

MAMMOTH STILL IS CAPTURED

On Tuesday last a mammoth still was captured in the Bear Grass section estimated by Federal Revenue officers to have cost a thousand dollars...

BEAUTIFUL WEDDING SOLEMNIZED IN IMMANUEL BAPTIST CHURCH

A wedding characterized by simple dignity and unusual beauty occurred at the Immanuel Baptist church on Wednesday morning at 11 o'clock...

Dr. R. T. Vann of Raleigh, who officiated at the wedding of the bride's parents and also at that of her sister...

Mrs. Everett is the oldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Higgs. She is a graduate of Meredith College and of Simmons College in Boston...

At noon Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Higgs and Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Everett entertained the wedding party and a number of guests at a beautiful breakfast at the County Club...

FARMERS BUSY PLANTING CORN

Farmers are planting corn this week regardless of the cold spell. They are not following former methods as the season for planting corn has not yet opened...

Those farmers who have tried it seem to know that corn planted the last week of March and the first of April generally bears well.

RAYBORN JOYNER TAKEN SERIOUSLY ILL

Carried to Park View Hospital Rev. and Mrs. A. V. Joyner left this morning with their son, Rayborn for the Park View hospital, Rocky Mount where he will receive treatment...

EASTERN CAROLINA EXPOSITION AND AUTOMOBILE SHOW PROGRAMME

To Be Held in Kinston One Week, Beginning April 7 and Ending April 12, 1924.

MONDAY, APRIL 7TH 2:00 p. m.—Parade—First prize, \$100.00; second, \$75.00; third, \$50.00.

2:30 P. M.—Formal opening, in Knott's Warehouse. Address of Welcome: Wayne A. Mitchell, Kinston, N. C.

Response: Hon. Geo. Royall, President Eastern Carolina Chamber of Commerce, Goldsboro, N. C.

5:00 P. M.—Doors close. 7:00 P. M. Doors open.

7:30 P. M.—Cervone's Band Concert. 8:30 P. M.—Miss Anna Casé, Soprano, Concert.

10:15 P. M.—See exhibits. TUESDAY, APRIL 8TH 7:00 P. M.—Doors open.

7:30 to 8:30 P. M.—Cervone's Band Concert and orchestra. 8:30 P. M.—Minstrel by Kiwanis Clubs, Eastern Carolina.

1:00 P. M. Doors open. 2:00 P. M.—Parade by Kiwanis Clubs Eastern Carolina.

2:30 P. M.—Band Concert. 3:30 P. M.—See Exhibits. 5:00 P. M.—Doors close.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 9 1:00 P. M.—Doors open. 2:00 P. M.—Parade, Rotary Clubs Eastern Carolina. 2:30 to 3:30 P. M.—Cervone's Pittsburg Band. 5:00 P. M.—Doors close.

7:00 P. M.—Doors open. 7:30 P. M.—Cervone's Band concert and special. 8:30 P. M.—One act comedy, staged by individual Rotary clubs Eastern Carolina.

THURSDAY, APRIL 10 1:00 P. M.—Doors open. 2:30 P. M.—Band concert. 3:30 P. M.—Introduction of Queens. Two separate contests; one Lenoir County and one outside Lenoir county.

FRIDAY, APRIL 11 1:00 P. M.—Doors open. 2:30 P. M.—Cervone's Band in Special Concert for the children.

3:30 P. M.—Special entertainment for the children to be announced later. 5:00 P. M.—Doors close. 7:00 P. M.—Doors open. 7:30 P. M.—Pageant, "Eastern Carolina in Action."

SATURDAY, APRIL 12 1:00 P. M.—Doors open. 2:30 P. M.—Band Concert. 3:30 P. M.—Special entertainment for the people.

7:30 P. M.—Band concert. 8:30 P. M.—Something real worth while.

11:00 P. M.—Doors close, and thus rings down the curtain on the Second Annual Eastern Carolina Exposition.

TEN "DON'TS"

Ten "Don'ts" for women political orators, given by the woman vice-chairman of the Republican national committee, are as follows: "Don't show off your best clothes; don't look like a bareback rider or a tinsel circus dancer. Don't wear pearls or dangly things around the neck. Don't wear a hat, especially one with feathers or floppy things on it. Don't show your feet or ankles. Don't yell at your audience. Don't learn your speech by heart, or read it from a written copy. Don't refer to your lack of time. Don't knock the other party."

GOVERNOR'S MARRIAGE A GREAT SURPRISE

The news of the marriage of our Governor Cameron Morrison came as a great surprise. The people generally were expecting that he might marry Mrs. Vanderbilt, but did not know that he was even courting Mrs. Geo. D. Watts of Durham.

Mrs. Watts is about as rich as Mrs. Vanderbilt and is also very popular and attractive.

POST OFFICE REPAIRED

The local post office is undergoing a few necessary repairs. The patrons of the office will not be troubled as Mr. Price is having the affair fixed up in proper style and so that the necessary duties of the office will not be hampered.

MR. CULPEPPER INVESTIGATES THE PLACING OF HARDWARE STORE HERE

Mr. W. T. Culpepper of the Culpepper Hardware Company of Elizabeth City is in town today looking after a location for a hardware store. Mr. Culpepper expects to establish an up-to-date hardware store here at an early date.

THE FARM PROSPECTS FOR THE YEAR 1924

According to the latest information from over 45,000 farmers, representing practically every county in the United States, within the past month, the farmers are undertaking a normal production program. It is apparent, however, that the production this year will still meet with the trials arising from high wages, costs, farm labor shortage and the general difference between the prices of farm and urban products.

The foreign markets seem likely to maintain about the present level for our cotton, pork, wheat and tobacco demands. The situation in regard to labor, machinery, fertilizers, credit and cost items is not encouraging towards an expansion in production. There is a prospect of an overproduction of corn in the United States. This increase, if actually carried out and if the yields are as good as in recent years, would result in a supply larger than the probable demand. This is particularly true in view of the prospective decrease in livestock production.

The cotton market gives promise of being able to absorb the moderate increase of cotton at a comparatively good price. A large crop, if secured by increased acreage and expensive cultural methods, would tend to bring a decline in price which might more than offset any resulting reductions in costs due to high yields. Good judgment on the part of cotton farmers is going to pay well this year regarding boll weevil poisoning methods. Late fertilizing should be avoided.

The tobacco outlook is for a slight decrease in acreage in this state and some increase from here to Georgia. The national outlook is for the same acreage as last year. The cigarette types of tobacco are those mostly in demand. There are rather heavy stocks of tobacco on hand in consideration of the year's requirements for manufacturing.

COTTON GROWERS' ASSOCIATION TO HAVE BOOTH AT E CAROLINA EXPOSITION

Raleigh, April 3.—Farmers who visit the Eastern Carolina Exposition at Kinston, April 8, 9, and 10, will find a most interesting and educational exhibit among a number of others. The North Carolina Cotton Growers' Cooperative Association has arranged a booth which is to be not only a display that will interest but is planned to aid the cotton growers of the counties which take part in the exposition.

A complete grading and classing office is to be at the exposition under the direction of Fred T. Haas of the Raleigh office and every farmer who still has cotton on hand is welcome to bring samples of the cotton for expert grading and classification. This invitation is open to all farmers whether they be members of the association or not. There is no charge for the service which is intended to really benefit the farmers.

Another feature of the exhibit will be a boll weevil exhibit with full instructions as the poison dusting method of fighting the weevil.

The purpose of the Association in making this exhibit is to illustrate the importance of better cotton seed and better methods of making the crop. In caring for the exhibit, Mr. Haas will have the assistance throughout the exposition of thirty leaders in the cooperative work, selected by the local organizations of Lenoir, Greene and Wayne Counties.

CARD OF THANKS

To the thoughtfulness and loving sympathy of friends expressed by both word and deed in our long bereavement has touched our hearts most deeply and we wish to thus publicly express our thanks and appreciation.

Mrs. J. D. Cherry and Children.

CHURCH OF THE ADVENT

Sunday, April 6. Holy Communion 8:00 a. m. Church school 9:45 a. m. Morning prayer and sermon 11:00. Evening prayer and sermon 7:30. Everybody welcome.

J. E. WARNER, Priest.

SHERIFF CAPTURES SMALL OUTFIT

Sheriff Roberson and Chief of Police J. O. Manning received an invitation to visit the Bear Trap Mill Wednesday. Upon reaching the mill they saw smoke and immediately went toward it. When they had walked within a few feet of the still, a colored man, Lawrence Woodard, who was in charge, discovered them and leaped for other parts. The big policeman followed. Across country, through brush, over logs and under brush they went. The policeman being rather stout held wind and gained ground for a short while, but finally saw that he would either lose his breath or the negro one, so he stopped, saving his breath.

The outfit consisted of a small copper kettle, several empty barrels and four gallons of molasses rum.

JAMESVILLE SCHOOL TO RECEIVE APPROPRIATION FROM STATE EDUCATION BOARD

Donation of Five Hundred Dollars to Help High School Meet State Requirements

The State Board of Education has just appropriated \$500.00 to the Jamesville High School from a recently provided fund set aside for the purpose of assisting high schools that are not able to provide sufficient funds to preserve the standard requirements of the State.

STATEMENT OF THE OWNER SHIP, N. C. NAGEMAN, LTD., RE: QUITS BY THE A. T. OF CONGRESS OF AUGUST 24, 1922.

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County of Martin

Before me, a notary public in and for the State and county aforesaid, personally appeared W. C. Manning, Jr., who having been duly sworn according to law, deposes and says that he is the Business Mgr. of The Enterprise and that the following is, to the best of his knowledge and belief, a true statement of the ownership, management, etc., of the aforesaid publication for the date shown in the above caption, required by the Act of August 24, 1912, embodied in section 445, Postal Laws and Regulations, printed on the reverse of this form, to wit:

HORSE SHOE TOURNAMENT CREATES MUCH MERRIMENT

It used to be that men and boys pitched dollars and other miscels as a game but now the old time horse shoes have come again into evidence.

The local school has just finished a horse shoe pitching tournament. Sixteen boys and girls gathered up all the old horse shoes in town and carried them to the athletic field last week and had a real old fashioned horse shoe tournament. There were eight boys and eight girls in the tournament and there were four contests among both the boys and girls when they were each eliminated and after the next elimination there were left of the girls, Frances Hoyt, Pat Harris, Laura Orleans and Margaret Manning, Laura Orleans and Margaret Manning being the winners in the last game. John Booker and Chas. Peel played Bruce Whitley and Tom Crawford but they were defeated in the finals. The winners were awarded a box of chocolates.

ENTERTAINS AT BRIDGE

On Tuesday evening from eight thirty until eleven-thirty at their lovely home on Main street, Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Dunning entertained several friends at bridge.

MR. JAMES N. TAYLOR DIED SUDDENLY LAST TUESDAY

Mr. James N. Taylor of Cross Roads township died suddenly Tuesday, April 1.

Mr. Taylor had been in ill health for several months with high blood pressure and brights disease, however he was able to be up and attending to business.

Tuesday morning he walked out to the field where his boys were ploughing. After staying out for a short while he turned to go away but as he turned to leave he fell and was dead in less than a minute.

Mr. Taylor was 65 years old and leaves a widow, four sons and three daughters.

The burial was in the Alex. Rawls burial ground, B. S. Cowing directing the funeral.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to take this opportunity to thank our friends and relatives for their many acts of kindness and sympathy during the recent illness and death of my husband and our father.

MRS. J. L. ROBERTSON AND FAMILY.

Mrs. Eli Robertson arrived yesterday from Kentucky to visit Mr. Robertson's mother, Mrs. J. L. Robertson and to return to Kentucky with Mr. Robertson who has been here with his father during his illness and death.

ROBERT E. LEE: "IMMORTAL EVEN IN DEFEAT"

In Dr. William E. Hatcher's book "Along the trail of the Friendly Years," there is a chapter entitled "Sitting in the Ashes," which describes the fall of Richmond in the last days of the Confederacy, and General Lee's entrance into the city on his return from the war. Just fifty-nine years ago the Civil War came to a close. Dr. Hatcher's tribute to Lee is so beautiful that we reproduce it for our readers:

"But I saw another sight in connection with Richmond's fall which I confess thrilled me a thousand times more than all the glory of the victorious armies of the Republic. It was a spectacle that broke upon me unexpectedly; it came while the heavens were black with storm and the streets were wild with flooding rains.

What I saw was a horseman. His steed was beattered with mud, and his head hung down as if worn by long traveling. The horseman himself sat on his horse like a master; his face was rigid with self-respecting grief; his garments were worn in the service and stained with travel; his hat was drenched and spattered with mud and only another unknown horseman rode with him, as if for company and for love. Even in the fleeting moment of his passing by my gate, I was awed by his incomparable dignity. His majestic composure, his recitance and his sorrow, were so wrought and blended into his visage and so beautiful and impressive to my eyes that I fell into violent weeping. To me there was only one where this one was; there could be only one that day, and that one was still my own revered and cherished father, stainless in honor, resplendent and immortal even in defeat, my own, my peerless chieftain, Robert E. Lee.

In that lone way, in the midst of rain and more, with no crowds to hail him, with no resounding shouts to welcome him; with no banners flapping about him, did he come back from disastrous war. But, ah! we did not know. Conquered and solitary he was, but yet he wore invisible badges of victory; he carried spoils of honor and conquest which could never fail, and in every step of his sad moving he was marching forward to take his place in the balance courts of universal fame."

SCHOOL HOUSE BURNS BECAUSE OF ENEMY

The Smithwick school house located between Williamston and Jamesville was burned last night.

The general opinion prevails that it was fired by some one who is an enemy to his neighbors, his country, his friends and even to his unworthy self.

The school would have closed in a few weeks and of course, the loss of the building closes the school now.

Some few books were burned, belonging to the teachers mostly.

MAH JONG PARTY

Miss Elizabeth Hassell entertained at one table of Mah Jong at her home on Houghton street yesterday afternoon from four to six.

Those playing besides the hostess were Mrs. B. Duke Critcher, Mrs. Robert Heydenreich and Miss Elizabeth Burras.

An attractive salad course was served by Miss Hassell assisted by her mother, Mrs. A. Hassell.

MR. JULIUS S. PEEL WILL RETIRE LAST OF THIS WEEK FROM CHICAGO

Mr. Julius S. Peel will retire last of this week from Chicago, Detroit where he has spent two weeks.

TWO WOMEN DIE AS CAROLINA SANITARIUM BURNS

Eight Patients Missing In Checking Inmates of Broad Oaks Refuge

Morgantown, N. C., April 3.—Two women patients were known to be burned to death, six others are missing, and several are injured after a fire which today destroyed one wing of the Broad Oaks sanitarium here. Forty patients were sleeping in the building when the fire started.

Two bodies have been recovered and were identified as those of a Mrs. Gaines and a Mrs. Hamilton.

Immediately after the blaze was conquered officials made a check of the patients and found eight to be missing. A search was made in the ruins and a few minutes afterwards the bodies of two women were found.

Work of searching the ashes was greatly hindered because of the heat and firemen said it may be some time before it can be definitely established whether others lost their lives. The cause of the fire has not been learned but an investigation already is under way, police said.

The blaze started shortly before daybreak while the patients were asleep and had gained a headway before the night nurses detected it. An alarm was turned in immediately and it was with the greatest difficulty that many of the bedridden patients were removed to safety.

Many were carried to another local hospital. Some of them were slightly injured while others are suffering from nervous shock resulting from fright. One man was said to have been seriously burned and doubts for his recovery were expressed by attendants.

J. P. Green, of Charlotte, N. C. was expected to die from burns received after running back into the flaming building following his rescue. Another woman patient from Georgia, also was reported near death.

Of the forty-two patients in the building when the fire started, thirty were women. The institution is conducted by Dr. J. Verno, a nerve and mental specialist.

Police this afternoon stated the cause of the fire had not been determined. It started in a section of the building where there is a strict rule against patients carrying matches.

Many of the inmates were confined to their beds when the fire started, and it was with the greatest difficulty that they were rescued.

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UNIVERSITY OF CAROLINA'S DINING HALL IS BURNED

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University officials say repairs to the building cannot be completed before May 1.

TO HOSPITAL

Mr. Luther Peel accompanied by J. W. Manning carried Mr. James Gurganus to the state hospital in Raleigh Wednesday.

Mr. Peel reported a nice trip, but stated that the Mr. Gurganus was condemned by many and looked upon as an outcast his sense of feeling was to be reckoned with just as much so as any one else's.

Mr. Gurganus showed the way and related a few of his experiences while in the hospital, some time ago. He said he hated to return and at times cried as if he were a baby.

OAK CITY WINS DOUBLE HEADER

The Oak City boys' basket ball team closed its season with an overwhelming victory over Robersonville, winning 45 to 2. The Robersonville boys were game but could not break up the smooth team work of the Oak City boys. The Oak City girls made it a double header when they won over the Robersonville girls by a score of 12 to 10.

BEAR GRASS SUNDAY SCHOOL HONOR ROLL

Following is the honor roll of the Bear Grass Sunday school for March, 1924.

RECORDERS COURT PROCEEDINGS

State vs. Wait Bailey, reckless driving of an automobile on the public roads.

State vs. Andrew Mobley, Luther Clark, Wheeler Beach and Oscar Wynn. Assault with deadly weapon. Each defendant plead guilty and was fined \$5.00 and cost.

State vs. Fred Bryant, assault. Continued until April 8th.

State vs. Randolph Ore, Elijah Gorty. Defendants Randolph Ore and ham and Randolph Carter. Plead guilty. Each fined \$50.00 and one-third of the cost and confined in the common jail for a term of ten days and they pay their jail fees. Randolph Carter was fined \$25.00 and the cost.

State vs. Simon Fagan Jr. driving auto without license. Plead guilty. Judgment suspended upon payment of the costs and upon payment to Mr. Austin, the prosecuting witness the sum of \$17.75 and the case was continued until April 15th under the same bond.

State vs. Willie Barfield, assault with deadly weapon. Plead guilty. Fined \$25.00 and costs.

State vs. LeRoy Pitts and Aeton Edmondson. Larceny for temporary purposes. Nol Pro.

Robert Johnson, Jr. Having liquor on hand for sale. Plead Nolo Contenderi and charged with the cost.

SEVERAL LOCAL BOYS OUT FOR TRIP ACROSS CONTINENT

The bathing beauties as pictured in all the magazines from the western shores have proved too much for Messrs. James E. Harrell, Raymond Taylor and James Cooke; so they are taking advantage of the wonderful offer of the New and Observer. The offer is a trip for 100 subscriptions or renewals for one year to that paper.

There will be two groups, one leaving in June and another in July. We wish the boys a nice trip across the old U. S. and the best of luck in getting their subscription to the "Old Reliable."

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Primary Class—Mrs. B. O. Cowing, Teacher.

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