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The New Day In News-Sending.

The baseball game at the Hoke Grounds yesterday was reported in manner that was almost equal to an all-embracing wireless service. Only one operator was employed at the sending office, but the Associated Press had the wires of the entire country so connected up that this operator was enabled to send the news instantaneously over 33,000 miles of telegraph wire. The news going forward at the rate of "186,000 miles a second." Baseball enthusiasts in every part of the country, from Bangor, Me., to Seattle, Wash., Galveston, Texas, and Havana in one direction, and to Canadian points in another, were keeping track of the game as it progressed. To this wire service the automatic baseball diamond, by means of which the street crowds are enabled to watch the game, move by move, has added a touch of completeness to the instant wire promulgation of baseball news. Only the attendants at the grounds have the advantage of visual inspiration. Except for hearing the shout of the rooters and seeing the actual playing of the men, themselves, the crowds around The Observer office can watch the game with as much satisfaction as if they were seat-holders at the Polo Grounds. News transmission has reached a remarkable degree of perfection, but it is a good proposition that 10 years hence, when we are today remarking upon as something in the nature of the marvelous, will be talked about as "the crude system of a decade ago." Charlotte Observer.

Play by the Teachers of Raeford High School.

A play by the teachers of Raeford High School will be given Friday evening, Oct. 28th.

The play, Miss Fearless & Co., is both humorous and pathetic. Come out and have a good laugh. Remember the date: Oct. 28th, 7:30 p. m. Place: School auditorium. Proceeds given for benefit of school athletics. Admission 25 and 50c.

Parent-Teachers' Association.

A meeting of the Parent Teachers' Association is called to meet in the Raeford school auditorium Thursday, Oct. 27th at 8:30 p. m.

It is desired to interest and enroll all parents and teachers in the county to the end that cooperation may be had and greater good accomplished.

MRS. W. B. McQUEEN,
President.

Hotel Fire.

Fayetteville, Oct. 22.—The Grand hotel building on Hay street, containing in addition to the hotel the grocery store of Wooten and Camp, the Pleasant barber shop and a pool room, and a building adjoining the hotel, housing the Royal cafe, were totally destroyed by fire early this morning, while the Rosemont hotel was badly damaged by flames, smoke and water. The total loss is undetermined at this time, but the aggregate insurance carried by the proprietors of the various establishments affected is \$39,500. Wooten and Camp's loss will be \$10,000 more than their insurance, while the cafe carried no insurance. Otherwise the loss is probably fully covered.

Small Farm for Sale Near Montrose. See T. D. Hatcher.

Town Builders.

T. D. HATCHER

One of the most finely appointed and most attractive business houses here is the jewelry store conducted by Mr. T. D. Hatcher. Eight years ago Mr. Hatcher came to Raeford with M. Jordan, now of Dunn, N. C. under the firm name of Hatcher and Jordan in the place now used by Mayor Rowland as a law office. After one year Mr. Hatcher bought Mr. Jordan's interest, just after the firm had moved to the present stand.

This store is one of the best equipped and completely stocked in this section of the State. The reasons for the popularity of this store and its growing business is the high class of its stock and courteous service rendered to its patrons, accurate and reliable time pieces, pieces made by the world's leading watch and clock makers. Added to this is the completely equipped repair department, Mr. Hatcher himself being a graduate of Bowman's Technical School, of Lancaster, Pa.

J. A. NIVEN

For five years Mr. J. A. Niven has successfully conducted a grocery business in Raeford.

He handles those goods we all need every day and by selling at a short profit and courteous treatment his business has gradually grown. He keeps fresh groceries, fruits, fish and oysters and now a good line of trade goods his way.

For many years he has satisfactorily filled the office of Justice of the peace, and in regard to his other duties make him a man.

EPSTEIN'S DEPARTMENT STORE.

In the spring of 1908, Mr. Sam Epstein came to Raeford and opened a store. He didn't have a very large stock, but the first thing he did was to put on a sale. This was a new thing in this new town, but it proved to be a success, and our friend has been a successful business man ever since.

Epstein's Department Store is fixture in Raeford, and is doing a big business.

A few months ago, Mr. Epstein opened a store in St. Pauls, and is doing a good business in that town also. Watch Epstein prosper and grow.

These stores make a specialty of ladies and gent's furnishings and carry large stocks.

OWN YOUR OWN HOME

Did you ever hear of a joy institution which pays its employees on the happiness they can get out of inducing their friends to have what they heretofore have in the habit of throwing away? I get no salary nor no thanks for the work I for the Raeford Building and Loan Association.

This is a business which pays joy and pays you in profits by sawpping you a dollar for every seventy-eight cents you in vest, and that lends you your own money back at the same time at the annual rate of only .02% per term of six and a half years. Your own home-town bank won't do that for love or anything else. If you want to save your money and build you a pretty home on the easiest terms on earth, see—Arthur D. Gore, Sec.

Strayed—Two male pigs, one black, the other black and white spotted. Left my place Saturday evening. No ify. Bruce Morris Raeford, N.C.

W. P. LESTER AND CO.

The Messrs. Lester came here from South Carolina three years ago. They bought out F. E. Walker here two years ago, and have a thriving business.

They sell gas, oil and automobile supplies. They are constantly on the job, and please their customers.

Besides their business in town they are extensive and successful planters, their farm lying a short distance west of town.

D. M. CAMPBELL

For Many years, Mr. D. M. Campbell was a "woods rider," that is a man who rode horseback through the turpentine woods to see that the pine trees had been all chipped and boxes all dipped. He was a good woods man. He lived in Georgia and Florida for several years, after the pine timber had been worked out here.

Ten years ago he opened a store in Raeford, and since continued the business. He is doing well, and his business is growing. He is a good man, and deserves success.

Mrs. George Euler Honored.

Raeford, Oct. 22nd—Mrs. J. C. Thomas entertained in honor of Mrs. George Euler, on last Saturday afternoon from 3:30 to 6:30 p. m.

The whole ground floor of the handsome residence was thrown open to the guests. Every where were Halloween decorations.

The guests were met at the door by Mrs. Thomas and Mrs. Hampton. They were ushered into the punch room. The decorations here were of pink and white. Lovely flowers adorned the table and the chandeliers was trimmed with graceful vines.

Beautiful ferns and hot-house plants were everywhere.

Mrs. H. A. Cameron and Mrs. Marshall Thomas presided at the punch bowl.

From the punch room the guests were ushered into the receiving room. The color scheme here was white and green.

The receiving line was composed of nine ladies who had taught in Raeford and married here.

They were: Mrs. George Fuller, Mrs. G. B. Rowland, Mrs. Will Currie, Mrs. J. W. Currie, Mrs. Paul Dickson, Mrs. John McGoogan, Mrs. H. R. Cromartie, Mrs. W. B. McQueen, Mrs. William Lamont.

The guests who were received were the teachers of the Raeford school of today:

Miss Ella Mae Poole, Miss Mary Poole, Miss Margaret Dupuy, Miss Irma Coble, Miss Annie McKeithan, Miss Eleonor Kinnannon, Miss Mayme McKeithan, Miss Della Dodson, Miss Eula Hockett, Miss Marion Manning, Miss Manna Ray, Miss Victoria Mial.

The guests were then given towels to hem, the prize for the best sewing being won by Miss Coble.

While the others were sewing Mrs. W. B. McQueen, dressed as a witch, told a ghost story, in which every lady present was a heroine.

The bride, Mrs. George Fuller, was then presented with a lovely basket.

An ice course, salad course, candies and coffee were the delicious refreshments served.

The souvenirs were cups of candy on tiny brooms.

In the bottom of each cup was rice, which was showered upon the bride.

Mrs. Paul Dickson gave a toast to "the bride", Miss Dodson followed with a toast the "married teachers," Mrs. Will Currie gave a toast to the "unmarried teachers, Mrs. Currie's toast was an original poem.

Mid laughter and merriment the guests departed, after voting the afternoon a social success.

Meeting at Jackson Springs.

Mr. J. M. Clark, of Statesville, will conduct a revival here beginning on November 6 and lasting a week or probably longer. This is Mr. Clark's boyhood home. He has a large number of relatives and friends in this section who are always glad of an opportunity to hear Mac, as he is familiarly known here.—The Hoke County News.

(Harnett County News.)

Marshal Fredinand Foch, chief of all the allied armies in the great final drive to victory, will be in Nashville, November 4 to attend the opening day of the third annual reunion of the Old Hickory Association, veterans of the Thirtieth Division.

Mr. John A. McLean, aged 46, died the home of his father, Mr. Hugh McLean, in Broadway, last Thursday, and was buried at Legett church Saturday, the services being conducted by his pastor, Rev. E. B. Carr.

(Scottish Chief)

Last morning about 10 or 11 o'clock fire, thought to be started from the stove, while cooking dinner, destroyed the home of Mr. J. F. McKay, near Red Springs. It was a heavy loss.

Lester ("Bum") Medlin, who lived with his son, John Medlin on the Carter place south of Maxton, and worked at the mill of the Elba Mfg. Co., was killed there Tuesday night, being mashed up by the feed conveyer, in which he is supposed to have stepped.

For the Family

You may have seen the family group that The Youth's Companion has chosen for its symbol. It appears on all Companion stationery and on all Companion advertising matter. It typifies the idea that The Companion stands for—the solidarity of the family. In its stories, in its articles, in its contents, generally, The Companion speaks to the family, animated by the spirit that draws parents and children together round a common hearthstone, sharers in the same duties, the same joys, the same aspirations. New subscribers for 1922 will receive:

1. The Youth's Companion—52 issues in 1922.
 2. All the remaining issues of 1921.
 3. The Companion Home Calendar for 1922. All for \$2.50.
 4. Or include McCall's Magazine, the monthly authority on fashions. Both publications, only \$3.00.
- THE YOUTH'S COMPANION, Commonwealth Ave. & St. Paul St., Boston, Mass.
New subscriptions received at this office.

Big Christian Endeavor Meeting in Fayetteville.

The South Eastern District of Christian Endeavor Union of North Carolina is to meet at the Highland Presbyterian Church, Fayetteville, N.C. November 5, 6, 1921. The following counties are to be represented: Bladen, Brunswick, Cumberland, Duplin, Hoke, New Hanover, Onslow, Pender, Robeson, and Sampson.

Two delegates from every society of these counties should attend. The best speakers have been selected and are expected on this occasion and there is a good time ahead for all who will come. The hope is that 300 at

least will be registered. You are earnestly requested to send the names and the registration fees from your societies early. The advanced registration fee is \$1.00 per delegate, which please send with name. After November 1, the registration will be \$1.25. Come and learn much and enjoy much and go back glad you came.

Take up the matter with your society at once, select delegates, and forward names and registration fees to Mr. L. E. Cooper, chairman of Committee of Registration, Fayetteville, N. C.

Mrs. G. B. Rowland is spending some time with relatives in Durham.

Robeson County

Herewith published list of cotton ginned in Robeson County:

Sept. 25th, 1921—18,235 bales
Also Sept. 25th, 1920 5,930 bales

W. H. Adams,
Special Agent, Scottish Chief.

On Saturday, Nov. 5th, 1921, at 3:30 o'clock, on the church grounds we will sell at public auction to the highest bidder that part of the old Presbyterian church which now stands, consisting of about four rooms. Terms Cash. W. T. Covington Sec. Building Committee.

SHOES



GOOD SHOES

FOR EVERY MEMBER OF THE FAMILY.

BAUCOM'S CASH STORE

RAEFORD, N. C.

Experimenting with Druggists Is Not Now Necessary

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Raeford Drug Co. can provide anything a good drug store can provide.

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Raeford Drug Co. has a policy built up to an ideal.

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Raeford Drug Co. is the store providing the famous REAVES service. That service is your protection in a time of need.

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