

BEACON FLASHES

Mr. Lloyd Horton is at home from school in Norfolk.

Mr. C. B. Holmes of Creswell was here this week.

The Farmers' Union of this county held a big pic-nic at Mackeys on Wednesday.

Mrs. Johnston Barden and little child of Norfolk, are visiting Mrs. Bardens parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Harrison in Third St.

News has just reached us of the death of Hon. W. R. Cheson who died at his home near Mackeys yesterday morning.

Mr. Clarence Latham, accompanied by Mrs. Latham, attended the Bankers' Association at Asheville last week.

We deeply sympathize with Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Peal whose little child died on Wednesday.

Mr. W. M. Chaney, Grand President of the Charitable Brotherhood will address the Members of Plymouth Lodge in their hall near Plymouth on 1st Sunday in August.

Mr. Heber Tucker of Whitakers, was the guest of his sister, Mrs. F. E. Davenport last week.

Misses Mary and Olga Gardner left Sunday for Mackeys where they will spend some time with their relatives Mr. L. C. Marjner and Mrs. Emily Newberry.

Misses Mary Olivia and Elizabeth Burbage of Como, N. C., are visiting our city, guest of Mrs. F. R. Johnston, in Main St.

Miss Minnie Carstarphen left on Tuesday to visit friends in Beaufort, N. C.

Mr. and Mrs. I. B. Bailey of Farmville spent some days in town this week, visiting Mrs. Baileys mother, Mrs. C. D. Loane.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Hampton arrived home from their honeymoon trip to Niagara Falls and points in Canada and New York on Thursday evening last. We welcome Mrs. Hampton to her home in Plymouth.

Rev. J. T. Johnston, has accepted a call as rector of Grace Episcopal Church and filled the pulpit for the first time Sunday last. This is our "Jack" Johnston, remembered older citizens as one of the bad boys of Plymouth, but he has matured into a most excellent preacher.

It's Up To You.

In its present condition the Naval organization here is liable to be disbanded, this should not be, there is enough young men in this county to make a good company and I appeal to them to come up and enlist.

It has been suggested that we have a meeting here, in the Court house next Wednesday night and invite all young men throughout the county to be present.

At this time we will explain the benefits and pleasures of the soldier life in time of peace.

BE A SOLDIER.

MR. EDITOR:-

From an article published in your last issue we draw the conclusion that there seems to be a lack of pride and patriotism in the part of our young men. This cannot be, Washington County, the home of those brave men who made history during the Civil War, the birthplace of those gallant soldiers whose lives were offered as a sacrifice on the altar of their country, before and after the dark days of '61-'65. Some have paid the debt; answered the roll call; gone, but, God bless them, not forgotten, while others are to tell the story. Do we forget the heroism of Pettigrew, Incombe, Steward and Sam Houston, Louis and Edgar Latimer, your father, Jim Ausbon, and his brothers, Capt Tom Norman, Lt. Col. Wm. F. Beasley, and hundreds of others. No we will never forget or fail to cherish

liev. other as, County is still brave and patriotic as in those days and we wish to see them come to the front and to the call of Lt. Jackson, and by their enlistment in the Naval Reserves Division say that the state shall not disband such a worthy and needful organization.

The article last week appealed to the country boy—that's right. From the plow handle has come the famous men of this country and if Lt. Jackson wants men that will stick by him and make his company worth attention let him seek enlistment from the farmers.

That proposed trip this summer is worth lots to the young men, it will be both pleasant and profitable and we hope a large number of young men will avail themselves of the opportunity.

We suggest that Lt. Jackson invite all persons enlisted to meet him in Plymouth next Wednesday, July 23rd.

A FARMER

The Rule of the Road

Whenever an automobile attempts to pass a vehicle on the road the driver of the vehicle ought to turn to the right and allow the automobile to pass on the left. By remembering this a serious accident may sometime be avoided. Of course when a vehicle and automobile meet in the road each should turn to the right.

Paint or Not.

Is a horse worth more or less after feed?

Hay and oats are high today; shall I wait today and feed him tomorrow?

That's how men do about painting their houses and barns and fences. Paint has been high for several years; and so they have waited. Paint is high yet; they are still waiting; thousands of 'em are waiting for paint to fall.

Their property drops a trifle a year and the next job of paint creeps-up, creeps-up, creeps-up; it'll take more paint by a gallon a year; they don't save a cent, and the property goes on suffering.

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SCHEDULE: Lv. Plymouth 1:11 a. m., Farmville 12:35, Greenville 1:16, New Bern 4:10. Ar. Washington 7:10 a. m., Chowhinity 7:22, New Bern 8:50, Morehead City 10:17, Beaufort 10:35.

RETURNING: Lv. Beaufort 6:00 p. m., Atlantic Hotel 6:15, Morehead City 6:20, New Bern 7:45, Washington 9:20, Plymouth 4:00 a. m., Greenville 3:35, Farmville 4:03.

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Be sure to come quick and take advantage of this great money saving bargain event.

COMPULSORY ATTENDANCE.

AN ACT TO MAKE SCHOOL ATTENDANCE COMPULSORY.

The General Assembly of North Carolina do enact:

ALL CHILDREN REQUIRED TO ATTEND SCHOOL, AGE 8 TO 12, TERM 4 MONTHS.

SECTION 1. That from and after the first day of July, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen, every parent, guardian, or other person in the State of North Carolina having charge or control of a child or children between the ages of eight and twelve years, shall cause such child or children to attend the local public school in the district, town or city in which he resides, continuously for four months of the school term of each year, except as hereinafter provided. This period of compulsory attendance shall commence at the beginning of the compulsory period of the school term nearest to the eighth birthday of such child or children, and shall cover the compulsory period of four consecutive school years hereafter. This period of compulsory attendance for each public school shall commence at the beginning of the school term of said school unless otherwise ordered by the county board of education or, in case of towns or cities of two thousand or more inhabitants, by the board of trustees of the public schools of said towns or cities. Continuous attendance upon some other public schools or upon any private or church school taught by competent teachers may be accepted in lieu of attendance upon the local public schools: Provided, that said period of continuous attendance upon such other schools shall be for at least four months of each year: Provided, further, that any private or church school receiving for instruction pupils between the ages 8 and twelve years shall be required to keep such records of attendance of said children and to such reports of same as are hereinafter required of public schools. And attendance upon such schools refusing or neglecting to keep such records and to render such reports shall be accepted in lieu of attendance upon the local public school of the district, town or city which the child shall be entitled to attend: Provided, the period of compulsory attendance shall be in force and apply between the ages of eight and fifteen years in Mitchell County.

EXEMPTIONS.

SEC 2. This act shall not apply in any case in which the child's physical or mental condition, as attested by any legally qualified physician before any court having jurisdiction under this act, renders his attendance impracticable or inexpedient; or in any case in which the child two and one-half miles or more by the nearest traveled route from the schoolhouse; or in any case in which, because of extreme poverty the services of such child are necessary for his own support or the support of his parents, as attested by the affidavit of said parents and of such witnesses as the attendance officer may require; or in any case in which said parent, guardian or other person having charge or control of the child shall show before any magistrate by affidavit of himself and of such witnesses as the attendance officer may require, that the child is without necessary books and clothing for attending school, and that he is unable to provide the necessary books and clothes: Provided, that when books and clothing shall have been provided, through charity or by other means, the child shall no longer be exempt from attendance under this provision.

PARENTS SHALL CAUSE CHILDREN TO ATTEND SCHOOL.

SEC 3. Every parent, guardian, or person in the State of North Carolina having charge or control of a child or children between the ages of eight and twelve years shall cause said child to attend school as aforesaid: Provided, that occasional absence from such attendance by such child amounting to not more than two unexcused absences in four consecutive weeks shall not be unlawful: Provided, further, that the superintendent, teacher or principal in charge of any school may excuse any child for a temporary absence because of unusual storm or bad weather, sickness or death in the child's family, unforeseen or unavoidable accidents, and such excuse and reason therefor shall be recorded by said superintendent, principal, or teacher in charge of school and reported to the attendance officer as hereinafter provided: Provided, further, that in case of protracted illness of any child whose attendance is required under this act, or in case of quarantine of the home in which the child resides, upon report of the health officer or upon satisfactory evidence to this effect, the attendance officer shall excuse from attendance such child until he is fully restored to health or until the time required by law that he shall stay out of school after quarantine has been raised.

PENALTY FOR VIOLATION OF LAW.

SEC 4. Any parent, guardian or other person violating the provisions of this act shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction shall be liable to a fine of not less than five dollars nor more than twenty-five dollars, and upon failure or refusal to pay such fine said parent, guardian, or other person shall be imprisoned not to exceed thirty days in the county jail: Provided, that the fine for any first offense may, upon the payment of costs, be suspended and not collected until the same party is convicted of a second offense: Provided, further, that after the expiration of three days from the service of the notice by the attendance officer each and every day a parent, guardian, or other person shall willfully and unlawfully keep such child or children from school, or allow him to remain out of school, shall constitute a separate offense and shall subject said persons to penalties herein prescribed.

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This June 27, 1913. S. D. Davis, (Seal.) S. H. Alexander (Seal.) Witness: C. V. W. Ausbon.

NOTICE OF SUMMONS.

North Carolina, Superior Court, Washington County, July Term 1913. Brister Ransome, Jr., vs Hattie Ransome.

The defendant above named will take notice that an action entitled as above has been commenced in the Superior Court of Washington County for an absolute divorce and that she is required to appear at the term of the Superior Court of said county to be held on the 8th Monday before the 1st Monday in Sept., 1913, at the Court House in Plymouth, N. C., and answer or demur to the complaint in said action, or the plaintiff will apply to the court for relief demanded in said complaint. This June 4, 1913. C. V. W. AUSBON, C. S. C.

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This 30th day of June, 1913. F. R. Johnston. Admr.

No. 666

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