

**LOCAL ITEMS**

All notices published in this column, where revenue is to be derived, will be charged at the rate of 10 cents a line. (count six words to a line) each issue. Special rates will be made on long contracts.

—Smoke El Coreso, the best 5c. cigar on the market.

5 or 6 doses "666" will cure any case of CHILLS and FEVER.

—Mr. Stanley Leggett and son, Mac, were pleasant callers at this office Monday.

—Messrs. J. M. Green and Buck Roberson were pleasant callers at this office Tuesday.

—If you want a nice mild smoke, something that you can really enjoy, ask for El Coreso.

Quite a number of Williamston's horse lovers attended the races in Windsor yesterday.

—Messrs. G. A. Crofton, A. C. Smith, of Gold Point and H. T. Brown of Robersonville R. F. D. No. 2, were pleasant callers at this office Tuesday.

—Dr. John D. Biggs has bought "Polo" of Mr. Eley of Windsor. Polo is a mighty fine horse, what one would term a combination horse. He is a good saddler, and an excellent buggy horse.

—Dr. J. B. H. Knight, Williamston, N. C. has a scholarship in the Southern Conservatory of Music, Meridian, Miss. to bestow on some bright, worthy young lady, who is able to play piano etc., which is very low. Apply early or you may be too late.

—Williamstonians were very much disappointed last night when the crowd returned from Windsor and they learned that Limber Twig and Nigger Boy both had been beaten in the races. The admirers of these two horses were glad to learn, however, that losing the race was due to accidents, and not that Windsor had a faster horse. Brigadier won his race, so it is not as bad as it might have been.

**Stomach Troubles**

Many remarkable cures of stomach troubles have been effected by Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. One man who had spent over two thousand dollars for medicine and treatment was cured by a few boxes of these tablets. Price, 25 cents. Samples free. All Druggists and Dealers in Patent Medicine.

**Death of Mr. Lon Cherry**

Mr. Lon Cherry, son of Mr. J. L. Cherry, died last Saturday morning about five o'clock of intestinal obstruction. Mr. Cherry was taken sick Tuesday of last week and grew worse rapidly. Friday afternoon it was decided that an operation was necessary and Dr. Joshua Taylor of Washington was phoned for, but he was unable to get here till late in the night, and when he and Dr. York went to the young man's home they found him breathing his last. Mr. Cherry was 27 years old.

The funeral service was conducted Sunday morning by Rev. C. L. Read pastor of the Methodist Church.

The people of the community extend to the bereaved family their deepest sympathy.

A man who is in perfect health, so he can do an honest day's work when necessary, has much for which he should be thankful. Mr. L. G. Rodgers, of Branchton, Pa., writes that he was not only unable to work, but he couldn't stoop over to tie his own shoes. Six bottles of Foley's Kidney Cure made a new man of him. He says, "Success to Foley's Kidney Cure." C. C. Chase; S. R. Biggs.

**NOTICE**

The Democratic Congressional Convention of the First District of North Carolina is hereby called to meet in Plymouth on Thursday July 16th, 1908, at 9 A. M. for the purpose of nominating candidates for Congress and Presidential Election.

A. L. PENDLETON, Chairman  
DEM. CON. EX. COMMITTEE.

**PERSONAL BRIEFS**

—Master Oscar Anderson is visiting relatives in Rocky Mount.

—Mr. James W. Coltrain was a pleasant caller at our office Monday.

—Miss Essie Peele is visiting her sister, Mrs. W. Polk McCraw, in Tarboro.

—Dr. U. S. Hassell of Jamesville paid us a very pleasant call at our office Wednesday.

—Mr. J. H. Combes, state representative for the Oliver typewriter, was in town Tuesday.

—Messrs. Charlie, Calvin and Frank Hassell are in town visiting their father, Prof. Hassell.

—Miss Rosina Dowell left Monday for Bristol, Va., where she will spend some time visiting relatives.

—Misses Katie Blount and Eva Gavnor, who have been visiting in Robersonville, have returned home.

—Mrs. T. A. Stallings and mother, Mrs. Bettie Short, of Atlanta, Ga., are spending some time here with relatives.

—Mrs. G. J. Dowell left Saturday for Birmingham, Ala., where she will spend sometime visiting her son, Prof. S. Dowell.

—Mr. C. C. Chase, who has been visiting relatives in Virginia for several weeks, returned to Williamston Tuesday evening.

—Mrs. J. R. Bobbitt and sister, Miss Eliza Daniels, of Rocky Mount are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Daniels in Williams Township.

—The friends of Miss Annie Anderson will be glad to learn that she is improving very fast, and is now spending some time at Virginia Beach, Va.

—Mr. F. F. Fagan, the genial and clever cashier of the Farmers & Merchants Bank, is attending the Bankers' Association at Morehead this week.

Weak woman should try Dr. Shoop's Night Cure. These soothing, healing, antiseptic suppositories go direct to the seat of these weaknesses. My "Book No. 4 For Women" contains many valuable hints to women, and it is free. Ask Dr. Shoop, Racine, Wis. to mail it. Ask the Doctor in strictest confidence, any questions you wish answered. Dr. Shoop's Night Cure is sold by All Dealers.

**A DELIGHTFUL MOON-LIGHT PICNIC**

One of the most delightful occasions of the summer season was the moon light picnic which was given at Staton and Daniel's mill on Tuesday evening of this week. Nearly all of the young people of the town took part. It was a delightful night in June, the moon cast a glimmer of romance over the scene, and caused every one to be in gala spirits.

The party left town at six thirty and after arriving at the mill the lunch was spread. During the evening various amusements were indulged in, some walking, some rowing, and others singing, and listening to Mr. Daniel's graphophone which added great pleasure to the evening.

The following were in the party: Mrs. George W. Newell and Mr. Charles Godwin, Miss Ella Staton and Mr. C. B. Hassell, Miss Carrie Biggs and Mr. Burrass A. Critcher, Miss Nannie Smith and Mr. S. Rome Biggs, Jr., Miss Louise Fowden and Mr. Fountain Lipscombe, Miss Hannah Vic Fowden and Mr. Wheeler Martin, Jr., Miss Pattie Dowell and Mr. Charles Baker, Miss Lettie Critcher and Mr. John E. Pope, Miss Anna Pope and Dr. James S. Rhodes, Miss Anna Crawford and Mr. J. Paul Simpson, Miss Mae Bennett and Dr. White, Miss Delha Lanier and Mr. Dillon Simpson, Miss Goldy and Mr. John W. Hassell, Miss Lilla Whitley and Mr. Rufus Coburn, Miss Irene Smith and Mr. Theodore Hassell, Mr. and Mrs. Kader B. Crawford.

Stags: Messrs. Harry Biggs and T. C. Tilghman, of Wilson.

**AN ENJOYABLE DANCE BY WILLIAMSTON BAND**

The second dance under the management of the Williamston Military Band took place on Friday evening the 12th at the "Dixie" Warehouse. The occasion proved to be a delightful one, not so largely attended perhaps as the one given on the day of the races, but coming up in every detail to the former one. The music was up to the standard, the dancers in good spirits, and the evening passed quickly and pleasantly.

Mr. C. B. Hassell led the figures of the cotillion, carrying the dancers through many new ones, he had as his partner Miss Anna Crawford.

The following dancers were present: Miss Nannie Smith and Mr. S. Rome Biggs, Jr., Miss Ella Staton and Dr. James Slade Rhodees, Miss Annie Lamb and Mr. Harry Biggs, Miss Hannah Vic. Fowden and Mr. Luke Lamb, Miss Louise Fowden and Mr. Fountain Lipscombe, Miss Delha Lanier and Mr. Dillon Simpson, Miss Anna Pope and Mr. Leslie Fowden, Miss Irene Smith and Mr. S. R. Cleary, of Norfolk, Va. Stags: Messrs. Wheeler Martin, Jr., Joe Godard, Jr. George L. Whitley, Jr., Grover Godwin.

**Dunning-Grimes**

Friends here have received the following invitation:

Mr. James Henry Grimes invites you to be present at the marriage of his daughter Mary Alice

to Mr. Archer Rock Dunning on the morning of Thursday the twenty-fifth of June nineteen hundred and eight at eight o'clock at the Christian Church Robersonville, North Carolina

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**Lawn Party**

The Junior Auxiliary of the Church of the Advent gave a lawn party Wednesday night on the graded school grounds. Music was furnished by the Williamston Military Band, and a large crowd enjoyed the music as well as the ice cream, cakes, salads, etc.

About \$25 were made which will be given to the church.

**TO Our Friends and Patrons**

Gentlemen: It is with some feeling of regret that we turn loose our Warehouse, the Dixie, but owing to our heavy order business, we will be only buyers exclusively. We have leased the warehouse to Mr. J. S. Turner of Danville Va. whom we cheerfully present to you (the writer has known him for years) feeling that we can recommend him for your consideration and confidence.

He is an old warehouse man has had 20 years experience and is in every way efficient and capable of serving your interest well.

Thanking you for your past favors, we are,

Yours very truly,  
MEADOWS & STATON

We hear that Mr. Turner is an up-to-date Warehouse man, having been trained by Acree's Warehouse of Danville, Va., he having lived with that house 12 successive years. While a young active man, he is old and favorably known to the Tobacco Trade.

We hear he is soon to bring his family and be a permanent citizen of our town. We predict for him success and he will be quite an addition to Williamston's Tobacco Market. We welcome him.

5 or 6 doses "666" will cure any case of CHILLS and FEVER.

**A Severe Storm**

The storm Monday afternoon did considerable damage in this section. The gin house of Mr. G. L. Whitley was blown down; several apple trees on Mr. H. T. Brown's place in Cross Roads Township were blown down and the hail was very bad in some sections. Messrs. Reuben Rogerson, Biggs Roberson, Daniel Peel, Davis Roberson and W. M. Green, all had their corps damaged by the hail.

The wind was exceedingly high and corn crops were greatly damaged.

Big cuts or little cuts, small scratches or bruises or big ones are healed quickly by DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. It is especially good for piles. Be sure to get DeWitt's. Sold by Chase Drug Store, Biggs Drug Store.

**To The Farmers of Martin And Adjoining Counties.**

We have rented the Farmers Warehouse at Williamston for a period of 5 years, and will run same the coming season, and hope to sell a part of your crop promising to get the highest market prices for your tobacco and looking after your interest in every possible way. Mr. S. A. Gravelly has had 15 years experience in the Warehouse business, being most of that time at Rocky Mount N. C. and part of the time in Danville Va. And is known to a good many of you personally. He will take pleasure in helping you in any way that he can in regard to marketing your tobacco. Mr. H. G. Tuggle, who will have charge of the office is an experienced man in his line and will see that every one is treated fairly. All we ask is that you give us a trial and we feel sure that we will be able to please you. We will be in Williamston about the 1st of July and hope to see you in person before the market opens.

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LOST—Gold Necklace on Friday evening. Reward if returned to Mrs. T. J. Smith.

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**Report of Condition of the Farmers & Merchants Bank, WILLIAMSTON, N. C.**

at the close of business May 14, 1908

RESOURCES:	
Loans and Discounts	\$ 87,437.51
Overdrafts secured	\$4,287.28
" unsecured	1,510.38
Banking house	7,538.28
Furniture and fixt	3,383.18
Due from banks and bankers	9,267.58
Silver coin, including all metallic coin currency	2,332.03
Total	\$115,756.44

LIABILITIES:	
Capital Stock	\$ 25,000.00
Surplus fund	3,700.00
Undivided profits, less current expenses and taxes paid	2,066.99
Bills payable	10,000.00
Time certificates of deposit	35,215.42
Deposits subject to check	40,534.03
Total	\$115,756.44

State of North Carolina, County of Martin, ss. I, F. F. Fagan, Cashier of the above named bank do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.  
F. F. FAGAN, Cashier  
Correct—Attest: John D. Biggs, A. Hassell, W. H. Crawford, Directors.  
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26 day of May, 1908.  
ASA T. CRAWFORD,  
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