted their parts remarkably well.

Mr. E. B. Moore, who has been in school at the A. & M. College, came home last night.

Miss Rosa Williams of Polkton has returned home after visiting Mrs. D. A. Liles.

The Rest Room for Country Ladies.

Is located in the Willoughby House, East of Bentons' Hotel, and just across the street from the cotton lot. It is free to all ladies. They will find all the conveniences for their comfort that they have at their own homes. This Rest Room deserves to be constantly commended and this notice will stand at the head of our most prominent column as a token of THE ANSONIAN'S approval of this worthy contribution of comfort to the country ladies.

Big Brown Creek.

"As ye sow, so shall ye reap." Sow whiskey and you are sure to reap drunkards.

Some fever and chills in our community.

Oats are fine feed just now. Last year we had a drouth of three weeks about this time and then a three months' rain.

Another poor negro meets death in a watery grave. Whiskey the cause.

Sow whiskey and you reap drunkards.

Twenty-three men have died since saloons were opened in Wadesboro either directly or indirectly on account of whiskey. Say, members of the churches, can you vote that ticket? Even the poor drunkards are asking the curse out of the county. I saw a man from South Carolina a few days ago who said that whiskey from Wadesboro was killing men down there. Have we nothing better to give our sister state?

Sow whiskey and you reap drunkards.

I was at the quarterly meeting at Wightman, the 18th inst. The attendance was good and the spiritual condition of the church was reported fairly good. The financial report was good. The women of that section certainly know how to prepare good things to eat. The elder said that he was at the Wadesboro depot last winter and had to wait four hours for a train. The weather was cold and the drunkards were drunk and still drinking. There was so much cursing and swearing that it was disgusting to any decent man. Many were forced to leave the depot and seek shelter elsewhere. Shall our county seat continue to be disgraced by the hogs and blind tigers from other counties.

The petitions calling for an election in August on the whiskey question have been circulated in Wightman and I heard of only three persons who refused to sign it.

Mr. J. T. Hendley has secured from the government recently 1000 black bass fish and has placed them in Brown creek. We will have to set a steel trap for John Lowe. UMBRA.

Something to offer at bargains in rugs and matting at "The House Of Quality." Who is it?

WADESORO MARKET.

Prizes Paid by Local Merchants—Corrected Weekly.

Table with 2 columns: Item, Price. Includes Best Cotton (12.50), Corn (85), Cotton seed (30), Oats (65), Eggs (15), Chickens—Spring (18 to 30), Hens (35), Butter (20), Lard (14), Tallow (4), Beeswax (15), Potatoes—Sweet (80), Potatoes—Irish (1.00), Onions (1.00), Beef, Gross (34), Pork (9), Hides—Green (6), Hides—Dry (13), Hams (17).

Business Locals

Advertisements under this heading will be inserted for 5 cents a line for the first insertion and 3 cents a line for each subsequent insertion.

PAINTING—I am prepared to do all kinds of buggy painting at reasonable prices. E. Barfield, at Pinkston's Shop, Wadesboro, N. C.

FOR SALE—250 acres heavily timbered lands near Carthage. Will sell or trade for lots in Wadesboro. J. C. Barfield, Wadesboro, N. C.

BROWN STONE FOR SALE—I have a fine lot of Sawed Hearth Stones and Paving Stones, also Rough and Saved Pillars that I will sell cheap. MRS. ELLA POLK, Wadesboro, N. C., R. F. D. No. 1.

DOG LOST—Strayed in Wadesboro Saturday, a Black Spaniel about 1 year old. Any information paid for at this office.

FOUND—A pair of Eyeglasses. Owner can get the same by describing and paying for this ad. National Hotel.

After trying a number of hair tonics and all to no effect, I tried VEGELINE and found it to be a sure cure for dandruff, and it will prevent baldness. We are the only people that keep it. Also, we are now prepared to wait on you at any time you may call. King's Shaving Parlor.

IN THE NEW STUDIO—and doing business. A fine light and airy room. Up-to-date photos and satisfaction guaranteed. Join the procession headed toward Gallagher's Studio, opposite cotton platform.

IF YOU WANT Fine Tailoring—Cutting, Making, Alteration, Cleaning, Pressing or a handsomely made Suit or a pair of Trousers, call on BYRD, South Green St. Phone No. 85.

NOTICE. Will Maness and Cassie Tucker, two young white boys, having contracted to work for me and then leaving without fulfilling their contract, I hereby forbid any person or persons harboring and hiding either of the boys. The full penalty of the law will be enforced. GEORGE RATLIFF, Wadesboro, N. C., Route 2.

THE PEOPLE'S HEADQUARTERS The Busy Corner

Here you find everyone of the big Departments in hot weather attire, bidding you come to the feast which is spread for the trading public. Already May has outstripped any spring month in previous years for amount of sales by a good majority, which is a certain pointer that shows you where the people are finding the merchandise that suits them at prices, consistent with the qualities, which are as low or lower priced than the same article can be found elsewhere. Buying goods for our chain of stores in such large quantities direct from manufacturers and importers, enables us to save you a little on the smallest purchase, but there is nothing like seeing, so I invite you to come.

Shoes for Good Old Summer Time and Dry Goods Specials. Lists prices for various shoe and fabric items.

Millinery Department Special. New things arrive almost daily. As soon as a new style makes its appearance and is approved, direct it comes to us, so if you want Hats that sway in fashion's realm always visit our Millinery Salon on second floor. We make a specialty of Mourning Bonnets and Children's Goods. The Busy Corner Department Stores. HENRY LILES

K. W. ASHCRAFT THE LEADER IN LOW PRICES. Everything that is wanted can be found at this live store. Dry Goods of every kind, wool dress goods, white goods for waisting, white goods for dresses at any and all prices, Clothing for men and boys, Shoes for men and ladies, misses and children—all new at the lowest price. The only store in town where you can buy all you want under one roof. Everything in Notions, Dry Goods and Shoes. Everything in Groceries, from a box of matches to a car of flour or corn.

Feast of Bargains Is Now Ready At The CASH STORE. All those who want The Best Values for The Least Money should turn their steps this way. Here Are Just a Few of the Many Bargains. The best Gingham on the market for 5c yd. Beautiful Figured Lawns for 10c. Embroidery and Lace of all widths, from the cheapest to the finest. The prettiest line of Calicoes in town for 6, 7 and 8c. Fine line of White Goods at 10c, 15c, 20c, 25c, 35c, 50c. Mohair (white and black) 50c. All kinds of Woolen Goods at 50c, 75c and \$1.00. Ladies' Fine Slippers \$1.25, 1.75 and 2.50. Ladies' White Canvas Slippers \$1.00 and 1.50. Men's Fine Patent Leather Shoes \$3.00, 3.50 and 4.00. From this short list you have just a faint idea of what awaits you at the Cash Store.

K. W. ASHCRAFT RUTHERFORD STREET W. J. HUNTLEY