

THE CAROLINA WATCHMAN

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SALISBURY, N. C., Jan. 24, 1912.

OUR BIG POPULARITY CONTEST CLOSES.

The Ladies did Good Work and Quite a
Number of New Names Were Received.

THE CAROLINA WATCHMAN-
RECORDED Popularity Contest
closed Monday evening at
2 p. m., as per announcement.
Of course on the last day and
up to the last minute there
was a rush to get in subscrip-
tions and votes. The con-
test had practically narrowed
down to three, Miss Ida Fes-
perman, No. 2 Salisbury;
Miss Electa Lingle, Crescent;
Miss Pearl Wiley, Salisbury;
who put up a beautiful, good
natured fight, and it was not
possible to say just who the
winners would be until the
gentlemen, who kindly con-
sented to count the votes,
announced the result.

Miss Lingle took the lead
early and held it until the
last bonus offer of 25,000
votes was made, when she
lost to Miss Fesperman, who
alone took advantage of it.
Miss Fesperman having taken
the lead held it until the
finish, with Miss Lingle
second and Miss Wiley third;
the difference in the vote be-
tween the two latter, how-
ever, was small and Miss
Wiley, besides being a most
charming young lady, proved
a game loser. Owing to
this close vote we regret that
there were not three prizes,
one for each of the splendid
young ladies who showed so
much enterprise and ability
in the work they had under-
taken.

The disinterested gentle-
men who counted the votes
made the following report:

The vote of The Carolina
Watchman-Record Popu-
larity Contest is as follows:

Miss Ida Fesperman,
received 287,850 votes.
Miss Electa Lingle,
received 168,700 votes.
Miss Pearl Wiley,
received 164,300 votes.

We the committee selected to
count the votes declare the
above correct. We found the
contest practically be-
tween the three above named.
S. F. LORD,
J. H. RAMSAY,
W. L. KLUTZ,
committee.

January 22nd, 1912. 2 p. m.

Agreeably with the above
it was announced that Miss
Fesperman had won the first
prize, the handsome piano,
and Miss Lingle, the second
prize, a three-piece parlor
suite.

The contest resulted in ad-
ding quite a number of new
names to the lists of THE
WATCHMAN and RECORD and to
these new friends we extend
a cordial welcome.

In giving in the names of
subscribers it is probable that
some errors have been made:
some names misspelled, initials
incorrect, address wrong or
incomplete, and the papers
will go astray. So, if any
one who subscribed, fails to
get the papers promptly,
please notify us at once, giv-
ing name and address in full,
whereupon we will give the
matter immediate attention.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Aycock, of
Wedgefield, S. C., suffered a se-
rious loss by fire last Wednesday
night. Their barn was burned
together with 85 head of horses.
The origin of the fire is not
known.

Extremely Low Rates via Southern Railway
to New Orleans, La., Mobile, Ala., and
Pensacola, Fla., Account of Mardi
Gras Celebrations February 15-20.

On account of the above occa-
sion, the Southern Railway will
sell round trip tickets to New
Orleans, La., Mobile, Ala., and
Pensacola, Fla., at greatly re-
duced rates, tickets on sale Feb-
ruary 15th to 19th inclusive, with
final return limit March 2nd,
with privilege of an extension of
final limit until March 15th by
depositing tickets with joint agent
and payment of one dollar.

For further information, Pull-
man reservations, etc., call on
your nearest agent, or write,
R. H. DeButts,
traveling passenger agent,
Charlotte, N. C.

COUNTY CORRESPONDENCE

Items of Interest in Various Neighborhoods
Sent in by Our Friends.

We do not print ar-
ticles not signed by the auth-
or's real name.

POOLTOWN.

Jan. 22.—After being absent
for some time I will try and write
a few items again.

Mrs. Columbus Hodge who has
been on the sick list for some
time is, we are glad to note, up
again.

Stokes Brothers, Parker & Hin-
son have moved their saw mill
onto Rich Morgan's land.

Jaob Ribelin is going to move
his saw mill onto John Hodge's
land very soon.

Tell Klutz, who has been in
the western states since last
spring, has returned to his old
home. I guess he likes old North
Carolina best.

James E. Wyatt and Mrs.
Robert Ennis were married some
weeks ago.

George Bean has resigned his
position at Southmont.

Some of the people have been
taking sled rides during the snow.

I guess the boys have been mak-
ing the molly-cotton-tails hustle
for the last week.

Owing to the snow and ice there
was no school last week at Pool-
town school house.

Uncle Tom, the correspondent
from the Yadin Valley, seems to
know something about the window
that Sallie has recently sawed
out.

Uncle Tom says that some of
the old widowers from the Yad-
kin valley are talking about the
pretty girls around our town.
Say, Uncle Tom, we have some
very pretty girls down here, but
if they come in an automobile
they might get scared. Uncle
Tom tell them to drive the mule
and come on. UNCLE JOHN.

SAND HILLS.

Jan. 28.—The farmers of this
section are planning for their new
year's work.

We are glad to get out again
and enjoy the nice sunny weather,
but we are afraid that the snow
has damaged the squash crop to
some extent in the bottoms.

The boys of Jackson College
caught a rabbit during the snow
and brought it to the Hills to
purchase candy for the school.

Miss Flora Arey visited F. M.
Tyack's Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Daisy Poole was buried
at St. Matthews E. L. Church
last Monday. She leaves a hus-
band and one son and a host of
relatives and friends to mourn
her death.

John C. Morgan's horse is very
sick at this writing.

We saw some time ago that the
candy party had held a meeting.
We are wondering who this party
intends to run for the presidency.

Miss A. J. Morgan passed the
Hills enroute to her school near
Craven.

The boys around the Hills
caught a lot of rabbits during the
snow. Two fellows bagged seven-
teen in one day.

J. T. Klutz, who spent last
summer in Denver, Colorado, is
at home and attending school at
Crescent, N. C.

We think since so many folks
have quit getting married the
weather will get better, unless the
ground hog sees his shadow.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul T. Good-
man, of the Hills, payed the
Jackson school a visit Friday eve-
ning. CARRIE.

PARK'S ACADEMY.

Jan. 28.—I will join the pencil
pushers again as I have been absent
for quite a while.

Tobias Brown, of Spencer, who
owns a farm in the Rocks, has
erected a new house on the place,
and John Covance of Spencer,
will move into it. He is boarding
at Charlie Miller's at present.
Watch out boys he is going to get
ahead of you.

Worth Beaver, of near Ebe-
nezer church, visited his son,
Curtis Beaver, Saturday after-
noon.

Miss Mattie Josey, daughter of
John Josey, who had pneumonia,

is able to be up again.

Mrs. Raddie Castor, who had la-
grippe, is able to be out again.

Misses Effie and Oma Shuping
visited at Curtis Beaver's Satur-
day night.

George Slough has been very
sick with la grippe for the past
week.

There arrived at Mr. and Mrs.
William Trexler's, a young girl,
Friday night.

There arrived at Mr. and Mrs.
John Beaver's last Friday night,
a young girl.

There arrived at Mr. and Mrs.
George Castor's, a young cook
January 9. HAPPY.

MAKES RAPID HEADWAY.

Add This Fact to Your Store of Knowledge.

Kidney disease advances so rap-
idly that many a person is firmly
in its grasp before aware of its
progress. Prompt attention
should be given the slightest
symptom of kidney disorder. If
there is a dull pain in the back,
headaches, dizzy spells or a tired
worn-out feeling, or if the urine
is dark, foul-smelling, irregular
and attended with pain, procure
a good kidney remedy at once.

Your townspeople recommend
Doan's Kidney Pills. Read the
statement of this Salisbury citi-
zen.

Mrs. G. A. Shinn, 10 Park
Ave., Salisbury, N. C., says: "I
took Doan's Kidney Pills and they
did me so much good that I
feel like recommending them to
all persons suffering from disor-
dered kidneys. My principal
trouble was with my back and I
also had considerable pain in my
limbs. I used Doan's Kidney
Pills as directed and they gave
me greater relief than I had re-
ceived for years."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50
cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo,
New York, sole agents for the United
States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and
take no other.

The following invitation has
been issued: The pleasure of
your company is requested at The
Library Benefit given by commit-
tees of interested Salisburyans to
aid in the enlargement of Salis-
bury's Library, January 26, 1912,
8:30-5:30, 8:00-11:00. Elks
Hall. Silver offering. A large
crowd should attend and help this
good cause.

RECORD OF A GREAT MEDICINE

Doctors Could Not Help Mrs.
Templeton—Regained
Health through Lydia E.
Pinkham's Compound.

Hooper, Nebraska.—"I am very glad
to tell how Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegeta-
ble Compound has helped me. For five years
I suffered from female troubles so I was
scarcely able to do my work. I took doc-
tors' medicines and used local treatments
but was not helped. I had such awful
bearing down pains and my back was so
weak I could hardly walk and could not
ride. I often had to sit up nights to sleep
and my friends thought I could not live
long. At my request my husband got
me a bottle of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vege-
table Compound and I commenced to
take it. By the time I had taken the
seventh bottle my health had returned
and I began doing my washing and was a
well woman. At one time for three weeks
I did all the work for eighteen boarders
with no signs of my old trouble return-
ing. Many have taken your medicine
after seeing what it did for me. I would
not take \$1000 and be where I was. You
have my permission to use my name if
it will aid anyone."—MRS. SUSIE TEM-
PLETON, Hooper, Nebraska.

The Pinkham record is a proud and peer-
less one. It is a record of constant vic-
tory over the obstinate ills of woman—ills
that deal out despair. It is an established
fact that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegeta-
ble Compound has restored health to thou-
sands of such suffering women. Why
don't you try it if you need such a medicine?



Mortgage Land Sale.

Pursuant to the provisions contained
in a mortgage trust deed executed by
W. W. Klutz to H. H. Swicegood,
dated August the 28th, 1907, and re-
gistered in Book No. 31, page 334, regis-
ter's office, Rowan county, default
having been made in the payment of
principal and interest, the undersig-
ned will sell at public auction, at the
court house door, in the city of Salis-
bury, at 12 o'clock M., on
Monday, February the 26th, 1912,
the following described real estate:
Beginning at a stone Klutz's corner
on McKenney's line; thence north 87
west 20.23 chains to a stone; thence
south 2 west 15.20 chains to a stone
corner of No. 2; thence south 71 1-2
east 17 chains to a stone, Hartman's
corner; thence north 13 east 1.66
chains to a stone, Klutz's corner; thence
north 14 east 18.80 chains to the be-
ginning, containing 87 12-100 acres
more or less, and being a part of the
Ryder tract of land formerly owned
by Capt. J. A. Fisher.
Terms of sale: Cash.
This January 20th, 1912.
H. H. Swicegood, mortgagee.
R. Lee Wright, attorney.

AMBITION TALKS



BY
HARLAN READ

Should Children Work?

The constant agitation against child-
labor is a good and proper thing, so far as it ap-
plies to sweat shop work and the practice of
taking children from school to put them to
work or to demand for the complaint in
making money; but of late years many school teachers and parents
have been passing to the other extreme, in relieving the child alto-
gether of work.

This is much more true in the case of city children than coun-
try children. The country boy goes home from school at 4 o'clock,
to milk cows, feed the cattle and chop the wood; but the city boy is
turned loose from 4 to 6 to fall directly into the hands of that salu-
phorous old party who "always finds work for idle hands to do."

One cannot commend too strongly the action of many leading
public school boards in introducing manual training and domestic
science departments in their schools, in which children are taught to
do useful work with the hands.

The first principle that should be taught to every child is that
usefulness is the true test of greatness, and that actual service will
make one of far more value than will mere book learning.

GENERAL MATTERS OF INTEREST.

Big Events Reduced to Little Paragraphs
for the Readers of This Paper.

It now appears to be absolutely
certain that fighting between the
revolutionists and the imperialists
will be resumed in China on the
morning of January 28 unless
Premier Yuan Shi Kai concedes
the demands of the republican
government.

Governor Woodrow Wilson
will make a three-days' western
invasion from February 29 to
March 2. It is possible the time
may be extended to March 4.
This will not mean the cancella-
tion of his trip to Chicago Febru-
ary 12.

The fifteenth victim of a so-
called "Jack the Ripper" was
found Sunday morning on a street
corner at Atlanta. She was a
young negro whose throat had
been cut. The operations of the
murder commenced last summer
and have caused consternation
among the colored population. All
the victims have been negro
women.

Rev. Len Broughton, pastor of
the Baptist Tabernacle in Atlanta,
tendered his resignation to the
church Sunday and will go to
London to become pastor of
Christ church, succeeding Dr. F.
B. Mayer.

James T. Harahan, Sr., former
president of the Illinois Central;
Frank O. Melcher, second vice
president of the Rock Island; E.
B. Pierce, general solicitor of the
Rock Island, and Eldridge E.
Wright, son of Luke E. Wright,
former secretary of war, were
killed in a collision of two Illi-
nois Central trains at Kimmunity,
Ill., Monday morning. Three
train men were also injured.

Dr. Harvey W. Wiley is held
"not guilty" of conspiracies to
evade the law in a report filed
with the house Monday by the
committee which conducted an
investigation last August into the
charges upon which President
Taft was asked to dismiss the
nation's chief chemist from the
government service.

Beer is a commodity and rail-
roads must carry it when offered
for transportation, from one state
into "dry" counties of another
state regardless of the laws of the
latter state. The supreme court
of the United States made this

ruling Monday regarding a pro-
posed shipment from Indiana
into "dry" counties.

Obscuring by thousands of visit-
ors, the blowing of whistles and
the ringing of bells announced
the arrival Monday morning of
the first passenger train over the
newly completed extension of the
Florida East Coast Railway be-
tween Key West and Knights Key,
forty-six miles toward the main-
land of Florida and marked the
beginning of a three-day celebra-
tion over the completion of the
line, "Over the Sea."

Seven sticks of dynamite, six
percussion caps and a lot of fuse
were found by the police in a raid
Saturday afternoon in a tenement
house in the heart of the Syrian
district of Lawrence, Mass., that
resulted in the arrest of seven al-
leged dynamiters—five men and
two women.

Premier Yuan Tuesday aban-
doned hope of straightening out
affairs in China and turned the
government over to the throne.
General Yin Tshian, radical loyal-
ist, is reported to have succeeded
Yuan. It is reported that Yin
Tshian has recommended the res-
umption of war immediately.
President Sun and Minister Wu
have disagreed and the situation
is again becoming chaotic.

BAD BREATH
Is caused by indigestion, and that
disorder brings on headaches, sal-
lowness, languor, dizziness and a
general discouraged feeling.

SIMMONS RED Z LIVER REGULATOR

(THE POWDER FORM)
Corrects all Disorders In
The Stomach and Bowels.
Its powerful, reviving and regulat-
ing influence in the liver and digestive
organs brings an immediate improve-
ment. You feel better. The bowels
move freely so that the impurities
that have clogged up the digestive
tract find an outlet. When the sys-
tem has been thus purified the bilious,
half-sick feeling disappears; the com-
plexion improves, the breath becomes
sweet, the mind throws off gloomy
forebodings, and there is a fine feeling
of energy and exhilaration all through
the body.

Sold by Dealers. Price, large package, \$1.00.
If you cannot get it, remit to us, we will send it by
mail, postpaid. Simmons Liver Regulator is put up
also in liquid form for those who prefer it. Price,
\$1.00 per bottle. Look for the Red Z label.

J. H. ZEIN & CO., Props., St. Louis, Mo.



North Carolina, } In superior Court,
Rowan county, } February Term, 1912

William Keith,
vs.
Annie Keith.
The defendant above named will
take notice that an action entitled as
above has been commenced in the Su-
perior court of Rowan county, by her
husband, William Keith, for a divorce
from the bonds of matrimony on the
ground of adultery, and the said de-
fendant will further take notice that
she is required to appear at the next
term of the superior court of said
county to be held on the third Mon-
day before the first Monday in March,
the same being the 12th day of Feb-
ruary, 1912, at the court house in said
county, in Salisbury, N. C., and an-
swer or demur to the complaint in
said action, or the plaintiff will apply
to the court for the relief demanded
in said complaint.

J. F. McCORMACK,
clerk of superior court.
Dated this 6th day of January, 1912.

Mortgage Land Sale.

Pursuant to the provisions contain-
ed in a mortgage trust deed executed
by Joseph E. Reid and wife Annie
Reid to R. Lee Wright, trustee, dated
May the 27th, 1907, and registered in
Book 31, page 42, register's office of
Rowan county, default having been
made in the payment of principal and
interest, the undersigned will sell at
public auction, at the court house
door, in the city of Salisbury, at 12
o'clock M., on

Monday, February the 26th, 1912,
the following described real estate:
Four lots (one with house on it) in
the town of East Spencer, N. C., con-
taining Nos. 4, 12 and 13 in block
B, of the property purchased by B. H.
Hamilton from T. H. Vanderford on
Nov. 16th, 1902, deed for which is re-
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