

THE STREET CAR 'DEPOT.'

South Concord has the Car Line Depot and North Concord the Track, but neither is riding on the Oars. Saturday afternoon two of No. 10 township's citizens were returning home after spending the day in the city, each of them riding in separate vehicles only a short distance apart, and as they passed the lot where the government building is being erected one of them seemed to pay especial attention to the storage house that was recently built in front of the lot. After inspecting the strangely constructed tool house very closely, the one in front called back to his friend and enquired of him what the building was for.

"Why don't you know what that is? That's the depot for the car line the Salisbury folks have been building and talking about for so long."

"Well I can't see what they want to build the depot way down here before the track gets this far," replied the enquirer.

"Well, you see, their street car folks keep saying they are going to build a track down this way, and being as they had the track in the other part of town they wanted to give the people down this way something, so they built the depot here so as not to slight anybody. You see nobody can't ride, anyway, and the people up here can have the depot and the people at the other end the track, and neither crowd will be slighted."

"Well, how come they build the thing two stories high? I can't see no reason for that unless they are going to make some people ride on top of the cars."

"Well, you see it is this way; the people of Concord will be glad to ride most any way if they could only get the cars."

"Well I guess that's so," replied the first enquirer, and the two went on their way down into the good old section of No. 10.

Guests at Misenheimer Springs.

The following guests were registered Sunday at Misenheimer White Sulphur Springs:

J. D. Petrea, Kannapolis.
Mrs. M. Clapp and two children, Salisbury.
Miss Ella Peebles, Salisbury.
Miss Margaret Robertson, Salisbury.
C. E. Robertson, Salisbury.
Jack Robertson, Jr., Salisbury.
Miss Mary Hendrix, Concord.
J. F. Floyd, Richfield.
F. H. Carter, Walthalla, S. C.
M. A. Kichen, Roanoke, Va.
J. B. Palmer, Albemarle.
J. A. Groves, Albemarle.
A. C. Heath, Albemarle.
R. E. Ridenhour, wife and three children, Concord.
C. W. Swink and wife, Concord.
Mrs. A. E. Lentz, Concord.
Mrs. S. J. Ervin, Concord.
W. M. Ivey and wife, New London.
Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Culp, New London.
Mrs. H. Clyde Nash, Attapulgus, Ga.
Miss Edythe Rose Harr's, New London.
A. Frickhoffer, Charlotte.
Mrs. B. B. Smith, Richfield.
Prof. A. Taylor, New London.
E. G. Beddicks, New London.
Everett Nash, New London.
E. D. Culp, New London.
John Ross, New London.
W. F. Ross, New London.
S. Ben Ross, New London.
C. M. McCarthy, New York.
Miss Vera Culp, New London.

Tired of this Brand of Prosperity.

News and Observer.

"Several of the cotton mills here are running on three days' time per week at present," says a telegram from Spray. And this is Morehead's home. He says that "prosperity" follows a Republican victory. Men and women working on half time cannot be persuaded that such conditions mean prosperity for them. Morehead will not be a candidate again. No other Republican need apply. The people are tired of their brand of prosperity.

How to Live 100 Years.

Columbia State.

A physician announces that it is comparatively easy to live to the century mark. All you have to do is—don't drink alcoholic or malt liquors, don't smoke, go to bed at 10 and rise at 6, sleep soundly, don't worry about making money, nothing in excess, the simple life all the time, don't get excited, eat only when you feel inclined, and precious little then. But wouldn't "one crowded hour of glorious life" be worth a century of such pallid existence?

Fifth District Convention.

This afternoon at 3 o'clock the adjourned meeting of the Democratic Congressional Convention of the Fifth district, will begin its long anticipated final round, at Greensboro, for the selection of a nominee for Congress. This is the adjourned session of the convention that resulted in a deadlock several weeks ago. It looks like Judge Jones will be the winner.

MT. PLEASANT NEWS.

Woman's Missionary Society of Reformed Church—The Farmers Institute—A Good Wheat Farmer—Personal Items.

The Woman's Missionary Society of the North Carolina Classis of the Reformed church will meet here on Thursday and Friday, August 4th and 5th. The following interesting programme has been prepared for the occasion:

Thursday.

9:00 a. m.—Meeting of the Executive Committee.
9:30 a. m.—Devotional Exercises—Mrs. C. C. Bost.
9:45 a. m.—Business Session—Paper by Mrs. L. R. Whitener.
2:45 p. m.—Devotional Exercises—Miss Ida Hedrick.
3:00 p. m.—Business Session.
8 p. m.—Anthem—Choir.
Invocation.
Hymn 135.
Scripture Reading and Prayer.
Welcome by Miss Mary Barrier.
Response, Miss Addie McNairy.
Solo, Mrs. J. L. Murphy.
Paper, Miss Ida Hedrick.
Address, Rev. W. H. Causey.
Solo, Mrs. Dr. Foil.
Offering.
Hymn 143.
Benediction.

Friday.

9:30 a. m.—Devotional Exercises, Miss Daisy Fisher.
9:45 a. m.—Business Session.
11:00 a. m.—Address, Rev. W. B. Dutera, Ph. D.
2:30 p. m.—Devotional Exercises, Mrs. J. C. Leonard.
2:45 p. m.—Business Session.
All delegates should notify Miss Ella Moose at the earliest date possible so that all arrangements may be fully completed for entertainment at an early date. All sessions of the Society will be held in St. James Reformed Church. Mt. Pleasant is indeed glad to welcome this body of workers.

No. 8 Township S. S. Convention will meet in the Methodist church here on the first Sunday afternoon in August at 2 o'clock. It is hoped that a large delegation from the different schools in the township will be present and contribute toward making the convention both pleasant and profitable.

The Farmers' Institute meets here Thursday afternoon. The Institute for men will be held in the auditorium and that for women in the Collegiate Institute chapel. Everybody is expected to bring well filled baskets and a picnic dinner will be served.

Mrs. B. L. Patterson, of Charlotte, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Blackwelder.

Miss Mary Heilig returned Thursday from an extended visit to relatives and friends in South Carolina.

Mr. Bent Ludwig, a former student here, spent Sunday in town with friends.

Rev. Mr. Shulenberger will move his family here Wednesday, occupying the Reformed church parsonage during his pastorate of the church.

Miss Ella Moose returned Friday from Charlotte where she had been visiting relatives for a few weeks.

Mr. Holly Beatty returned home to Charlotte Friday, after a week with friends here.

Mrs. W. S. Hartsell is visiting her father at Davidson College.

Mrs. Myrtle Dreher, of Salisbury, is visiting Mrs. C. H. Thayer.

Mrs. R. L. McAllister and her son, Mr. H. J. McAllister, are spending a week at Mr. Jack Shoemaker's at Mooresville.

Misses Nina Nussman, Bessie Heilig and Bertie Barrier are visiting in Spencer.

Mrs. L. P. Klutz and daughter, and Mrs. Houser, of St. Petersburg, Fla., are visiting relatives in the community.

Mr. Carl Cook, who holds a responsible position with the R. J. Reynolds Tobacco Company, of Winston, is enjoying a short vacation at home.

Two steam threshers and one gasoline machine are lending their efforts toward keeping the town from getting dull these days.

Quite a number of our people are planning to go on the Asheville excursion Thursday.

Miss Viola Matthews returned yesterday from a visit to Cameron.

Mr. Geo. L. Barrier may not be the largest grain farmer in the county, but with two hired men he succeeded in raising 815 bushels of wheat and 700 bushels of oats, besides tons and bushels of "other truck." And he didn't farm over the whole face of nature to do it, either.

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New York Has 19 Deaths from Heat.

Monday was another scorching in New York—not as hot as Sunday but more deadly. The maximum temperature was 91 at 3 o'clock Monday as against 94 Sunday and the maximum humidity 53 as against 53, but there were nineteen deaths Monday from sunstroke against two Sunday and a correspondingly longer list of prostrations.

KILLED BY A BOMB.

Assassin Hurls an Explosive Under a Virginia Mayor, Whose Body is Torn to Pieces.

Sunday night at 9:15 o'clock Mayor A. M. Bousman was lying in a hammock in the front yard of his home at Ridgeway, Henry county, Va., near Martinsville, smoking a cigar when someone threw a bomb into the yard. It exploded at his feet, entirely severing the feet and part of his legs, from the effects of which the wounded man died a few hours afterwards.

It is impossible to determine the character of the bomb as a small bit of fuse was the only part of it found. Portions of flesh and clothing were scattered all about the yard. The house was spattered with something looking like grease.

No cause can be assigned for anyone committing such a diabolical crime. Mr. Bousman was mayor of Ridgeway and was not known to have an enemy. He had been mayor many years.

The council of Ridgeway has offered a reward of \$500 and the governor will be asked to supplement it with \$500 more.

The charge of dynamite in the bomb must have been a heavy one, because the body of Mr. Bousman was badly torn to pieces. A part of the fuse of the bomb was found on the roof of the Bousman residence, where it had been blown by the force of the explosion. On the sides of houses 60 feet away, blood had been spattered and bits of flesh adhered to the walls. Bits of the body also were found on the roof of an adjoining house.

As mayor of Ridgeway, Mr. Bousman presided over the police court of the town, trying petty cases. It is thought that some person upon whom Bousman in his court had passed sentence of punishment held a grudge against him and had been awaiting an opportunity to wreak violence on the mayor.

A Deplorable Accident.

Forest Green, a 13-year-old boy who assists the mailing clerk of the Charlotte Observer, fell on a coca cola bottle a few minutes after 5 o'clock Monday morning and as a result of his injuries, he now hovers between life and death at St. Peter's hospital. The boy was standing under the shower bath with a bottle of liquid soap in his hand, when he slipped on the slanting cement floor and fell. The bottle hit the floor first and broke the boy falling with his right arm outstretched upon the sharp points of the broken bottle. The sharp points penetrated several inches under the right armpit, severing nerves and muscles.

Physicians were hurriedly summoned and the boy's life barely saved, death being warded off only through the clear headedness and quick work of the mailing clerk, Buster Brown, who tied a heavy cord underneath the bleeding wound, packed a piece of cloth under the armpit and had one of the boys to hold the lad's arm against his body while Mr. Brown hastened to the nearest doctor's office. As it was, the boy lost three quarts of blood and had no pulse at all when taken to the hospital. A normal salt solution was necessary to revive him. He is getting along about as well as could be expected, but is still in a precarious condition.

Township Sunday School Conventions.

The No. 2 Township Sunday School Convention will be held at Pitts School house on Wednesday, August 3rd. There will be a morning and afternoon session of the convention. Mr. D. B. Coltrane will deliver the principal address of the convention on "Who Should Attend the Sunday School and Why?"

The No. 10 township convention will be held at Bethel church, August 5th. Rev. W. L. Hutchins, pastor of Forest Hill Methodist church, will deliver an address.

It is expected that every township will hold a convention before the regular time for the county convention.

The Southern Railway Company will next week begin the operation of gas electric cars on its line between Greenville and Anderson. This service will be supplemental to the regular steam train services.

BALL GAME YESTERDAY.

Our Boys Defeat the Fort Mill Team by a Score of 4 to 2.

Concord's fast and snappy young aggregation of ball tossers journeyed down to Fort Mill, S. C., yesterday morning for a series of three games with the South Carolinians. Our boys drew the first blood of the conflict yesterday afternoon, when in one of the fastest games seen in that city this year, they came out with the big end of the score, 4 to 2. It was a case from beginning to end of too much Cline. The elongated hurler of the Cabarrusites was serving them up in every way except the way the Fort Mill sluggers wanted them to come, and the best they could do was to connect with his offerings for three widely separated bingles, neither of which was more than an ordinary single. He received excellent support from his teammates, whose fast fielding and all round work was a surprise even to their staunchest admirers. Each team made three bobbles, some of which were costly, but the visitors made up for their misuses by superior stick work and this tells the tale.

Concord..... 4 4 3
Fort Mill..... 2 3 3

Batteries: Cline and Patterson; Price and Parks. Struck out by Cline 9, Price 4.

PEARSON PLAYS TAFT.

Has Persistently Heaped Insults Upon White Republicans.

Republicans in Asheville and Buncombe county were given a severe jolt Monday evening when Richmond Pearson, former United States minister to Persia and Greece, caused to be published a communication in which he not only declined to accept the Republican nomination for State Senator after being endorsed by the precinct meeting Saturday night, but took occasion to put the gaff in President Taft in no uncertain manner. Pearson's communication, which was addressed to The Gazette-News, follows:

"I am surprised to learn that the Republican primaries, held in this county on the 23d instant, declared for me with practical unanimity for the State Senate.

"My surprise is all the greater in view of the fact that on the 16th instant Mr. J. J. Britt, the present State Senator; T. F. Rowland, the county chairman, and T. J. Harkins, chairman of the city executive committee, called in a body and asked if I would accept the nomination for the State Senate, and I told these gentlemen emphatically and unequivocally that I would not accept the nomination, for reasons which I stated to them frankly, but which I am now constrained to state publicly to the Republicans who have honored me by this renewed expression of confidence, for which I am unaffectedly and cordially grateful.

"I cannot run or stand or sit for the office in question, for the plain reason that I cannot endorse or defend or justify or explain or extenuate or understand the persistent and obstinate insults which the actual President and head of the party has heaped upon the twelve hundred thousand white Republicans of the Southern States who honored him by their confidence and their suffrages at the last election.

"This naked and undeniable fact would make my position as a candidate not simply untenable but impossible. So that my self-respect, as well as my obligations to the party, force me to stand aside until a different posture of affairs shall be presented.

"The rumblings in the sixth district of Missouri and the cataclysm in the fourteenth Massachusetts and in the thirty-second New York districts seem to have had no effect upon Mr. Taft, and he will probably continue in his fatuous course until the elections next November reveal the fact that he has lost friends in our party, and gained neither votes nor thanks from the other.

"RICHMOND PEARSON."

The monument which Pennsylvania is erecting in the national cemetery to its soldiers buried there is being finished now and will soon be ready for unveiling.

With This Bank

Which has made marked gains in its earnings and resources since its organization in 1879—indicating its increased ability to handle your account with Safety.

Every modern banking facility extended.
Your Checking Account invited.

Capital, Surplus and Profits \$150,000.00

The Cabarrus Savings Bank.

PARKS

SUMMER Clearance Specials For Wednesday.....

Towels and Toweling, Silk Gloves, Hose and Muslin Underwear.....

75c Pure Silk 2-button Short Gloves in black, brown and white, Wednesday morning sale price 50c

Ladies' Lisle Gloves, black and white.....25c

50c Ladies' Long Black Lisle Gloves, sale price.....33c

\$1 Long Silk Gloves, black only, sale price.....59c

\$1.50 Long Silk Gloves in black, navy, brown, tan, red, pink and white, sale price.....\$1.19

\$1 Royal Worcester Corsets, discontinued numbers, sale price.....50c

\$1 American Lady Corsets.....29c

Finest mercerized Embroidery Cotton in most all colors, usually sold 3 for 10c, sale price, per skein 1c

All kinds of Summer Hosiery in The Clearance Sale Wednesday Morning

Infants' 25c Fancy Plaid Sox, sizes 4½ to 8½, sale price.....15c

16c red, white, pink and blue Sox in all sizes, sale price, 2 pair for.....25c

50c Girls' and Boys' Sox of the best Lisle finish, sale price, 2 pair for.....75c

Infant's Sox and Stockings, odd lots that sold up to 15c pair, as long as they last, per pair.....5c

Ladies' black glove silk Hosiery, sold everywhere for \$1.50, sale price.....93c

Onyx best \$1.25 black all silk Hose, as long as they last during the sale.....89c

One lot of \$1.25 Silk Hose in broken sizes, black, light blue, pink and white, sale price.....79c

All 50c Lace Hose, black and tan, sale price, 2 pair for.....75c

Real gauze Ladies' Hose in black, pink, light blue and white, special, 2 pair for.....15c

25c Talcum Powder.....19c

15c " ".....10c

10c " ".....5c

25c box Toilet Soap.....19c

15c " ".....9c

Big lot of new Baby Irish Dutch Collars.....25c

100 gross Pearl Buttons, 2 dozen to card, Wednesday morning sale price.....1c

5c Handkerchiefs, 2 for.....5c

Pure Linen Handkerchiefs.....5c

New lot of Notions in Jewelry. Extra Specials in Muslin Underwear.

Big Towel Sale.

Wednesday morning both Turkish and Huck, at a great sacrifice.

Fancy Cloth for Roller Towels

12c quality.....8c 25c quality.....12c

18c quality.....12c 30c quality.....17c

You are fortunate in being able to buy Towels now at these prices:

8c Huck and Turkish Towels.....5c

10c and 12c Huck and Turkish Towels.....7c

15c Huck and Turkish Towels.....9c

20c Turkish Towels.....14c 30c Turkish Towels.....19c

Don't forget the Bargains in High-Grade Shoes and Clothing.

H. L. Parks & Co.