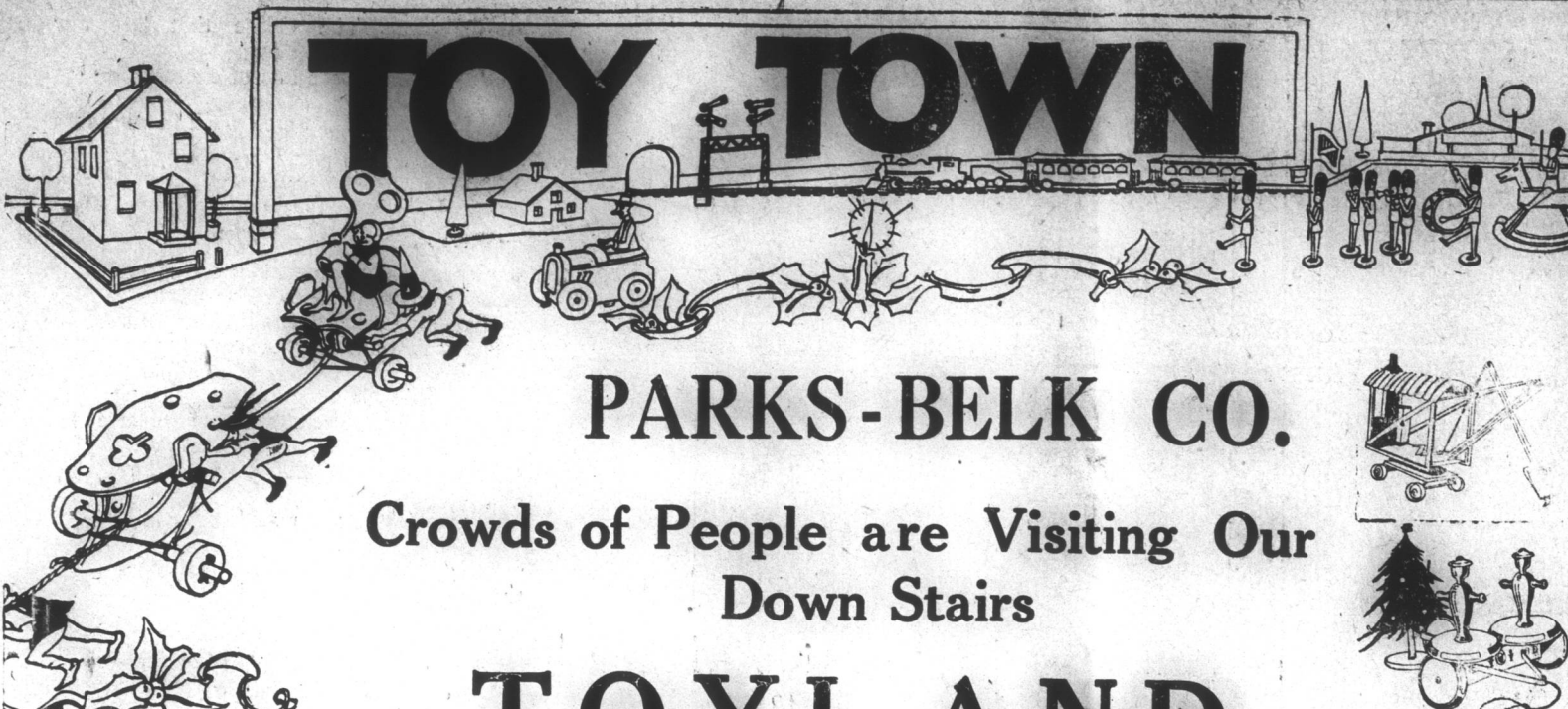


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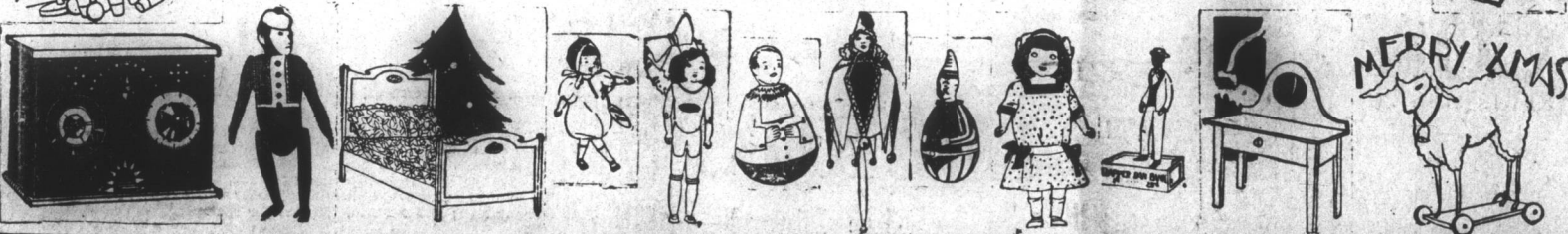
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HAPPENINGS IN OUR NEIGHBORING VILLAGES

BUFFALO.
Most of the farmers are through sowing wheat and oats and are killing hogs and preparing fire wood for winter and getting ready for a Thanksgiving Day rabbit hunt and turkey roast.
Corn shuckings are all over and the cotton is all picked. The crop was very good in this section.
Some of the boys are sacking some possums since persimmons are falling and old cotton tails are plentiful around here.
The county truck is doing some fine work in this section which was badly needed.
We want the game wardens to get busy as some hunters have broken the laws.
A new gold mine is being opened on the old Nugget Mine property. It is being operated by northern men.
LUCKY STRIKE
NO. 7 TOWNSHIP.
Mr. John H. Moore, who is on the sick

list, is improving but very slowly.
Mr. Horace Penninger and family, Mr. Horace Shoe and family spent Sunday in Kannapolis visiting relatives.
Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Moore and son, Ray, and Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Penninger spent Sunday evening in No. 5, visiting relatives.
Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Shoe spent Sunday evening at J. N. Penninger's.
Mr. Jno. C. Penninger has moved his family to Albemarle, where he holds a position with the damp laundry.
The Girls' Missionary Guild of Bear Creek Church will have a fish fry and noodle supper at the Junior Hall over Mr. C. L. Earnhardt's shop on Wednesday evening, Nov. 28, beginning at 4 o'clock. The public is invited.
Mr. Clyde Hartman, of Cabarrus county, and Miss Letha Hatley, of Stanly county, were married Saturday afternoon at 5 o'clock at Salem parsonage. We extend congratulations.
JACK FROST.
STEELE'S CROSS ROADS.
Messrs. Samuel and Arthur Serice took a trip to the mountains last Wednesday. Mrs. Mathilda Rogers spent Saturday in Statesville.
The farmers are busy having their

corn shredded.
Mrs. S. D. Hill and children, of Concord, are spending this week with Mrs. R. O. Steele.
Mr. P. C. Deal has purchased a tractor.
Mrs. George Shinn spent Monday with Mrs. D. B. Edwards.
Mrs. Lauray Serice was called last week to the bedside of her sister, near Charlotte, who was seriously ill.
Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Edwards and Misses Jessie and Zoda Steele spent one day last week in Salisbury.
LOWER STONE.
The school at Lower Stone is progressing nicely with Rev. C. W. Warlick and Miss Mary Wagoner as teachers.
Lower Stone Church will have regular morning preaching on the first and third Sundays. Rev. C. W. Warlick, of Mt. Pleasant, will preach on the first Sunday morning at 11 o'clock and Rev. W. H. McNairy, of Crescent, will preach on the third Sunday morning at 11 o'clock.
Be. Boyd Moore and family and Mr. Charlie Foll, all of Concord, attended services at Lower Stone last Sunday.
Quite a number of our people are con-

templating going to the mountains this week.
Messrs. W. S. Wagoner and George T. Brown are at Mill Bridge this week, doing some mason work.
The many friends of Mr. Rufus Fisher, of Crescent, will be sorry to learn that he is in very feeble health at this time. Mr. Fisher is in his eighty-eighth year and has been confined to his bed for three weeks, and does not improve very much.
Mr. John E. Klutz has gone to Spencer to work where he has a position with the Isehnour Brick Company.
Mr. Rufus G. Klutz will move to Rockwell this week.
Mr. Charlie Williams, of Near Poplar Tent, was a visitor in this community Sunday evening.
TULIP.
GEORGEVILLE.
Miss Annie Klutz, of Georgeville, has returned from a western tour. She states she visited the plains of Texas and also the black land, and says Texas is a fine State. But, of course, there is none to compare with old North Carolina. Texas has our State beat on some things, but for good water North Carolina has Texas beat. But will say

Texas is a good place to go.
Quite a large crowd attended the corn shucking at Mr. Lee Whitley's Tuesday night, and everybody enjoyed the good supper.
Mr. and Mrs. Eben Barrier and little son, Martin, of Concord, spent Sunday at the home of Mr. Barrier's mother, Mrs. M. F. Barrier.
Mr. and Mrs. John Shinn and family spent awhile Sunday afternoon with their daughter, Mrs. M. C. Dayvault, of Concord.
A large crowd gathered at Center Grove M. E. Church Sunday to welcome the new pastor, Rev. M. A. Osborne. He delivered a fine message.
Mr. and Mrs. John Herrin, Mrs. Johnson and two children, and Miss Bessie Furr, of Concord, spent awhile Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. M. Klutz.
FARM GIRL.
LOCUST.
Rev. W. J. Russell has been called to the pastorate of Smyrna Church. Services will be held each first and third Sunday afternoon.
Friends of Houston Hartwell will be interested in his marriage to Miss Carrie Elson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jim

Hinson, of Brief, which took place early Sunday morning in South Carolina. They were accompanied from here by Mr. T. W. Bass, who is always the favored one on occasions of this kind, as he is familiar with the roads and officers.
Another wreck in which Mr. I. J. Barbee was the victim, occurred near Concord as he was returning from the mountains with a load of apples and nuts. While Mr. Barbee himself escaped, his mule was badly hurt and the wagon torn up and his load partly lost. Mr. "Red" Thomas, who figured conspicuously in a recent murder case, did the damage.
This entire community is saddened by the death on yesterday of Mr. James S. Teeter one of its best citizens, who for the past couple years had resided with their daughter, Mrs. D. G. Smith, of Red Cross. His death was not unexpected, as he had been suffering for some time from a complication of diseases.
Funeral services will be held this afternoon at the Baptist church by his pastor, Rev. W. J. Russell and C. C. Honeycutt. **PET.**

HARRISBURG ROUTE THREE.
Mrs. Christenbury died November 10th and was buried at Asbury Chapel. She is survived by one sister, Mrs. Alice Earnhardt, ten children, seventy-two grandchildren, ninety-four great grandchildren.
PATTERSON.
Patterson school organized a literary society on November 16, 1923. The following were elected as officers: President, Mildred Hileman; Chaplin, Gilbert Boston; Secretary and Treasurer, Ross Castor; Critic, Joe Crainshaw; Censor, Dorothy Boston; Program Committee, Lola Cline, Beulah Partie Castor; Vice President, Emma Boston. We opened our society by scripture reading and prayer by Gilbert Boston, and a good program was carried out. **N. R.**

Honor Roll For Gilwood School For the First Month.
First grade—Richard Benson, Foy Craven, Johnston Irvin, Ray Brown, Johnston, W. A. Irvin, Sarah Bradford, Chalmers Emerson.
Second grade—Harold Johnson, J. E. Summers, Sarah Summers.
Third grade—Ralph Bradford, Dorothy Bradford, Robert Seaford, J. Lynn Irvin.
Fourth grade—Pearl High, Mildred Johnston, Ralph Seaford, Boyd Seaford, Troy Sherrill.
Fifth grade—Evelyn Benson, Douglas Craven, Wilson Johnston, Gillie Smith, Gladys Johnston.
Misses Ruth Linker and Beatrice Mayhew, teachers.

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