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HAPPENINGS IN OUR NEIGHBORING VILLAGES

HAHN SCHOOL.

with Miss Beulah Hatley as teacher: P. A. Hahn spent last Sunday Bowman Barrier's. and Mrs. J. E. Eagle and fami-

pent last Sunday evening at Mr. dr. and Mrs. C H. Lipe spent the

ek end at Mr. M. M. Lipe's. On Friday evening, February 23, at p. m. the Hahr school will give a kay entitled "The Old School at lick'ry Holler," if the weather is verable. Admission will be 10 and lac, the proceeds to go to the benefit t the school.

Fellowing is the honor roll of our tool for the third month: First grade-Gordon Earringer, Vir-

econd grade-Clement Hahn. Third grade-Ralph Eaglé, Gilbert Hahn, Bart Hahn, Faye Hahn, Buord Hahn, Millard Shoe, Mary Lipe.

Fifth grade-Hubert Hahn, Harry public is most cordially invited to at-Sixth grade—Reece Eagle, Clarence Eagle, Arlie Hahn, Bernice Hahn, Eu-nice Hahn, Ruth Hahn, Harold Hahn,

Little Shoe, Harvey Lipe. eventh grade-Lela Hahn, Glenn

ROCKY RIVER.

L. Simpson, the efficient principal of our school, has been rather indisposed this week, having to omit his duties in school one day. Mrs. W. E. Alexander has a carbuncle on her neck. This is one gem she doesn't value very much, however stiff and proud she may appear.

Messrs, Henry Plott and J. F. Rusell have each purchased a new Ford. owing to so much bad weather and and they have not been able to joy ride very much.

the Concord Hospital to have their ing with a sense of impending doom. tonsils removed Monday.

and confidence in themselves, being team is getting better and better. The promised chicken stew.

Mr. T. H. Spence is a right good hog think, did the rest. A SCRIBBLER.

ROBERTA.

The death angel visited the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tillie Blackwelder on Friday about 5 o'clock and took Mrs. 2nd, 1833, died February 9, months and 7 days. She leaves to mourn her death one brother, Mr. Mack Starnes, one son and one daughter, namely, Mrs. Bob Hudson and Mr. Matthew Blackwelder, of Roberta; grand-children: 128 great grandchildren, 15 great great grand-children, was a member of the Rocky Ridge M. E. Church, which she joined when she was a small girl. She always had smile on her face, even when she ecame an invalid. She was always her husband, who preceded her on Messrs. Solen, Mack, Robert, Lewis Cochran, James and Floyd Hudson, Lawson and Gus Blackwelder. The flower-girls were Misses Ruth, Beawish to express their appreciation to each and every one during the sickness and death of, this beloved one, and especially those who helped to furnish material for her during her sick-

We have lots of sickness in our community. We cannot name them all. Miss Essie Linker spent Sunday evening with Miss Effie Kizer. We have postponed our meeting on

count of the bad weather. It will be held at a later date. Rev. A. Ridge has returned to his home.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Parker, of Kanapolis, spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Kiser.

Misses Mae, Zeliah and Ethel Blackwelder and Gertrude spent the weekend at home on account of the death of their great grand-mother.

BUFFALO NO. 9.

Mrs. John Kluttz is improving some after being sick for a week or more. The infant of Mr. Lee Whitley is improving. The child has been suffering from a stomach trouble.

The flu has about died out in this

community. There are still some cases of whooping cough. The Sunday school is progressing

Messrs. Homer, John and Tom Wid-

nicely at Miami Baptist Church. Among the visitors at Mr. Marshal Anten's Sunday was Mr. Baxter Joyher and family, Mr. Hamp Auten and children and P. F. Rinehardt.

tle daughter visited at Mr. J. W. Hartsell's Sunday.

Mr. Homer Widenhouse and Mr. Dewey Herrin made a trip to Brief Masonry. Sunday in their car.

With the ground hog weather and o much rain the farmers can't do ery much work

Mr. Isaac Kluttz made a trip Concord Tuesday, Venus, we read about your crooked

stick in a figure 8. But we have one the government. " crooked it can dance a jig. GEORGEVILLE. The teachers and committeemen re-

school building on next Thursday morning, February 22nd for the purpose of improving the grounds and * other things which need attention. * The ladies are requested to bring dinner. In the afternoon there will be a ball game. Let everyone please remember the date and arrange to come. ool is progressing nicely at Hahn Let's make our school and grounds

worth while and attractive. On Thursday night, February 22nd t 7:30 o'clock the pupils of Georgeville school will render a program on George Washington, after which there will be a box supper. The following is the program:

Song: Ho, For Carolina! Recitation: Character Sketch of Vashington-Estelle Shinn.

Declamation: Washington's Birthlay-Horace Auten. Declamation-Rowland Knight. Song: The Old North State.

Dialogue-Five Children. Song: Columbia, the gem of Play: The Coming of Liberty.

Song: Our School. The ladies are requested to bring oxes and also we extend an invitation to all friends to also bring boxes. Boys, come prepared to buy boxes. The

Master Earley Whitley has been confinéd to his bed on account of ill-

Misses Vayne Earnhardt and Mary Belle Cannon spent the week-end with home folks.

Mr. L. E. Mabry spent the week-end in Montgomery county with relatives. Misses Inez and Laura Mae Shinn, of M. A. S., Mt. Pleasant, spent the week-end with their parents, Mr. and ing reported as slightly improved. Mrs. L. T. Shinn.

22 INMATES OF AN

State Hospital Was Partially Burned Sunday.

et by dredgers in Hell Gate last night, acted. The young folks enjoyed a party rocked the buildings of the Manhattat Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Linker's Friday tan State hospital for the insane or tan State hospital for the insane on Ward's' island in East river, and set John and Genadus Linker went to the 6,338 inmates cowering and wail-

Attendants calmed them and got Rah for the Rocky River basketball them to bed, but before morning the They beat the heretofore in- dom fantasied by the disordered brains vincible Winecoff team Friday after- had come true for 22 of the maddest. noon to a score of 9-7. It was a tight They had been burned to death in a game from beginning to end. Ever fierce fire that swept the west wing of before the Winecoff boys have put it the main building. Three heroic at- in recorder's court this morning, acover ours by a good big score, but this tendants died with them, striving to cording to the police blotter. A numtime our boys gathered up good spirit the last to rescue them.

beloed up very much by their recent | ical Examiner Norris, who rushed to cause of the fire. According to their stated. boys are loud in their praises of Mr. theory, it caused a break in the insu-Miller's treats, and Mr. Simpson's lation of electric wires in the attic of the building. A short circuit, they

niser, as well as a good minister. He The fire was discovered at 5:05 killed a pig Wednesday weighing 320 o'clock by Michael Campbell, an atpounds, a little over ten months old. | tendant, in ward 43, in which all the Miss Nettie Alexander, of Sharon, fatalities occurred. His calm, heroic spent the week-end with Mrs, Albert, work, and that of James Hill, attendant in charge, and Patrick Billigan, of Hartford, Conn., George A. de Emo and George Freiss, the three attendants who were burned to death, prevented a far greater holocaust.

Campbell manned a house line and Polly Blackwelder. She was born fought back the flames, while the oth-1923, was therefore aged 89 years, 5 the 200 feet top floor corridor, rousing the patients with the cool order:

"All up for breakfast." As far as the maniacs-declared by Supt. Marcus Heyman to have been the most dangerous on the islandcould be marshalled from their rooms they were marched in orderly procession to the fire proof dining mall, far from the scene of the fire.

Seventy of the 92 inmates of ward 43 had been led or carried to safety when a huge water tank in the blazsmiling. She has gone on to be with ing attic crashed through the ceiling, completely blocking the corridor that June 7, 1916. The pall bearers were led to safety, and filling the hall with flames and smoke. City firemen, fighting their way past the blazing barriers, brought out several struggling and screaming maniacs, and several night by long distance telephone mestrice and Virginia Blackwelder, Leona who had been overcome by smoke Hudson. The bereaved ones have our while dressing for the "breakfast." sympathy. Mr. and Mrs. Blackwelder Most of the dead were found in the rooms and corridors beyond the fallen burning. The message further stattank. Several were believed to have ed, however, that the fire did not reach been buried beneath debris when the

floor gave way. Seventeen bodies of inmates and one believed to be that of an attendant, had been recovered tonight. In addition, a few charred bones had been found, which were believed to be all that was left of some of those un-

accounted for. Only two of the 18 bodies recovered had been identified. They were those of Solomon Applebaum and Nathan Cohen. Most of the others were burned beyond recognition, and probably never will be identified positively.

The building in which the fire oc-curred—the so-called "main building" is ancient brick and wood structure, shaped like the letter E. It is three stories high, and has accommodations for a maximum of 2,200 patients. There were about 1,600 in it this morning when the fire was discovered and of these, about 300 were seriously endangered by the flames. They were the patients in the west wing.

Messrs. Homer, John and Tom Widenhouse visited at P. F. Rinehardt's WITH MUSSOLINI REGIME

Sub-Secretary of State at Vatican Thinks Italy Will Prosper Under Present Administration.

Rome, Feb. 19 (By the Associated Press).-The Nuovo Paese, organ of the fascisti, publishes an interview with the sub-secretary of state at the are being rapidly completed, accord-Vatican in which he says the Mussoe. and Mrs. Maggie Shelton and lini government has produced a good retary. The meeting will be held Febimpression at the Vatican because it Mr. Lee Whitley and wife and lit- has restored religious teaching in the the address of Luther B. Markham, schools, ordered the cruci,x again dis- Durham, President. played in them, and has had the courage to sever all connections with Free

> "Naturally," the sub-secretary is quoted as having said, "we would prefer religious teaching in the schools to distress signal. He has in his office be imparted by priests in order that over 5,000 deeds, chattel mortgages the new measure might be really ben- and deeds of trusts that have been reeficial. All this makes the Holy See corded but have not been called for by meeting of the imperial council in cans, evergreens, etc. Plant now. hope that more good will come from the owners. Already, a large number

Hubby-"Really, Ethel, \$25 for a hat is the height of extravagance." Ethel-"Well, my dear. I simply quest that all patrons and friends of have to look n'ce when I'm with you. breathe, the heart of a patient in an Georgeville High School meet at the You're so distinguished looking." Georgeville High School meet at the You're so distinguished looking."

LOCAL MENTION

There will be a called meeting of the Elks Lodge No. 857 this evening at seven o'clock.

There will be a box supper at the Patterson school Thursday evening, February 22nd.

used for the benefit of the school. Mr. Frank Troutman is able to be good representation. at his work with the Gibson Drug Store again today after being confined to his home for several days on ac-

count of illness. part of the salary was paid by the As- be free to the general public. sociation until two years ago when

the town increased the tax rate. ssued marriage licenses to the following couples: Howard Allman and! rus; Willie Lee and Miss Nannie Ham- artists one. rock, both of Kannapolis; and John H. Dabbs and Miss Margaret J. Mil- Davies:

ler, both of this city. Mrs. J. B: Sherrill and Miss Cottrell, who have been making their home at the St. Cloud Hotel for several weeks are now with Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Sherrill, at their home on North Spring street. Mrs. Sherrill has been ill for several days, her condition today be-

An important meeting of the American Legion Auxiliary will be held in INSANE ASYLUM BURNED the Legion Club rooms tomorrow night, officers of the organization stated Deaths Occurred When Manhattan this morning. The meeting will be held jointly with a Legion meeting, and all members are asked to be pres-New York, Feb. 18.-A terrific blast, ent, as unusual business will be trans-

> Prof. S. A. Wolff left this morning for Washington, D. C., on account of Mrs. G. A. Moser leader. the sudden death in that city of his brother, Rev. J. B. Wolff, D. D. The funeral services will be held Tuesday morning at the Lutheran Church at Glen Rock, Pa., where he was pastor end in Richmond with relatives. for over 40 years, and the interment! will be at Gettysburg, Pa.

Ten cases were on docket for trial Hospital authorities and City Med-cal Examiner Norris, who rushed to ed with assault and others with an victory over the fast Midland team. the scene, said that in all probability affray. None of the cases were of Truly "every day in every way" our the blast had been the immediate any special importance, police officers

Funeral services for Col. "Bob" Walternoon at 2 o'clock at Prosperity, Mrs. H. A. Graeber. where interment was made. Hundreds the services. The pall bearers were on busines J. F. Honeycutt, M. F. Ritchie, M. M. Wallace, Will Stancil, J. W. Cross and Otho Turbyfield.

Eleven new cases of whooping cough, one new case of measles and one new New York. case of German measles were reported to the county health department Sat- few hours here Sunday with home nicely but cooler weather is needed. urday afternoon and Sunday. Dr. states that parents are more

of Company E here tonight. The inspection will begin about 7:30 o'clock, and will be made by a regular army major and a member of the staff of Adjutant General Metts. Capt. Cald- will arrive tonight to spend several well stated this morning that his company is ready for the visit of the offi- of Mrs. DesPortes. cers, and he expects his company to make a fine impression when the in- spent the week-end here with his famspection starts.

Mr. W. S. Bingham, of Chester, spent the week-end here with his family. Mr. Bingham was notified last sage from Chester that about 100 bales of cotton belonging to the company with which he is associated, were Bingham's stands nearby the platform on which the cotton was burned.

The weather experts seem to know little about the real conditions of the old wave that has struck every part folks. of the country east of the Mississippi It was stated Saturday that the backbone of the wave had been broken, and then Sunday this city had the coldest weather of the year. Again today the Weather Man states that the cold wave is diminishing in intensity, and warmer and fair weather is promised for tomorrow.

EARLE REMINGTON IS SHOT NEAR HIS HOME

Shooting Occurred in the Yard of His Los Angeles Home About Midnight. Los Angeles, Cal., Feb. 16.—Earle Remington, aviator and electrical engineer, was shot to death shortly before midnight in the yard of his home in one of the most exclusive residential sections of Los Angeles. The ircumstances surrounding the slaying and the motive behind it proved mystifying in the police investigation

Retail Clothiers to Meet.

Winston-Salem, Feb. 16 .- Plans for the annual convention of the North Carolina Retail Clothiers Association ing to F. E. Griffith, of this city, sec ruary 22-23, and will me featured by

Register of Deeds Has Many Legal Papers in His Office.

Winston-Salem, Feb. 16.-Registerof Deeds J. M. Lentz has sent out a without addresses.

For five houre after he ceased to

SOCIETY ITEMS.

Mr. Kluttz began spraying and pruning six years ago and has made a However, there Are Areas in Very profitable crop of apples every year since and found a ready market for

February 24th. The proceeds will be

Noted Singer to Be Heard Here.

the Woman's Club, announces today In the report of the Library Asso-concert to be given here next Thurs- tinues, the review said, and farmers ciation in Thursday's paper it was day evening, February 22, at 8 o'clock are unable to meet the competitive stated that the Association paid the at Central Graded School. Miss Pe prices. The situation was said to be Librarian's salary until two years nelope Daives and a noted accompan- serious in certain portions of Georgia ago. It should have stated that a ist, will give the concert, which will South Carolna and North Carolina.

concerts in Charlotte next week, and cept in North Carolin and north Register of Deeds Elliott Saturday Mrs. Gorman thinks Concord is fortu- Georgia, where the weevil was active nate to secure her for one evening. The program will be a strictly high Miss Lillie Hurlocker, both of Cabar- class one and almost exclusively an good condition on account of the mild

> The New York Sun says of Miss "Miss Davies is possessed of

with charm and intelligence." Missionary Society Meetings. The Women's Missionary Society of

the places of meeting and the leaders: Monday evening at 7:30 with Mrs. M. L. Kestler on Georgia avenue, Mrs.

M. L. Kester leader. Tuesday evening at 7:30 with Miss Vera Stirewalt on Grove street. Miss Vera Stirewalt leader

Wednesday evening at 7:30 with Mrs. Z. B. Thornburg on West Depot street. Mrs. H. C. Park, leader. Friday evening at 7:30 with Mrs. G. A. Moser on North Union street

PERSONALS.

Mr. C. E. Parks, Miss Cora Penninger, Mr. Shelley Howell and Miss Mildred Winecoff of Albemarle, and Mrs. Montgomery, of Kannapolis, left Saturday night for New York on business for Parks-Belk stores.

home folks. Miss Gertrude Shaw and Mr. Julius

Fisher returned Sunday from a business trip to New York for Fisher's. Misses Catherine and Florence Graelace, who died Friday at his home ber, of Winston-Salem, spent the weeknear Eastfield, were held Saturday af- end here with their parents, Mr. and

Mr. Mack Bonds and Mr. C. A. Deaof friends of the deceased attended ton are spending the day in Charlotte

Miss Ola Mae Litaker, of Concord, spent the week-end in No. 11 township with friends and relatives. Mr. Frank Morrison returned Sun-

day morning from a business trip to ture. Mr. Willie Bost, of Hamlet, spent a

folks. prompt in reporting whooping cough little son, Watson, Jr., of Gastonia, are reported. The crop is unsually stances persons have violated the law | Spent Sunday here with Dr. and Mrs. advanced in most of the territory with Mr. John Hatchett, who spent the

Everything is set for the inspection week-end here with the family of Mr. T. W. Smith, will return tonight to his home in Atlanta. Mrs. U. G. DesPortes and little daughter, Sarah, of Winnsboro, S. C.,

> days with Mrs. T. W. Smith, mother Mr. F. W. Armfield, of Raleigh,

Miss Evelyn Griffin, of Charlotte spent the week-end here with home

Mrs. W. C. J. Caton is spending the week-end in Salisbury with friends. Mr. J. G. Parks returned Friday business trip to New York. Miss Mary Spurgeon left Friday to spend the week-end in Charlotte with

Mr. W. C. Thomas, of M. P. C. I., is spending the week-end with his brother, Rev. L. A. Thomas. Miss Anna Strider is spending the

week-end in Unionville with home Mrs. M. L. Buchanan and daughter,

Miss Cora Lee Buchanan, left Saturday to spend the week-end in Greensboro with relatives. Mr. and Mrs. J. Lafayette Brown

and daughter! Miss Irene, have gone to Winston-Salem to spend some time with their daughter, Mrs. G. G. Wall. Mrs. R. P. Hagler is spending several days in Harrisburg with friends. Mrs. R. L. Morrison left Friday for Albemarle to visit her parents, Mr.

and Mrs. T. S. Parker, after spending two weeks here as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Morrison. Miss Virginia McClamrock, Greensboro, arrived Friday to spend

the week-end with Miss Dorothy Black Mrs. R. B. McBride and little daughter, Nancy, of Cherryville, arrived Friday to spend a week here with Mrs. McBride's parents, Mr. and Mrs.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Ridenhour, Mrs. Nell Eedison and Mr. Farrel White returned Thursday from Tampa, Florida, where they spent ten days with Mrs. H. G. Gibson, daughter of Mrs. and Mrs. Ridenhuor.

Miss Jenn Coltrane returned Thurs day night from a three weeks visit to New York and Washington. Miss Alice Brown is spending the

week-end in Greensboro with friends. Mr. M. M. Linker spent last Friday in Gastonia on business. Shriners to Meet in Washington.

(By the Associated "ress.) -Asheville, N. C., Feb. 19.-Approximately 5,000 Shriners from different sections of the south, en route to a brellas, rose bushes, budded pe-Washington, will visit Asheville durof documents have been mailed to ing the first ten days of June, Shrine The best season of the entire parties, but those now in the office are officials here have announced: Extensive preparations are being made for the entertainment of the visitors

> It is possible in France to insure the life of a child one day old.

FARMING OUTLOOK IN SOUTHEAST IS BETTER

Bad Shape From Every Standpoint. Atlanta, Feb. 17 .- The general farm ourlook in the southeastern states is It is hoped that the weather will much more encouraging than at this permit many more such demonstra- time last year, but there are areas tions this year before the trees bloom. In very bad shape from every stand The next Co-operative Demonstra- point, the bureau of agricultural econ There will be a box supper at the tion will be held just over the county mics of the United States department John's School on Saturday night, line in Rowan the first Tuesday in of agriculture declared today in its bruary 24th. The proceeds will be March at the farm of Mr. Yost, and it mid-month crop report for the states is expected that Cabarrus will have a of North Carolina, Florida, Alabama, Tenessee and Georgia. Idle land it the worst weevil infested areas, the report asserted, will run from 10 to Mrs. W. H. Gorman, President of 20 per cent during the coming season The movement of labor from the that she has arranged for a public farms to the industrial centers con

Officers.

A general increase in fertilizers is Miss Davies will give a number of expected, according to the report, exduring the past season.

Georgia livestock is in unusually

winter, the report asserted, adding that the condition of range cattle is Movement of hogs poor in Florida. is brisk except in Florida, where they warmly colored voice which she uses have been waiting for cooler weather

Florida reports heavy movements of cabbage, celery and lettuce and preparation of ground is going forward for melons in the southern belt. The St. Andrews Lutheran Church will ob- Florida cantaloupe acreage is expect ed to be larger this season. Self-denial. The following are eral tendency for increased crops are good, but growing too rapidly. cold spell the last few days is retarding development. The Georgia pimento acrenge extends into many new

The grain crop in North Carolina s noted as doing well. It has been helped in Tennessee by the snow. South Florida is now planting corn.

Florida is expected to plant cotton earlier this year than usual. The sea island territory of Georgia, reports indicate, will go largely into short staple cotton this season. Indications are for an increase in the southern portion of Georgia, and a decrease in acreage Mrs. A. R. Howard spent the week- in the upper third of the state. Farmers appear undecided whether to ing on price indications. The newly devastated weevil territory in north Georgia is expected to increase the peanut acreage.

Irish potato planting in well advanced in Florida, Georgia and Ala-

Probable increases in the sweet potato acreage is indicated in unper Georgia and South Carolina. Smaller amount of potatoes are in storage than last year in most of the southeastern last year in most of the southeastern

Damp weather suitable for preparing tobacco for market is reported from Tennessee. Preparation for seed beds for the coming season is completed in the extreme south, and now going on in the upper sections. onsiderable increase in the "bright' tobacco territory is taking place in Georgia, mostly of an experimental na-

The condition of citrus groves is reported excellent. Fruit is moving Good yields of strawberries from Mr. and Mrs. Watson Smoot and Florida, lower Alabama and Georgia a large increase in acreage in Georgia

WEATHER FORECAST.

Fair and farmer tonight and Tues day; probably light frost to the coast

With Bill Roper again coaching the rigers football is bound to go big at Princeton next Fall, Roper has been making gridiron history at Princeton as did Percy Haughton at Harvard a few years back.



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