

COUNTY AGENTS TO MEET HERE

And Program is One of Unusual Range and of Special Interest to Farmers.

Much interest is being taken in the approaching meeting of the agricultural demonstration agents...

This meeting will bring to this city the largest number of agricultural experts that have ever visited this section...

PROGRAM

- Tuesday, Feb. 8, 3:30 P. M. Meeting opens first session. Preliminary announcement, etc. Summary of 1915 work. ... Wednesday 9:00 A. M. ... Thursday 9:00 A. M. ... Thursday 2:00 P. M. ... Friday 8:39 A. M. ...

PRETTY HOME WEDDING ON FACTORY AVENUE SUNDAY

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Brothers on Southern Avenue was the scene of a very pretty home wedding when on Sunday afternoon at half past two o'clock their daughter, Miss Maud S. Brothers, became the bride of Mr. Norman R. Simpson.

The home was prettily decorated, the friends of the bride having spared no pains in making the setting for the marriage ceremony in harmony with the occasion.

At the appointed hour the ceremony was performed in a most impressive manner by Rev. I. N. Loftin, pastor of Blackwell Memorial Baptist Church.

The bride is an attractive young woman who has a large number of friends in the city, and the groom is a member of the firm of Simpson Brothers, machinists, of this city, having been identified with the company for a number of years.

The large number of beautiful useful gifts attest the popularity of the young people who have pledged their troth.

DISTRICT WOODMAN INVITED

The Woodmen of this district have been invited to attend the unveiling of the monument of E. C. Harrison at Old Trap next Sunday afternoon at two o'clock.

- 1. How We Have Developed The Community Spirit in New Hanover and the Results—J. P. Herring. 2. How Hog Cholera Work Helps the Agent to get the Cooperation of Farmers in Other Work—J. W. Sears, B. Troy Ferguson and O. F. McCrary. ...

- 1. How to Conduct Pruning and Spraying Demonstrations—G. W. Falls and O. F. McCrary. 2. The Safe Farming Program and How To Get Farmers To Adopt It—D. J. Middleton. ...

- 1. The Position of County Agent—What It Means in the Development of the County—E. S. Mill-saps. 2. The Relation of the County Agent To Other Extension Activities—Dr. B. W. Kumore and W. B. Mercier. ...

- 1. Weekly Reports Annual Reports, Expense Accounts, and Other Matters Not Already Covered. Adjourn 11:45 a. m. 2. Get Dinner and Prepare to Leave on 1:00 p. m. Train.

BANK OBSERVES THRIFT DAY

And Thursday of This Week Has Been Named as the Date of First Celebration

Days for the observance of special ceremonies designed to call attention to the meritorious purposes are growing more numerous in this country year by year.

The value of setting aside one specific day on which public attention shall be invited to this important subject is, of course, obvious. It means that through newspaper articles, lectures, addresses, talks, advertisements and other avenues of publicity the popular mind will be directed toward thrift and so concentrated upon it for the one day, at least, that considerable permanent interest will be aroused.

Certainly the word as employed by those who are behind the Thrift Day does not mean merely the saving of money, much less the parsimonious habit which borders on the miserly acquisition of gold for its own sake.

Thrift, however, is not a virtue that appertains exclusively to the rich or even to the well-to-do; but it may be learned and practiced by those in the humblest circumstances and is one sure method by which to rise in the world.

Thrift Day, February 3rd, will be appropriately observed in Elizabeth City, credit for which belongs to the First National Bank which in leading the movement to establish this new day and to thereby encourage thrift in this section is rendering a valuable service to the community.

MASQUERADE PARTY VERY SUCCESSFUL

Miss Bertha Brothers' class of Sunday School pupils gave a very successful masquerade party in the basement of Blackwell Memorial Sunday School annex Friday night.

CAMDEN NEWS

Mr. J. H. Seymore and daughter Hattie have just returned from a visit to friends at Harbinger. Mr. Sam Sawyer of Harbinger is visiting Mr. Mack Stevens here. Mr. Jimmie Dozier who has been very sick with grip is just getting out.

Snowden N. C. Jan. 31, 1916 The following is the honor roll of Corner Gum School for the fourth month: 6th Grade—Ethel Payne. 5th Grade—Sallie Ferebee, Jean Payne and Lizzie Ferebee. 3rd Grade—Margaret Fentress and Sarah Bray. 2nd Grade—Etta Sawyer, Thelma Sawyer and Annie Rosa Ballance. 1st Grade—A. Mary Bess. 1st Grade—B. Jullian Payne.

ISLEY MADE GOOD SPEECH

Coinjock, Jan. 29, 1916—Prof. Isley addressed the Coinjock School and visiting parents last Wednesday in regard to better school work. He also organized the Betterment Society for this district.

THEATRE TRAIN NEXT MONDAY

The Norfolk Southern Railway Company will run a special theatre train from Edenton to Norfolk on next Monday for the convenience of those who wish to see the play 'Nobody Home' at the Colonial or other theatrical attractions billed for that evening at the Norfolk playhouses.

CULPEPPER HAS ANKLE BROKEN

W. T. Culpepper, Superintendent of the Elizabeth City Cotton Oil and Fertilizer Company, was painfully injured Friday afternoon in jumping from a platform.

WILLIAMS—EDESON

Dan Williams of Elizabeth City and Miss Nettie Edeson of Edenton were married in Edenton Sunday. They will make their home here, Mr. Williams holding a position with the Elizabeth City Cotton mill.

HOPE TO PUT NEGRO NORMAL ON NEW AND BETTER FOOTING

Professor E. E. Samms of Raleigh, who is at the head of teacher supervision work in North Carolina, was in the city Monday to visit the negro normal school here.

"It is our hope, however," Professor Samms continued, "that we shall be able in the near future to put this school on a new footing. We have recently purchased a tract of land near the school buildings with that object in view; but we are not able to go further on account of lack of funds with which to carry out our plans.

"In order that we may be able to carry this work forward with as little delay as possible we have asked the General Education Board, which has its headquarters in New York City and which spends millions of dollars in educational work all over the country but especially in the South, to help us.

"This Board is already doing a great deal for the cause of education in North Carolina. My own salary, for instance, and that of the State High School Inspector, is paid by this board. Though they have done more for white education they have done no little for negro education also; and I feel very hopeful that they will act favorably upon our application for aid.

"What we want to do is give the negro boys and girls who attend the normal school here the sort of education which will fit them for lives of usefulness and service. We want to devote especial attention to teacher training so that those who go from the negro normal to teach will give their people the right kind of training. And we want to add to the school an agricultural and dairying department, so as to have an institution which will inculcate and teach the value of habits of industry and thrift.

"We have asked for three thousand dollars, and I hope that we will get the whole sum. That amount will enable us to pay the teacher in the new department, to build a barn to buy machinery and two good horses and six cows and farm implements, to purchase all other equipment necessary to the operation of a model dairy and truck farm.

MEETING AT PEARL STREET METHODIST

Adjutant Gossett of the American Rescue Workes will conduct a meeting at Pearl street Methodist church beginning next Monday night and continuing through next week with services every night.

GRIGGS COMMANDERY MEETS

Griggs Commandery Knight Templars will confer the Templar degree on Thursday night. All SIR Knights are requested to be present in full uniform.

DAVIS—PERRY

Z. B. Davis and Mrs. Daisy Perry of this city, were married by Justice of the Peace J. W. Munden at Mrs. Perry's home on Cedar street yesterday.

J. W. Walston of Shiloh was in the city today.

WANTED to buy a good milk cow that will give three to five gallons. P. C. Harris, Second St., Elizabeth City, N. C. Phone 3347 ttpd

APPEAL FOR JEWS MEETS RESPONSE

Elizabeth City Makes Liberal Contribution to Suffering Nation in Europe

At one o'clock this afternoon the full amount subscribed to the Jewish Relief Fund in Elizabeth City was \$472.13. Practically all of this will be collected to-day.

Following the addresses Sunday afternoon at the mass meeting at the Alkrama theatre collection was taken which amounted to about four hundred dollars. Additional subscriptions received yesterday and to day, bring the total up to the amount set forth above.

Dr. L. D. Mendoza, chairman and Moe Levy, secretary, of the emergency relief committee of Norfolk were on the platform at the Mass meeting Sunday afternoon, and the exercises opened with prayer by Rev. C. A. Ashby. R. W. Turner presided and the speakers of the day were Dr. Mendoza and I. M. Meekins of this city. The closing prayer was made by Rev. I. N. Loftin and Dr. Cunningham pronounced the benediction. The music was rendered by the choir of Blackwell Memorial Church.

Mr. Meekins delivered an eulogy of the Jew in history speaking of his unique place among the nations of the earth and of his contributions to present day civilization. He also lauded the Jew as a citizen in whatsoever country his lot has been cast.

Dr. Mendoza described in detail the sufferings of the Jews in warring Europe, particularly in Russia. "I speak," he said, "as a Jew and for a Jewish cause," and so vividly did he set forth the condition of his persecuted people that the audience listened with involuntary exclamations of horror at his recital of the outrages perpetrated.

Elizabeth City's subscription list to the fund for Jewish Relief is as follows:

Table with 2 columns: Name and Amount. Includes: First Baptist church \$100.00, Louis Selig 50.00, S. R. Siff 25.00, R. W. Turner 10.00, J. T. McCabe 10.00, C. W. Grice 10.00, Dr. Blades 10.00, Mr and Mrs C. W. Melick 10.00, C. H. Robinson 10.00, D. B. Bradford 10.00, Rev. C. A. Ashby 5.00, The Independent 5.00, W. Boettcher 5.00, W. W. Woodley 5.00, J. Dawson 5.00, G. Little 5.00, S. T. Wright 5.00, D. Cray 5.00, T. P. Nash 5.00, G. F. Derickson 5.00, A. B. Houtz 5.00, Rev. Cunningham 5.00, Kramer Amusement Co. 10.00, Mathias Owens 1.00, Sharber & White 1.00, W. G. Gaither Jr. 2.00, W. P. Skinner 1.00, Elizabeth Electric Light & Power Company 5.00, W. P. Knowles 1.00, C. W. Stevens 1.00, John M. Harney 2.00, J. B. Flora Jr. 1.00, H. G. Paulos 1.00, R. F. Pritchard 1.00, Dr. J. H. White 1.00, Walter P. Wood 5.00, W. A. Worth 5.00, W. J. Woodley 5.00, Dr. A. L. Pendleton 5.00, Cash 15.13, Basket 115.00. Total \$472.13