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OUR SCHOOLS

The Dispatch extends its congratulations to the thirteen boys and girls who finished public schools with the closing of the last term of Dunn City schools.

Dunn's schools have done a great and noble work in bringing these boys and girls thus far along the pathway of life.

During the school year just closed the Dunn schools have been seriously handicapped by inadequate buildings and teaching facilities.

Before another term begins, it is hoped that additional buildings will have been constructed.

JUSTICE BLIND—DRUNK? By the Sampson Democrat we are told that Judge Bond in Clinton last week to preside over a term of Superior Court of Sampson County was too drunk to hold court.

Malcolm Summerlin, who divides time with Joe Stephenson in guarding the Broad street crossing of the Coast Line, is fearful that some of the foolhardy men and women who care so little for their personal safety that they disregard his signals, he perpetrated the following atrocious puns:

"He thought he had time to cross the track Before a passing train. He had done it many times before. But never will again."

The guardians at that crossing have the devil's own time making automobiles obey the law. The should, whenever one fails to bar the "Stop" sign, summon the officer to court where the law says he shall be fined. But they do not want to do this. They appeal to all to observe the law designed for the public's protection.

Of course, if you do not heed this appeal, they can have carried a case to city court and the of your check) separated from you. Money is hard to get these days. We believe you do not care for a session with Chief Judge and the court do, when you see the signal, wait for the train to pass.

We have with us the record of an November with all its evils. I was a youngster when this time of year rolled around every year and I saw a potential opponent of a gripper. Dad and the big brothers were forever destroying the weapons I manufactured, and I could never understand why the elders desired to deprive me of an instrument that contained so many elements of pleasure. As I've grown older, however, and hair and teeth have departed, I see the evil of the possession of such things.

Even as I sit here typing this stuff in the sanctity of the muses, a friend arrives to tell me that he has just been visited by a man from the Big Bertha of Jacksonville. He displays an enormous bump on the back of his head as proof thereof. And we are reminded that the town of Dunn

by solemn ordinance has decreed that the use of bumpers is a crime punishable by fine.

It is far from my desire to deprive the juvenile heart of an instrument so dear to it, but with the weight on my brain from asking the good chief of police to tell the kiddies to desist.

Leslie Wilson, through the activity of his athletic son Carl, is the possessor of a young kitten that bids fair to eclipse the sleep-wrecking record of Buck Smith's cow. Carl garnered the kitten from the streets the other day and carried it home, where it was enthroned in discarded draperies on the back porch. On the first night in its new home the kitten became enamored of a neighboring cat and the surrounding welkin was made to ring with its live making.

After the usual routine of minutes, roll call, etc., a very interesting letter was read by Mrs. H. S. McKay, secretary. This was in the form of an invitation from the N. C. Federation of Women's Clubs for delegates from the Dunn Club to attend the State Convention, which will be held at Wrightsville Beach, June 7th to 10th.

The delegates appointed and elected were as follows: Delegates: Mrs. P. S. Cooper, Mrs. J. Lloyd Wade, Mrs. L. C. Stephens. Alternates: Mrs. Wesley Thompson, Mrs. Ellis Goldstein, Mrs. N. A. Townsend.

For some time past the club has been considering a concert to be given here by Miss Dickey Howell, one of our county's young artists, whose voice promises to her a career of national prominence. Miss Howell is a North Carolinian and has several times visited relatives in Dunn. At this meeting a letter was read from her concert manager, quoting a figure on concert. After a discussion it was decided to abandon the idea, at least temporarily, as the figure was too high for the club to take a chance.

A yearly report from each officer of the club was read and it was voted to send the President's report to the State Publicity chairman. The Treasurer's report was of especial interest: On hand when organized \$ 5.00 Collected for all purposes 457.14 Disbursements \$376.39 Balance on hand \$53.75

After reading of reports, tea and wafers were served by Mrs. C. W. Harris and Mrs. R. M. Jeffries. The club adjourned to meet again the second Friday in September.

Don't forget "The Baby Show." Time—8 o'clock, May 24th. Place—Dunn City Community Center.

Subject—Babies. Characters—The finest and prettiest babies in town.

At the last meeting of the Woman's Club, one of the members gave a most surprising account of a day spent in cleaning up her husband's office and the hallway leading to it.

She said the corridor in the building was so filled with dusty junk as to be unsanitary. How many buildings in our town are in similar condition? We wonder.

Conversation Overheard "Say what do you think of this cotton yard business?" "I think it ought to be moved and I hope the women fix it up. What do you think?"

"It's no place for a cotton yard but I hope it will stay there. I'd hate to see it had to see the Woman's Club run this town."

We thought such narrow prejudices had long ago vanished, but for the

BUSINESS LOCAL

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PHOTOGRAPHS—MRS. BAYARD Wooten, skilled photographer, one of the leading artists of her profession in the South, will be in Dunn May 23, 24 and 25th for the purpose of making photographs. Those who desire her services should communicate with Mrs. R. O. Primrose at once.

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W. H. WAKEFIELD, M. D., OF Charlotte will be at Duke, in Dr. Holt's office on Tuesday, June 7th, and at Beason on Wednesday June 8th, and at Dunn, on Thursday June 9th. The Doctor limits his practice to the treatment of eye, ear nose and throat diseases and fitting glasses. Ask your family physician about consulting Dr. Wakefield. M20 3t.

FRESH FROM THE BIG MARKETS our goods constantly come. Then why be surprised to learn that hard times and high cost of living are banished by those who buy granulated sugar for 8 1-2c, good coffee for 10c and what they eat and wear likewise at the Yellow Front Store. R. G. Taylor Company.

I HAVE A LIMITED AMOUNT OF Liberty Bonds to loan on 1st mortgages on Real Estate. E. P. Davis, Dunn, N. C. May 20 th. pd.

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FRESH BUTTER, EGGS, AND DAIRY PRODUCTS. Includes illustration of a woman with a basket of produce.

SPECIALS: Evaporated Peaches, was 85c now 25c; Evaporated Apples, was 25c, now 15c; Sliced Pineapple, was 50c, now 35c; Golden Age Macaroni, was 12 1-2c now 7 1/2c; Canned Salmon, was 25c, now 17 1/2c; Large can, Royal Ann Cherries, was 50c, now 35c; Table Peaches, was 50c, now 25c; Pure Johnston County Honey, in pint jars. We also sell KLIM—the Powdered Milk. Now is the time to plant your early pea patch. We have the early, six-weeks kind in stock. 20 cents per quart while they last. Walter Jones PHONE NO. 27

MEDICINE MAN NO FAKER

The medicine man, as known to the ancients and to the aborigines of America, Africa and other lands, was no faker or humbug or quack, according to Dr. Marett, of the University of Oxford (England). In a recent book on psychology and folk-lore he describes the Australian Bushman's incantations to drive out of a

man's head the crystal that has caused his disease, after which he produces in his hand a piece of crystal, apparently out of the sufferer's head. Neither he nor the patient nor the patient's friends is deceived; they all know that he has had the crystal in his hand or up his sleeve all the time, and that he has been acting ritually or symbolically throughout the incantation. The crystal is a symbol

of the mischief within the head. What the medicine man really does is to set the good magic influence or "mana" within himself to combat the bad "mana" afflicting the patient. He, in fact, deals in the occult, but he does so with high moral intent, and has attained to the power of so dealing only after severe training, involving fasting, isolation and all the other miseries of a special initiation.

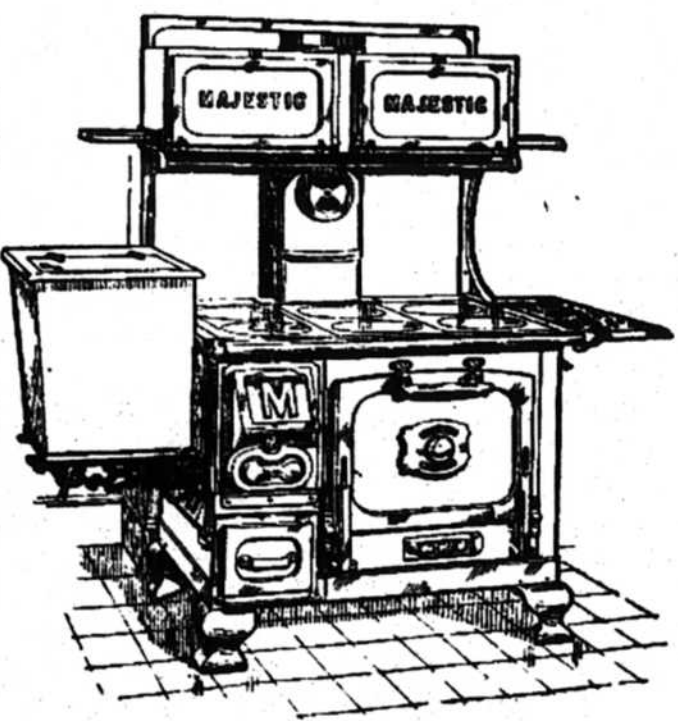
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