

LOCAL NEWS

Read the ads in this issue. Our streets are drying up very fast. March began in earnest yesterday. County Commissioners will meet Monday. Service at Holly Spring's church to-night. Preaching at Vernon M. E. church Sunday afternoon. Services at the Methodist church Sunday morning and evening. Epworth League meeting Sunday afternoon.

"Stop your groaning." Rheumatism will cure you, and make you feel ten years younger. Get it at your druggist's. T. C. Cook cut his left hand very badly Tuesday while upholstering a sofa. While the wound is not serious it was very painful.

Mr. J. C. Getsinger, from Jamesville neighborhood, was in town Wednesday and while here called at our office and renewed his subscription. Mr. Wheeler Martin went to Norfolk this week to purchase more horses and mules for the Martin Live Stock Co. This has been a fine season for them.

If troubled with weak digestion, belching or sour stomach, use Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets and you will get quick relief. For sale by S. R. Biggs.

Capt T. W. Thomas returned from the hospital at Rocky Mount last Saturday evening. His hand is healing very nicely now and it is hoped will soon be entirely well.

Mr. W. H. Peel, of Griffins, brought us a fine lot of sweet potatoes this week. He says he cannot read The Enterprise without paying for it. Many thanks to Mr. Peel for the potatoes.

STRAYED - Two black and white spotted male pigs, about two months old, from my premises yesterday afternoon. Any information as to whereabouts will be rewarded. 11-2d WILL H. WILLIAMS

Dr. W. H. Wakefield, of Charlotte, N. C., will be in Williamston at the Hassell House on Thursday, March 10th, for one day only. His practice is limited to Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat, and fitting Glasses.

Information was received from Greenville yesterday that the dispensary had won by one majority, and that the election was being fought on the ground that the winning vote was cast after the polls should have been closed.

We are having a wood famine at this office. While writing this we are burning old boxes and anything else we can get to burn; there is not a stick of wood in the place. Went some of our readers who are behind with their subscription please bring us some wood.

One of the colored trainmen on the Plymouth freight was seriously injured at Parmele this morning while shifting some cars at that point. Both legs and one arm were cut off. The doctor says he cannot live. He will be taken to his home in Rocky Mount.

Letter to Mayor Ewell Williamston, N. C.

Dear Sir: You are interested in the prosperity of your town. You can contribute to it materially, and give it a far more prosperous look at the same time.

Perhaps the public property needs a good coat of paint.

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The reason is stated above: Devoe is all paint and full-measure: the strongest paint known.

E D Jewell, Corry, Pa, painted his house 5 years ago with mixed paint; took 14 gallons. Last spring he repainted with Devoe; bought 14 gallons and had 4 left. Saved \$15 to \$20, for painting costs two or three times as much as the paint.

Yours truly, F. W. Devoe & Co. New York. P. S.: Simpson Hdw. Co. sell our paint.

Rocky Mount Loses Heavily by a Fire

Rocky Mount, N. C., March 2 - Between midnight and day light this morning a large part of the business section of Rocky Mount was laid in ashes, involving a loss variously estimated at from \$75,000 to \$100,000. The fire company fought the flames bravely, but was unable to check their progress until the town had suffered the worst loss it has ever experienced.

It was at 11:30 last night that fire broke out at the opera house, from which it spread rapidly, being fanned by a brisk wind. Among the buildings destroyed are the Masonic temple, the Bank of Rocky Mount, the opera house, the post office, the telephone exchange and a half dozen of the best stores in the town. It is believed that the fire was of incendiary origin.

There will be little interruption of business on account of the fire. Those having suffered losses are already getting ready to replace their buildings, and in the meantime they have made temporary arrangements to carry on business as heretofore. The bank has moved into the Savings Bank building. Its doors were opened for transaction of business this morning. An examination of the bank's vaults this morning showed that their contents were unharmed.

The post office officials saved all the mails and stock of postage stamps. Some of the merchants saved a considerable part of their stocks. Most of the losses are partly covered by insurance.

Millionaire's Poor Stomach

The worn-out stomach of the over-fed millionaire is often paraded in the public prints as a horrible example of the evils attendant on the possession of great wealth. But millionaires are not the only ones who are afflicted with bad stomachs. The proportion is far greater among the toilers. Dyspepsia and indigestion are rampant among these people, and they suffer far worse torments than the millionaire unless they avail themselves of a standard medicine like Green's August Flower, which has been a favorite household remedy for all stomach troubles for over thirty-five years. August Flower rouses the torpid liver, thus creating appetite and insuring perfect digestion. It tones and vitalizes the entire system and makes life worth living, no matter what your station. Trial bottles, 25c; regular size, 50c. S. R. Biggs

A NOTABLE EVENT

Mr. Henry Gurkins Gives a Delightful Reception

The Roanoke Hotel was the scene of much loveliness on the evening of the 29th inst. when Mr. W. Henry Gurkins received a large number of his friends. The event was a notable one. All were in a merry spirit and the hours passed rapidly. The guests were asked from 5:30 to 12, and the hour for leaving came too soon. Mr. Gurkins' kind hospitality was greatly enjoyed to the highest extent. The halls and parlor of the hotel were beautifully decorated. Mr. Gurkins received in the parlor. Choice refreshments were delightfully served in the beautiful dining-room of the hotel.

The following were present: Mr. and Mrs. Clarence R. White, Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Terry, Mr. and Mrs. George W. Blount, Mr. S. Atwood Newell and Miss Nelle Simpson, Mr. Frank Godwin and Miss Mary Sue Whitmore, Mr. G. N. Gurganus and Miss Mary Bonner Hatton, Mr. Lewis Godwin and Miss Ida Williams, Mr. Louis Bennett and Miss Mattie Waters, Mr. Wilmer Sitterson and Miss Annabelle Everett, Mr. Grover Hardison and Miss Annie Peele, Mr. Rufus Coburn and Miss Mae Bennett, Mr. Fountain Lipscomb and Miss Daisy Whitley, Misses Essie Ray, Sallie Richardson, Beulah Bateman, Sallie Corey, Messrs. J. E. Pope, Clarence A. Jeffress, Lee Terry, John Hassell, Herbert Peele, Jesse Glenn, W. H. Williams, Clayton Moore and C. W. Keith.

Best Remedy for Constipation

"The finest remedy for constipation I ever used is Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets," says Mr. Eli Butler, of Frankville, N. Y. "They act gently and without any unpleasant effect, and leave the bowels in a perfectly natural condition." Sold by S. R. Biggs.

The street roller is at work today and is making quite an improvement in the looks of the street.

PERSONAL.

Mr. A. R. Dunning, of Robersonville, was here Monday.

Mr. C. C. Jagan, of Dardens, was in town Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. John C. Lamb returned from Chapel Hill Saturday evening.

Misses Annie Peele and Annabelle Everett spent Wednesday night in Jamesville.

Mr. J. W. Watts left yesterday morning for Calm Point to look after his fishing interest.

Hon. H. W. Stubbs is attending court at Winton this week, having several important cases for trial.

Messrs. J. S. Cook and Dennis S. Biggs returned Wednesday evening from a three day's trip in Norfolk.

Miss Bertie McNaughton, of Everetts, and her friend, Miss Lottie Harrell, of Scotland Neck, were in town yesterday.

Miss Henrietta Peele left Tuesday morning for Norfolk, Va., to visit her sister, Mrs. F. L. Muga. She will be absent about three weeks.

To Cure a Cold in One Day

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c.

On Monday, February 22, the First Grade pupils at Williamston Graded School, celebrated Washington's birthday very appropriately during the recess hour. After marching around the school campus they were formed in line and sang several patriotic airs. The teacher, Miss Whitley, had very carefully given the pupils a recital of Washington's life as a boy and impressed them with his manly qualities. A souvenir hatchet was given to each pupil by the teacher with the request that they write upon it the motto: "Be Truthful." Miss Whitley is to be highly commended for this step, as it is right that our boys and girls should be taught to love and honor the memory of great and good men.

Democrats, Attention

Washington, D. C., Feb. 29.

Dear Sir: There will be a meeting of the Democratic State Central and Executive Committees in the city of Raleigh, in the Senate Chamber, on Tuesday, March 17th, 1904, at 8 o'clock, for the purpose of fixing the time and place for the State convention of the party, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the committee.

Very truly yours, F. M. SIMMONS, Ch'm. A. J. FIELD, Sec'y.

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Church Notes

The finest city and village churches are painted with the Loughman & Martinez Paints, and we want every Church to accept our donation whenever they paint.

8 & 6 make 14, therefore when you want fourteen gallons of paint buy only eight of L. M. and mix six gallons of pure Linseed Oil with it, making actual cost of paint about \$1.20 per gallon.

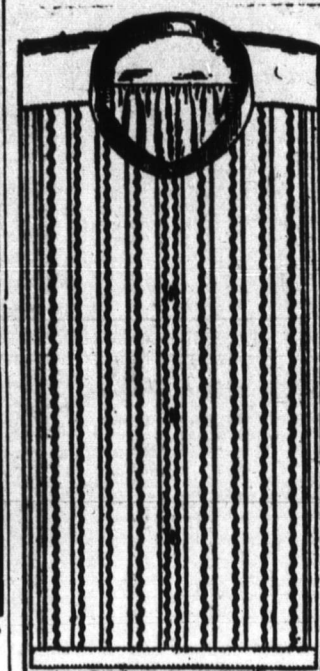
Don't pay \$1.50 a gallon for Linseed Oil (worth 60 cents) which you do when you buy other paints in a can with a paint label on it. Many houses are well painted with four gallons of L. & M. and three gallons of Linseed Oil mixed therewith.

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