

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 13, 1903.

LOCAL NEWS

—Preaching Sunday morning and night at Hamilton by the Rev. B. K. Mason.

—\$500.00 worth of Ladies' Jackets at Carstarphen's. Latest styles. Come at once.

—Don't fail to read the opening chapters of "The Mystery of Glaslov" to be found in this issue.

—Maj. A. J. Mizell, Martin county's oldest citizen, is critically ill at his home several miles from town.

—The latest styles in Ladies' CLOAKS and MILLINERY are our specialties. C. D. Carstarphen & Company.

Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets are becoming a favorite for stomach troubles and constipation. For sale by S. R. Biggs.

—We are glad to state that Miss Hannah Vic Fowden, who was so badly hurt in the runaway accident some weeks ago, is able to be up at this writing.

—Preaching at the Methodist church Sunday morning and evening at the usual hours, and at Holly Springs at 3 o'clock, p. m. All are cordially invited to attend.

—The editor of this paper will give a year's subscription to the person killing the largest hog before December 1st, 1903. This offer is open to any Martin County citizen. Who has the largest hog?

—Mr. John D. Laughinghouse the clever salesman who for some months past has been representing the Southern Supply Company, left for Richmond Va., Tuesday evening where he goes on a business trip.

—The November issue of the "Purple Folder" of the Atlantic Coast Line contains an accurate map of the State of Florida in addition to the map of the System, which adds to the attractiveness of this folder. 7-21.

—Dr. W. H. Wakefield, of Charlotte, N. C., will be in Williamston at the Hassell House on Saturday, December 12th, for one day only. His practice is limited to Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat, and adjusting glasses.

—A. L. Robuck, of Robersonville, was a pleasant caller at our office Monday. Before leaving he paid for his paper to January, 1905. Mr. Robuck appreciates THE ENTERPRISE and wants to see it continue. If there were more like him a better paper would be published at Williamston.

—Last Sunday at the morning service at the Baptist church, Rev. B. K. Mason tendered his resignation to take effect February 1st, 1904, if not sooner. Mr. Mason has two calls, one from Jackson, N. C., and the other from Broad street, Winston. The resignation has not been accepted yet.

FIRE DESTROYS THE PACK HOUSE OF J. G. STATON

20,000 Pounds of Tobacco Burned Yesterday evening about half past six o'clock the pack house of J. G. Staton which contained 20,000 pounds of tobacco was burned to the ground.

Mr. Staton was in town when the fire broke out, but was soon at the scene. Nearly everyone who could get teams went out to the fire and assisted in saving his other barns and pack houses. The building that was destroyed was worth about \$8,000 and was insured for \$2,000. The tobacco was the finest Mr. Staton had raised and it is said that it was worth \$25,000, there was only \$1,300 insurance on the tobacco. Mr. Staton's loss will be about \$1,800. It is not known how the fire originated.

1,000 Young Men Wanted for Positions Guaranteed in Writing

A striking illustration of the almost unlimited demand for young men and women of business education is found in the advertisement of the Ga.-Ala. Business College, of Macon, Ga., calling for 1,000 of them at once.

That world-renowned institution is receiving so many more calls for graduates than can be supplied that it has not only greatly reduced its tuition, but has concluded to pay railroad fare and give written guarantee of positions to all graduates who desire them, under a \$5,000 bank forfeit.

AROUSSED BY FLAMES

The Residence of Hon. W. G. Lamb Damaged by Fire. Loss \$1,500. Covered by Insurance

Tuesday morning at three o'clock the handsome residence of Hon. Wilson G. Lamb, on Smithwick street was found to be on fire. The family were sleeping on the second floor and were aroused by the smell of smoke, which was so dense the stairway was found with difficulty.

Miss Mayo Lamb, with rare presence of mind, groped her way through the smoke and heat down the stairs and carried her little niece to a place of safety then returned to slow the way to the others who were still above the stairs.

The fire was within the wall about the stairway burning at a furious rate.

The peeling of the fire bell soon brought scores of volunteer firemen who worked like trained men. Their efforts were aided by several small chemical engines, and after a long time the fire was fully subdued.

At one time it was thought best to abandon the building, but one more effort was made and the building though badly scarred was saved. The fire is supposed to have been caused by rats carrying match sticks within the walls. The furniture and personal effects were badly damaged, but fully covered by insurance. Conservative estimates place the damage on the building and contents at \$1,500.

A Sovereign Remedy

James Bond, of Windsor, N. C., writes: "This is to certify that I have used Worthington's Family Remedy in my family for more than 40 years, for Cramps, Colic, Cholera Morbus and Diarrhoea, have found it to be a sovereign Remedy." Price 25 cents. For sale by S. R. Biggs and dealers.

"POSSUM AND TATERS"

A Straightout Stag Party Last Friday evening Messrs. Allen, Cothran, Monk and Jeffress, the clever tobacco men, gave their friends quite a treat at the "ranch," as the Hassell House Annex is popularly called, where a sumptuous feast was spread.

The guests of these popular gentlemen didn't fail to do justice to the good things put before them.

The long hall was turned into a dining room, and a table was laid the whole length of it.

It was an enjoyable occasion, everyone present had a good time and ate to their heart's content. The following gentlemen were present: C. E. Allen, J. F. Cothran, J. Y. Monk and C. A. Jeffress, hosts; J. R. Robertson, K. B. Crawford, J. S. Cook, D. W. Morris, F. S. Upton, J. G. Staton, Wheeler Martin, W. M. York, W. M. Sitterton, J. T. Ragan, J. D. Leggett, W. A. Jones, W. T. Meadows, J. D. Laughinghouse, J. H. Page, W. T. Crawford; F. M. Pittman, of Kinston; A. E. Whitmore and Clayton Moore.

Messrs. J. D. Leggett and W. M. York carried off the prize as champion 'possum eaters.

THE MENU: OYSTERS Half-Shell Fried Stewed Olives Pickles Celery 'Possum, Taters and Gravy. Crackers Biscuits Corn Bread Coffee Wines Liquors Beers Cigars

FROM SOUTH AFRICA

New Way of Using Chamberlain's Cough Remedy

Mr. Arthur Chapman, writing from Durban, Natal, South Africa, says: "As a proof that Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is a cure suitable for old and young, I pen you the following: A neighbor of mine had a child just over two months old. It had a very bad cough and the parents did not know what to give it. I suggested that if they would get a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and put some upon the dummy teat the baby was sucking it would no doubt cure the child. This they did and brought about a quick relief and cured the baby." This remedy is for sale by S. R. Biggs.

To the Citizens of Williamston

I beg to express my warmest thanks to my friends white and colored, who so kindly, by heroic work, saved my residence from being entirely burned on the night of the 9th inst. I shall always, gratefully, remember their goodness.

WILSON G. LAMB.

WEDDING BELLS

Minga-Peele

The Methodist Episcopal Church was a scene of much loveliness on the morning of the 11th inst., when the marriage of Miss Lavenia Weathersbee Peele and Mr. Fabius Lee Minga was celebrated. The decorations of the church were green and yellow; arches of green, and yellow chrysanthemums were placed over each of the aisles leading to the altar, and just beneath the arches were gates of the same color. The alter was a mass of flowers, palms of great size, many ferns, yellow chrysanthemums were in abundance. Under the chandelier in the center of the church was an arch of yellow chrysanthemums tied with white ribbon, falling to the floor, dividing the seats which were reserved for the relatives and friends of the bride and groom; the bride's mother, Mrs. Mary E. Peele and her friends were seated on the right, and the friends of the groom on the left.

Promptly at thirty minutes past seven o'clock the bridal party began to form. The music which was rendered by Miss Jennie Moore was of a very high class, and when the soft tones of the wedding march were begun the Misses Essie Peele, sister of the bride, and Nolie York, both wearing dainty costumes of white silk, went forward to open the gates through which the party was to pass. The Messrs. Cushion Biggs Hassell and Charles Hudgens Godwin, John Lanier Hassell and Harry Alexander Biggs ushers, were the next to enter, taking a position near the foot of the altar. The bride's attendants, the Misses Alys Vivian Lutz and Loulie Biggs Staton came and stood on the altar beneath two immense palms. Next Misses Emma Eugenia Hassell and Anna Marie Crawford, they also standing on the altar, a few steps lower; then the Misses Carrie Alexander Biggs and Anna Pope, taking positions between the ushers. Misses Ida Beauregard Hassell and Nora Julia Fowden came next and stood by the side of the former ladies. The attendants wore gowns of white of exquisite design, black hats and carried yellow chrysanthemums and ferns. Next came Master William Harrell and little Miss Mary Joyes Whitmore, who carried the book of service and the wedding ring. Then little Miss Carrie Dell Blount came in front of the bride strewing flowers in her path. The bride, on the arm of her sister, Miss Henrietta Peele, maid of honor, was clothed in a creation of white broad cloth hand embroidered with white roses. Mr. Minga and his best man, Mr. Frank Jordan, of Norfolk, Va., met the bride and maid of honor at the altar when Rev. T. H. Sutton read the service. The Misses Essie Peele and Nolie York left their positions at the gates and caught the ribbons from the chandeliers while the party left the church.

The number of magnificent presents which the couple received testified to their great popularity.


The bride changed her costume to a black traveling gown, and at the station they took the 8:30 train for a tour of the South, which will embrace Charleston, S. C., Atlanta, Ga., Florida, New Orleans and thence to Chicago. Upon their return they will have a residence in Norfolk, Va.

On the evening of the 9th, a collation was danced complimentary to the bridal party. The dancers were: Miss Lavenia Peele and Mr. Minga; Miss Helen Moore, of Washington, and Mr. Kader Crawford; Miss Laura Jones and Mr. Frank Hassell; Miss Emma Hassell and Mr. Wilson G. Lamb, Jr.; Miss Ida Hassell and Mr. Clarence Jeffress; Miss Anna Crawford and Mr. John Lamb; Miss Loulie Staton and Mr. C. B. Hassell; Miss Ella Staton and Mr. Percy Millner; Miss Mittie Coffield and Mr. Charles Godwin; Miss Mayo Lamb and Mr. Harry Biggs; Miss Eliza Lamb and Mr. Frank Godwin; Miss Jennie Moore and Mr. B. T. Cowper; Miss Nora Fowden and Mr. Rome Biggs; Miss Nannie Biggs and Mr. George Whitley; Miss Alys Lutz and Mr. James Monk; Miss Delta Lanier and Mr. Luke Lamb; Miss Nolie York and Mr. William Watts; Miss Essie Peele and Mr. Wig Watts, Jr.; Miss Henrietta Peele and Mr. Frank Jordan, of Norfolk, Va.; Miss Marina Whitley and Mr. Paul Simpson; Miss Mary Whitley and Mr. Clayton Moore. Chaperones: Continued on next page.

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PERSONAL

- G. M. Burras, of Jamesville, was in town Tuesday.
- John Getsinger, of Everetts, was here Tuesday evening.
- G. P. McNaughton, of Everetts, was in town Tuesday.
- Dr. H. O. Hyatt, of Kinston, was in town this week.
- J. L. Davenport, of Jamesville, was in town yesterday.
- F. L. Gladstone and John Cloman are in town to-day.
- Leon Ray, of Tarboro, spent several days in town this week.
- Postmaster Peal, of Everetts, was in town a short while yesterday.
- Rev. M. Humble, of Robersonville, was in town Tuesday evening.
- A. R. Dunning and John Peel, of Robersonville, are in town to-day.
- Eli Roberson, of Contentnea, spent last Friday in town visiting his parents.
- Mr. Hamlin, an insurance agent, of Danville, Va., spent several days with Mr. T. J. Smith this week.
- Dr. and Mrs. J. D. Biggs, attended the Salsbury-Baker nuptials in Hamilton Tuesday morning.
- Miss Bertie McNaughton, of Everetts, attended the Minga-Peele nuptials here Wednesday morning.
- Mrs. N. S. Peel left Tuesday afternoon for Elizabeth City where she will spend a week visiting relatives.
- George Roberson, of Robersonville, came in Tuesday evening to attend the Minga-Peele wedding Wednesday morning.
- J. H. Sherrod, of Enfield, was in town Tuesday. He was here from Hamilton where he attended the Salsbury-Baker wedding.
- Mrs. T. J. Latham and Miss Nina Robertson returned from Washington City Tuesday evening accompanied by Mrs. C. R. Alley and Miss Bessie Latham.
- Mrs. J. D. Biggs, Sr., left Monday morning for Baltimore where she goes to be with her daughter, Mrs. A. T. Crawford, who is under treatment in a hospital there.
- A. T. Crawford returned Wednesday evening from Baltimore, where he had been attending the Primitive Baptist Associations. The elder reports a delightful trip. The trip was very beneficial to his health, he having gained fifteen pounds while away.
- Nearly everyone enjoys a good story. Read "The Mystery of Glaslov" which makes its appearance in this issue.
- Church of the Advent Services on the second Sunday of the month, morning and evening, and on the Saturday (5 p. m.) before, and Monday (9 a. m.) after the second Sunday of the month. All are cordially invited. Rev. B. S. Lassiter, Rector.

WE SEND GREETING



Standing upon the threshold of a new season, WE SEND GREETING. Autumn, with its whistling winds and frosty mornings is now upon us. The FALL CLOTHING QUESTION is now an important matter for consideration, and we take great pleasure in cordially inviting every man or parent who will have clothing to buy during the coming season to call upon us for the purpose of looking at and examining the NEW FALL CLOTHING. Hats, Men's Shirts and Underwear we are showing.

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SPECIAL NOTICES

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- If you want something and it is worth having let the people know about it through THE ENTERPRISE.
- If you have anything to sell, and its worth selling, let the people know it through THE ENTERPRISE.
- Locals under this heading 5 cents a line each insertion. No "ad." taken for less than 15 cents. Special rates for long time.
- FOR RENT—For the year 1904 my store on Main street now occupied by Mizell & Brown Co. Size of store is 24 x 90 feet. For further information apply to J. A. MARTIN, Robersonville, N. C. 7-31
- LOST—Between the Graded School building and the residence of George W. Newell, a fountain pen with black staff and a gold band around each end. The finder will please return it to The Enterprise office and receive a suitable reward.
- FOR SALE—One second-hand Piano in thorough repair and excellent condition. Cheap for Cash. It is a bargain. Apply at The Enterprise Office.
- FOR SALE—For Cash or on time, on good security: 75 acres good farming land well timbered, 7 miles from Williamston the same being a part of the old Ailsbrook place. Apply to Mrs. A. M. RIDDICK, Scotland Neck, N. C. 5-41
- Disastrous Wrecks Carelessness is responsible for many a railway wreck and the same causes are making human wrecks of sufferers from Throat and Lung troubles. But since the advent of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, even the worst cases can be cured, and hopeless resignation is no longer necessary. Mrs. Lois Cragg, of Dorchester, Mass., is one of many whose life was saved by Dr. King's New Discovery. This great remedy is guaranteed for all Throat and Lung diseases by all druggists. Price 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottles free.

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