

LOCAL NEWS

I'll brave the storms of Chilkoot pass, I'll cross the plains of frozen glass, I'd leave my wife and cross the sea Rather than be without Rocky Mountain Tea. J. M. Wheelless & Co. Robersonville.

—Any one desiring to purchase a gasoline engine will do well to call or write to A. E. Whitmore, Williamston, N. C. who will make low figure on the best gasoline engine on the market, "the Fairbanks."

—Mr. H. D. Taylor is filling the deputy sheriff's place temporarily.

—The Telephone Company is having long distance telephone booths built.

—Attention is called to the program in this issue of the Farmers' Institute to be held at the Court house next Wednesday. Let every farmer attend this meeting.

Constipation and piles are twins. They kill people inch by inch, sap life away every day. Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea will positively cure you. No cure no pay. 35 cents. Tea or Tablets. J. M. Wheelless & Co., Robersonville.

—Mr. T. J. Latham, who has been deputy sheriff for the past two years has resigned and will engage in the grocery and confectionery business. He has rented the front part of the building occupied by the Enterprise Printing Company.

—Mr. Justus Everett of the upper part of the county, was in Williamston last Saturday. While in town Mr. Everett called at the office and saw our engine and presses at work. He spoke very encouragingly of the plant and efforts, and his visit was greatly appreciated.

—Dr. Proctor, of Richmond, has been in town several days, looks over the territory with the idea of locating in our town. But, as yet, he has not been able to secure an office, suitable, every available place office occupied. Williamston is abeing ready to welcome good citizen whays it is hoped that Dr. Proctor will succeed in locating here. or will

—Mr. John Irwin, representing James H. Duham & Co., New York, Dry Goods and Notion dealers, was in town this week. Mr. Irwin is 83 years old and has been with the same firm for 60 years. He does not carry any samples nor solicit business, as would be supposed, but simply calls on the customers of the firm with a kind word and a hearty hand shake.

On Wednesday evening from eight to twelve o'clock, Miss Victoria Fagan Martin entertained a number of her friends at her home on Main Street, during which time games of various kinds were indulged in. Refreshments were served about twelve o'clock. Those present were Miss Nell Simpson, Miss Stella McCall, of Durham, Misses Ida May and Mattie Waters, Mr. S. Atwood Newell, Mr. B. A. Critcher, Mr. B. Frank Godwin.

That "Yaller" Dog

A few days ago one of Martin County's magistrates issued a warrant to sheriff Crawford to arrest one "yaller" dog by the name of Sam. The facts in the case are these: A gentleman in this county owned a yellow dog, and this yellow dog was a sheep killing dog, and the owner of the sheep that were killed wanted something done about it, so he appeared before a magistrate to have a warrant issued against the dog's owner, but, not wishing to prosecute the man, decided to issue a warrant for the dog, this was done and the warrant turned over to the Sheriff.

Who is the joke on?

PLEASE YOUR FAMILY and preserve your home by painting with L. & M. Paint. Wears and covers like gold. Its lead with zinc. Non-chalkable. Money saver. Fullest measure. Takes least. Bought from S. R. Biggs.

Noble Women

In the last issue of Charity and Children a picture of Mrs. Dennis Simmons, Miss Queenie Macdonald and Mrs. Bertha styron was published. These three women were volunteer nurses at the Thomasville Ophanage during the recent fever epidemic.

Mrs. Dennis Simmons is a woman of fine christian character, and her many friends here will note with pleasure the devotion to the children during their illness.

Tonic to the System

For liver troubles and constipation there is nothing better than DeWitt's Little Early Risers, the famous little Pills. They do not weaken the stomach. Their action upon the system is mild, pleasant and harmless. Bob Moore, of LaFay ette, Ind., says, "No use talking, DeWitt's Little Early Risers do their work." All other pills I have used gripe and make me sick in the stomach and never cured me. DeWitt's Little Early Risers proved to be the long sought relief. They are simply perfect." Persons traveling find Little Early Risers the most reliable remedy to carry with them. Sold by Anderson, Crawford & Co.

ANOTHER FIRE VISITS WILLIAMSTON

The Mayor's Office and Geo. R. Dixon's Tin Shop Destroyed Early Tuesday Morning

DAMAGE ABOUT \$1500 INSURANCE \$750

About 2 o'clock Tuesday morning the alarm of fire was given. The cause of the alarm was the burning of the mayor's office and the Williams building, occupied by George R. Dixon, both one story frame buildings, the fire originated in the Williams building and in a short time the building was a mass of flames. It was then seen there was no hope of saving the mayor's office. While nothing was saved of Mr. Dixon's, nearly everything belonging to the mayor was saved.

The Carstarphen building only 40 feet away was saved only by the untiring and heroic efforts of the fire fighters. Several times the building was in a blaze, but each time the fighters succeeded in putting it out. The whole side of Carstarphen's store is scorched and the rosin is standing out in knots. Had the wind been in the direction of this building there is no telling where the fire would have stopped.

While the owners of the property have lost by the fire, and have the sympathy of the citizens, yet it is an improvement to be rid of these old buildings. And likely in the near future nice brick buildings will be erected on these lots.

Mr. Dixon carried about \$800 stock of tin and iron and working tools, and had only \$300 insurance. Miss Vanie Williams building was valued at \$500, with \$300 insurance. Mrs. A. H. Smith who owned the mayor's office carried \$100 insurance, the building was worth \$200.

A GUARANTEED CURE FOR PILES

Itching, Blind, Bleeding or Protruding Piles. Druggists refund money if PAZO OINTMENT fails to cure any case, no matter of how long standing, in 6 to 14 days. First application gives ease and rest. 50c. If your druggist hasn't it send 50c in stamps and it will be forwarded post-paid by Paris Medicine Co., St. Louis, Mo. 11-4-1905

BAUTIFUL HOME WEDDING

Robertson-Davis

One of the most beautiful weddings of the New Year was solemnized at the home of W. Winfield Dale Ruffin in Tillery, N. C. yesterday morning at eleven o'clock when his step-daughter, Miss Hatie Jefferson Davis became the bride formerly of Mr. James Henry Robertson, formerly of this city, but now employ by the A. C. L. R. R. Co., at Hobgood. The wedding march was rendered by Miss Alma Murchison, and the ceremony was performed by Elder A. J. Moore in a very impressive manner.

The attendants: Mr. W. E. Robertson and Miss Ruffin, Mr. L. W. Godwin and Miss Cuthrell, Mr. J. S. Tucker and Miss Bobbitt.

The bridal couple left on the train for Palm Beach, Fla., to spend several days, after which they will return to their home in Hobgood.

—I have opened up a first class Meat Market at the stand formerly occupied by A. J. Adams, and will have on hand the best stall-feed beef. I will be glad to have your orders, and the same will have my best attention.

Yours to serve
Phone 76 W. H. Robertson, Jr

Mr. and Mrs. Sitterson

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph M. Sitterson entertained a party of friends the last night of the old year. Fling was played and after a few games, all were invited to the beautiful decorated dining room to a most elegant supper to which all did full justice. Many toasts were given and responded to; the pure little temperance badge was there and a temperance toast was asked for. This was given:

"Oh, I am the happiest black bird That ever you did see, For pure cold water is the drink for me.

I take a drop here and a drop there And make the woods ring with my musical air."

Mr. and Mrs. Sitterson were at their best. It seemed as if time in its flight had turned backward for them that night. All greatly enjoyed the occasion till the wee wee hours. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Hodges, Mrs. C. W. Keith, Miss Mittie Harrell, Mrs. Fowden, Mrs. Bettie Pope, Mrs. J. L. Ewell, Mrs. Kellenger, Miss Nora Fowden, Miss Anna Pope, Master Jesse and Myrt Stubbis.

FOR SALE—One live Bald Eagle, 6 feet tip to tip.
Apply to G. M. WHITE
14-11-pd Williamston, N. C.

FARMERS MUTUAL FIRE INSURANCE CO.

Held it's Annual Meeting Here Tuesday and Elected Officers. Large Attendance

The Martin County Branch of the Farmers Mutual Fire Insurance Co. held its annual meeting here Tuesday in the Court house. There was a good attendance and the reports were interesting. The county branch has insured \$145,000 worth of property and last year there was only \$300 in losses. It was unnecessary to make any assessment as there was sufficient funds on hand still leaving nearly \$300 in the treasury.

New officers were elected as follows: John D. Simpson, President; W. C. Manning Sec. and Treas. Advisory Board: J. A. Whitley; W. H. Wilson; Ephraim Peel; A number of agents were appointed for each township.

This is the cheapest and the most reliable insurance. Think of having your property insured a year without a premium. Your property is secured against a loss at no expense. The members are proud of their organization and justly so. It is a great pity that they can't organize this way to protect themselves against low priced products.

The following agents were appointed: C. C. Fagan, Jamesville; N. T. Riddick, Williams; W. H. Peele, Griffins; W. M. Green; Bear Grass; J. R. Ballard, Poplar Point.

SUPERVISORS
Williamston: W. H. Wilson, G. L. Whitley, J. G. Stator; Hamilton: J. H. Purvis, Jos. T. Waldo, John A. Bennett, Robersonville: B. R. Jenkins, B. H. Roberson, E. A. Smith; Koplart Point: Roderick Robuck, Henry Slade, V. R. Taylor; Cross Roads: J. B. Burroughs, Mc. G. White, J. B. Avers; Williams: W. M. Perry, James W. Harrison, W. J. Griffin; Griffins: B. Mc. Manning, Plenny Peele, Henry Roberson; Jamesville: M. S. Fagan, John Riddick, T. E. Brown; Goose Nest: Jas. Earley, N. M. Worsley, H. Brown; Bear Grass: J. L. Woolard, Stanley Peele, Simon S. Perry.

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. 25 cents. 11-4-1905

PERSONALS

Jesse Whitley returned to Newark, N. J. Tuesday morning.

Mr. S. N. Brickhouse of Norfolk Va. arrived Tuesday evening.

Miss Ella Stator returned home Tuesday night from Washington.

Messrs. J. L. and C. B. Hassell spent the day in Rocky Mount Sunday.

Miss Mary Robertson left Wednesday morning to visit relatives in Raleigh.

Mr. A. S. Roberson and Mr Cochran, of Robersonville, were in town Wednesday.

Mr. Wheeler Martin and son Wheeler, Jr., went to Norfolk Wednesday morning.

Mr. W. H. Waters left Tuesday for Jackson N. C. where he has accepted a position.

Mrs. C. Rives Alley and children, of Gastonia, are visiting her mother who is very sick.

Mr. Louis Godwin attended the Robertson-Davis marriage at Whitakers yesterday morning.

Mr. M. D. White, of Norfolk, representing the Co-operative Land Corporation, is in Williamston.

Miss Emma Hassell has returned home after visiting friends in Oxford, Washington, and other points.

Mrs. J. Howard Herrick and children, came Tuesday evening to visit her parents Mr. and Mrs. Wilson G. Lamb.

Messrs. J. W. Watts and C. D. Carstarphen left Tuesday afternoon for Raleigh to attend the inauguration.

Mr. John Pope, Mrs. Bettie Pope Mrs. B. C. Crawford and daughter, Martha Cotton, spent Sunday in Robersonville.

Miss Julia Myers, the very efficient and popular milliner at J. L. Hassell & Co., left Sunday morning for her home.

Miss Mary Hyman, who has been visiting at the home of Mr. George L. Whitley, returned to her home in Richmond Tuesday morning.

A Grim Tragedy

It is daily enacted in thousands of homes, as Death claims, in each one, another victim of Consumption or Pneumonia. But when Coughs and Colds are properly treated, the tragedy is averted. F. C. Huntley, of Oaklandon, Ind. writes: "My wife had the consumption, and three doctors gave her up. Finally she took Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, which cured her, and to-day she is well and strong." It kills the germs of all diseases. One dose relieves. Guaranteed at 50c and \$1.00 by S. R. Biggs, druggist. Trial bottle free.

Happy New Year



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SEE OUR DISPLAY



Dr. Hyatt Coming.

Dr. Hyatt, of Kinston, will be in Williamston at the Hassell House January 16, 17, and 18, Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday for the purpose of treating diseases of the eye and fitting glasses. Those not able to pay a fee will be examined free 13 2

Entertained Friends

(Reported)
Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo Hassell were host and hostess to a small party of friends last week, when they enjoyed the sensation of having the table talk to them. Nearly everyone present received some message which was good news, and will be remembered. Music was also enjoyed, and the evening was one of much pleasure. The following were present: Miss Mae Bennette, Miss Anna Pope, Miss Nora Fowden, Miss Carrie Biggs, Miss Mary Hobbs, Missess Anyne, Henrietta and Essie Peele, Dr. and Mrs. John D. Biggs, Mr. and Mrs. J. Paul Simpson, Mrs. Bennette, Mrs. Mary R. Peele, Mrs. Minga and Mrs. Pope, Messrs. Harry Biggs, John Pope and Grover Hardison.

Sooled Her Beauty

Harriet Howard, of 209 W. 34th St., New York, at one time had her beauty spoiled with skin trouble. She writes: "I had Salt Rheum or Eczema for years, but nothing would cure it, until I used Buckleins Arnica Salve." A quick and sure healer for cuts, burns and sores. 25c at S. R. Biggs, drug store.

DARDENS

Work on the parsonage is slowly progressing.

Mr. Tom Jones, of Baltimore, Md. is visiting his Mother near here.

Mrs. Pattie Peel and son Hamlet are spending this week in Plymouth.

Miss Daisy Berry, of Pinetown spent Xmas at Mr. David Swinson.

Ed. and Mrs. Allord are spending this week with Mr. and J. S. Swinson.

Miss Mary Bateman left a few days ago to spend a month with friends in Norfolk, Va.

Miss Maggie Darden, is spending the holidays with relatives in Norfolk, Va.

Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Jones, returned to their home in Baltimore, Md. this week.

Misses Effie Davenport and Garnie McCaskey were visitors in Dardens Friday afternoon.

Mr. Joe Nicholson and Miss Annie Davis, were married at the home of the bride's mother last Sunday.

Mrs. U. S. Hassell, and Dr. Hassell's sister Mrs. Pritchard of Columbia, N. C. spent Thursday with their niece Mrs. C. C. Fagan.

Miss Garnet McCaskey returned from Norfolk Va. last week where she had been visiting in the home of her Uncle Mr. T. C. McCaskey.

Miss Dare Hassell, of Jamesville, passed through here Friday to visit Miss Maggie Snell who has recently moved near Plymouth, from Bertie County.

Little Bernie May Fagan, who has been so dangerously ill for over two weeks with erythema nodosum is recuperating to the delight of her many friends.

Miss Alice Gibson, who has been spending the holidays in our midst, left a few days ago to be present at the marriage of her niece Miss Mae Williams, which was celebrated last Wednesday night at her home near Williamston.

Notice to my Patrons and the Public Generally

On account of being out of town until February 10th, I have made arrangements with Mr. Williams, son of Mr. Sam Williams, of Washington, N. C., to look after my business. He will be glad to serve you in my absence. Thanking you for your courtesies I am,

Yours truly,
KADER B. CRAWFORD.

Notice of Dissolution.

The firm of F. K. Hodges and Brother has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. We desire to thank our patrons for their business and solicit for our successors the same patronage given us

January 3rd, 1905.
F. K. HODGES
W. J. HODGES

CO-PARTNERSHIP.

Having purchased the business of F. K. Hodges & Bro., we desire to announce to the public that we will continue to conduct the business under the firm name of Brown & Hodges at the same stand, and solicit your patronage.

S. S. BROWN
W. I. HODGES

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF

J. C. Robertson, Banker

at ROBERSONVILLE, N. C.

at the close of business Nov. 10th, 1904

RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts	\$ 39,741.74
Overdrafts	1,438.53
Furniture and Fixtures	2,993.00
Other Real Estate Owned	1,250.22
Due from Banks and Bankers	7,158.00
Checks and other Cash Items	1,615.74
TOTAL	\$45,997.23

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock	3,000.00
Undivided Profits	2,038.09
Deposits Subject to Check	26,371.50
Due to Banks and Bankers	717.13
Cashier's Checks Outstanding	374.11
Bills Payable	13,000.00
TOTAL	\$45,993.83

State of North Carolina
County of Martin

J. C. Robertson, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

J. C. ROBERTSON, Cashier.

Sworn to and subscribed to before me this 20th day of Nov., 1904. S. L. ROSE, Notary Public.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF

Bank of Martin County

at WILLIAMSTON, N. C.

at the close of business Nov. 10th, 1904

RESOURCES

Loans & Discounts	\$ 67,538.78
Over-Drafts	2,024.80
Other Stocks and Bonds	1,000.00
Furniture & Fixtures	2,028.53
Demand Loans	7,982.49
Due From Banks and Bankers	21,977.18
Silver Coin	2,490.80
TOTAL	\$106,043.98

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock	\$ 12,000.00
Surplus	5,000.00
Undivided Profits	3,341.26
Deposits subject to Check	62,281.56
Time Certificates of Deposit	17,771.56
Due to Banks and Bankers	1,650.54
TOTAL	\$106,043.92

J. J. G. Godard, Cashier, of Bank of Martin County, do solemnly swear (or affirm) that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

J. J. GODARD, Cashier
State of North Carolina
County of Martin

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 21st day of Nov., A. D., 1904

C. H. GODWIN, Notary Public.

CORRECT—ATTEST:
Dennis S. Biggs
Wheeler Martin } DIRECTORS
S. L. Godard
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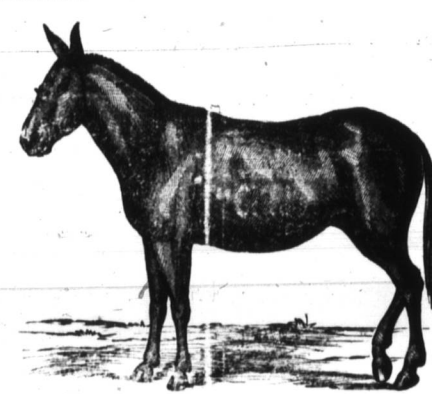
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