FARMVILLE HERALD.

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 12, 1906

JUST ONE CENT A WORD.

Wants, for sale, lost, found—in fact any and all advertisements inserted in this column for ONE CENT a word, each insertion, with a minimum charge of 10 cents. Signatures counted as part of advertisement.

Unless the number of insertions desired is stated at the time of entering the advertisement it will be continued at the above rate until notice to discontinue is received.

FOR SALE. Pianos.—J. Wilson Miller, Hampden-Sidney. oc-12-tf

FOR RENT. One seven-room tenement recently occupied by Dr. Sears. Desirably located. G. M. Robeson. oc-12-tf.

FOR SALE. Feed chops and wheat. Apply to J. J. Gilliam, R. F. D. 3, Farmville, Va. oc-5

FOR RENT.—A very desirable cottage near Normal School; also furnished rooms over Ripberger's store. Apply to W. H. Barger. oc-5

FOR RENT.—Well furnished or unfurnished rooms. Conveniences for baths. Centrally located. Box 278, Farmville. oc-5-tf

FOR RENT.—Well furnished room in residence. Convenient to bath room. W. P. Richardson. sep-27-tf

WANTED.—Two good cows giving not less than three gallons of milk per day each. A. H. Venable, Jr., Farmville, Va. sept-21-tf

FOR SALE.—Two good milch cows, one Jersey and one Holstein. Jno. Stokes, Farmville, Va. sep-21-tf

WANTED.—Two salesmen clerks. Apply to M. Kaufman, Hub Clothing Co. sep-21-4

FOR RENT.—Store house formerly occupied by Misses Davidson. For particulars see E. S. Martin. Sep-17-tf

Kindling Wood for rent. Farmville M'f'g. Co. sep-21-4

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WANTED.—Everybody who has land to sell to see Wm. W. Jackson, who is in a position to make quick sales of any kind of property. Phone 67. Wm. W. JACKSON; Mgr. Southside Branch Southern Farm Agency. sep-7

For Sale.—Six bales of cotton. Farmville Manufacturing Co.

FOR RENT.—New and desirable store house opposite the Courthouse. Apply to C. E. CHAPPELL. au-24

FOR SALE.—Mrs. Hubbard's dwelling on High street. Mrs. Hunt's dwelling, rear of Baptist Church. Five store building lot on Oak street. S. W. PAULETT, Jr.

FOR RENT.—One of the most commodious store houses in Farmville, now occupied by White & Co. Wm. W. JACKSON.

Club Elects Officers.

At a meeting of the board of directors of the County Club at Hampden-Sidney, held Friday afternoon, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

President, Robert K. Brock; Treasurer, J. H. C. Bagby; Secretary, Miss Male B. Brock; Directors, Miss Susie Venable and Miss Lucy K. Dunnington, of last year's board, and new directors, Dr. W. M. Holladay, Mrs W. H. Whiting and Mrs. J. H. C. Winston.

Miss Nelly G. Morton and Mrs. Edgar Venable, who do not now reside here, were elected honorary members of the board. The student members of the board elected for the present session were H. G. Thayer, of Charleston, W. Va., and E. Grigg Elean, of Buckingham.

Shooting Scrape in Appomattox.

A. H. Clement, editor of the Appomattox and Buckingham Times, a paper published at West Appomattox, was arraigned before a justice of the peace last Monday on the charge of shooting at S. L. Ferguson, Commonwealth's Attorney. He was also tried for using profane language and for shooting a pistol in the public road.

After hearing the testimony the magistrate fined Mr. Clement in two cases—those of shooting in the public road and for using profane language, and sent him on to the grand jury on the charge of shooting with intent to kill. Mr. Clement was bailed in the sum of $1,500 for his appearance at the next term of the Circuit Court of Appomattox county.

The shooting took place on the first day of October, just in front of the courthouse. The trouble, as was brought out in the evidence, grew out of the question of some repairs to a house owned by Mr. Ferguson, which Mr. Clement had occupied for some time past.

After some words had passed a scuffle and fight ensued, in which Mr. Ferguson was damaged slightly on the mouth and face, and Mr. Clement received a blow on the side of his head. Then it was that Mr. Clement drew a pistol, and Mr. Ferguson being unarmed, turned to leave the house and was fired at twice by Mr. Clement.

Letter to W. G. Venable.

Farmville, Va.

Dear Sir: Our agent ought to sell nine-tenths of the paint of his town and region; no use to try for the other tenth. The proportion of men, who won't take good advice, and use the least gallons paint, is about one in ten among even owners of houses and stores and shops and barns and fences.

One man in ten will buy a gold brick or green goods, if he has the money and gets a good chance.

Devoe at $1.66 a gallon is better than gold; adulterated and short-measure paints are green goods and gold bricks.

Devoe saves half, more or less, of the labor and wages of painting; it is all paint; full strength and full measure.

There is no other such paint within ten per cent. Ten per cent of labor and paint is worth saving; and ten is the least. There are scores of paints that throw away half of both gallons and labor on whiting, china-clay, ground stone, barytes, benzine, water—all they are good for is to make gallons of nothing and look like paint in the can; more gallons to buy and more gallons to pay for putting on—gold bricks and green goods. Here's how they work.

Judge I. B. Fairchild owns two houses exactly alike in Lufkin, Texas. J. H. Torrence painted both houses; one Devoe, 1½ gallons; the other with another paint sold at same price; 25 gallons. That 25 gallon paint is weak and 10 percent. whiting; that's why it took 9½ gallons more.

Yours truly
F. W. DEVOE & CO.,
New York.

P. S.—J. F. Walton & Co., sell our paint.

Henry E. Jones, of Tampa, Fla., writes: "I can thank God for my present health, due to Foley's Kidney Cure. I tried doctors and all kinds of kidney cures, but nothing done me much good till I took Foley's Kidney Cure. Four bottles cured me, and I have no more pain in my back and shoulders. I am 62 years old, and suffered long, but thanks to Foley's Kidney Cure I am well and can walk and enjoy myself. It is a pleasure to recommend it to those needing a kidney medicine." The Winston Drug Co.

BRIEFS AND PERSONALS.

"Lives of poor men oft remind us
Honest toil stands little chance,
The more we work we have behind us
Bigger patches on our pants.
On our pants, once new and classy,
Now are stripes of different line,
All because our patrons linger
And don't pay what is due.
Then let us all be up and doing;
Send in your mite, however small,
Or, when the winds of winter strike us
We shall have no pants at all."—Ex.

Miss Emma Lou Rice returned from Lynchburg last Saturday.

Miss Octavia Noel, of Lynchburg has been the guest for several weeks of Miss Bessie Noel.

Mrs. E. T. Rice went to Lynchburg on last Tuesday to visit her granddaughter, Mrs. T. A. Woodson.

If you go away on a visit, or friends come to visit you, see that the fact reaches the Herald office before publication day.

Mr. add Mrs. McIlwaine Knight, of New York, are spending a few days at Popular Hill, the beautiful home of Mr. W. G. Dunnington.

There was no meeting of the town council last Tuesday night for the lack of a quorum. The meeting will be called for next Monday night.

Deputy-Sheriff Bliss went to Richmond last Tuesday morning with two small colored boys who are to serve sentences in the State reformatory.

So many of our people went to the Richmond Fair this week that it would be an almost endless task to name them.

Mr. H. H. Hunt returned from the Photographers' Association meeting at Asheville, N. C., with the honor of having been chosen second vice-president.

Work of laying the granolithic on High street is progressing rapidly, and in a few days it will be one of the most beautiful walk and driveways in the town.

Tobacco barns throughout Prince Edward and its adjoining counties are being accidentally burned nearly every day. This must be due to careless use of those firing tobacco. The damage already sustained from this cause has reached up in the thousands.

Mr. David Stuart, of Adriance, Cumberland county, having sold his farm intending to remove to Cumberland C. H., is advertising an auction sale of many useful and desirable things. This sale will take place on the 30th instant.

Services at the Armory next Tuesday night will be closed at half-after 8 o'clock in order that the patrons of the lyceum course may hear the International Grand Concert Company at the Opera House.

The protracted meeting will begin in the Armory building next Sunday night. Union church work has long been a feature of religious effort in Farmville, and in the approaching revival services all denominations will labor on common ground for the unbounded success of this meeting.

"Advertising is no good," said the man in old clothes. "It never helped me none." The millionaire merchant smiled. "That is because you tried it, John, as the Indian tried the feather bed." An Indian took a feather, placed it on a plank and slept on it all night. In the morning he growled: "Paleface say feathers soft. Paleface heap fool, ugh!"

A newspaper is in no sense a child of charity. It earns twice over every dollar it receives, and it is second to no enterprise in contributing to the upbuilding of a community. Its patrons reap far more benefits from its pages than its publishers, and in calling for the support of the community in which it is published, it asks for no more than in all fairness belongs to it, though generally it receives less. Patronize and help your paper as you would any other enterprise because it helps you, and not as an act of charity.

Enormous Dispensary Business.

The Farmville Dispensary is doing a remarkably big business in the whiskey traffic, the average daily sales since the 16th day of January, 1906, amounting to over $200. From the above date to the 9th of October, the gross sales had amounted to $48,386, which would indicate that before the year is out this will have been more of the intoxicant sold in Farmville in twelve months than ever known before.

Made a Big Hit.

The International Grand Concert Company, the first number of the lyceum course in Farmville this season, will appear at the Opera House next Tuesday night. The reserved seats will be put on sale at Crute & Co's drug store tomorrow (Saturday) morning at 10 o'clock. Those having season tickets will present them at the store and receive a numbered seat for the attraction.

The management of the Radcliffe Lyceum and Chatauqua Bureau writes as follows:

"I have just been notified by Mr. Crampton, the manager, that he had secured Mlle. Vermore, the brilliant violin solist, who was with Madame Clave on her concert tour last season. A telegram from Salisbury, N. C., says the company made a big hit last night. The company comes from Richmond to Farmville on the 16th. Assuring you that you have a great treat in store for your people, I remain,

Cordially yours,
(Signed) W. L. RADCLIFFE,
Manager.

Breaks the Record.

The Blackstone school for girls will break the record the present session. From the beginning twelve years ago to the present time, there has been an increase every year. The enrollment in the boarding department the present session is about 300, and the total enrollment of boarders and day scholars will be at least 400. One hundred more boarders could easily have been enrolled, but the Principal of the school will not take any boarders to live outside the building. Judged by the enrollment and the number of applicants rejected, the school is easily in the front rank in Virginia and in the South. The principal is pushing the Carnegie fund, having secured $25,000 in good subscriptions, leaving less than $10,000 to be raised. Work is being rapidly pushed on the new $25,000 building, and it is expected to have it under cover before winter sets in.

Coming Marriages.

Cards have been issued by Mr. and Mrs. Chives Davis Woodruff, announcing the marriage of their daughter, Miss Hessie StClair, to Mr. James Luckin Bugg, ceremony to be at Parker Memorial Baptist Church, Anniston, Alabama, Wednesday evening, the 24th day of October, 1906. Mr. and Mrs. Bugg will be at home, Farmville, after the 1st of January, 1907.

The Anniston, (Ala.) Evening Star has the following notice of the marriage in its issue of October 6th:

An unusual degree of interest is being manifested in this wedding on account of the great popularity of Miss Woodruff. In Anniston, where she has lived since childhood, she is a social favorite. She possesses an attractive brunet beauty, and an enviable sweetness of disposition. Her charm of manner and fine attributes of character make her influence felt in whatever circles she moves.

She spent several years in Farmville, where she attended the Farmville Institute, of whose faculty her sister, Miss Mary Woodruff, is a valued member.

Mr. Bugg comes from a fine Virginia family, and is highly esteemed in Farmville for his personal qualities and business integrity. He occupies a responsible position as assistant cashier of a large banking concern there.

Announcement is made for the marriage of Miss Robbie Blair Berkeley, of Farmville, to Mr. Dallace C. Burnet, of Washington. The ceremony will take place next Thursday evening at 9:30 o'clock in the Presbyterian Church.

An event of especial interest is the approaching marriage of Miss May Paulett to Dr. W. J. Gills. The ceremony will take place on Tuesday afternoon, October 23rd, in Johns Memorial Episcopal Church. Miss Paulett will have for her maid of honor Miss Louise Twitty, of Suffolk, while Dr. Gills' best man will be Dr. J. C. Dardel, of Salem, Va.

Mrs. Kate Winn Kirkpatrick announces the marriage of her daughter, Emma Antoinette, to Mr. Charles Daniel McKinney, on the evening of Tuesday, the 23rd of October, at half after 8 o'clock, Presbyterian Church, Decatur, Ga.

Local News Thirty-Two Years Ago.

[The Farmville Mercury, Oct. 17, 1874.]

Some gentlemen of this place while on a hunting excursion last week, procured a dinner for the party from a freedman for which he rendered them the following bill *verbatim*: "One dollar and 7750 cents." The bill was paid.

DIED.—W. Purnell Dickinson, Esq., a brother of Judge A. D. Dickinson and a most estimable gentleman, died at his home in Nottoway county, on Tuesday of last week.

Died in Richmond.

Mrs. Stephen Scott, formerly Miss Lizzie Fretwell, of Amelia county, died last Monday at her home in Richmond, after a lingering illness. Her remains were brought to the old home place, "Cherry Grove," last Tuesday for interment. The funeral services were conducted by Rev. Mr. Jones.

Mrs. Scott was known as a meek, gentle, sincere Christian woman, and her memory will live long in the hearts of her friends and acquaintances as a loveable character that has passed from earth to heaven.

She leaves a husband and two little boys to mourn her departure.

Death of Prominent Citizen.

Mr. R. M. Anderson, one of the most widely known business men of Buckingham county, died last Sunday evening at 7 o'clock of heart trouble and pneumonia. He was fifty-three years of age, and is survived by his wife. Everyone in the county knew Reese Anderson, as he was called, as he has been in business at Andersonville and Dillwyn for a number of years.

He is estimated to have left at least $50,000 and $25,000 life insurance.

Mr. Anderson had been in ill health for some time, and his death had been expected several times during the year. His fatal illness was only a week long.

Football at Hampden-Sidney.

The initial football game of the season was played Monday afternoon on Venable's Athletic Field. It took Hampden-Sidney about eleven minutes to make the first touchdown, Hoy taking the ball across the lower goal. Hoy failed to kick goal.

Randolph-Macon Academy could seldom make any gains through Hampden-Sidney's line, frequently resorting to kicking.

Randolph-Macon again kicked off, and within four minutes Hoy again went over the Randolph-Macon lide for another touchdown. Hoy again failed to kick goal. The next touchdown was made by Hoy in about three minutes. Thayer kicked goal. With only one minute and twenty seconds to play Foster broke through, and, with almost faultless interference, ran eighty-five yards for the fourth touchdown. Thayer kicked goal.

The teams lined up, and time was called with the ball in Hampden-Sidney's possession far into Randolph-Macon territory.

Time of first half—twenty minutes.

Score 22 to 0 in favor of Hampden-Sidney.

Second half—Hampden-Sidney kicked off and secured the ball on a fumble and scored the fifth touchdown in about fifty seconds of play. Thayer kicked goal.

The sixth touchdown was made by Johns in about one minute of play. The seventh touchdown was scored by Joynes in about two minutes of play. The stars for Hampden-Sidney were Hoy, Johns, Joynes, Young, Foster, Bischoff and Captain Thayer. Davis, for Randolph-Macon, played a fine game. Final score 39 to 0 in favor of Hampden-Sidney.

Randolph Macon.		Hampden-Sidney.
Davis, B. L.	left end	Joynes
McCune	left tackle	Johns
Copler	left guard	Hansberger
Ferguson	centre	Thayer
Jackson	right guard	Ruffner
Davis, L. L.	right tackle	Young
Rowe	right end	Bischoff
Snowden	quarterback	Foster
McCune D.	right halfback	Stras
Witt	left halfback	Atkinson
Grimes	fullback	Hoy

What becomes of all the autumn leaves the women press?

FARMERS GREAT REUNION.

Tobacco Growers of Virginia, Kentucky and Tennessee.

The second annual reunion of the Planters' Protective Association of Kentucky, Tennessee and Virginia, which was held recently at Guthrie, Ky., was one of the grandest occasions of the kind ever had.

We take the following account of the great gathering from the Cadiz (Ky.) Record.

Notwithstanding the heavy clouds which threatened a downpour most any minute, the crowd began to gather at an early hour in the morning, coming both on trains and in vehicles of every description. There were eight regular trains coming into Guthrie that morning from every direction, and all of them were carrying extra coaches and were crowded to their utmost capacity. Bisides these eight regular trains, there were twelve extra trains run that day from every direction to accommodate the immense crowds that had prepared to attend this great meeting. These extra trains carried from six to twelve coaches each, and every one of them were crowded to the last step on the platform, and many passengers were upon the tender, on top of the coaches and upon every available space. And they were there for miles and miles in every direction in buggies, wagons, carriages, and every conceivable means of conveyance.

The crowd was variously estimated from 18,000 to 30,000 people, but the average estimate was about 25,000 and if the morning had been bright and sunshiny it would have increased to at least five thousand more.

About 10:30 the parade was formed on main street near the L. & N. depot and marched through the principal streets of the town and then to the fair grounds. Col. John B. Allen, of Tennessee, one of the wheel-horses of the association, was the chief marshal of the day, and headed the parade on horseback, accompanied by Mrs. Ewing, wife of General Manager F. G. Ewing, whose physical condition would not admit of his taking part in the proceedings although he was there and was able to come from his room into the lobby of the hotel once or twice during the day. They were followed by President C. H. Forte and Mrs. Polk Prince: Treasurer George Snadon and Mrs. N. E. Greene, the tireless Secretary of the Association; and Vice president E. T. Bondurant and Miss Martha Townsend. Then followed the long line of carriages, traps, ladies and gentlemen on horseback, followed by many thousand farmers from all parts of the "Black Patch" walking. The parade was nearly an hour long and was divided into some eight or nine sections, each section being headed by a brass band.

Bringing up the rear of the parade was the colored membership of the association from different parts of the Dark Tobacco District, headed by a negro brass band and a banner bearing the following inscription: "Down wid de trust, or we niggers bust." There were a thousand or more negroes in this parade.

Upon reaching the fair grounds the officers of the association were elected for the ensuing year and a few other smaller matters disposed of, after which dinner was announced, which dinner was composed of the following amounts of eatables: 517 barbecued carcasses, five thousand pounds of bread, nine barrels of pickles besides a number of smaller articles. There were twenty thousand of these little wooden trays all filled with meats, pickles, bread, etc., and these were handed out by a large force of waiters behind the wires, and in a very few minutes the entire crowd of probably over twenty thousand people who had followed the procession to the fair grounds were enjoying one of the best barbecued dinners ever spread.

After dinner the crowd was highly entertained by the following speakers from the several speakers' stands that had been arranged: Gov. Robt. L. Taylor, of Tennessee; Congressman Ollie M. James, of this district; Congressman A. O. Stanley, of the Second Kentucky District; ex-Congressman John S. Rhea, of Russellville; Hon. Joel B. Forte, of Tennessee; President C. H. Forte, of Tennessee; Vice-President E. T. Bondurant, of Virginia; H. C Rice, Virginia; Hon. Ruby Laffoon, of Madisonville, and probably others.

Congressman Stanley presented the association with a large green and white silk flag with a white background and a large plant of tobacco worked in the center, which had been made by Mrs. Ewing.

There were from 100 to 150 members present from Trigg county, a majority of whom were in the parade headed by our chairman, Mr. E. E. Wash, on horseback.

Wewere invited, along with Mr. M. S. Thompson, of this place, to participate in the parade and were given a seat in the conveyance occupied by five six of the delegates from the Virginia branch of the association, Mr. Bondurant, the sixth member and vice-president of the association, having been invited to ride horseback with Miss Townsend, of Adairville. We never met a more pleasant, refined and intelligent crowd of gentlemen than these, and our hour's ride with them in the parade was a most pleasant one. They had come over seven hundred miles to attend this reunion, this being their first, as the Virginia branch of the association was only taken in last spring, and the immensity of this gathering and the great success and enthusiasm of the association was the source of much surprise as well as enjoyment and pleasure to them. They were also very much impressed with the interest the negroes were taking in the association, and made inquiries as to how they had been interested in this great fight against the trust. Besides Mr. Bondurant, whose home is at Rice, Va., the names of the other Virginia delegates were as follows: H. C. Rice, president of the Virginia branch, Clarkton; Colin Stokes and H. E. Richardson, Farmville; S. C. Daniel, Charlotte Courthouse, and J. P. Irby, Blackstone.

One remarkable thing about this immense crowd was that everything passed off perfectly quiet, and the best of humor prevailed throughout.

One banner, which attracted a great deal of attention and was the source of much amusement, was the picture of a man reaching through the crack of the fence and milking a cow on the other side, above which was the following: "Hill Billy milking his neighbor's cow."

Neat and Attractive Office.

Mr. Elliott R. Booker has fitted up neat and attractive insurance offices over the store of Messrs. Bugg & Son at the corner of Main and Third streets, where he invites those contemplating the purchase of protection against either fire or death. Mr. Booker is giving his entire time and energies to the insurance business and has on his list none but the best companies. He is also the representative of the Northwestern Life Insurance Company, one of the oldest and most reliable of all the old line companies. Those who wish insurance in any of its branches could do no better than consult Mr. Booker, as they are assured of his careful and undivided attention, the lowest possible rates and his continued interest.

Fools never know when to stop talking, but wise men always know when not to begin.

Our EDUCATIONAL COLUMN.

Some Fundamental Factors in the Success of the Public Schools.

I desire in a series of short articles in this column to set before the readers of the Herald several of the more important factors that enter into the educational problems of today and that are surely making for the success of the public school system in this State.

1st. Adequate Financial Provision—No one will question the absolute necessity for the expenditure of a large sum of money in the successful maintainence of the public schools throughout our State.

The total expenditures for this purpose have increased gradually as our public school system has improved in efficiency from $545,827 in 1871 to $2,432,102 in 1905. And one of the most encouraging features of the school statistics is found in the increased revenues from all sources.

How does our school system provide for its financial support?

There are three distinct funds provided under our school laws for the support of our school system.

1. State funds, derived from three sources, (1) The Literary Fund—a small invested fund the interest on which is used in the support of the school system, amounting last year to $57,000.

One of the most important forward steps was taken by the last General Assembly in providing for the loan of such part of this invested fund as may be needed to the district school boards for the purpose of building school houses. Four per cent interest is charged and ten years are given for its repayment. On these easy terms many school boards have been enabled during the past few months to build much needed school houses.

2. State school tax fund, including capitation and property tax levied by the State. This fund amounted last year to $871,255 and was apportioned among the hundred counties of the State according to school population.

And just at this point it will be well to call the attention of the voters to one bad leak in the State school fund that the next General Assembly should be called upon to remedy by suitable legislation. The new constitution provides for a capitation tax of $1.50, one dollar of which shall go to the public schools; but it expressly states that this tax is not to be collected by legal process.

The natural result is that thousands of negroes who are disfranchised for other reasons than the failure to pay this tax, and thousands of whites who through indifference or carlessness fail to pay this tax in time to entitle them to vote, do not pay this capitation tax at all, and thus a large source of revenue is lost to public schools.

Now most of those who do not pay their capitation tax pay little or no property tax, as they do not as a rule possess taxable property. And yet they get the benefit of the public schools, and often school books are furnished free to their children. They ought not to be allowed thus to pauperize themselves. The remedy that naturally suggests itself would be to require a receipt of payment of the capitation tax of every father before his children can be enrolled in the public schools. And then strengthen this requirement with as strict a compulsory education law as the Constitution permits.

The third source of State school funds is the special appropriation of $200,000 made by the Legislature. In view of the increased interest in the public schools as shown by the increase in school revenues derived from local taxation, no doubt the next General Assembly will deem it wise to increase this special appropriation in order to keep step with the increased demand for and need of more money and better schools.

Now, all of the above funds, known as State school funds are, after paying the salaries of the State Superintendent and of the division Superintendents and the other expenses of administration, apportioned among the counties, towns and cities of the State according to school population. And thus it comes to pass that Prince Edward county with her large colored population received $9,052 from the State last year although she paid into the State treasury only $3,457 school tax.

In our next article we shall treat of school funds derived from local taxation through county and district and municipal levies.

Farmers Take Notice.

Tobacco growers of Virginia are urged to attend meetings in their respective counties on the following dates and places named below. These meetings are of the greatest importance to the farmers and they are requested to come and bring their wives. E. T. Bondurant and others will meet them and give information concerning the pooling system and progress of the Association in Kentucky, Tennessee and Virginia. Rival, Buckingham Co., Oct. 13; Amelia C. H., Oct. 15; Dinwiddie C. H., Oct. 16; West Appomattox, Oct. 18; Farmville, Oct. 20.

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ABSOLUTELY PURE

Healthful cream of tartar, derived solely from grapes, refined to absolute purity, is the active principle of every pound of Royal Baking Powder.

Hence it is that Royal Baking Powder renders the food remarkable both for its fine flavor and healthfulness.

No alum, no phosphate—which are the principal elements of the so-called cheap baking powders and which are derived from bones, rock and sulphuric acid.

ROYAL BAKING POWDER CO., NEW YORK

PRINCE EDWARD COUNTY.

Putneys.

October 8, 1906.

Rev. Charles Anderson preached quite an able sermon to an attentive congregation at Bethlehem Church on Sunday morning.

Mrs. Chesterman, of Mississippi, is now with her daughter, Mrs. Henry Anderson.

Miss Lizzie Bolton was the guest of Mrs. James Anderson, last evening.

Mr. Elliott Anderson visited his grandfather and mother Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Womack, of Five Forks, on Sunday.

Miss Mary Lizzie Anderson is teaching at her aunt's, Mrs. Wm. Henderson, of Briery.

Mr. H. L. Womack was the guest of his father, Mr. E. L. Womack, of Five Forks on last Friday night.

Miss Mattie Bell and brother "Lin," of Abiline, visited their cousin, Miss Marietta Bell, last week.

Pollard.

Oct. 9th, '06.

Rev. J. R. Bagby and Rev. Joel Tucker, of Richmond, held a revival meeting at Sandy Creek Church last week.

Rev. J. E. Potts will preach his farewell sermon Sunday at Providence Church.

We are glad to hear Mr. W. M. Bowman, who has been very ill, is improving.

Dr. Nelson, of Amelia C. H., is attending Mr. S. J. Mann, of Rodophil, who is very ill.

The many friends of Mrs. Lizzie Scott are deeply grieved to hear of her death. She died in Richmond and was brought up to her old home to be buried.

A great many people are attending the fair in Richmond.

Tredway.

October 10th, 06.

The Farmers are all glad to see the sun shine again, and are busy preparing the ground to seed wheat. There have been a good many visitors in our neighborhood recently.

Mr. Emmett Womack is entertaining a number of gentlemen this week from Norfolk with a daily old fashion fox hunt.

Mr. Mack Allen has purchased the Tredway Mills from his brother, Clifford Allen, and moved his family there this week.

Misses Janie and Mary Harris, of Five Forks, left last week to take charge of their schools in Augusta county.

Mrs. Lydia Harris will pass the coming winter in Farmville to the regret of her many friends.

Among the visitors at Mr. D. H. Selden's Sunday were the following: Messrs. Emmett Womack, Tom Yonge, Roy and Dick Bondurant, E. T. Lipscomb, Willie Kraig, Will Hancock and sister, Mrs. Arthur Allen, and brother, of Prospect.

Rev. G. G. Matchett, of Philadelphia, preached at St. Anne's Church Sunday night to a large congregation. He proposes to hold services their every Sunday at 3:30 in the afternoon, except the 4th Sunday in each month.

There have been valuable deposits of minerals found on Mr. Bob Booker's farm near Hampden-Sidney college, and the Glenn Farm near Prospect. A party of miners from Philadelphia are examining them with a view of working them in the near future.

Buffalo.

Oct. 9, '06.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Cunningham called at Dublin last Monday afternoon.

Buffalo school is progressing finely; now on the second week. Miss Alace Crawley, daughter of Rev. Charles Crawley, of Dinwiddie C. H., is the teacher this term, and the people are glad to welcome her in their midst.

Mr. N. M. Gill and brother, of Farmville, are busily engaged in putting a tin roof on Mr. George Hunt's house.

Miss May Cunningham left last week for New Hope, Augusta county, where she will teach this winter.

The many friends of Misses Rebecca and Belle Yonge will be glad to hear of their visiting in the neighborhood of their old home, and hope they will soon come to this vicinity.

Mrs. J. D. Moore spent last Friday with relatives at Hampden-Sidney.

We sympathize with Mr. Herman Phillips, a former resident of this neighborhood, in the loss of a barn full of tobacco by fire last week.

AMELIA COUNTY.

Farley.

October 8th, 1906.

Miss Mabel Glenn left today for Amelia Courthouse, where she went to teach a private school in the home of Mr. Irving Barnes.

Messrs. Irving Noble and Ernest Foster visited in the home of Mr. A. T. Davis last Sunday.

Mr. Tom Garnett and son Eddie, who have been quite sick are much improved.

Mr. A. T. Davis is also improving.

Messrs. Willie Morris, Rod Garnett and Bob Lee Borum called at Mr. L. E. Glenn's Sunday.

Mr. Sandy Mann is quite ill in his home at Rodophil. He will be taken to the hospital in a few days where he will be operated on for appendicitis.

Miss Loveline Vaughan is visiting her sister, Mrs. R. A. Johns.

CHARLOTTE COUNTY.

Madisonville.

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Mrs. George St. John left for Richmond this morning to spend a while with her daughter, Mrs. Boone Driskill.

Miss Edna Johnson and Mrs. Charlie Sims are now at their father's on a visit.

The Salem school has been closed on account of fever in the neighborhood.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ramsey spent Sunday evening at Mr. J. A. Roberts.

Miss Etta Roach left for Richmond this morning to visit friends.

The meeting will begin next Sunday morning at Centenary Church, services morning and night.

Miss Emma Ford attended the fair n Lynchburg last week.

Mr. J. J. Franklin and family of Baltimore, have been visiting friends and relatives in Prince Edward and Charlotte for the past three weeks.

Mr. Linwood Carwiles and wife spent last week at Mr. J. G. Franklin's.

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