

Personal and Social Notes

ABOUT PEOPLE WHO COME AND GO IN THE TOWN AND COUNTY

Attorney J. G. Anderson, of Snow Hill, was visitor in Farmville today.

Mr. W. V. Redick, of Walstonburg, was a business visitor in the city this evening.

Don't forget that you are cordially invited to attend Sunday School at the Methodist Church Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Melrose Avery from Miami, Florida, spent the week end with Dr. and Mrs. Jno. S. Hooker.

Miss Louise Holloman, who has been confined on account of an attack of facial paralysis, is able to be out.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Spencer attended a family re-union Sunday held at Mrs. Spencer's mother's, Mrs. Zollie A. Collins, in Kingston.

The Farmville Elks' Band, colored, will give a concert on the corner of Main and Wilson streets Monday afternoon at 4:00 o'clock.

There will be preaching services at the Presbyterian church Sunday morning evening by Dr. A. S. Venable. The public is cordially invited.

Forty members of the Farmville Christian Church attended the banquet and fellowship meeting in the interest of Atlantic Christian College at Greenville Monday night.

The little girl that was expected to arrive at the home of Attorney and Mrs. John Hill Paylor this week happened to be another boy. He put in his appearance Thursday morning at 9:30. Both mother and son are doing nicely.

Friends will be glad to learn that D. J. W. Harrell, pastor of the M. E. Church, who has been ill at his home on Pine street, is convalescing, although he will not be able to hold services this coming Sunday.

ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED.

Mrs. Jno. S. Hooker entertained at her home on Main street Thursday evening in honor of Miss Annie Mae Sinclair, of Axford, who has made her home here for the past two years.

The house was beautifully decorated with spring flowers and potted plants. Four tables were attractively arranged for bridge. After several interesting progressions, Miss Lucile Flanagan was presented a novelty bridge score pad as high score prize. Miss Sarah Farmer was given a Chinese pencil for low score prize. Miss Sinclair was given a lovely piece of lingerie.

Valentine hearts in red envelopes were passed bearing the names "Annie Mae Sinclair and Roland Howard." The wedding to take place in March. Mrs. Hooper, assisted by Mrs. Chas. Baocom, served a delicious sweet course.

The bride elect wore a crepe Elizabeth gown embroidered in old gold, oriental design.

MISSIONARY RALLY.

On Tuesday, February 15th, there will be a Missionary Rally held in the Christian Church for all the churches of the Hookerton District. All the women of the Churches are expected to be present. Each woman bring lunch for herself only.

Mrs. C. W. Donney, of Atlanta, Ga., Regional Secretary, will have charge of the business session.

Dr. Jennie Crozier, for many years a Missionary in India, and who is now in the States on furlough, will bring a message of the work in India.

Services will begin at 10:00 o'clock a. m., and continue till 4:00 p. m.

All who would like to hear Dr. Crozier's message are invited to be present, and will receive a cordial welcome.

MRS. J. B. NEWTON HOSTESS TO U. D. C. CHAPTER.

Mrs. J. B. Newton was hostess to the U. D. C. Chapter Friday afternoon at her home on Church street.

The meeting was opened by the singing of America and repeating the twenty-third Psalm. The business for the afternoon was taken up. Clothing and boxes sent to the Goswamond School reported, also books suitable for the girls at Samerecet sent.

Discussion of the District meeting, to be held in the Methodist Church in this city and plans for entertainment followed. Mrs. R. A. Fields, Mrs. B. O. Turnage and G. A. Rouse were appointed an entertainment committee.

Program for the afternoon was the explanation of the Norman B. Randolph fund by Mrs. C. L. Barrett. Mrs. G. M. Holden was next on the program with a reading, "The Junior Reserve of Bentonville." Mrs. J. S. Hooker read a poem, "In The Carriage," by Carolyn Timrod.

Mrs. Im. Satterfield and Mrs. A. S. Jordan were welcomed as new members at this meeting.

Mrs. Newton served a delicious sweet course.

Little Alice came home from church today with some candy, her mother said.

"Alice, when do you get that candy?"

"When I go to church, ma'am."

DR. A. S. VENABLE ACCEPTS CALL TO SERVE FARMVILLE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

Will Enter Upon His Duties Here As Pastor Sunday, February 13.

Rev. A. Sidney Venable, D. D., has accepted a call from the local Presbyterian Church and will enter upon his duties here as pastor beginning on Sunday, February 13th.

Dr. Venable came to the Farmville church from Farmville, Va. Dr. Venable is former secretary Stewardship and Home Missions of Roanoke Presbytery of the Synod of Virginia, and for many years was an evangelist, working mainly in Tennessee and Virginia.

The Farmville church is to be congratulated in securing the leadership of such an ardent and learned pastor.

He will conduct his first regular services here on Sunday morning and evening, the 13th.

For the present Dr. and Mrs. Venable will reside at the Davis Hotel.

Farmville extends them a most cordial welcome, and wishes he and the church much success in the Lord's work.

MRS. BYNUM CHARMINGLY ENTERTAINS.

Mrs. Alex S. Bynum charmingly entertained at her home Thursday afternoon from three to five.

The home was beautifully decorated for the occasion with spring flowers, ferns and potted plants, red hearts being effectively arranged throughout the house.

Seven tables were attractively arranged for bridge. Place cards and tallies carrying out the Valentine idea were used. At the conclusion of several interesting progressions, Mrs. E. C. Beaman, winner of high score, was presented an attractive hand-painted salad recipe book. The low score prize, a lovely tea bell, went to Mrs. Arthur F. Joyner. Miss Annie Mae Sinclair, bride elect, was given a lovely piece of linen.

Mrs. Bynum, assisted by Mrs. J. S. Hooker, Mrs. Claude Barrett and Mrs. J. W. Joyner, served a delicious frozen salad, followed with black coffee and nut cakes.

VOTE FOR G. A. ROUSE FOR MAYOR HE WILL APPRECIATE THE JOB

Several instrumental and vocal selections were rendered by Mesdames M. V. Jones, H. W. Turnage and A. W. Bobbitt.

Special guests included Mrs. F. M. Davis, Mrs. C. L. Barrett, Jr., Mrs. W. E. Joyner, Mrs. J. L. Rumley and Mrs. A. W. Bobbitt.

HAD ANOTHER REASON.

"What are you doing at a Klan meeting, Ike—you can't join."

"I don't want to join; I want to talk to the fellow that buys sheets and pillow cases."

TAX AND PAVING NOTICE

1926 Taxes and Paving Assessments are now past due, and to avoid unpleasant methods of collections, I am asking that you settle AT ONCE.

The land sale of previous years must also be settled AT ONCE, or deed will be taken.

Call phone 106 for amount due.

R. A. JOYNER, Treasurer.

P. S.—1927 City Auto Plates are now ready for distribution.

All town cars must display one of these tags.

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SERVICE SAFETY

Farmville, North Carolina

MRS. J. W. PARKER HOSTESS TO MERRY MATRONS' CLUB.

A most attractive meeting of the Merry Matrons was held at the lovely home of Mrs. J. W. Parker on Church street February 8th.

Business details were taken up and disposed of systematically, after which Mrs. H. W. Turnage continued the studies in American Art and Artists by reading sketches of the lives of three eminent sculptors, namely: Macmonnies, Bartlett and Bernard.

As the Valentine season is here and the Anniversary of the Club has just passed, Mrs. Parker carried out both ideas very effectively.

Cards were passed with the word Valentine written on each, the members requested to make as many different words as possible. Mrs. A. W. Bobbitt proved to be the most adept in this contest.

The guests were then invited into the charmingly decorated dining room. The table was beautiful with its snowy Madeira cloth, a huge birthday cake, surrounded by eight tall red candles symbolizing the age of the club, and numerous red hearts suspended from the center light.

The President, Mrs. R. H. Knott, and the first president of the club, Mrs. W. M. Willis, were seated at the table and assisted in serving white block cream with red heart in center and "Birthday Cake." Little Misses Vivian Parker and Mary Alice Harris passed the plates which were very pretty with a red satin heart filled with almonds and mints and a red heart with an item of interest pertaining to the Club history. Each one read their heart respectively, giving as a whole the organization of the club.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. V. Redick and Mrs. R. A. Phillips of Walstonburg, were visitors in Walstonburg today.

Mr. J. W. Redick of Fountain was a visitor in Walstonburg Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Redick of Walstonburg spent Wednesday night in Fountain with Mrs. Redick's parents.

WIT AND HUMOR

(From "The Hardware News")

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SALESMAN: "Sorry, miss. That's a lampshade."

NOTICE

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This Feb. 1st, 1927.

J. B. BOLDRIDGE.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

Having qualified as administrator of the estate of B. L. Dall, deceased, late of Pitt County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned at Farmville, N. C., on or before the 24th day of December, 1927, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment.

This the 17th day of December, 1925.

B. F. DALL, Administrator.

John Hill Paylor, Attorney.

NOTICE

In the Superior Court North Carolina, Pitt County.

Alonzo Foskey

Lena Miller Foskey

The defendant, Lena Miller Foskey, will take notice that an action entitled as above has been commenced in the superior court of Pitt county, North Carolina, by the plaintiff, to obtain an absolute divorce on the grounds alleged in the complaint, and the defendant will further take notice that she is required to appear at the office of the clerk of the superior court of said county in the court house in Greenville, N. C., on the 22d day of February, 1927, and answer or admit to the complaint filed in said action, or the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded in said complaint.

This the 21st day of January, 1927.

J. FRANK CARBONNOR,

Clerk of the Superior Court.

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Church Notes

EPISCOPAL SERVICE.

There will be Divine Service in Emmanuel Episcopal Church next Lord's Day, at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m., conducted by Rev. H. G. England.

EPISCOPAL MISSION.

The Mission in Emmanuel Episcopal Church, under the auspices of the Bishops' Crusade, will begin Monday, February 14th, at 7:30 p. m., to continue each night through Sunday, Feb. 20th. The Mission will be held by Rev. Mr. Hill, of Elizabeth City, N. C. Everybody come and take part in the services.

TREES

"The planting of the Lord"—Isaiah 61:3.

Dear to me the trees of Spring

Sending forth their twigs of tender green;

Hopes of that new life they bring,

Dreams of which we have, but none has seen,

Soul of mine, hope on!

Fair the trees of Summer bright;

Down I sit to rest at noon day heat,

Neath their shade, with great delight.

Wrapt, I wait, in meditation sweet—

Rest in God, my Soul!

Burning fire, the Autumn trees!

Flaming crimson, yellow, red and gold;

Clothed in royal robes are these—

Beautiful, as they grow old.

Soul of mine, grow on!

Trees of Winter, glorious!

Giant like, with arms all strict and bare,

Fighting storms most furious,

Stronger for the conflict raging there.

Fight thou on, my Soul!

Ernest Thompson.

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HOME TOPICS

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ANNOUNCEMENT

We suppose that everybody sometime has wanted to run a newspaper of their own.

We plead guilty, not only on that score, but also to wanting to be an editor.

G. A. Rouse, of The Enterprise, says running a newspaper is full of grief, but if we insist, he'll rent us this little corner each week, and it'll be up to us to make good.

So we'll be here every Friday with "Home Topics", in which we will talk about: You People, Our Community, Its Improvements, and maybe a little bit about the Furniture business.

We'll promise to be interesting all the time.

But we'll need your HELP with criticism, comments and contributions.

John Barrett says he was listening to a male quartette last night on his ATWATER KENT radio. The tenor had such a fine voice that he tuned out the other three and had a tenor solo. We don't believe that story—even if it was an ATWATER KENT set. But it is a fact that you can do some startling things with an ATWATER KENT. That's why we handle it.

By the way, have you ever realized that we have a complete stock of Furniture as any store in this section? We can fill all of your needs in the Furniture line and best of all save you a considerable amount of money. We are here to serve you and that's the first consideration with us.

Yes, even in this business of ours we make mistakes. And right here is where you can profit by one of our mistakes. We bought too many bed room suites and have to move them. We have some mighty fine offerings for your inspection and have priced them to move. Let's get together and we will both profit thereby.

That's all for today—only we want to say that we intend to make "Home Topics" the newest part of this paper. Let us know your news and we will be glad to publish it, for we want this to be your newspaper.

—Eli and Maynard, Editors.

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