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## MT. PLEASANT NEWS.

### Record of Happenings in our Neighbor Town on the East.

The outlook for next session at Mount Amenia Seminary is most encouraging. While no active field work has yet been done, still the number of inquiries that have been coming in asking for information as to next session's work indicate a fine opening and a splendid attendance for the year. The friends of this popular institution will be interested to know that there will be a larger faculty than heretofore. This is made necessary since the curriculum—already a splendid one—has been raised one full year which means that the Junior Class of last session will not be seniors next session but juniors gain. The management of the school is to be congratulated upon the excellent condition and standing of the school which makes this step necessary and possible, giving to the institution greater prestige and a broader field of usefulness.

At the Institute everything is moving along nicely and we think it safe to say that all those who had expected the school to close up shop may lay aside those fears. Prof. McAllister, having received the hearty support of the citizens of the town as well as loyal friends elsewhere (and there are many beyond the bounds of the town) is preparing to conduct the school next year along practically the same lines which have proved to be indisputably successful for the past few years. The recent agitation about relocation has not in anyway worked injurious effects to the school's prospects. It has merely delayed some matters, issuing catalogues, etc., all of which will be adjusted soon. Never in the life of the institution has there been so many inquiries from prospective students seeking information about the school. A very large number of the students in school last year have already voluntarily expressed themselves favorable to the continuation of the school here and expect to return next session.

People in the immediate vicinity may prepare for another smallpox scare. Yesterday Dr. Moore was called to see Eve Cook and her mother, colored. It was a plain case of smallpox. So far as we have been able to learn at this writing there are no dangerous exposures.

Mrs. J. F. Misenheimer and family have gone to Misenheimer's Springs where Mrs. Misenheimer has charge of the dining department of the hotel for the season just opened. It bids fair to be quite a popular resort for the people of the surrounding community.

Miss Ethel Corzine is spending the week visiting in Concord.

Miss Merrie Richardson is visiting in Albemarle.

Mr. James Candler, the Institute's splendid ball tosser, who played no small part in winning their victories last spring, has gone to Albemarle and will pitch on a local team there during the summer.

Miss Carrie Heilig is spending some time in Salisbury with relatives.

Dr. Wm. Sappenfield, of Concord, spent last night here.

It is a well known fact that Mt. Pleasant has given in the past some of her best manhood to the uplift of Concord. It now begins to appear upon the horizon of time that ere long she will be called upon to surrender to her sister town, Albemarle, some choice flowers from the wreaths of her young womanhood.

Mt. Pleasant, June 16.

### Continuous Rains Cause Much Apprehension for State Crops.

The gravest concern is felt at the Agricultural Department at Raleigh as to the effect of the continued heavy rainfall through the central and eastern sections of the state on the crops especially cotton. Commissioner of Agriculture W. A. Graham says that a crop failure this year would mean a disaster from which the farmers would not recover in several years. Big increase in the cost of labor and supplies and in fertilizers have put the farmers to so much heavier expense that a crop failure would mean about twice as great a disaster as such failures in the past meant. Another week of this wet weather, even if the rainfalls are not anything like as heavy as they have been the past two weeks, will mean the ruin of the crops throughout this section. The rainfall at Raleigh thus far for June has been 6.48 inches. This is by odds heavier than for any corresponding period of previous years in a long time.

### Automobilists Running Over and Killing Chickens.

Mr. Editor:—Those of us who live a few miles out South Union street and have a fondness for chicken would be much obliged if automobile drivers would deliver the chicken when they run one down, even though it be a duck-legged rooster and be in the public road.

Mr. Ray Thompson, of Salisbury, is spending the day in the city.

## CALDWELL-McCORKLE.

### Marriage of Concord Physician in Mooresville Last Evening.

Dr. Daniel Greenlee Caldwell, one of Concord's leading physicians, was married last night at Mooresville to Miss Camille J. McCorkle. The ceremony was performed in the First Presbyterian church by Rev. W. S. Wilson, assisted by Rev. Dr. J. M. Grier, of Concord.

The church had been decorated in evergreens. Miss Carry Leazer was maid of honor and the groom was accompanied by his half brother, Dr. C. C. Orr, of Asheville. The bride was accompanied by her nephew, Dr. Watson S. Rankin, of Raleigh, who gave her away. Preceding the wedding ceremony Mrs. Shelby Srontin sang sweetly, "O Promise Me." Mrs. Zeb V. Turlington rendered Mendelssohn's "Wedding March" as the bridal party passed out of the church.

The attendants were: Dr. Shelby Srontin, Mr. Frank Rankin, Drs. F. L. Smith and R. M. King.

Following the wedding at the church an elaborate reception was given in honor of the bridal party at the home of Miss Carry Leazer.

In the dining room punch was served. The punch bowl was presided over by Miss Grace Rankin assisted by Misses Catherine Wehler, Josie Rankin, Clara Mills and Julia Hill and Mesdames James Young and Ernest Miller.

From the punch room the guests were directed to the next room where was the bridal register in which all the guests were requested to register their names. The bridal register was presided over by Miss Mary McCorkle, of Salisbury.

In the next room the beautiful array of presents were displayed. In this room receiving were, Mesdames Wehler, McLelland, Goodman, Cresswell and Turlington, Miss McPherson and Dr. C. F. Wehler.

Dr. and Mrs. Caldwell left for a wedding tour to Washington and points north. Upon their return they will reside at the Doctor's beautiful home on North Union street.

## KANNAPOLIS.

The ice cream festival given under the auspices of the Kannapolis I. O. O. F., No. 348, was a decided success, even beyond all expectations. There was a large crowd present, many of whom were Concord Odd Fellows and some from Charlotte. Ice cream and other refreshments were served by a number of young ladies. There was a popularity contest and Miss Maud Richardson won the honors again. Miss Benlah Demareus won the first prize for selling cream and Miss Maud Richardson, second. We hear much said about the festival and every one says they enjoyed themselves fine. The I. O. O. F. lodge here has not been organized long, but has done remarkably well as it has grown rapidly, and has a very live membership, composed of some of the most prominent men in Kannapolis and the surrounding country and has won a warm place in the hearts of the people here.

Rev. R. N. Branson and family are leaving us today for Asheville, where they will make their home in the future. We are sorry to lose Mr. Branson and family, for they were good citizens and have a host of friends here who wish them success in their new home.

Mr. J. H. Kincaid, of Salisbury, has moved here and has accepted work in the Patterson mill.

Miss Della Young, of Lexington, is spending a few weeks with her sister, Mrs. S. W. Ludwig.

A number of our people spent Saturday in Concord, some visiting and others on business.

## Perfection that Repels.

New York World.

In Kentucky, opposite, Evansville, Ind., a Golden Rule town, is being built. There are to be no saloons, no public officials, no graft, no monopolies.

There is an idyllic group of islands in the Straits Archipelago. No drunkenness is known there, no crime, no policemen, no jail. Money is a forbidden plague, all trade being by barter. We do not learn of a concerted rush of dreamers to Cocos-Keeling.

In Orsa, Sweden, there are no taxes. In Broek, Holland, there is no dirt. In Destard, Brazil, there are thirteen choral societies to 15,000 people. The immigration to these places is negligible.

Man dreams of perfection and the absolute satisfaction of desire. Yet he is born contrary. He will not have the supreme good thrust upon him. For that which he shall possess he will struggle. So long as the model town on the Ohio remains that way it will be the most tempting place in the United States to keep away from.

Mr. John Cole, who has been visiting his sister, Mrs. Plato Durham, will leave tomorrow for his home in Raleigh. It is probable that Mrs. Durham will accompany him.

## MR. DOUGHTON'S DENIAL.

### Says He Never Voted for Blackburn, Cowles or Any Other Republican in His Life.

We received this morning the following letter from Mr. R. L. Doughton, who is in Raleigh attending a meeting of the State Prison Board, of which he is a member:

Concord, N. C.

Mr. Editor:—Will you please state to your readers, that the report that I ever voted for Blackburn, Cowles or any other Republican is without foundation whatever?

Thanking you for calling my attention to this matter, I am

Yours truly,  
R. L. DOUGHTON.

Raleigh, N. C., June 14, 1910.

## Jeffries-Johnson Fight at Opera House

On the night of July 4, while the big fight between Jeffries and Johnson is in progress in San Francisco, 3,000 miles away, Concord sports, and all interested in the pugilist art, will have a rare opportunity of listening to returns direct from the ring side in far away Frisco.

The opportunity that will be offered here will be seized by every sportsman, every true sportsman, who can raise the price of admission to the opera house, where the "returns" from the great fight will be announced.

The local end of the affair will be in the hands of Manager Biles of the opera house, and every preparation will be made to render the affair just as near the real article as it can possibly be made. There are scores of people in the city who will be delighted to learn of this opportunity, and it is well assured that the house will be well filled for the "fight," as it comes in hot over the wires every minute, giving the minutest details of the big "scrap" as it is fought out between the two great pugilists.

The announcement of the above event will attract the instant attention of hundreds in his city, and not a few from out of the city will likely be in attendance.

## Don't Neglect the Macadam Roads.

Mr. Editor:—In the natural order of domestic science, and the development of every day occurrences, we hear now and anon, the old adage "Good blood tells." The truth of this we see verified in every phase of animal life. In order to make this more practical we will change its reading, thus, "Good work tells." The truth of this we see demonstrated all over the county, and more especially in the improvement of our public roads. As we all know a few years past, when the good road movement was in its infancy, a great deal of costly work was necessary to be done to begin a proper foundation on which to construct and protect a perfect road bed. Now we are daily reaping benefits therefrom with many commendations. Much of such work is yet before the county fathers and township supervisors as well as the necessary repair work, and we hope that in the beginning of this another road year, they will pursue this policy as closely as their predecessors have done heretofore and give us the very best work on roads possible, with an eye that doesn't discriminate against our much prized macadam roads.

COUNTRYMAN.

## How to Make a Model Aeroplane.

Many illustrations and diagrams with directions which are clear and easy to follow make the article on "Model Aeroplanes" in the Youth's Companion of June 2d uncommonly interesting for every boy with a mechanical knack. The machines described are about three feet long. They are patterned after some which have been used by members of the Junior Aero Club of America, in their contests in New York. For those not old enough or with leisure enough to undertake making these machines, there are directions for making paper ones, which require but scissors and a few minutes' experimenting. A specimen copy of this issue will be sent to any one making request for it, if he mentions this paper.

## Say Veterans Choir Don't Sing War Songs on Sunday.

Mr. Editor:—In looking over the Tribune I noticed that the reporter in his report of the visit of the Veterans Choir to Cold Water church on Sunday stated that we had sung war songs. We like to sing the old war songs, but we never sing them on Sundays. The Veterans' Choir has been organized more than two years, and we have never missed meeting on Sunday to sing sacred songs. We meet at the court house every Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock, unless we are invited to some other place. Come and hear us. Everybody is invited and welcome.

W. M. WEDDINGTON,  
Sec. and Treas.

Miss Helen Shaw, of Lexington, is the guest of Miss Laura Gillon.

## PERSONAL MENTION.

### Some of the People Here and Elsewhere Who Come and Go.

Rev. C. W. Ervin is spending the day in Charlotte.

Mrs. T. D. Maness returned last night from a short visit to relatives in Albemarle.

Mrs. J. H. Witherspoon will leave this afternoon for her home at Lancaster, S. C.

Mr. A. R. Hooks, of Dunn, is visiting at the home of his grandfather, Mr. F. A. Archibald.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Bruton and children have returned from Davis Springs at Hiddenite.

Mrs. S. G. Daniels and children, of Littleton, are visiting Mrs. J. W. Cannon, Mrs. Daniels' sister.

Mr. Kay Patterson left last night for Missouri, where he will travel for the Home Educational Co.

Miss Jennie Maxwell left this morning for Davidson College where she will visit for several weeks.

Dr. C. C. Orr, of Asheville, is here today visiting the family of his half brother, Dr. D. G. Caldwell.

Little Miss Martha Caldwell left this morning for Charlotte to visit her brother, Dr. Stanhope Caldwell.

Mrs. W. S. Glenn and children, who have been visiting Mrs. D. B. Coltrane, left this morning for Wilmington.

Little Miss Mary Blair, who has been visiting Mrs. J. P. Cook returned this morning to her home in Charlotte.

Misses Cassie and Atha Watson will return this afternoon from Rockingham, where they have been the guest of Miss Bessie Watson.

Miss Gailther Pearson, who has been visiting Miss Kathleen Smith, returned to her home in Salisbury this morning. She was accompanied by Miss Smith.

Mr. L. L. Brinkley, of the Department of Agriculture, arrived in the city and will spend several days here assisting Mr. R. T. Allen in soil survey work.

Mr. Walter Fink, of Harriman, Tenn., arrived yesterday on a visit to the family of his father, Mr. J. C. Fink. He will be here about two weeks. His family has been here some time.

## Bad Weather Hurt Crops.

Generally unfavorable weather prevailed throughout last week over a greater portion of the country, much to the detriment of crops, according to the National Weekly Weather Bulletin:

"The weather of the week was again largely unfavorable over the major portion of the great agricultural districts east of the Rocky Mountains," says the report. "In the corn growing States of the Middle West, including the Ohio and Tennessee valleys, cloudy, rainy weather, with continued cold, greatly interfered with outdoor occupations, and retarded vegetable growth of all kinds. Sunshine and warm and dry weather are greatly needed over nearly all portions of the above districts. Over the districts of the Atlantic Coast from the Carolinas northward to New England, the week was almost continuously cloudy, cold and rainy, and all farming operations were delayed and vegetable growth retarded. Sunshine, warmth and dryer weather are all needed in this district also."

## New Pythian Officers.

At the meeting of the Grand Lodge Knights of Pythias in Charlotte this week the following officers were elected:

Supreme Representative, T. H. Webb, Duke, N. C.  
G. C. E. A. McCausland, Charlotte.  
G. V. C. C. C. McLean, Greensboro.  
P. P. Rev. W. B. Duttra, Salisbury.  
G. K. R. S., W. T. Hollowell, Goldsboro.

G. M. E., J. C. Mills, Rutherfordton.  
G. M. A., C. H. Beine, Raleigh.  
G. T. G., H. T. Powell, Henderson.  
G. D. G., S. A. Robinson, Gastonia.  
Trustees Orphanage, S. L. Hackney, Asheville; J. D. Pridgen, Durham.

## Hartis Trial Ended and Will go to Jury Today.

The closing arguments in the famous Hartis murder trial, at Charlotte were made Wednesday by Messrs. McCall and Cansler, attorneys for the defense and state, respectively, and this morning, following Judge Pell's charge to the jury, the case was given to the jury.

It is the consensus of opinion of all who have watched the case closely that the verdict will be acquittal for Henry Hartis, charged with accessory before the fact, and guilty of murder in the second degree or manslaughter for William Hartis, charged with the actual commission of the crime.

Col. Robert Wallace is confined to his home at Eastfield on account of illness.

## Shows the Way to Exterminate Flies.

Flies need no longer be the pest of the country town in summer. They will vanish like mist in sunlight if the prescription of Prof. William B. Herms, of the California State Board of Health is used.

Professor Herms explains that the reason why flies are so prevalent in villages is that it is usual for the residents to leave their refuse open to the air to feed and afford breeding places for the flies. If these places are all closed up, he declares, the pest will be driven out. To use his own words:

"The town that permanently abolishes all open toilets and other conditions of filth and moisture, such as decomposing refuse heaps, accretions in garbage barrels, etc., will become flyless. House flies cannot come into existence unless they have some such places in which to breed. They seldom travel more than one or two blocks from their place of hatching."

"According to reports received by the State Board of Health, it has remained for Lakeport, a summer resort in the Lake country, to lead the non-sewered towns of the state in relieving its visitors and inhabitants of fly and odor evils by making the dry-earth toilet system universal and compulsory."

"Odors do not escape from properly operated dry-earth toilets, and flies cannot breed in them. The change of

open vault toilets to the dry-earth system is simple and inexpensive."

## Cabarrus County Democratic Convention.

At a meeting of the Democratic Executive Committee of Cabarrus County, held on the 10th day of April, 1910, it was ordered that the primaries be held on Saturday, June 25th, 1910, at 3 o'clock p. m., in all townships, except No. 12, and in the respective wards of No. 12 township at 8 o'clock p. m.

It was further ordered that the County Democratic Convention be held in Concord on Saturday, July 2nd, 1910, at 1 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of electing delegates to the Judicial, Congressional and State Conventions, and for the purpose of nominating candidates for the Legislature and the various County offices. JNO. L. MILLER, Chairman, Cabarrus County Democratic Executive Committee.

True—Do you think he was sincere when he said he loved you?  
Dolly—I'm sure of it. He looked too foolish to be making believe.

"I never deny my wife a wish."  
"Indeed?"  
"No; I let her wish. It doesn't cost anything."

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JUST A WORD

## To The Farmers!

It isn't safe to keep money in your house these days. A Bank Account is a great safe-guard and profitable in more ways than one.

Try opening an account with this bank—pay your bills with checks. You will find it a good way, and when the time comes that you need money, remember we always give our depositors the preference in loaning funds. Help us and we will always do our best to help you.

## The Cabarrus Savings Bank.