

**LOCAL**

July next with Dog Days.  
—Remember Chill Killer will do the work. Sold by Saunders & Fowden.

New moon July 3rd. Watch it grow.

—For torpid liver, use McNair's Blood and Liver Pills. Sold by Saunders & Fowden.

Blackberries are here in abundance but the huckleberry crop is short.

—If one bottle of Chill Killer fails to break up your chills and fever, we will gladly refund your money.

Big Stock of fruit jars that must be sold. All sizes.—M. B. McGowan, City.

—For chills and fevers take Chill Killer. It's guaranteed. Sold by Saunders & Fowden. 25 and 50 cents.

God willing, I will preach at the home of Josepe Parrisher on Sunday at 2 o'clock. The public is invited.—J. L. Cherry.

—Five or six doses of Chill Killer will stop any case of chills, if not will refund your money. Sold by Saunders & Fowden. 25 and 50 cents.

Lovers of fun and minstrelsy will find pleasure at Thompson's Minstrel Show on July 1. It is under white management and will not offend the refined. See ad.

—No Calomel or other purgative is required when you take Chill Killer. It's the wonderful purgative Chill Tonic. Sold by Saunders & Fowden. 25 and 50 cents.

Miss Laurie Ellison entertained a number of friends at her home on Tuesday evening in honor of her birthday. There pleasant games, and delicious refreshments served during the evening.

Chief of Police Edwards is smiling in a new suit of blue, helmet and all things that go to make a man look like a policeman. The Board of Commissioners have ordered that the police go uniformed all the time. The change is pleasing.

**PERSONAL**

Miss Jennie Swanner who nursed little Miss Thelma Brown, has returned to Farmville.

Miss Julia Bond, of Edenton, is the guest of Miss Annie Fagan this week.

Mrs. Will Hyman, of Richmond, is the guest of Miss Emily Whitely at Oakhurst Farm.

Mrs. Lee Gardner, of Conetoe, is visiting relatives in town.

Clayton Moore returned Tuesday from a business trip to Richmond and Philadelphia.

W. B. Watts and L. P. Hornthal were here from Plymouth Tuesday.

Mrs. S. A. Newell and children are visiting relatives in Louisville.

Misses Carrie Dell Blount and Frances Knight left Wednesday morning to attend the Blount-Stancill marriage near Bethel.

Misses Penelope Biggs and Irene Smith with Messrs. Grover Godwin, J. W. Watts, Jr., and Robert Everett went to Washington Tuesday to attend the opening of a house party given by Miss Augusta Charles.

Messrs. Fenton Reid, Robert Campbell and Robert Johnson with Misses Smith and Ayers motored here from Plymouth Sunday to visit friends.

Mrs. Wheeler Martin and daughter, Miss Fannie Biggs, have returned from a visit to Norfolk.

**Malaria or Chills & Fever**

Prescription No. 866 is prepared especially for MALARIA or CHILLS & FEVER. Five or six doses will break any case, and taken then as a tonic the Fever will not return. It acts on the liver better than Calomel and does not gripe or sicken. 25

**BRIDGED THE CHASM**

By WILLIAM O. STEVENS.

"Yesir, we've been bridgin' the bloody chasm today." Flushed with the conviviality of the Blue and Gray fraternization, a stranger dropped thumping into a chair at my table in the Monticello cafe.

"Stiggins' my name, I'm o'mander of Winslow post up state," he resumed, engagingly, "last time I was down here to Norfolk I helped in the fust bridgin' of the chasm on record, that's why I come all the way to this." My polite look of inquiry opened the flood gates wide, and the story flowed ripplingly.

"Well, sir, I enlisted in November, '64, gets my bounty and calls myself Jones. Then right off the cap'n of our company was pickin' on me all the time. I stood it patient till one day, while I was settin' under a tree on picket duty, he come by. Then I gets up easy an' give him a socker on the law. He didn't wake up for two hours."

Mr. Stiggins paused to ring for another high ball. The place was deserted except for a lanky fellow in a broad felt hat whom I noticed bending over the hotel register an hour before, and who now seated himself at the adjoining table with his paper and cigar.

"Well, they jugged me for six months, and that prison was where we bridged the chasm, like I said. It was an old stone warehouse made over, an' chock full. The room I was in—'bout ten by twenty—held four Yankees an' six rebs, with a guard at the door. 'Twa'n't long before we got real friendly, an' right off we begun layin' plans for escape. We all wanted to git out, an' that was what Carrot called our bond of union. Carrot—we called him that because he had flannel-shirt hair—was a real smart Johnny Reb from a South Carolina regiment sent up with the other prisoners from Roanoke. He was a spy and he was crazy to git out; uster talk looney 'bout his wife an' kids."

"Now, he'd smuggled in a little Sheffield knife, an' when he found that in the scuffle of gitting me in they'd left my jack knife, he almost whooped. I give it to him an' he took it off in a corner. Then, settin' my blade against his blade, he pounded with a loose brick till he'd saw-edged his'n. Next he saws on the iron bar in the window. It took four days to git through, an' while he sawed he had us all round him singin' to cover the squeakin', the Rebs whoopin' Bonnie Blue Flag an' we four yellin' Red, White an' Blue. The day guard was a Dutchman, an' the noise give him such fits he kep' as fur from the door as he dared an' plugged his ears."

"Now, I was the strongest in the bunch by a whole lot, an' when Carrot gone clean through he says, 'Stiggins—he foun' Jones wa'n't my real name—Stiggins, we need your biceps on that bar, an' only one man can git a holt to once. The next cloudy night, when the guard walks up the corridor, you bend the bar out, and as I'm the only death sentence here, I'll skip out first; then you pull it back so's you can hang a coat over it when he comes past again. Keep bracin' it till you let 'em all out.' You see, he cal'lated I'd git out last."

"'Bout two o'clock I gits up puttin' takin' good holt, bent the bar an' braced it with my foot till I could feel 's squeeze out aldewise. Then I drops onto the flat roof of the nex' buildin' an' makes tracks for Portsmouth. Nex' mornin' early I jump on the tail of a train carryin' furlough men, an' in four days I was in Pittsburgh enlistin' again an' gettin' another bounty."

"Carrot? Oh, early nex' mornin' they foun' me gone an' the busted slat in the window; so they give Carrot time to write home an' shot him."

Up rose our neighbor, threw off his hat, and leaning his hands on our table, looked Stiggins in the eye. I noticed then that his hair was bright red. But Stiggins fell back with wild, bloodshot eyes. "Carrot," he whispered hoarsely.

"No, Carrot's son; stranger," turning to me, "for ten years I've attended encampments looking for this man, and I reckon I'll take no interference. If you don't get right up," this to the shapeless huddle in the chair, "I'll do the trick right yah." A steel barrel flashed from his pocket. "But I'd rather not mess up the floor if I can help it."

"For God's sake, man," I began aghast, but he swept me aside menacingly. Then he collared his dazed prisoner and thrust him out into the midnight.

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**Book Exhibition.**

An international exhibition for the book industry and the graphic arts including photography, is to be held at Leipzig, the book industrial center of Germany, from May to October, 1914, in celebration of the 150th anniversary of the royal academy for graphic arts and the book industry in that city. The exhibition is to be organized upon an elaborate scale, including among various allied arts the manufacture of paper, the development of newspapers, and, finally, a group devoted to measures for the protection and welfare of workers.—Springfield Republican.

Much Money Falls Due Shortly. Industrial and public service corporations will, it is said, be called on to meet \$300,000,000 in short term notes before 1914.

**Report of the Condition of the Bank of Martin County**

Williamston, N. C., at the close of business June 4, 1913

RESOURCES:

Loans and Discounts	\$189,345.24
Overdrafts	7,066.53
N. C. State Bonds	1,000.00
All other stocks bonds, mtgs	2,376.00
Banking house fur. and fix'ts	1,950.00
Due from banks and bankers	26,987.27
National bank notes, etc.	6,601.58
Total	\$235,265.62

LIABILITIES:

Capital Stock	\$ 15,000.00
Surplus Fund	22,000.00
Undivided profits, less current expenses and taxes paid	2,628.12
Dividends unpaid	252.00
Bills payable	33,000.00
Time certificates of deposit	62,796.90
Deposits subject to check	93,868.14
Due to banks and banker	5,720.46
Total	\$235,265.62

State of North Carolina, County of Martin, ss. I, C. H. Godwin, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

C. H. GODWIN, Cashier

Correct—Attest: J. G. Colard, A. R. Dunning, W. C. Manning, Directors.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12 day of June 1913.

Burrous A. Critcher, Notary Public

**Report of the Condition of The Bank of Jamesville**

Jamesville, N. C., at the close of business June 4, 1913

RESOURCES:

Loans and discounts	\$ 21,883.81
Overdrafts	743.35
Furniture and fixtures	1,066.91
Due from banks & bankers	8,854.20
National bank notes, etc.	1,519.17
Total	\$34,037.44

LIABILITIES:

Capital stock	\$ 5,000.00
Surplus	300.00
Undivided profits, less current expenses and taxes paid	651.93
Times certificates of deposits	7,971.00
Deposits subject to check	20,112.41
Total	\$34,037.44

State of North Carolina, County of Martin, ss. I, Asa J. Manning, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

ASA J. MANNING, Cashier

Correct—Attest: H. T. Stallings, L. W. Mizell, W. H. Martin, Directors.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14 day of June 1913.

J. L. Daveport, Notary Public

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**Notice**

Having qualified as administratrix upon the estate of Samuel N. Yarrell deceased Notice is hereby given to all persons holding claims against said estate to present them to the undersigned for payment on or before the 4th day of June 1914, or this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to the said estate are requested to make immediate payment.

This 4th day of June 1913.  
Mrs. JENNIE YARRELL, Admx.

North Carolina, Martin County.  
N. S. Peel,  
Vs.

Kemp Peel, & Geo. E. Peel,  
By virtue of an execution directed to the undersigned from the superior Court of Martin County in the above entitled action, I will on Monday the 7th. day of July 1913, at noon at the Court-House door of said County, sell to the highest bidder for cash to satisfy said execution all the right title and interest which the said Kemp Peel and Geo. E. Peel the defendants has in the following described real estate to-wit:—

One piece of land lying and being in Griffin Township Martin County, and known as the J. Edwin Peel tract of land or a portion thereof, Adjoining the lands of C. M. Peel, W. B. Lilley, Wm. A. Peel, Uriah Leggett, J. H. Ward, Louise T. Holliday and others, Registered in Martin County Registry Book 000 page 186, registered October 2nd, 1905. This the 30th. day of May 1913.

J. C. Crawford,  
Sheriff of Martin County.

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**Trustee's Land Sale**

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Under and by virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain deed of trust executed to me by Robersonville-Tar River Hosiery Mills Inc, of Robersonville, N. C., bearing date May 24, 1912, to secure the payment of a certain bond bearing even date and tenor therewith, and recorded in the office of the Register of deeds for Martin County in Book A 1, at page 398, on May 25, 1912, and the stipulations contained in said deed of trust not having been complied with, I shall, on the 30th. day of June 1913, at three o'clock, p. m., on Academy Street, in front of the Property described in said deed of trust, in the Town of Robersonville, Martin County, N. C., offer for sale to the highest bidder, for cash, the following described property, to-wit:

Beginning at a point on the North side of Academy Street in town of Robersonville, N. C., Martin County, fifty feet West of Cherry Street, and running thence a northerly course a line at right angles with said Academy Street 150 feet; thence a line parallel with Academy and 150 feet from same an easterly course to the center of an old road; thence with the center of said old road to the said Academy Street; thence with said Academy Street to the beginning. Said property consisting of seven town lots and the buildings thereon, said buildings being 7 seven dwelling houses three six-room houses and four four-room houses. All new and in good condition, and in a desirable location.

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