

ROYAL BAKING POWDER

A Pure, Grape Cream Tartar Baking Powder

Royal Baking Powder improves the flavor and adds to the healthfulness of the food.

PERSONAL BRIEFS

W. B. Watts has been here this week on business.

Mrs. D. B. Lanier and children, of Weldon, are visiting relatives in town.

Mrs. J. E. Smithwick was here from Jamesville Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Richard, of Whiteville, were here last week to attend the burial of their father, Mr. Henry Slade.

Mrs. Samuel Johnson, of Suffolk, is visiting Mrs. Fred Gardner.

Mrs. George J. Dowell is visiting her daughter in Jacksonville, Fla.

Mrs. J. K. Carstarphen and Master Frank accompanied by Mrs. J. J. Martin came home Saturday from Norfolk.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Stacon with Miss Irene Smith and Messrs. K. B. Crawford and C. H. Godwin motored to Washington Tuesday afternoon, and back next morning as soon as they could.

Mrs. W. Z. Morton came down from Robersonville Tuesday and spent the day with Mrs. W. H. Crawford.

Mrs. Lours Poteat, of Wake Forest, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Wheeler Martin, Jr.

Mrs. Corrie Everett, of Scotland Neck, has been the guest of Mrs. Bettie Pope for the past two weeks.

Henry Hatton of the W. & P. R. R., was here from Windsor last week.

J. Davis Reid, whose large timber interests are situated on the Roanoke River, was here several days last week in company with Surry Parker, of Pinetown.

N. S. Piel returned Sunday from St. Petersburg, Fla., where he has spent several weeks.

Miss Rula Lee Waters has returned from Baltimore where she went to purchase spring millinery.

Mrs. S. R. Clary, of Washington, is visiting Mrs. C. W. Keith this week.

Miss Della Ray is at home after a visit to Norfolk.

S. A. Newell went to Wilson on professional business last week.

Messrs. C. D. Carstarphen and F. K. Hodges and H. A. Biggs left Sunday for Washington City to witness the inauguration.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Haberstadt returned Sunday from Norfolk.

Dr. and Mrs. Harry Cotten, of Trenton, N. J., have been in the city this week the guests of the family of Col. W. G. Lamb. Dr. Cotten spent a part of his boyhood days here with his sister and father. He has distinguished himself in the treatment of the insane, and at the present is in charge of the State Hospital of New Jersey.

John Martin, of Hamilton, was in town Sunday visiting relatives.

Jesse T. Price, Chief Clerk in the Post Office here, left Monday afternoon for Washington City for the inaugural ceremonies.

Found Young Thing—Dearest, would you die for me?
Prosaic Lover—I'd like to rhyme line, but you know, I'm bald.

LOCAL ITEMS

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

—Month for corn planting.

—"As mad as a March hare" sounds reasonable now.

—Easter will soon be here and then for spring in its fullness.

—Begin to clean up back lots and all waste places. The summer fly and mosquito have already made their season's schedule. Break it up.

—New moon today.

—Remember the entertainment next Friday night, the 14th, for the benefit of the Methodist Church. Tableaux and refreshments.

—None but the wealthy can enjoy shad in these parts. Even "bucks" come high, and are a mere suggestion of their fellows—the roe kind.

—The firelessness incidental to Monday in this office, was pleasantly relieved by a tray containing ham and pepper sandwiches, rye peaches and cucumber pickles elegantly prepared. The members of the force with several friends enjoyed the feast and thank Mrs. Stacion for her thoughtfulness. A good and should be often repeated.

—Mr. J. S. Mundy, of N. J., delivered a very interesting lecture on Jacob and Esau in the Baptist Church on Sunday morning. Mr. Mundy is an active member of the Dutch Reformed Church, and his interpretations of the Scriptures are helpful.

—STRAYED.—I have a stray male hog, black and white—mainly black; marked swallow fork and underbit in right ear, crop and underbit in left ear. Any one identifying same can communicate with R. L. Taylor, Speight Farm, No. 3 City.

—Mess. A. T. Crawford and W. L. Stalls, of the Martin County Buggy Company, have been in Suffolk recently renewing their contract with the Lilliston Peanut Picker people. This machine has been improved and will be ready for the fall crop.

—Robert Brown is building a residence on a portion of the W. S. Manning lot near the Episcopal Church.

—Declare war against breeding places for flies and mosquitoes. Keep hogs out of town, especially off the streets.

—Local fishermen are catching hickories and herrings. Therefore times are beginning to look more prosperous.

—A good suggestion for the town is that wire receptacles in which paper can be placed and set on fire be purchased and put at convenient spots on the streets, so as to avoid the unsightly appearance of all sorts of paper blowing around. Some of the streets look as if Foster's army had just passed through here. Let's make this a town beautiful. It can be done with little trouble and outlay of money.

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—The new streets to the Cooperage Mill has been opened, but is a little rough yet. Soon it will be a pleasant driveway.

—Note The Farmers and Merchants Bank's weekly change of ad. You will find something new and crisp in their space each issue.

—The Electric Company contemplate moving their plant to the Cooperage Mill on Monday. It was thought that it could be moved this week, but some of the preparations have been delayed by slow shipments. It is hoped that only several days will be lost in giving lights to the town.

Everybody Come to the Godard Building adjoining Eggs Drug Store Tuesday, March 18th The Philatheas of the Baptist Sunday-School Will Serve Dinner Remember the Date

Notice

North Carolina, Martin County. To Robert Rountree and his Heirs at Law, take notice, on May 6th, 1912 at a tax sale by Sheriff J. C. Crawford, I purchased 2 1/4 acres of land listed to Robert Rountree, the taxes and cost Three or two Dollars the certificate of sale having been issued and now in my possession, and unless the above taxes and cost and 20 per cent interest are paid, on or before the 5th day of May 1913 I shall demand a deed for same. This the 5th day of March 1913. F. L. HAISLIP.

Notice

North Carolina, Martin County. W. T. Hadley vs. Ransom Shepard and Sandy Shephard

The defendants above named will take notice that an action entitled as above has been commenced in the Superior Court of Martin County to try the title of land in controversy and establish lines between the parties, and the said defendants will further take notice that they are required to appear at the term of the Superior Court of said County to be held on the second Monday after the first Monday in June 1913 at the Court house of said County in Williamston, North Carolina, and answer or demur to the complaint in said action or the plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in said complaint. This the 4th day of March 1913. I. A. HOBBS, Clerk of the Superior Court.

North Carolina, In the Superior Court. Martin County. Cornelius Biggs vs. Lawrence Biggs.

The defendant above named will take notice that an action entitled as above has been commenced in the Superior Court of Martin County to secure an absolute divorce and the said defendant will further take notice that he is required to appear at the term of the Superior Court in the said County to be held on the second Monday after the first Monday in June 1913 at the Court House in Williamston, North Carolina, and answer or demur to the complaint of the said action or the plaintiff will apply to the Court for a relief demanded in said complaint. This the 24th day of February 1913. J. A. HOBBS, Clerk Superior Court.

In the District Court of the United States. For the Eastern District of North Carolina. In the Matter of W. W. Walters In Bankruptcy.

By virtue of an order of the District Court, made by J. R. Gaskill, Referee in the above entitled cause, I will expose to sale to the highest bidder for cash on the 31 day of April, 1913, at the Courthouse door of Martin County, in Williamston, N. C., the reversionary interest in the following described property to-wit: One house and lot in the town of Jamesville, N. C., on Elm Street, bounded on the West by the said street and on the North side by the A. C. L. R. R. Co. Lot containing 5 acres more or less. This 3rd day of March 1913. WHEELER MARTIN, JR., Trustee in Bankruptcy.

—The Board of County Commissioners met Monday.

—Watch for the coming of "The Private Secretary" during Easter week. Nightly rehearsals are being held. Exact date of appearance will be announced later.

—Very few concerns advertise more carefully than does the Martin County Buggy Company, which has under the present management increased its business wonderfully. With a full corps of workers, the jobs are always accumulating. Everything in vehicles is made, all kinds of farm machinery are sold and installed. The work is first class, and the very best material is put into everything turned out by the factory. The business is a compliment to Williamston. This week the firm occupies a half page of this paper. Those firms which have succeeded do the most advertising. The Martin County Buggy Co., demonstrates this truth. See them.

Farmers and Merchants Bank

Williamston North Carolina State, County and City Depository

There is not a farmer in this county who should not have a bank account. If you have bills to pay, whether they be large or small, your check will pay them and you always have the right change. It would be a pleasure to have your name on our books. You know how to farm to the best advantage. Farming is your business. We know how to handle money to the best advantage. Banking is our business. Come in and we will talk over farming and banking and perhaps it will prove to our mutual benefit. The best chair in our bank is not too good for any honest tiller of the soil.

JOHN D. BIGGS C. D. CARSTARPHEN FRANK F. FAGAN J. L. RODGERSON
PRESIDENT VICE-PRESIDENT CASHIER ASST. CASHIER

A T C O S T !

The Entire Stock of O. K. Cowing & Co.

I have been appointed agent to sell the stock of O. K. Cowing & Company, consisting of General Merchandise and Heavy and Fancy Groceries. This stock must be sold as quick as possible. Bargains to numerous to mention await those who take advantage of this Closing Out Sale

J. B. MCGOWAN (UNCLE McADOO)

For Results ROYSTERS' FERTILIZERS Est. 1885

Wanted!

A correspondent in Evrette, Robersonville, Parmele, Darden, Bear Grass, and Griffins. Write us for information

The Enterprise

Eggs For Hatching

Crystal White Orpington \$1.50 per setting of 15 Eggs

THEO. ROBERSON

Williamston, N. C.

Historical Tableaux

Signers of the Declaration of Independence AND

The Edenton Tea Party by the ladies of the Methodist Church

CITY HALL, FRIDAY NIGHT MARCH 14th

Admission 25c and 15c