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BEACON FLASHES

"I know not what the truth may be" "I tell it as 'twas told to me."

Rain.

And he don't care who knows it. (Watch this space next week)

Doctors-T. B. Wolfe, Dentist, Plymouth, N. C.

Mrs. Van B. Martin has been spending the last few days in Raleigh.

Mr. Geo. B. Harriss, of Edenton was in our town Monday.

Miss Mildred McMahan, of Edenton is the guest of Mrs. W. M. Bond here this week.

Mr. Ed Miller of Washington, was in our town Sunday.

Messrs. Wilbur Ralph and Alfred Bratten made a flying trip to Dardens Sunday.

Mr. Dennis Loane spent Sunday in Williamston.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Owens, of New Bern, is visiting in our city this week.

Messrs. T. N. Gray, W. J. Starr and Dr. J. L. Hassell, of Creswell, was in our city Monday.

We return many thanks to J. G. Sullivan for a nice mess of sausages sent us last week.

Misses Pattie Bond and Mamie Russell, of Washington is visiting here and Mrs. Thos. L. Smith this week.

Atty. A. O. Gaylord, is attending the Supreme Court at Raleigh this week.

Glad to see Mr. J. L. Warren of Faison on our streets this week.

Mr. C. C. Adams of Salisbury was in our city Monday.

Mr. F. R. Johnston, made a flying trip to Williamston Wednesday.

Mr. G. C. Pault of Liverpool England late war correspondent during the Boer war, was in our city Wednesday.

Messrs. A. L. and T. C. Holmes D. E. Woodley, J. V. Williams, and H. W. Hateman, of Creswell was in our city this week.

Just arrived a car load of sewer and Farmer drain tiling also fittings for same at Clyde Cahoon & Co.

Master Fuster Adler, is the happy kid, his father having given him a nice pony and rig.

Atty. W. M. Bond, Jr. made a business trip to Raleigh this week.

Messrs. Thomas Clagon, Linwood Hassell, Seawell Norman, Jesse & Charlie Jackson & Bryan Harriss, made a flying trip to Edenton Sunday, on the gasoline launch, "Cock Robin".

For sale—one house and lot situated near Plymouth on or near Red Hill for \$350.00 Terms strictly cash For further information apply to W. B. Clifton, Plymouth N. C.

Messrs. Percy Arps, J. H. Skitcheharpe, W. T. Spruill, (Big Chief) Beasley and L. L. Owens left Wednesday for Mossy Oak on the "Rio Grande" for a few days of Turkey hunting.

Mr. Bailey of Norfolk has accepted a position as agent for the N-S-R. Co. here Mr. Nicholson having gone to Kinston.

The many friends of Miss Mary Murphy, who was taken to the hospital two weeks ago, where she underwent an operation for appendicitis, and came near dying, will rejoice to learn that she is rapidly improving and will soon be her own self again.

LECTURE

The Grand President of the Charitable Brother Hood delivered a very forcible lecture to the people of Roper last Sunday, he was favored with a very large and intelligent audience, and was enjoyed by all that were present.

IN JUSTICE COURT.

Since coming into office Sheriff J. E. Ried, has been kept busy and has already established a reputation for bringing evil doers to the bar of justice.

One of his first feats of running down criminals was the arrest of Tom Adams, and John Hyman, who last July assaulted, robbed and left for dead, one Charles Norman, near Reno station. At the time of the crime, Deputy Sheriff Everett, made a strong effort to catch them, but they eluded him, and made good their escape. They recently returned to the county, but kept in hiding, until Capt. Reid, got on their track and brought them before Justice Ausbon, who in default of bond committed them until April Court.

Wash Smith another escaped son of Ham, charged with larceny was caught on the fly, and brought before Justice Ausbon, and held in the sum of \$50.00 was committed and latter gave the bond.

Dawson Burnett, with a list of charges as long as a thoroughbred was locked up and awaits the coming of the final court in April. Saturday night James Boston charged with "swiping a watch" from Mr. McNair, was held up and in default of bond was given a berth at Hotel de Reid until Monday morning when the case was called and Justice Ausbon committed him in default of \$100 bond.

Sunday morning Henry Harper, was caught associating with Porter Joyner's coat and in default of bond spent the day at hotel Reid. His case was called Monday A. M. and in absence of satisfactory explanation as to where he got the coat, and the evidence that it "looked up" with him at hotel Brinkley. He was required to furnish bond in the sum of \$100 failing to give same he too heard justice say lock him up.

Saturday night Sheriff Reid and Police Jackson, made a raid on the reception room of the powder house and caught the boys shooting crap. Two of them were taken in and on Monday morning Mayor Spruill, placed them under bond. One of them, Thomas Brickhouse, being suspected as one of the men who entered the store of Mr. Friley Chesson, at Mackey's Ferry, on Monday night of last week, was held until the arrival of Mr. Chesson, on the 10 o'clock train. Mr. Chesson, recognized Tom as being one of the men loafing about his place the day before the store was robbed and identified a cap as being one of the articles taken. He at once swore out a warrant before Justice Ausbon who after hearing the case required a bond in the sum of \$200 and now Tom is waiting with the rest behind the bars.

BOND OR FREE.

Some people complain that the Jail is being filled up with criminals, and the county is having them to feed. This is unfortunately true, and is rather expensive, but what is to be done. A man is taken before a justice, charged with a crime of which the justice does not have final jurisdiction if the justice makes the bond a "straw" so the offender can give it, when court comes the offender gone, the Solicitor and Presiding Judge rip the justice up the back, the county loses its cash, and crimes goes unpunished.

The present Legislature offered a solution, in a Recorders Court for this county, but the people by a petition denounced it now it is up to the justices of the peace, will they place criminals under bonds that will hold them (which means go to jail) or will they take any old security, which means nothing. Crime has increased around Plymouth simply because offenders have been allowed to go without sufficient bond.

MAGISTRATES' MEETING.

The Board of Magistrates met in regular session Feb. 4th., 1911. Present: W. C. Weed, J. T. Mc Nair, H. A. Blunt, E. W. Chesson D. G. Darden, and W. F. Ausbon.

In the absence of the chairman A. W. Swain, D. G. Darden was elected temporary chairman, W. F. Ausbon, Secretary.

The regular reports of overseers, were made, most of them reporting their sections in bad order, which is known to be an unavoidable truth under the present system.

Life Saved at Death's Door.

"I never felt so near my grave," writes W. R. Patterson, of Wellington, Tex., as when a frightful cough and lung trouble pulled me down to 100 pounds, in spite of doctor's treatment for two years. My father, mother and sisters died of consumption, and that I am alive today is due solely to Dr. King's New Discovery, which completely cured me. Now I weigh 157 pounds and have been well and strong for years. Quick, safe sure, it is the best remedy on earth for cough, colds, lagrippa, asthma, croup, and all throat and lung troubles. 50c & \$1.00. Trial bottle free. Manufactured by All Druggist.

DON'T YOU THINK SO?

Running a newspaper in this town is the easiest work imaginable. Really the man who runs this paper has the only "soft snap" in town. Any one of the readers and there is a lot of them could do the work of this office so much better and so much more successfully than the "fellow" who is trying to do the job.

Don't you think so? Really the editor of this paper does want to run it right. He is a human, very human. Sometimes he makes mistakes and he knows it. The fact is he sees the mistakes long before the readers and them out. But he means to get out a good paper.

Don't you think so? You could help him if you would. When Mary Jane, goes to another town to see a friend—tell editor when your home burns up and you are helped by your friends—tell the editor. If you have a house to sell, tell the editor. If you have merchandise to sell tell the editor. In other words do not expect the editor to know things that nobody on earth knows—but you. It is impossible for him to get the news—all the news without your help. If the paper is good tell the editor. If it is poor tell the editor. The paper is published as a business. Its news columns are for the people—that part of the people who subscribe for it. There are two means of income. The subscription and the advertising. People who read the news should pay for it.

Don't you think so? Publicity is an asset in every business. This paper goes to hundreds of homes of the very best people on earth. The people who pay good money for good goods. They read the news and they read the advertisements. Naturally they spend their money with the business men who ask for their patronage. The newspaper advertisers are the men who get the business of the subscribers.

Advertisement for Dr. King's New Discovery, featuring a large illustration of a man and text describing its effectiveness for various ailments like coughs, colds, and asthma.

MARRIED.

A pretty home marriage was solemnized on Sunday evening at 8:45 o'clock at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. G. Darden, five miles from Plymouth, the contracting parties being Miss Estelle Darden and Mr. James Allen, Rev. J. A. Spruill officiating.

The BEACON extends congratulations and best wishes to this happy young couple.

Wife Got Tip Top Advice.

"My wife wanted me to take her boy to the doctor to cure an ugly boil," writes D. Frankel, of Stroud, Okla. "I said 'put Bucklen's Anna Salve on it.' She did so, and it cured the boil in short time." "Quickest healer of Burns, Scalds, Cuts, Corns, Bruises, Sprains, Swellings. Best Pile ointment on earth. Try it Only 25c at all Druggist.

Necessity is the mother of invention.

Even when times are hard some people have soft snaps.

Falls Victim To Thieves

S. W. Bends, of Coal City, Ala. has a justifiable grievance. "Two thieves stole his health for twelve years. They were a liver and kidney trouble. Then Dr. King's New Life Pills throttled them. He's well now. Unrivalled for Constipation, Malaria, Headache, Dyspepsia. 25c at all Druggist.

Eleventh Annual Statement of Condition of The Bank of Plymouth

Financial statement table for The Bank of Plymouth, showing resources, liabilities, and dividends paid since organization.

Advertisement for Plant Wood's Garden Seeds, highlighting their experience and the quality of their seeds for various vegetables and flowers.

ENTRY NOTICE

North Carolina, Washington County. J. R. Johnston, Entry Taker for Washington County.

NOTICE

Under and by virtue of a certain mortgage recorded in Book 51 Page 474 the undersigned as Administrator of the estate of B. F. Owens deceased...

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Under and by virtue of an order of the Superior Court of Washington County, made in the special Proceedings entitled J. F. Snell, Administrator vs. A. B. Ambrose et al...

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North Carolina, Washington County. Pursuant to Section 2115 Revised of 1905, I hereby give notice to all persons that from and after the 3rd day of Feb 1911, I shall cease to act as a free trader.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE BANK OF PLYMOUTH

Financial statement table for The Bank of Plymouth, showing resources, liabilities, and dividends paid since organization.

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STATEMENT OF THE BANK OF CRESWELL, CRESWELL, N. C.

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PATENTS

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