

THE NESHOPA DEMOCRAT

LOCAL NEWS

Mr. Will Fulton was a visitor to Union Thursday.

M. Spears and Sons are moving in their new shop this week.

Mr. Ben Myatt of Purvis has been visiting relatives here the past week.

Mr. Rufus Peebles has returned from Birmingham where he has been taking a Commercial Course.

The many friends of Mr. McKner Mason of McDonald regret to hear of his death which occurred on the 7th.

Mrs. Lydia Green has returned to Meridian after spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Shale.

The many friends of Mrs. G. E. Wilson are glad to know she has returned from the hospital at Meridian greatly improved in health.

The Election Commission were in session this week arranging for the special election to be held in this County on June 10th.

Mr. Smith Sanders of Oklahoma has been visiting his nephew Mr. J. J. Hardage and other relatives here and leave the past week.

Remember Thursday of this week is cleanup day. Collect all your garbage, place in boxes convenient for wagons to call and haul same off.

Temporarily our town has lights again. An agreement has been reached with Mr. Cramer whereby the town will be lighted until further arrangements can be made.

Sec. of War, Baker has said all the boys will be home from Europe by Aug. This is based on the present movement of about 300,000 per month.

Mr. J. H. Sanford has returned from New Augusta where his granddaughter, Miss Myrtice Young graduated this session. She returned with her grandfather to this place.

Tuesday the 27th is the last hog shipping day until September. Hogs were quoted on the Chicago market a few days ago at 21.35, the highest ever known. Sell all you can and raise more to sell next winter.

Mr. E. L. Cumberland of the North Bend community died Wednesday of last week from the effects of a stroke of paralysis received only a few days before. He is survived by his immediate family and many relatives and friends.

Mr. H. M. Parker having resigned as a member of Board of Aldermen, a special election has been called and we look for the candidates to fall over themselves to get in this race.

Mr. Parker will have full charge of the Kasdan store for several months, necessitates his resigning from the Board, of which he has proven a very valuable member.

Chancery court this week.

Mr. J. W. Gilbert, candidate for circuit clerk was a visitor in town Saturday.

Rev. J. L. Hughes left Monday to attend the Southern Baptist Convention in Atlanta.

All candidates who expect to be elected are having a thousand or more cards printed.

Mrs. B. L. Boydston of Winston Co. returned home Tuesday after spending a few days with relatives.

Mr. C. D. Lewis of Okmulgee, Okla. was greeting his many friends here the past few days.

Mr. Z. H. Kimbrough of near Dixon and who has been in La. for the past several months is home again.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Dearing of Iredelle Tex. are visiting the former's sister Mrs. J. Powell of this place, and other relatives of this county.

The little son of Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Parker was seriously ill for several days last week but is now much improved.

Mr. A. J. Patterson and children have moved back to their home at this place. Mr. Patterson will return after winding up his business in Arkansas.

The continued showers for the past ten days are putting the farmers badly behind in their farming operations. Grass corn and cotton are all coming up together.

Mr. H. G. Lewis, of Philadelphia, has accepted a position in A. C. Longino's Drug Store. We give Mr. Lewis a warm welcome to our town. He just recently returned from service overseas.

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Mr. Henry Welsbacker just from France, a member of the 1st Division and who was wounded once in the hand and foot arrived here last week. Mr. Welsbacker was reported killed once but is now looking fine to the gratification of relatives and friends here.

Gene Caddenhead who killed the negro Gene Harris at North Bend last week was given bail in the sum of \$3000 last Saturday, which he made and was given his liberty. Unless more evidence is produced by the state than was brought out in the hearing Saturday he will have no trouble in the higher court.

The commissary of the Deweese-Rodgers Lbr. Co. was broken into on last Thursday night. A few dollars in change was taken from the cash drawer and a few dollars from a punch board. The Gant bloodhounds were secured and trailed to a negro house where a negro by the name of Eugene Watts was placed under arrest. Watts was placed in jail but stoutly denies the burglary.

School hall Saturday night

If you miss the lecture of chaplain Hogg Saturday night you will be sorry ever afterwards.

A Canning demonstration will be given at Oscar Johnston store Thursday; 1-P M.

Mrs. Iona Eatman has returned to Memphis after spending a few days with her father, Mr. J. T. Maxey. She was accompanied home by her sister, Miss Ivor Maxey.

The many friends of Mr. J. H. Hester regret he has been confined to his home the past week on account of sickness.

The many friends of Dr. R. B. Yates are glad to know he has decided to locate here for the practice of his profession. Dr. Yates has been home from France only a few weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Molpus and Rev. R. L. Breland are attending the Southern Baptist Convention at Atlanta this week.

The tax payers of the Dixon neighborhood are working up sentiment for a good road from this place via the fairgrounds, Dixon on to Union. This road goes through the best section of the county, and could be made a road easier than any other road we know. A good portion is already a splendid road and is one road that does not cross a swamp.

This town and county has a treat in store in the lecture of Chaplain Hogg at the school hall Saturday night. Rev. Hogg was the most popular chaplain in the American Army. He is a fine lecturer and has the finest collection of souvenirs that has been brought home by any individual. The sight of these relics alone is worth the price of admission.

LOWRY-TURNER

Miss Sudie Turner and Mr. Louis Lowry of this place were married at the Presbyterian manse in Meridian last Wednesday.

Mrs. Lowry is the daughter of Mr. James A. Turner of this place and for the past several months has been the bookkeeper at Kasdans.

Mr. Lowry is one of our county's splendid young men. He has only recently been discharged from the army, serving in a clerical position at Camp Pike for several months.

Mr. and Mrs. Lowry expect to make their home here, much to the delight of their many friends at this place.

TURNER-SADLER

Miss Lila Sadler and Mr. James Turner of this place were married at the home of the bride at Baonville on Tuesday morning of last week.

Mrs. Turner has been one of the teachers in the local school for the past two years and has scores of friends here who are glad to welcome her back in the social circles of our town.

Mr. Turner is one of our leading and popular business men and is being congratulated on winning the heart and hand of Miss Sadler.

Mr. and Mrs. Turner are spending their honeymoon in New Orleans but will return here within next few days.

Chaplain W. B. Hogg is to visit Philadelphia. The citizens of this city and vicinity will be delighted to know that they are to have the pleasure of hearing the "cheer-up" man of the army of occupation, who covered every mile of all the western battle fronts and saw the horrors of a devastated Europe.

Mr. Hogg buried more than three thousand of our boys overseas. He brings a soul-stirring message from the agony of war. But aside from this he saw the bright side too. His negro yarns will convulse the audience with laughter, and no one will be ashamed of his tears.

The collection of souvenirs that Mr. Hogg displays and explains is said to be the largest privately owned in the United States. This will prove to be most interesting and educational. The blood and brains of men can still be seen on many of them. An interesting relic is the Kaiser's own prayer book.

CHURCH NOTICE

The Presbytery of Meridian will meet May 15, 11 A. M. at the Presbyterian church in this town. Rev. J. Lawrence Milling will preach at 11 A. M. At night the Presbytery will ordain him to the office of the gospel ministry. Rev. R. A. Cody will preach the ordination sermon; Rev. J. F. McDonald will preside, propound the usual questions and offer up the ordination prayer; Rev. J. O. Arnett will deliver a charge to the newly ordained minister.

All are invited to come and hear the sermon by brother Milling at 11 A. M. and to be present at his ordination.

J. F. McDonald

ARMENIAN RELIEF

We are asked to close the work for Armenian relief in the next few days—Neshoba county's quota is yet \$300 short. Let every school that has not yet made a contribution do so at once and send to J. F. McCauley Treasurer. If you have a heart read the following dispatch from that land and then act:

Starving refugees in the Southern Caucasus are resorting to cannibalism, a number of cases having been reported of mothers killing and eating their children, according to a message received here tonight by the American Committee for Armenian and Syrian Relief from Dr. J. H. T. Mann, commissioner to the Caucasus for the committee.

These are our allies in the great war. Shall we let them starve? Do your bit and do it soon. This may be the last call. You can't feel good having done nothing for these dying people.

R. L. Breland
Co. Chairman

For Sale or Exchange—McCormick Reaper and binder and mower and rake. Would exchange for cattle. Also 2 horse wagon to swap for 1 horse wagon.
Z. H. Kimbrough
Route 5

CHURCH NOTICE

Rev. Walter Evans will preach at Keptarky schoolhouse Sunday June 1st and Saturday night before.

PICNIC NOTICE

A fourth of July picnic will be given in the pasture of Mr. Amos Posey four miles south of Philadelphia. Special courtesies will be shown the soldier boys. Candidates will be given opportunity to make addresses.

NOTICE

All persons are requested to keep all cans and garbage out of ditches and streets. Any violation hereafter of the ordinance prohibiting throwing of trash, garbage in ditches and gutters of the town will be prosecuted as the ordinance requires.
Lon Welsh, Marshall



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