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TOWN AND COUNTY.

Mrs. E. G. HARDEMAN, Local Editor.

"When will that marriage take place?"

Last Sunday was children's day at Fortville.

Miss Lida Lester was at home last week.

Mr. T. J. Fowler is recovering from his recent sickness.

The weather is quite warm for this season of the year.

Mr. W. H. Harper was up to see old friends last week.

Pleasant Grove Sunday School will picnic to day.

The shower that fell Tuesday evening was gladly received.

Misses Mamie Green and Leola Hart, of Macon, spent several days last week with Miss Mattie Lou Turner.

Miss Thompson, of Jasper county came home with Miss Lida Lester, and made many friends during her stay in Jones county.

On account of space we are not able to give the speech of Col. H. W. Newman in full. Will give our readers the benefit of the remainder next week.

We are placed under many obligations to "The Old Reliable" C. R. R. for favors recently shown, and take this occasion to say to those who contemplate a visit North this summer, that it will be to their interest to correspond with their agent before purchasing tickets. See their ad in another column.

DEATH OF MR. GREER.

Hon. E. C. Greer of Macon, Sec. of the State Agricultural Society, died the 30th ult, after an illness of several weeks, in the 66th year of his age. Thus "one by one" our noble and useful men are passing away. In him not only Macon but the entire state, loses one of their honored and most patriotic gentlemen.

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CLINTON LOCALS.

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Miss Holsenbeck had roasting ears for dinner on the 27th.

Call at L. S. Hills for good Photographic work when visiting Macon.

Miss Anna Wilcoxson of this county is visiting Mrs. Willie Bar-
ron.

Mrs. Ed Morton and daughter Miss Addie Kate were in town Tuesday.

A nice little rain fell Tuesday night making the gardens, look fresh, and helping corn and cotton.

Mrs. Dr. Sam Pursey was quite sick for several days last week, but we are glad to know she is able to be frank.

Frank M. Stewart with Miss Lida Johnson, James and Katie Morgan attended church at Fortville Sunday.

The "Gray's Picnic" was read with pleasure by all, and Penholder has our thanks for the well written description. We are still happy!

Mr. J. B. Pound, formerly of the Macon Evening News, will leave for Chattanooga next week to begin the publication of an evening paper in that place.

Charles B. Herring formerly connected with Willing John of Macon, died in Baltimore this week. He has been in declining health for the past year.

And now Editor Folsom "we would rise to enquire" what has become of the Standard? We haven't received a copy since the one containing your enquiry?

Our folks had blackberry pie last week. Now is the time when the country editor and likewise the darkey enjoys life. No danger of a famine when the blackberry crop is so promising.

The Picnic of the Fortville Sabbath School was held on Friday last. Clinton Sabbath School was invited and the "whole" would have been glad to have been there, but the necessary conveyance were lacking.

We have been requested to publish in full the speech of Oct. New-
my's spring meeting, held at Way-
cross Feb. 14th 1888. It is rich
rare and racy. Read it.

THE HEADLIGHT extends best wishes to the pleasant and accom-
modating young Conductor, Capt. Burnett and the congratulations of his many Jones county friends go out to him and his charming wife. May their voyage through life's Railway be conducted by pleasant route.

From Merrillweather Station.

BY SENK.

MR. EDITOR.—A short letter from here, will perhaps amuse if not interest a few of your readers. Merrillweather is a pleasant little station on the branch of the C. R. R. between Eatonton and Milledgeville, people refined, well educated as a class, and many well to do farmers. We have an excellent Methodist church, large membership and fine Sunday School, and taken all together "is one of the best" communities we have ever lived in—our school is progressing finely, a goodly number of bright pupils. The young people have organized a reading and social club which has proven a success, both socially and intellectually. We welcome the HEADLIGHT as an old friend, love to read it especially the letters. By the way, why don't you serve from Blountville write often, like to read the dots from there having spent a very pleasant time there last summer with the good people of Blountville, will never forget their kindness especially Uncle Edmund and Aunt Sallie Dumas, both ever kind to me, many a pleasant evening have I spent with them, which brought to mind the happy days of boyhood while with my parents, long may they live to bless the rising generation. Nor will I forget my friend Jesse Miller, who was ever kind and courteous while with him, and others too numerous to mention. Our county, Baldwin, went "dry" in late election to the delight of a good many people. Will close by wishing the HEADLIGHT much success, as we feel an interest in it aside from other considerations being the first paper we ever tried to write for.

FROM HADDOCKS.

The Fortville Sunday School picnic was the synonym of pretty young ladies, handsome matrons and fine looking men, together with all that embraced in tables, loaded with such "edibles" as has made Jones county, and especially this section, noted for many years.

Supplementing the above with a lovely May-day—air and weather propitious, the absentees can readily see that nothing was wanting to make Friday, the 25th, an occasion fraught with all that the heart, mind and body could possibly desire.

Some three hundred persons found they could lay aside for the nonce dull care to join in the pleasures of the day; and right plainly did it appear that their whole bent was not only to be happy, but to make others more so.

Of course there must be direction from some source, and as it fell to the lot of Messrs Henry Bonner, Joe Anchors and Jas. Finney to look to the welfare of all, it goes without saying that there was a generous welcome accorded each and every one. Thus if any one came there feeling "gnawish," it is safe to venture that he didn't go away the same.

When Mr. Bonner marshalled the S S scholars, the large number excited some remark, but a simple inquiry elicited the fact that some were "once-backs" and would disappear in a few hours, no more to be seen in these parts until a Christmas tree was proposed, or the return of pie-a-day. Well, it is not the child's fund, and the parent assumes a fearful responsibility.

It was quite gratifying to see so many ladies and gentlemen from abroad. Judge David E. Blount, like young Norrall, "was on his native heath," and John Monstons came Mr. Ed Miller.

In olden times, it was said that all fair women came from the east, but in this instance the four cardinal points supplied equal shares—barring one—in the person of Miss Belle White, the old idea prevailed, "Lovely as a dream." There was many greetings warm and true for Miss Lida Lester who came from Jasper on a short visit. Miss Hat-Mangham, who graduates shortly from Wesleyan, was accompanied by Miss Annie Bradford, a queen of grace and beauty. Miss Annie Clark, of Blountsville, with charming manner and winning face. Judging from the numerous friends and admirers who greeted Miss Maude Hardeeman of Clinton, could be easily guessed that she was in the midst of loving hearts.

To sum it up, handsome women were as thick as autumnal leaves that strew the brooks in Vallaumbra.

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Hillsboro	8 19 a m
Adgate	8 27 a m
Minnetta	8 42 a m
Monticello	8 48 a m
Machen	9 15 a m
Little River	9 27 a m
Godfrey	9 35 a m
Ar Macon	10 20 a m

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Ly Macon	11 30 a m
Godfrey	12 17 a m
Little River	12 23 a m
Machen	12 35 a m
Ly Macon	1 25 p m
Minnetta	1 33 p m
Adgate	1 49 p m
Hillsboro	1 58 p m
Round Oak	2 12 p m
Wayside	2 19 p m
Bardine	2 22 p m
Frank's	2 28 p m
Grays	2 34 p m
Morton	2 41 p m
Roberts	2 54 p m
Massey's Mill	3 06 p m
Ar Macon	3 16 p m

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