

BEACON FLASHES.

Those who have friends visiting them, or who intend leaving home themselves, will please let it be known at this office, so the fact may be mentioned. It does not matter whether you are a subscriber or not. All we ask is—let us know it.

Attorney Mark Majett, of Columbia, was in our town on business Monday.

Mr. J. H. Leggett returned Saturday from a visit of several days at Chery.

Mrs. Jno. L. Phelps has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Walker, at Creswell this week.

Misses Katie and Neva Aubson spent Sunday in Roper as the guest of their cousin Miss Clara Johnston.

Misses Alice Phelps, Carrie and Isolina Smith, spent a few days at Roper the past week the guests of the Misses Spruill.

Mr. Jacob Davenport, of Creswell, called to see us while in town yesterday and had his name enrolled on our subscription book for another year.

Dr. D. E. Motley, of Washington, D. C., delivered an interesting lecture Monday night at the Christian Church, his subject being the "History of Marriage."

Mr. Abe Adler, of the firm of Adler Bros., will leave Monday for Baltimore and New York where for ten days he will be busy selecting Spring goods for their store.

The Valentine entertainment given by the Teachers of the Graded School at the Town Hall Friday night was a fair success notwithstanding the disagreeable weather.

Our clever friend, Mr. W. C. Thompson, one of Roper's successful business men, called to see us while in town on Wednesday. Call again friend Carter, you are always welcome.

Mr. Clarence Latham, Trustee in Bankruptcy of L. P. Horuthal, will open the store this morning and proceed to dispose of the stock at and below cost. See his advertisement in this issue.

Sheriff Jackson went to Washington on Wednesday to take W. Congleton, a white man, who is wanted in that town and who was arrested by Sheriff Jackson Tuesday night at Hinson in this county.

For some time it has been the practice of some boys to go around town sacking dogs on cats, for the fun (?) of seeing the dogs tear the cats to death. There is a strict law in this State against cruelty to animals, and we think it should be strenuously enforced. If the parents or the town cannot put a stop to this most cruel practice, then the grand jury should do so.

We received a pleasant call on Monday from our old friends, Messrs. Abram Newberry and B. F. Wynne, of Nappenburg section. Mr. Newberry is a successful farmer and one of the good old stalwart Democrats of our county. Mr. Wynne is a fisherman and an old friend of our boyhood days who used to drive the overland mail route between Plymouth and Columbia, some twenty years ago. Call again.

The fact that Plymouth needs a Fire Commissioner, a fire company or someone to look after the fire engine and keep it in working order, was forcibly illustrated on Friday morning last. The building had burned down before the engine could be gotten to throw water. If the building exposed to the fire had not been brick, or if the wind had been in the opposite direction, no telling what the damage would have been.

Messrs. Adler Bros., have this week moved into the pretty new store under the Hotel Brinkley. This is unquestionably the handsomest store room in this town. In fact few towns in this part of the State has such a store as this will be when those bustling merchants get everything in shape. In addition to their line of dry goods, notions, clothing, shoes, etc., these progressive people propose to install an up-to-date millinery department this Spring. We these good people much success in their new home.

Whether John Moore shot Policeman White or struck him with a heavy rock is still an unsettled question, and it little matters, his intention was to murder Mr. White and escape. The prisoner is still suffering from his wounds and may not be out of danger. Mr. White is getting along nicely, in fact has not been off of duty since the fracas, though he has had a very sore head. It was a narrow escape for both, and the wonder is that under the circumstances Mr. White did not continue to shoot until the negro was dead.

SEED POTATOES FOR SALE—I have a lot of fine Red Bits Seed potatoes, which I am offering for sale cheap. Also Jersey Wakefield cabbage plants now ready.
W. F. LUCAS,
Pecan Farm,
Plymouth, N. C.

Teachers Meeting Tomorrow.

Teachers and pupils of the Graded School have been busy this week preparing for the teachers meeting to be held here tomorrow.

We asked the question yesterday as to whether Hon. Thos. W. Blount's picture were among the fixed decorations of the building, and were answered in the negative. This surprised us somewhat, and calls for the assertion that it should be there, and occupy a position not even second to that of the lamented Dr. McIver. Dr. McIver was a power for education in the State, but considering his education and opportunities, Mr. Blount has done more for the children in Eastern North Carolina, and especially in Washington county, than even he, and we should not wait until he is dead to teach our children to appreciate his worth.

A great investment, absolutely safe, brings returns that nothing else can; gives long surplus earning power; secures comfort and health in your declining years. That's what Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea does. 36 cents. Tea or Tablets. Spruill & Bro.

Murder at Williamston.

News reached here Tuesday morning that a murder had been committed at Williamston the night before.

The facts as reported to us are: Mr. E. B. McGlawhorn, a contractor had started to enter the Episcopal church where Bishop Strange was conducting services, when at the gate someone arose from behind the fence and shot him three times in rapid succession, so rapid that all the bullets entered the breast at the same place. People in the church, attracted by the shooting, rushed out and found the man lying in the gate, he was taken to his home and there he died at 6 o'clock Tuesday morning.

How he was shot was told by the wounded man before he died, and while the moon was shining yet he said he did not know who did the shooting, hence no clue is left that may lead to the arrest of the guilty party.

COMING TO PLYMOUTH.

Hemstreet the Hypnotist a Marvel.

The biggest laugh Macon has let loose for a long time was heard at the opera house last night when four hundred people roared at the hypnotic performance of Prof. Hemstreet. He had a number of our best citizens on the stage and had them thoroughly hypnotized, and the funny things he had them do were convulsing to the audience. It is impossible to particularize, sufficient it is to say, that it was as funny as a dozen comedians with a circus thrown in. Many who saw the demonstration last night laughed so much they are almost sick to day. The time has gone by when intelligent people cry fake over such power as he possesses and his entertainment affords a pleasing variation from the general run of theatrical performances and one can attend them and enjoy a hearty laugh. The Professor will give his last performance tonight and those who were not present last night should not miss a wonderful exhibition as some of our best people have promised to be hypnotized and the audience is sure to get its money's worth.—Macon, Ga., Times.

Prof. Hemstreet will be at the Plymouth opera house Friday night, February 21st, and two ladies or one lady and one gentleman will be admitted on one paid ticket if at the opera house before 8:15 p. m. Admission 15 and 25 cents.

ROPER RIPPLES.

ROPER, N. C., Feb. 19, 1908.

There was a delightful surprise party at Mrs. L. G. Roper's last Monday night given by the young people of Roper. The occasion proved to be a great success and was greatly enjoyed by all. Those present were: Misses Mabel Roper, Eva Chesson, Alice, Neva, Loula and Annie Cahoon, Ethel Kessinger, Mabel Whitehurst, Isabel McAlister, Carrie Spruill, Gladys Mitchell and Stella Blount. Messrs Robert Roper, Edgar Spruill, Henry Howell, Edward Blount, Roy Gottschall, J. Kistler, Milton Clagson, Ed. Leary, Louis Hassell and Jas. Leary.

Mrs. T. W. Blount entertained at what last Wednesday night. Mrs. Blount is a charming hostess, and the evening passed most pleasantly. The first prizes were won by Misses A. C. Carstarphen and Carrie Spruill, and the consolation prizes by Miss Mabel Roper and Mr. Robert Roper. Those playing were: Mrs. T. W. Blount, Miss A. C. Carstarphen, Mrs. Thad Blount, Misses Eva Chesson, Alice and Neva Cahoon, Mabel Roper, Stella Blount and Carrie Spruill, and Messrs. Edgar Spruill and Robert Roper.

ONE OF THE GIRLS.

CRESWELL CHAT.

Creswell, N. C., Feb. 19—Special.

Mr. C. A. Sallenger of Columbia, was in town Sunday.

Mr. Albert Litchfield of Plymouth, was in our town Monday.

Mr. Charlie Harrison of Norfolk, Va., was in town Tuesday.

Services were held in the Baptist church Sunday night by Rev. Mr. Potent, of Columbia.

Miss Annie Sawyer of near Columbia, spent Saturday and Sunday with Miss Mary Holmes, on Elm St.

Mr. Arthur Armstrong of near town, but who is attending school at Washington, N. C., spent Saturday and Sunday at home.

Little Miss Matilda and Master Alfred Alexander delightfully entertained a host of friends at the home of their parents, on Gay St., Friday night from 7:30 until 10 o'clock. It was greatly enjoyed by all present.

PROFESSIONAL CARDS.

W. M. BOND, JR.,
ATTORNEY-AT-LAW,
Plymouth, N. C.

Fall & Winter, 1907-8.

To my Friends and Patrons,

Greetings:

After spending some weeks in study and preparation of the styles for the present season, I wish to invite ALL, whether a customer or not, to visit us and look over our line of Millinery, Dry Goods, Notions, &c., knowing you will like them better after you have seen them.

If you want something not in stock—maybe not in town—we will be glad to get it for you from the city, as we buy from the best wholesale houses.

Remember, we will begin to display our Hats Oct. 4th, and daily throughout the season thereafter.

Hoping to be able to serve you, and with thanks for past favors,

I am, Yours respectfully,
MRS. A. M. AYERS.

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NOTICE.

NORTH CAROLINA, Washington County. Partisan Proceedings.

Henry Davenport, Wm. H. Rawls, Robt. Rawls, Alice Rawls, Hillman Rawls, by their next friend Oscar Rawls.

VS
Amie Phelps, Tell Dozier, Simon Davenport, Edgar Spruill, Famer Davenport, Henry B. Davenport.

The defendants Simon Davenport, Edgar Spruill and Famer Davenport, above named will take notice that an action entitled as above has been commenced before the Clerk of the Superior Court of Washington County to have said for partition and division of the proceeds a tract of land lying in Washington County, encompassing township, State of North Carolina, bounded as follows: Beginning at an Elm at the main road near Boxen Bridge and from there running a line of marked trees in an easterly direction to an Elm in J. K. Dilou's line, thence South along said Dilou's line and Idian Swamp to a pine corner tree in James Norman's line, thence west along Norman's line to the old Boxen B'dg ditch, thence along said ditch to the main road, thence along the main road to the first station. It being that tract conveyed by F. Spruill to Simon Davenport. And said Defendants will further take notice that they are required to appear at the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court in Plymouth, N. C., on the 24th Feb'y, 1908, and answer or demur to the complaint in said action same being now filed or the plaintiffs will apply to the Court for the relief demanded therein.
This 29 Jan 1908.

C. V. W. AUBSON,
U. S. C.

NOTICE.

On the 1st Monday in May, (it being the 6th day of May, 1907), at a sale of lands for the non-payment of taxes by the Sheriff, and ex-officio tax collector of Tyrrell county, N. C., the undersigned, L. D. Spruill, purchased at said sale at the Court House door of Tyrrell county, N. C., that certain tract or parcel of land situated in Gum Neck township, Tyrrell county, North Carolina, which was patented by Thomas Dunbar by grant No. 942, dated December 3rd, 1825, and recorded in Office of Register of Deeds of Tyrrell county, on June 14th, 1825, containing two hundred acres, and described as follows, viz: On the South side of the south-west prong of Great Alligator river, beginning at a pine near his (Thomas Dunbar's) corner, thence South fifty five degrees West three hundred and twenty poles, thence North eighty five degrees East three hundred and twenty poles, thence North fifty five degrees East ninety four poles, thence North seventy three degrees West one hundred and sixty poles to the first station.

Said land was listed for taxation and taxed in name of D. W. Dunbar for the taxes assessed for the year 1906. Time for redemption of said land from said sale will expire after one year from May 6th, 1907. Unless redeemed, the undersigned will apply for deed as by law provided.
L. D. SPRUILL.

Jan feb mar

Rhode Island Reds.

I have only a few Rhode Island Red Cockerels left. Those desiring to improve their flock will do well to get their order in as soon as possible.

To those who are not familiar with this breed of fowls I would say that they are rated as one of the best all-purpose fowls. They are of medium size, females weighing from 5 to 7 and males from 6 to 9 pounds each. They are good layers, especially in winter. The chicks are very hardy and quick growers.

I can also furnish eggs for hatching in season from select stock at fair prices.

For further information and prices address
I. W. SPRUILL,
Pine Town, N. C.

10-3-n. Route No. 1

THE CHILDREN LIKE IT
KENNEDY'S LAXATIVE
COUGH SYRUP

News from the New Store.

Our Great February Clean Sweep Sale now going on. You can save one-third by doing your shopping at this sale. Here goes the prices:

- 65 cts. all wool panama, sale price, 45
- 75 cts. water-proof skirt goods, 54-in, sale price, 45
- \$1 50 black taffeta silk, every yard guaranteed, 36-in. —sale price, \$1 00
- 1 25 garnet taffeta silk, 36-in. sale price, 95
- 1 00 brown taffeta silk, 36-in. sale price, 70
- 75 all wool serge, 36-in. sale price, 50
- 10 and 12 1/2 waist goods, sale price, 68
- 1 00 Amoskeg gingham, sale price, 68
- Androskoggin bleaching, 10 yds to customer, sale price, 11
- Big lot fancy gingham, suitable for children's dresses, —sale price, 68

Shoes, Shoes, Shoes.

Just make up your mind that you are going to buy your next pair of shoes from us. We have a full line of the well known Dresswell shoe, the King of all \$3.50 and \$4.00 shoes. We have them on the newest lasts and toes, including Gun metal, Patent Colt, French calf, Ideal Kid. Your choice at this sale, \$3.48.

\$3.50 Shoes, Sale price, \$3.48
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\$1.00 Ladies' Shoe—Perfection Quality, Patent Colt and Ideal Kid, Sale price, \$3.48
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Big line of Boys', Misses and Children's School Shoes, to be sold accordingly.

CLOTHING!

We have a few suits left over, which we are going to sell at this sale, regardless of cost, embracing Men's, Youths', Boys' and Children's suits.

Pants, Pants, Pants,

How about a pair of good winter pants? If you don't need them now, it will pay you to buy for next winter,

\$5 00 Pants, Sale Price \$4 00
4 00 " " " " " " 3 00
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Hats, Hats, Hats.

\$2 00 Hat, Latest Shape, Sale Price, \$1.48
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UNDERWEAR.

Heavy Flannel-lined suit, Sale price 90c. Ribbed suit, sale price, 48c. All Wool Suits, Sale Price, \$1.85

Big Line Men's Knitted Jackets.

\$2.00 Jackets, Sale price, \$1.23. \$1.50 Jackets, Sale price, 98c. \$1 Jackets, 75c. We have a few Ladies' Long Coats which will go at great reduced prices. \$1.25 Black Mercerized Drop Skirts, Sale price 98c. 2 00 Black Heather-bloom Drop Skirt, sale price \$1.78.

Remember this Sale will only be good during February. Purchasers, come early. Respectfully,

ADLER BRUS.

The store where your Dollar does its Duty. The money you save here will help you on your next bill.

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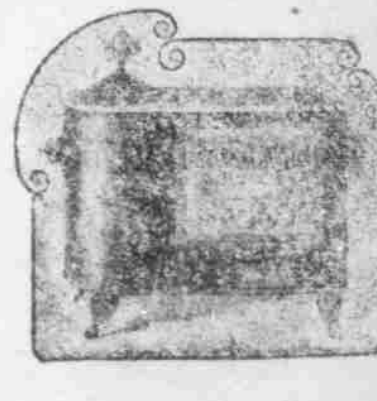
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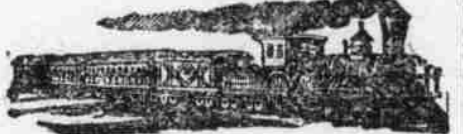
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TRAIN SERVICE.

NORTHBOUND:

Leave Belhaven daily (except Sunday) 7:45 a. m.

Leave Washington 10:55 a. m.

Leave Plymouth 12:13 p. m.

Mackey's Ferry 12:40 p. m.

Arrive Edenton 2:05 p. m.

Leave Edenton daily (except Sunday) 7:45 a. m., 8:15 p. m.

Arrive Elizabeth City daily (except Sunday) 8:55 a. m., 2:15 & 4:25 p. m.

Arrive Norfolk daily (except Sunday) 10:40 a. m., 4:45 & 6:10 p. m.

SOUTHBOUND:

Leave Norfolk daily (except Sunday) 8:35, 11:55 a. m. & 6:05 p. m.

Arrive Eliz. City daily (except Sunday) 10:23 a. m. & 1:45, 7:53 p. m.

Arrive Edenton daily (except Sunday) 11:30 a. m. & 2:20, 9:00 p. m.

Leave Edenton daily (except Sunday) 2:30 p. m.

Arrive Belhaven daily (except Sunday) 5:10 p. m.

Leave Edenton 2:30 p. m.

Arrive Plymouth 4:28 p. m.

Arrive Washington 5:45 p. m.

Trains Nos. 3, 4, 5 & 6 stop at all intermediate stations.

Connect at Norfolk with trains to and from Virginia Beach and Currituck Beach

STEAMBOAT SERVICE.

Leave Edenton 2:30 p. m. daily except Sunday, for Nappenburg River.

Steamer leaves New Bern 7:45 p. m.

Leaves Oriental 6:00 a. m., for New Bern, daily except Sunday.

Steamers leave Belhaven 5:00 a. m. Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday for Aurora, South Creek, Mackleyville, &c.

Steamer leaves Plymouth daily (except Sunday) 4:00 p. m. for loadings on Cashie River.

For further information apply to W. J. Nicholson, Agt, Plymouth, or to the General Office of the N. & S. Ry., Norfolk, Va.

M. W. MAGUIRE,
Gen. Supt.

H. C. HUDGINS,
Gen'l Ft. & Pass Agt.

PAMLICO DIVISION—MIXED TRAINS.

A. M.	9:45	Lvs.	Mackey's Ferry	Arr.	5:10
	11:15	Lvs.	Plymouth		4:40
	12:45	Arr.	Pine Town		9:00
	1:50	Arr.	Washington		1:50
					A. M.
P. M.	8:45	Lvs.	Mackey's Ferry	Arr.	8:30
	9:10	Lvs.	Roper		7:30
	9:44	Lvs.	Pike Road		7:30
	10:00	Lvs.	Bishopcross		7:03
	10:08	Lvs.	Pantego		6:35
	10:25	Arr.	Bekava	Lvs.	8:40
					A. M.

Photographs.

I am now in the side room of the Armory, doing better work than before, and at a price in reach of all.

Post cards, 6 for 50c.

Penny pictures, 2 doz. for 25c.

Photos, from \$1.00 to \$3.00 per doz.

Also enlarged Portrait from 98c. up.

You are invited to come and see my work, and bring your pictures to be enlarged.

Yours to Please,

P. L. MIZELL.

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