

MISSING WORD CONTEST STARTS IN THIS ISSUE

\$25.00 To Be Given Away Free to Those Who Take Part

How would you like to have \$25.00 handed you free? The Enterprise is offering \$25 to those guessing and supplying the missing words in the ads on the contest page in this paper.

There is nothing hard about the contest and will afford real pleasure to those desiring to stop for just five minutes and read the ads on the page. To the one getting the most correct answers \$10.00 will be awarded, the next highest will receive \$5.00 and the ten next highest will receive \$1.00 each.

There will be one or more words, conjunctions are not included and in cases where they are left out should not be classed as a missing word in this contest, left out and you must in order to get correct answers, read every advertisement on contest page. The same word may be left out in the same ad or another word in the same ad more than once, so it is advisable to check the advertisements anew each issue.

MRS. CRITCHER AND MRS. MANNING JOINT HOSTESSES

Tonight at the home of Mrs. Critcher on Watts street, Mrs. Roger Critcher and Mrs. John A. Manning will entertain with a bridge party.

An ice course will be served and those to whom invitations have been issued are, Mrs. Oscar Anderson, Mrs. Wheeler Martin Jr., Mrs. Rome Biggs, Jr., Mrs. B. Duke Critcher, Mrs. P. H. Brown, Mrs. R. W. Hardy, Mrs. C. A. Anderson, Mrs. W. J. Hodges, Mrs. L. C. Bennett, Miss Anna Pope, Mrs. Roy Gurganus, Mrs. G. H. Harrison, Mrs. J. G. Godard, Jr., Mrs. J. W. Manning, Mrs. E. P. Cunningham, Mrs. C. A. Harrison, Mrs. M. D. Watts, Miss Carrie D. White, Mrs. W. E. Dunn, Mrs. Carrie B. Williams, Mrs. Warren Biggs and Miss Daisy Wynne.

FLOWING WITH MILK AND HONEY

No where in the world can one procure more things to eat than right here in Norfolk. Situated in the heart of the finest trucking region in the world, its shores are washed by the waters of the Atlantic ocean and Chesapeake Bay, which team with delicious sea-foods of all kinds.

New potatoes are bringing 15 cents a pound, while tomatoes are selling at the same figure, except the hot-house varieties grown in Princess Anne and Norfolk county, for 40 cents a pound. Snap beans, onions, beets, peppers, cucumbers, rhubarb, and a score of other hardy vegetables, are abundant. Spinach is coming in, at 40 cents a peck.

Oranges can be bought for 25 cents a dozen, bananas 25 a dozen and mushrooms \$1 a pound. Asparagus is selling for 30 cents a pound, while good artichokes may be bought for 10 to 15 cents each. Florida cycling has arrived, at 15 cents a pound.

A large supply of turkeys is in the market, with poultry of all grades flourishing. Turkey sells around 50 cents a pound, while chickens can be bought at 25 cents a pound. Some squab, guinea hens and other fancy poultry can be supplied by certain dealers.

The fish market is thriving, with shad coming in more plentifully and trout and other higher class fish fairly plentiful. Shad is selling from 40 to 60 cents a pound, and other varieties lower.

No city, regardless of its size, can boast of a more complete assortment of good things. And the majority of them are home-raised.

We clipped the foregoing editorial from the Norfolk Ledger Dispatch.

It is somewhat interesting to hear nearby sections how their home. It seems however, that it takes a lot of wind when tomatoes are selling at 10 cents a pound, potatoes at \$24.00 per barrel and mushrooms at \$1.00 a pound.

Well, Norfolk is all right anyway.

March Very Generous to April March has been very generous to April. The old legend that April borrows 12 days from March has been materially strengthened.

WOMEN OF WILLIAMSTON CONTEMPLATING THE FORMATION OF WOMAN'S CLUB

The women of Williamston are contemplating and acting upon the formation of a Woman's Club.

The purpose of the club is to promote a progressive spirit among the business women of the town to build up a play ground, swimming pool and other public projects which are for the welfare of the community and town. The movement for such a club is being sponsored by the women only, with Miss Daisy Wynne acting as temporary chairman. Miss Wynne is being aided by some of the most prominent women of the city, women who are interested in the community and its children who are to be the leaders of the future.

It is understood that Mayor Jno. L. Hassell will call a meeting of the women of the town in the near future for discussing the general problems concerning the town.

If the club begins to take form and act it will need your help.

WOMAN DIES WHILE KNEELING IN PRAYER

Stricken with a heart attack, Mrs. J. C. Pitt died while kneeling in prayer at church services in Sharpburg Sunday night.

Mrs. Pitt, who was 60 years of age was attending services of the Primitive Baptist church in the Sharpburg graded school building Sunday night. Suddenly while upon her knees in prayer she was stricken with a fatal heart attack and fell dead almost instantly.

The deceased is survived by her husband, J. C. Pitt of Sharpburg-Tarboro Daily Southerner.

CENSUS BUREAU PUBLISHES FIGURES ON STATE TAXES

The Census Bureau has just published figures on both Federal and other taxes paid by each state.

The report shows that North Carolina pays more income and revenue tax to the Federal Government than Virginia, Kentucky, Tennessee, South Carolina, Georgia, Florida, Alabama, and Mississippi combined.

The same report shows that for state and local purposes four of these states pay about the same amount that North Carolina pays. They are as follows: Virginia, Kentucky, Tennessee and Georgia.

WORK STARTED ON POWER LINE TO EVERETTS

Work was started on the power line which will run from here to Everetts, this week. A right of way has been cleared and the line will follow the left hand side of the road into the neighboring town. According to Mr. Moore, superintendent of the local light plant, the poles will arrive in the next few days and real work will begin then.

CAR TURNS TURTLE, PASSENGERS ESCAPE INJURY

Two miles this side of Robersonville just where the Gold Point road parts from the main road Mr. Harold Everett had the misfortune of having his car turn turtle. He was driving at a moderate rate of speed and the exact cause of the mishap can't be determined, unless Mr. Everett was a bit sleepy and allowed the car to get from under his control before it could be stopped. Mr. Everett was accompanied by Mr. J. W. Biggs and both escaped injury.

MISS SMITH PRETTIEST GIRL IN EASTERN CAROLINA

We have been unofficially advised by telephone that Miss Mary Alice Smith of Ayden, received the diamond ring as she was adjudged the prettiest girl in Eastern Carolina. Miss Edna Spencer of Kinston received the second prize which was a diamond ring as she was adjudged the prettiest girl in Kinston.

HIGH WATER STILL PREVAILS, FISHING AT A STANDSTILL

Due to the high waters of the Roanoke river herring fishing has been greatly hampered. Seine fishing has been inactive now for some time and from present indications it will continue to be so. The only type is that by dip nets. However, these nets have partly solved the fish demand and the price is a bit lower now than it was at the first of the season.

Properly cared for, the home garden is an object of beauty and is a silent but impressive testimony of the individuality of human effort; so many people in so many places have worked together for its creation; it demonstrates clearly the possibilities and results of cooperation.

Undertaking Establishment Formed Here

F. L. Edward and company of Kinston have rented the store formerly occupied by the York Garage for an embalming and undertaking establishment.

The firm will run an undertaking and embalming establishment, giving both day and night service. They have an up to date motor hearse and announce that their prices will be reasonable.

Williamston has been rather negligent in procuring an up to date undertaking establishment and we gladly welcome Mr. Edwards' firm in our midst.

Where Does Health Education Begin?

The man in the car stopped to look at the good-looking farm. The fields were yielding large crops; the stock was in fine condition. Well-made sheds housed the newest and most efficient farm machinery and an auto for travel.

"How many pigs have you?" asked the traveler.

"Just a hundred and nine," said the farmer. "That boar over yonder took first prize at the county fair. He's a full-blooded Duroc."

"You certainly know how to raise pigs, Mr. Farmer."

"I ought to; I've sure made a study of raising hogs. You have to get good stock and then raise them right."

"Your corn looks fine too."

"Yes, its going to be a bumper crop."

"I suppose anybody could raise corn around here," ventured the traveler.

"Anybody that's a mind to learn how and willin' to work. You have to know how to raise corn; have to know about the soil; you have to know about the soil, and the seed and how to raise the crop. I've got the best machinery anywhere around; and it pays. A man can't afford these days to buy inferior stock or tools; and then he's got to keep everlastingly on the job."

A child came running out into the yard, brown as a berry, but thin and sleep-looking.

"How many children have you?" asked the traveler.

"Nine!" replied the raiser of prize pigs. "Some family, eh?"

"And I suppose you and your wife have made a study of how to raise a prize family of children?"

"Now you're kiddin' me! I reckon what's good enough for their dad is good enough for them."

"But, is it? You don't expect your small pigs to eat what your big hogs eat. When you're growing a prize pig you don't say, 'Its going to get no more than its mother had,' but 'What does this pig need?'—and that pigwon't get it unless you give it to him. You know every point of a prize hog; do you know every point of a prize 6 year old girl or boy? Or a 10 year old? Or a 2 year old?"

"Pears as if its goin' to rain," said the farmer. "I'll have to be getting the cultivator under the shed. Its new this year and I don't want it to get wet and rust. If you want to keep good machinery you just have to take care of it."—National Bureau of Education.

COURTNEY FURNITURE STORE TO GIVE MAJESTIC RANGE DEMONSTRATION

If you want to know the how and why of a good kitchen range, attend the special exhibit of the Majestic Range held at the store of B. S. Courtney all next week. A fine set of cooking utensils is being given away absolutely free, as an inducement to banish your old cook stove now rather than later. It is love at first sight, in most cases, when a house wife sees the bright permanent finish of the range, and it is love for life, once she sees the rugged construction, and heat-tight joints of the Majestic, which besides eliminating waste of heat also means perfect heat control in baking. An obliging factory expert is on hand to answer any questions anyone interested in ranges might ask.

ROBESON MILL ITEMS

The many friends of Mr. Harvey Gardner are sorry to know of his serious illness.

We are glad to know that Mr. Kader Lilly has returned from Washington where he underwent an operation.

Miss Gladys Farrisier and Messrs. Herbert Gardner and Ernest Gardner motored to Mackays Sunday.

Mr. Buck Gardner and son, Walter went to Washington Monday on business.

Sudden death may cheat the doctor, but nothing ever gets ahead of the lawyer or the undertaker.

SUNDAY SCHOOL WORKERS TO MEET IN TARBORO

Former Resident Is Sec. Of The Association

Sunday School workers of all evangelical denominations in twenty-seven counties of Eastern North Carolina will gather in Tarboro on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, April 15, 16 and 17, for the Eastern Regional Sunday School Convention of the North Carolina Sunday School Association. The convention will open on Tuesday afternoon, April 15, and will continue through Thursday night, April 17.

Reports from Tarboro indicate that the people there are very enthusiastic over the prospects for the convention. Arrangements have been made to entertain all delegates on the Harvard plan, lodging and breakfasts being furnished free. Those in charge of the arrangements for the convention are expecting a good attendance from the different counties included in the region. The territory covered by the region includes the following counties: Beaufort, Bertie, Camden, Carteret, Chowan, Craven, Currituck, Dare, Edgecombe, Gates, Greene, Halifax, Hertford, Hyde, Jones, Lenoir, Martin, Nash, Northampton, Onslow, Pamlico, Pasquotank, Perquimans, Pitt, Tyrrell, Washington, Wilson. However, the attendance at the convention will not be confined to these twenty-seven counties, as workers from any other county convenient to the convention are urged to attend.

On the program of the convention will be four prominent Sunday School experts. Mrs. W. L. Blankinship, Atlanta, Ga., Associate Superintendent of the Tabernacle Baptist Sunday School, will have charge of the special conferences and addresses for workers with children. Mr. Frank D. Getty, Philadelphia, Pa., Associate Director of Young People's work for the Presbyterian Church, U. A. S., will give instruction to those who work with young people between the ages of twelve and twenty-four. Dr. E. B. Quick, Atlanta, Ga., Sunday School Secretary for the Southeastern District of the Christian Disciples Church, will give special instruction to the workers in Adult Bible Classes. Prof. A. M. Locker, Chicago, Ill., Field Superintendent for the International Sunday School Council of Religious Education, will have charge of the conferences for superintendents and other executive officers, as well as for those who are especially interested in Daily Vacation Bible School work.

Special feature of the program will be a "Song Festival of the Twelve Months," which will be presented by the Sunday School children of Tarboro, under the direction of Mrs. H. B. Whittier. This is expected to be a most helpful and inspiring feature of the convention.

Mr. A. D. Mizelle, a former Martin county citizen, but who now resides in Tarboro is Secretary of this Regional Sunday School Association and is doing much to promote its growth and usefulness.

LOCAL BOYS TO HAVE BASE BALL CLUB

The local boys, under the management of R. L. Coburn and Charles James have formed a local town base ball squad.

Practice has not been in effect as yet due to the preparation of the diamond which will be located at the Roanoke Fair grounds. The boys are earnest in their efforts and it is hoped that they will succeed.

LOCAL SCOUTS HOLD THEIR REGULAR MEETING

The boy scouts meeting was called to order by the scout master Thursday April 10 and the roll was called. There were 18 of the 25 members present and the meeting was a very interesting one.

Raymond Roberson was admitted back into the troop. Three new members were voted on and all of them were admitted, James Harris, William James and Joe Roberson. This makes a total of 28 boys in the troop and goes to show that the troop is steadily growing.

A composition was read by Mr. W. T. Meadows, Jr. and proved to be very helpful and interesting.

The meeting adjourned after a pleasant hour to meet again next Thursday night.—Reported.

FORDSON TRACTOR FOR SALE

I have used one season, guaranteed to be in perfect mechanical condition. Practically as good as new. I have no further need for it and will sell it dirt cheap.

J. S. WHITLEY, Phone 171, Williamston, N. C. 4-11-24

NEGRO SERIOUSLY SHOT AS RESULT OF QUARREL

As a result of a quarrel Buster Butler is carrying a load of back shot in his body. According to information a negro tenant on the farm of Mr. Dawse Lilly slapped a small boy and Butler took a hand in the affair and by so doing raised to anger Roosevelt who then shot Butler, emptying an entire load of shot in his body.

Roosevelt is said to be a tenant on Mr. Griffin's farm in Griffin's township.

Dr. J. H. Saunders who dressed Butler's wound says that he was very badly shot, but thought it to be not very serious.

Rev. Dodd Presents Copy of An Old Preacher

Here is a copy of a letter that an old preacher, not long ago wrote the bishop just after conference:

"My dear Bishop I am considerably bothered by the idea of having two preachers assigned to a charge that paid only \$260.00 last year." Yet this itinerant who had behind him 45 years of heroic service as ever glorified the record of a Methodist preacher and who was "bothered" over the prospects for the year added these immortal words: "Nevertheless, I shall go forward as I have always done, believing that there will be grace offered as I have need."

It seems to this writer that if men of affairs, men in all walks of life today would only stop and reflect, look back a moment, we would give credit where credit is due. I believe I am correct in saying that the greatest element in the constructive forces of our early life was due largely to the influence of those pioneer preachers who blazed the trails, tracked the forest, feared no foe, wove into the fabric of that early life the spirit that builded the school house and the "little brown church in the vale" in which were those principles for might and right so thoroughly grounded in to our parents that today we have a great, rich and progressive country.

Who built this country? But few of us can truthfully say, we did. We inherited it and we ought to be appreciative enough for what part we have today that we did not build, to provide a comfortable little home and provisions for those old preachers who roughed so well in days that are gone. Now they are broken in body but, thank God, not in spirit, for they see the work of their hands, brain and consecration woven into the life of the greatest nation on earth. But do we think of them? No, but we are going to in the near future. It is a shame that we as a great church have so long forgotten them, that they have come to be known as the "Forgotten men."

I know a Baptist preacher who thirty years ago just out of the Seminary entered the ministry of that great denomination, gave his all, his energy, his talent and his very life, received thousands into the church, built up the waste places, built beautiful churches and parsonages, raised many thousands of dollars for the educational institutions of his church, overlooked himself and his own family in his great zeal for his Lord's cause. Now, I think of where he is, living in a little log house in the mountains, a nervous wreck, without money, forgotten by the thousands that heard gladly his message of inspiration of days that are passed. Sad old man, and yet not old in number of years. His wife's health also broken and languishing in a State of tubercular hospital many miles distant and he can only go to see her occasionally when he can get enough to pay the fare. His children scattered and working their way through school as best they can. Great God when will such injustice end? I mention this case because I know it personally, and there are hundreds almost as bad in our own great Methodist church. Yes, one just died last month, and who served once in Martin county. That one will equal that of our Baptist friend.

We will soon ask our Methodists to contribute to a fund that we call the "Superannuate Endowment Fund" which will make it possible for these old soldiers of the Cross to get as much as \$600.00 each year which will enable them to at least live and not starve.

"Jesus gave his all, what hast thou given?"—E. D. LODD.

There will be no church services at the Baptist church Sunday as the pastor is out of town. Sunday school at regular hour, 9:45.

METHODIST WOMEN TO SOLICIT SUBSCRIPTIONS N. C. CHRISTIAN ADVOCATE

Question of Getting New Subscriptions Discussed at Ladies Aid Meeting

At the meeting of the Ladies Aid of the Methodist church of Williamston the question of getting new subscriptions and renewals for the excellent Christian paper, North Carolina Christian Advocate, was discussed and Mrs. J. T. Thigpen and Mrs. W. E. Warren were asked to serve as a committee to canvass the entire membership of the church. Please be ready with \$2.00 of your perfectly good money, they are coming to ask you to renew your subscription if you are already a subscriber and if not, you surely want to take and read your church paper. It is only \$2.00 per year.

In the discussion the following asked that their names be put on the new subscription list. Mrs. W. H. Crawford, Mrs. J. W. Hight, Mrs. W. E. Warren, Mrs. J. E. Harrison, Jr., Mrs. G. N. Gurganus, Mrs. B. Duke Critcher and others who said they would later. Keep the good work going.

Following is a clipping from our North Carolina Christian Advocate. To The Charges in the Weldon District

I have the privilege of offering five dollars in gold, in addition to the regular ten per cent commission which the Advocate allows, to any charge which secures fifteen new subscribers and seventy-five per cent of renewals. This is a most fair and liberal offer, and it is made with the hope that the Advocate may be placed in every Methodist home in the district. This work may be done by the pastor, Epworth League, Missionary Society, or any organization of the church. We shall expect a fine Advocate report at our district conference which convenes in Scotland Neck on the evening of the twenty-third of April.

S. E. Mercer, Presiding Elder, E. D. DODD, Pastor.

SELECTIONS OF MISS MARTHA ANDERSON COMMENTED ON BY GREENSBORO NEWS

On Monday night in a starostone's recital at Greensboro, Coburn where Miss Martha L. Anderson is a member, she appeared on the program at the Spring by Mrs. H. H. A. Beach and next "The Blackbird Song" by Cyril Scott.

The Greensboro Daily News said in part, "It was a most interesting program" and that Miss Anderson of Williamston sang two delightful numbers. This is quite complimentary to her, for there were several amateur artists on the program.

Miss Anderson is a senior at Greensboro College this year and she will complete the A. B. course in June and she has also given much time to the development of her voice. This is a difficult combination and requires much work. She bids fair to be one of Williamston's most intellectual and talented young women.

ORLEANS CONDUCTING AN EASTER SALE

W. R. Orleans, local progressive merchant, is conducting an Easter sale and he is offering a great variety of reasonable goods at great savings. Our reporter has interviewed Mr. Orleans and he asked him why he omitted the word "bargain" from his page ad which appears in this issue. Mr. Orleans outlined to him briefly as follows his reason for so doing.

"The word 'bargain' applies more to a clearing sale at the end of the season when customers have looked at the merchandise and have passed it up, then when the merchant finally disposing of it, has marked it way down in order to clear it out of his stock, 'that is a bargain.' But when the merchandise has appearance, style, tone, workmanship and wearing qualities, for which the customers gladly pay a price, and the prices have been materially reduced, 'that is value' according to Mr. Orleans. He adds, 'We want to give our customers 'value'."

WILLIAMSTON DELEGATES RETURN FROM CONVENTION

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The delegates from here report a very interesting meeting with sufficient opposition to make things look uncertain.

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The business hour proved to be very interesting on account of the articles which were brought by the members for the orphan that they have taken to support. It was decided to send the box in time for the orphan to receive it by Easter.

After the business was concluded a most delicious sand course with ices and candies was served by Mrs. Cole assisted by Mrs. Roger Critcher.—MRS. J. A. LEGGETT, Reporter.

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SERVICES AT THE CHURCH OF THE ADVENT

Sunday, April 13.—PALM SUNDAY.—Church School, 9:45 A. M.—H. M. Lobb, Superintendent. Morning Prayer and Sermon 11 A. M. Evening Prayer and Sermon 7:45 P. M.

Everybody cordially invited to attend these services.

J. E. WARNER, Priest.

Mr. J. L. Williams left yesterday for Norfolk where he will visit his mother for a few days.

Messrs. Eli Gurganus and E. S. Peel will return tomorrow morning from Columbia, S. C.

Mr. Joe Mallette of Tarboro was in town last night.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Anderson and children will be at home with Mrs. Anderson's mother, Mrs. J. L. Robertson in New Town for several months.

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Harrison and Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Woodard spent Thursday in Raleigh making the trip through the country.

Mr. M. B. Thompson and little daughter and little Miss Hazel of Windsor were in town Wednesday.

Mrs. J. W. Watts, Mrs. V. B. Watts and Mrs. Robert Heydenreich spent Wednesday in Washington.

Mrs. J. L. Peel, Mrs. A. Hassell and Miss Elizabeth Hassell returned to Washington Wednesday.

Misses Geneva Cooke and Elizabeth Hassell are visiting relatives in Kinston and attending the exposition.

A boaster is all right, so long as he sticks to his home town.

STAND THEATRE

—MONDAY—Viola Dana in "Rough Lips"

TUESDAY and WEDNESDAY Betty Compton in "Woman to Woman"

THURSDAY George Arliss in "THE GREEN GODDESS"

Show Starts 8 P. M.