

**LOCAL ITEMS**

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For her doctor Dr. Miles' Anti-Pain Pills, Dr. Miles' Anti-Pain Pills relieve pain.

—Mr. Wheeler Martin left Thursday afternoon for Washington City.

—Messrs. C. D. and W. H. Carstarphen spent Monday in Hamilton.

—Mr. M. W. Ange of Jamesville was a pleasant caller at our office Tuesday.

—La Grippe is paying its respects to quite a number of our citizens this week.

—Farmers—If you want nice tobacco seed, you can get same by calling at the Roanoke Warehouse.

—While on a hunting trip Tuesday afternoon Wille Watts and James Leggett killed about thirty 'cottontails.'

—Farmers' Institute meets tomorrow. Let every farmer attend. Don't forget the Bargain The Enterprise is offering.

—Reports from nearly all over the county indicate that much damage to the roads was done by the rain last Saturday night.

—On account of the heavy rain last Saturday night the mill-dam at the old 'Joe Everett' mill, was broken and it rendered the public road impassible.

—Mr. Eli Gurganus left Wednesday morning for Roper and Plymouth where he has gone to buy peanuts for the Va. Carolina Peanut Co., of which he is manager.

—Messrs. W. T. Meadows and J. T. Fishel left Wednesday morning for Danville, Va., where they have gone to dispose of the stock of tobacco they purchased last season.

—V. E. Albenter, Postoffice Inspector, was in Williamston January 10th and went over the books and accounts with the postoffice officials and report they are kept up-to-date and in good shape.

—The Fourth Annual Convention of the North Carolina Cotton Association will be held next Tuesday and Wednesday in Charlotte. Every cotton grower of this county that can do so should attend this convention.

—I have a fine selection of tobacco seed of various kinds, the most select to be had, and every farmer is welcome to what he needs as long as they last. Tobacco is the crop for this year. Yours truly, Tom S. Graham.

—Mr. W. H. Carstarphen of Norfolk was in town several days this week visiting his mother. Mr. Carstarphen is forging to the front in the commission business in Norfolk and the farmers of this county will do well to patronize him.

—More money can be made raising tobacco than any other crop. If you want good fresh seed call at the Roanoke Warehouse where Tom Graham, the 'old reliable', has a supply of various kinds and will take pleasure in giving you what you need.

—Littleton College and Central Academy under the management of the same Board of Trustees, at Littleton, N. C., have both had the largest ingathering of pupils for the spring work in the history of either one of these most prosperous institutions, and the indications now are that both schools will be full to overflowing during the spring.

—Henry Slade, colored, was arrested last Friday for unmercifully beating his little son. His trial came off Wednesday afternoon before Mayor Godwin, and he was bound over to court under a \$100 bond, and in default of which he was locked up. It was reported early Wednesday evening that the child had died, but information received later that night contradicted the report.

—The merchants were busy Monday hauling goods from the river. The water was rising so rapidly in the river, and the reports from further up the river indicated a still greater rise, that the goods in the N. & S. warehouse were liable to be damaged if not removed. The Williamston Hay & Grain Co. had 600 bales of hay at the wharf and did some hustling to remove it that day.

**Death of Mr. John Tucker**

On last Tuesday morning after an illness of about a year with Tuberculosis of the lungs, Mr. John Tucker, in his sixty-sixth year, died, having been a great sufferer.

Mr. Tucker enlisted in Company 'H' 12th Regiment, in May 1861, from Nash County, in Ransauer's Division, and was therefore, of the Army of Northern Virginia, the grandest body of men that ever bore arms in a just cause. He served in the capacity of private through the whole war and was, therefore, a patriot of the truest type.

His widow and seven children: Walter, Jesse, John, Mrs. E. N. Gordy of Hertford; Mrs. J. W. Pope of Hamilton; Mrs. A. L. Brock of Shelburne, and Mrs. J. A. Turner of Norfolk, survive him, to whom we extend our deepest sympathy in this sad hour.

The funeral service was conducted from the Methodist Church Wednesday afternoon at three o'clock, by the Rev. C. L. Read. The pall bearers were: Messrs. K. B. and W. H. Crawford, F. K. and W. J. Hodges, A. C. Jones and J. H. Page.

—While out gunning Wednesday afternoon Messrs. E. B. and G. L. McLohon met with a very wet experience. They were coming down the river when their boat struck in an eddy and capsized. Mr. E. B. McLohon, who could swim, managed to save his gun, although he was heavily clad, wearing his over coat and boots; but Mr. G. L. McLohon, who could not swim, lost his gun and had a close call for his life. They are not must worse, however, for their experience.

**Stomach Trouble Cured**

If you have any trouble with your stomach you should take Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. Mr. J. P. Klote of Edina, Mo., says: 'I have used a great many different medicines for stomach trouble, but find Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets more beneficial than any other remedy I ever used.' For sale by All Druggists & Dealers in Patent Medicine.

**Commissioners Meet**

A special meeting of the Board of County Commissioners was held at the Court House last Monday, for the purpose of deciding whether J. C. James and R. P. Alston, should be granted license to retail liquors in the town of Williamston.

After a prolonged and most interesting discussion of the legal phases by Messrs. Stubbs and Martin, the former being against and the latter in favor of granting license to the parties applying, the Commissioners decided to license Mr. James. Mr. Alston was licensed on the condition that there should be no objection prior to the termination of the thirty days advertisement.

The finest Coffee Substitute ever made, has recently been produced by Dr. Shoop of Racine Wis. You don't have to boil it twenty or thirty minutes. 'Made in a minute' says the doctor. 'Health Coffee' is really the closest Coffee Imitation ever yet produced. Not a grain of real coffee in it either. Health Coffee Imitation is made from pure toasted cereals or grains, with malt, nuts, etc. Really it would fool an expert—were he to unknowingly drink it for coffee. J. A. Mizell & Co.

**Stole Horse, Cart, and a Bale of Cotton**

Henry D. Green, a negro, of Jamesville stole a horse and cart from Judson Ruffin Sunday night, and he stole a bale of cotton of Lilley & Martin and betook himself to Plymouth for the purpose of marketing his wares; but, it seems the Plymouth merchants were not in need of the cotton and he could not trade with them, so he had it shipped by the Norfolk & Southern to Washington. As he was having the cotton weighed the sheriff of Beaufort County decided that the negro needed a guardian, and he is at present in jail here awaiting trial.

**A Higher Health Level**

'I have reached a higher health level since I began using Dr. King's New Life Pills,' writes Jacob Springer, of West Franklin, Maine. 'They keep my stomach, liver and bowels working just right.' If these pills disappoint you on trial, money will be refunded at S. R. Biggs drug store, 25c.

**TOBACCO MEETING**

Editor Enterprise: I am gratified to announce that there will be another Farmers' Educational Meeting held in Williamston on Saturday, February 1st, under the supervision of specialists from the U. S. Department of Agriculture. This will be exclusively a Tobacco meeting.

Mr. A. D. Shamel will discuss tobacco breeding and seed selection. He will exhibit an improved device for separating the seed so as to remove those of inferior quality. Mr. Shamel will be agreeably remembered by many people in Martin County, because of his visit to the County last August, at which time he discussed corn breeding.

Mr. E. H. Mathewson will discuss in a most interesting manner the opportunities for assistance of tobacco growers by the U. S. Department of Agriculture, and how this opportunity may be availed of.

Mr. W. W. Green will discuss the culture of tobacco, including the preparation of the soil and fertilization, and also the curing process. Mr. Green is from Virginia and has been engaged in tobacco culture all his life.

Dr. J. A. Bonsted of the Bureau of Soils will discuss particularly the most important subject of soils and the relation of same to the growing of crops. Dr. Bonsted is an expert of wide reputation upon this subject.

It is expected that Dr. Joseph Hyde Pratt, our State Geologist will be present, and also a representative of the State Board of Agriculture.

Every tobacco grower and dealer in tobacco is earnestly invited to attend. Growers of other crops will also find the meeting of interest.

There will be a morning and an afternoon session. The morning session will open at 10 o'clock, and those who attend are urged to be at the opening hour.

Very respectfully,  
John Small.

When you want the best, get DeWitt's Carbolized Witch Hazel Salve. It is good for little or big cuts, boils or bruises, and is especially recommended for piles. Sold by S. R. Biggs.

**Masons Install Officers**

Tuesday evening at the regular meeting of Skewarkee lodge No. 90, A. F. & A. M., the following officers were installed: H. W. Stubbs, W. M.; H. D. Taylor, S. W.; A. F. Taylor, J. W.; C. D. Carstarphen, Treasurer; S. R. Biggs, Secretary; W. S. Peel, S. D.; J. H. Page, J. D.; H. C. Taylor and J. D. Bowen, Stewards, R. W. Clary Tiler.

The committees are as follows: Finance, W. C. Manning, F. F. Fagan, McG. Taylor, Asylum, W. M. York, G. W. Blount, F. K. Hodges, Reference, S. S. Brown, R. J. Peel, J. L. Rogerson, Charity, H. W. Stubbs, H. D. Taylor, A. F. Taylor, Hall Committee, C. D. Carstarphen.

After the installation the members present about 30 in number, adjourned to the Atlantic Hotel where the annual banquet was spread. The hotel was tastefully decorated, and oysters, turkey, barbecue, and many other good things, were there in abundance. It was a jolly good crowd that left the hotel about 11:30.

**An Insidious Danger**

One of the worst features of kidney trouble is that it is an insidious disease and before the victim realizes his danger he may have a fatal malady. Take Foley's Kidney Cure at the first sign of trouble as it corrects irregularities and prevents Bright's disease and diabetes. S. R. Biggs, C. C. Chase.

**Roads Damaged**

(Special to The Enterprise) The largest rain in many years fell in the southern part of this county and in the northern part of Beaufort County last Saturday night. Bridges on the public roads were upset and in some places the roads were badly washed. Travel will be almost at a stand still for a few days until the bridges and roads can be repaired.

Trial Catarrh treatments are being mailed out free, on request, by Dr. Shoop, Racine, Wis. These tests are proving to the people—without a penny's cost—the great value of this scientific prescription known to druggists everywhere as Dr. Shoop's Catarrh Remedy. Sold by S. R. Biggs.

**Stables and Shelters Burned**

A little before 8 o'clock Wednesday night an alarm of fire was given. The fire proved to be at the home of T. S. Graham, the 'Wilson Place' just out of town. Several barns and shelters were totally destroyed, and a large quantity of corn and fodder. The horses and cows were gotten out of the stables and run into the fields. While the fire was very near the dwelling, at no time was the house in danger of being burned, as the wind was blowing strongly from that direction, carrying the sparks and burning timbers into the road. The loss is not known. Mr. Graham not being at home, no one could tell anything about how much was destroyed.

The fire caught from a lantern hung up at one of the sheds, some corn shucks were hanging near and a puff of wind blew the lantern under them and set them on fire.

Mr. Graham and eldest son, Settle, left Wednesday morning for Danville, Va., where Mr. Graham has gone to dispose of his tobacco. Mrs. Graham has a case of pneumonia, and the excitement of the fire is likely to make her worse.

**Lame Shoulder Cured**

Lame shoulder is usually caused by rheumatism of the muscles and quickly yields to a few applications of Chamberlain's Pain Balm. Mrs. F. H. McElwee, of Boistown New Brunswick, writes: 'Having been troubled for some time with a pain in my left shoulder, I decided to give Chamberlain's Pain Balm a trial, with the result that I got prompt relief.' For sale by all druggists and dealers in patent medicines.

**SOCIAL NEWS**

Mrs. M. D. Cooper of Jamesville was in town yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. John L. Rogerson of Everetts spent Tuesday night in town.

Miss Anna Crawford and Mrs. Lela Newell were the guests of Miss Ella Siaton at Kelvin Grove several days this week.

Miss Nolie York, who was operated on for appendicitis, in the St. Vincent's Hospital in Norfolk, two weeks ago, is slowly improving.

Miss Hallie Champion left Saturday morning for Raleigh, her future home. While living here she made many friends who regret her departure.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Turner of Norfolk, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Brock of Shelburne, and J. S. Tucker of Shawboro, who were here to attend the funeral of their father, J. W. Tucker, have returned home.

Do you have backache occasionally or 'stitches' in the side, and sometimes do you feel all tired out, without ambition and without energy? If so, your kidneys are out of order. Take DeWitt's Kidney and Bladder Pills. They promptly relieve backache, weak back, inflammation of the bladder and weak kidneys. Sold by S. R. Biggs.

**PERSONAL BRIEFS**

Mr. Sidney Jampolis was in town this week.

Mr. Evans of Jamesville was in town Tuesday.

Rev. J. O. Guthrie of Raleigh is in town today.

Capt. W. R. Fowden was at home Monday.

Mr. R. H. Weaver of Gold Point was here Tuesday.

W. G. Lamb, Jr., spent Sunday and Monday in town.

Mr. J. E. Barnhill of Everetts was in town Monday.

Hon. J. A. Whitley of Everetts was in town Monday.

Mr. G. T. Brantley spent Tuesday in Robersonville.

Mr. A. R. Dunning of Robersonville was in town Monday.

Mr. J. W. Ferrell of Robersonville was in town Tuesday.

Dr. W. E. Warren and Mr. Will Mizell returned yesterday from Norfolk.

Messrs. M. P. Smith and C. James of Robersonville were in town Monday.

Mr. C. H. Godwin spent Sunday at Kelvin Grove, the country home of Mr. J. G. Staton.

Master Victor Champion left Tuesday morning for Raleigh where he goes to join his parents.

—Mr. S. N. Yarell was a pleasant caller at our office this week.

—Mr. Chas. Smallwood left last Saturday morning for a southern trip in the interest of J. L. Woolard, manufacturer of the Woolard Combined Harrow and Cultivator. Mr. Woolard is manufacturing an implement that every farmer should own, it is one of the best farm tools on the market, and we are glad to note that his business is increasing every year.

Everybody loves our baby, rosy sweet and warm. With kissy places on her neck and dimples on her arms. Once she was so thin and cross used to cry with pain—Mother gave her Cascasweet, now she's well again. Sold by S. R. Biggs.

**BUSINESS ITEMS**

Notices will be published under this head at the rate of 1 cent a word. No notice taken for less than 15 cents an issue.

FOUND—A mourning veil. Owner will describe same and pay for this. Apply this office.

FOR SALE—Old newspapers 20 cents per hundred, this office.

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**Bank of Martin County** suggests that if you have not yet opened an account it would do no harm to do so as an experiment. If you don't like the freedom from worry such an account will give, you can close it any time. But you'll like it.

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Those who have roofs to tin will do well to see or write, M. P. SMITH, Robersonville, N. C.

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**Removal Notice**

We desire to notify the public that we have moved from the 'Cook Store' to the one formerly occupied by H. M. Burras. We thank the public for the patronage we have received and solicit a continuance of the same.

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