

PENNY COLUMN

For Rent—6 Room House on Cedar street, Phone 895L. 1-4t-p.
For Sale—One Mare and Horse. Jon L. Fink, Sr., Gold Hill, N. C. Telephone No. 2 Buffalo. 1-3t-p.
Trees and Plants—Fruit Trees, Shade trees, peach trees and cabbage plants. G. F. Barnhardt, Mt. Pleasant Road. 1-1t-p.
For Sale—75 Flow Stocks. L. M. Smith, Mt. Pleasant Route 1. 1-3t-p.
Skating Every Tuesday and Friday night at Poplar Lake. Free opening night, Tuesday, March 2nd. Square dance every Saturday night. 2-4t-p.
For Sale—Pure Bred Buff Rocks and White Leghorn eggs for setting. J. I. Goodman, Route 2, Concord. 27-2t-p.
Lawn Mowers Sharpened and Recupared, also all kinds of circular saws, butcher knives, sausage mills, or other tools that are to be ground or filed. R. L. Duval, 208 South Poplar Street, Charlotte, N. C. 11-26t-c.
Printing Instruction—Young Men or young women can fit themselves for permanent positions at good wages by learning some branch of the printing trade. There is a growing demand for young, well-trained workers. Our school teaches hand composition, proof reading, press work, linotype and monotype operating and mechanism. Requires from six to eight months. A good education is necessary. No night classes. School operates eight hours each day, except Saturday. Full particulars are found in our catalogue which we send free if you ask for it. Southeastern School of Printing, 508 Union Street, Nashville, Tenn. 29-tf-p.
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Prohibition in Russia. The Pathfinder.
Que. Did Russia ever have any prohibition law, and if so, when was it passed?—Ans. On August 14, 1914, the sale of vodka was suppressed in Russia. Vodka, the favorite Russian distilled liquor, is generally made from rye, although potatoes or barley is sometimes used. Economy was the chief reason for putting the ban on vodka, the grain crop being needed to support the armies operating against the central powers. In 1922 the ban was removed, but the soviet government kept a monopoly on the manufacture and distribution of spirituous liquors. However, on October 4, 1925, Russia became completely wet, permission being given to individuals to make and sell distilled drinks. This action was taken, according to the soviet commissioner of public health, because of the poisonous bootleg and homebrew liquor which was flooding the country.
A Good Reason. "I thing, George," said Mrs. Binks to her husband, "I'll ask the people next door to have dinner with us Sunday."
"Why," asked the husband. "Well, the butchers left their meat here by mistake, and it seems only fair."

IN AND ABOUT THE CITY

TO START WORK SOON ON NEW CHURCH BUILDING
First Presbyterian Church Congregation Gives Full Authority to the Building Committee.
At a congregational meeting held after the regular morning service yesterday, members of the First Presbyterian Church gave full authority to the building committee to proceed with plans for the new church building.
It was reported at the meeting that final plans for the new structure are being drawn now by Hobard Upjohn, architect, of New York City, and it is expected that the plans will be completed within two weeks.
As soon as the plans are approved by the committee, it is reported, bids for the erection of the building will be secured. Work is expected to be started as soon as possible after the letting of the contract.
It was explained at the meeting yesterday that members of the committee plan to have started on one hundred and fifty square feet of new stands on the site of the new church. This work will be completed as soon as possible in order that everything will be ready for actual construction work when the contract has been awarded.
At the meeting members of the church were also advised that the annual budget had been prepared and this was submitted and accepted. In this connection it was explained that the yearly canvass for church subscriptions to cover the budget will be made by members of the church next Sunday afternoon from 2 to 4 o'clock. Members of the church are expected to remain home to receive the officers so the entire congregation can be canvassed during the one afternoon.

HEAVY SNOWS FELL HERE SATURDAY AFTERNOON
Precipitation Continued For About Twenty Minutes But Flakes Melted As They Fell.
One of the heaviest snows of the winter fell in Concord Saturday afternoon for about twenty minutes. However, due to the fact that it had not been cold during the day, the flakes melted as fast as they fell.
At one time the flakes fell in a perfect downpour almost blinding pedestrians and motorists. The flakes were driven hither and yon by a high wind.
During the storm one of the largest trees in the yard of C. A. Cannon was uprooted, the wind sending the tree crashing across the sidewalk and into the street. No one was hurt by the tree in its fall although Hoyle Burrage narrowly escaped serious injury when he drove a truck into it a few minutes after it had fallen.
Mr. Burrage, driving a dairy truck, was blinded by the lights on an approaching car just as he reached the tree. Not suspecting that any such obstacle was in the street he pulled to the right when he saw the car approaching, and drove his truck into the tree. The top of the truck and one wheel were badly damaged. Mr. Burrage escaped without painful or serious injury.
Traffic was disrupted a few minutes by the tree, but employees of the street soon cleared a passage through the street.

PERFECT ATTENDANCE AT TEACHERS' MEETING
Every High School Teacher in the County Attends Teachers' Meeting in City Saturday.
Excellent attendance and fine interest featured the two teachers' meetings here Saturday.
In the morning at 10:30 the high school teachers of the county met at the court house and every teacher of this group in the county were present.
In the afternoon at 2:30 the colored teachers of the county met and only one was absent.
Prof. J. B. Robertson, superintendent of the county schools, reports that the meetings were unusually beneficial, with fine interest manifested in the work taken up.
Next Saturday morning at 10:30 the grammar grade teachers of the county will meet here.
The 1,500,000 licensed listeners in the British Empire pay \$2,800,000 annually for the privilege.

RCA \$5000 RADIOLA ESSAY CONTEST
Radio has become such a regular part of our daily life that many of us are inclined to take it for granted—just as we take the daily newspapers, the automobile, and the telephone as a matter of course. And yet radio broadcasting, as we know it today, has been in existence only five short years.
On November 2, 1920, the first regular radio program was broadcast from Station KDKA of the Westinghouse Electric & Manufacturing Company, located at East Pittsburgh, Pa. Today there are nearly 600 radio broadcasting stations in operation in this country. Of these, the Radio Corporation of America and its manufacturing associates—the General Electric Company and the Westinghouse Electric & Manufacturing Company operate a chain of ten powerful radio broadcasting stations reaching all the way across the United States from the Atlantic to the Pacific Coast.
The young men of this country have played a very important part in the development of radio and their share in the extension of the radio art will be even more significant in the future than it has been in the past. Many of the startling improvements which have been made in radio receiving sets are the result of discoveries made by amateurs and boy experimenters. Therefore, in an effort to obtain ideas which can be used to improve radio broadcasting, the Radio Corporation of America will give \$5,000 in cash prizes to encourage American boys to write essays expressing their views and ideas on radio broadcasting. The essays are to be written under the title "Advantages of Radio Broadcasting to the Youth of America." It may be on broadcasting as it has been and is now, or suggestions and recommendations on changes for the future improvement of radio broadcasting may be made the subject matter.
This essay contest is open to all boys, twelve to eighteen years of age inclusive, living in the United States of America. The contest will start March 1st and will continue until March 31, 1926. The \$5,000 in prizes will be awarded to the boy authors of the 208 best essays received. The first prize for the best essay is \$1,000 in cash. The five next best essays will win \$200 each, and the ten next best essays will win \$100 each, the 50 next best essays will win \$20 each, and the 200 next best essays will win \$5.00 each.
The Concord Telephone Co., authorized dealers of the Radio Corporation of America, have been selected as the local headquarters and source of contest information. Every boy who wishes to enter the essay contest should go to the Concord Telephone Co., RCA, authorized dealer in his community and register as a contestant by filling in a contest entry blank. The Concord Telephone Co. will provide boy contestants with a copy of the essay contest rules and will gladly render them every possible assistance.

FRANK ARMFIELD HONORED AT GASTONIA MEETING

Named Vice President of the Older Boys' Conference—Sessions Very Instructing.
Frank Armfield, Jr., son of Mr. and elected vice president of the Older Boys' Conference of the Y. M. C. A. at the annual convention held in Gastonia last week.
Young Armfield, who has been very active in his work in Concord, was one of eleven delegates from the Concord association to the conference. Harry Lee Johnston and Livingston Easley, boy's work secretaries of the local association, were also in attendance.
The honor thus accorded the Concord boy is a very high one, as the Older Boys' Conference is one of the most important branches of the Y. M. C. A. in North Carolina.
Delegates to the conference from Concord report a splendid meeting, with a program of benefit and interest during the three days.

SIX MEMBERS OF "OUR SUNDAY GANG" TRIED

Each Given Suspended Sentence for Violations of Rules of the Organization.
For the first time in its history, members of "Our Sunday Gang" have been tried by the "gang's" jury for violation of pledges.
Six members of the organization pleaded guilty when arraigned before the jury Sunday afternoon at the Y. M. C. A. Two pleaded guilty to matching for votes, two to playing marbles for "keeps," one for fishing on Sunday, and one for using profanity.
Suspended sentences were given in each case and the youngsters were released and put back in good standing so long as they keep their pledges.
More than 100 members of the "gang" were present for the meeting. They received and accepted an invitation to attend services at the First Baptist Church next Sunday afternoon, the pastor, Rev. C. Herman Truhead, planning to deliver a special sermon for their benefit.

The Late John L. Fink, Jr.

John Lawson Fink was born October 7, 1864, and departed this life February 22, 1926. Age 61 years, 4 months, 15 days. He was baptised in infancy, confirmed at Mt. Olive Lutheran Church September 22, 1880, and remained a faithful member until death.
His first marriage was to Nellie E. Goodman, December 11, 1887, who departed this life January 22, 1902. To this union were born two children, namely: Minnie Lola and Ada Elizabeth. The younger died in infancy.
His second marriage was to Florence Elizabeth Walker, April 30, 1893. To this union were born four children, of whom all are living, namely: John Ralph, Mary Helen, Frank Reuben and Blanche Thekla.
He leaves his wife, children, three brothers, one sister, sixteen grandchildren and a number of relatives and friends.
Mr. Fink was an upright man, careful of every obligation, accurate in his dealings, faithful to his church. He was a kind and considerate father and neighborly to his fellowman.
Funeral services were conducted in Mt. Olive Lutheran Church by the pastor, Rev. J. A. Young, assisted by Rev. M. L. Kester, of Concord, and Rev. C. P. Fisher, of Rockwell, in the presence of a large congregation of sorrowing relatives and friends.
A FRIEND.

Several Old Deeds Recorded at Court House.

Deeds more than 25 years old were filed at the court house Saturday. They were given by several members of the Lentz family to James R. D. Lentz, transferring property in No. 7 township to him. The oldest of these deeds was made in 1896 and the most recent was dated 1901.
In addition the following deeds were filed Saturday, all of them being of recent date:
M. E. Tucker to H. W. Eudy for \$350, property in No. 4 township.
Jasper Cline to Junius W. Cline for \$150, property in No. 4 township.
J. L. Crowell, trustee, to Z. R. Faggart, for \$3,000, property in No. 5 township.
M. E. Teeter to J. B. Price for \$250 property in Petrea Heights, Kannapolis, and the same property by Mr. Price to A. L. Brown for the same consideration.

SALE OF PERSONAL PROPERTY

On Friday, March 5, 1926, 5 will sell at public auction at the late home of J. E. Barnhardt, deceased, the following personal property:
One mule, one horse, one two-horse wagon, one Deering binder, one grass mower, one hay rake, plows, harrows and other farming tools.
Terms: Cash.
J. L. BARNHART, Adm.
J. R. Barnhardt.
Mar. 2 & 3-p.

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In just a few days—quicker than you ever dreamt of—these wonderful flesh-making tablets called McCoy's Cod Liver Oil Compound Tablets will start to help any weak, thin, undernourished little one.
After sickness and where rickets are suspected they are especially valuable. No need to give them any more nasty Cod Liver Oil—these tablets are made to take the place of that good but evil smelling, stomach-upsetting medicine and they surely do it. They do put on flesh.
Ask the Pearl Drug Company or any druggist for McCoy's Cod Liver Oil Compound Tablets—as easy to take as candy and not at all expensive—30 tablets 60 cents.
Be sure and get McCoy's, the original and genuine, and give the child a chance for 30 days. If you aren't delighted with results just get your money back.

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And Help Your Favorite Contestant in California Tours Campaign 500 VOTES WITH EVERY PAID ADMISSION
SPECIAL FEATURES
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Also Scenes Along Route Taken by Those Who Win in the Free Trips to California
No Advance in Price
Wednesday Features
A FOX SPECIAL—THE WHEEL
The Following Merchants are Giving Votes in California Tours Campaign:
Pearl Drug Company
White Auto Company
National Lumber Company
H. B. Wilkinson, Furniture
Kidd-Frix Music and Stationery Company, Inc.
Sanitary Grocery Company
Cabarrus Cash Grocery Co.
Concord Steam Laundry
Ritchie Hardware Company
E. B. Grady, Plumbing and Heating.
Bob's Dyer and Cleaner

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THERE is always someone at home in our office—someone ready to give you any information you may need about our gas service and to show you the latest features in gas equipment and appliances.
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Will Push Dr. Campbell For State Chairman.
A determined campaign is being put on by friends of Dr. J. H. Campbell, of Norwood, to secure his appointment to the chairmanship of the Republican State executive committee. Announcement has been made that the present State chairman will resign in April, and Dr. Campbell's friends believe him to be the logical successor for Chairman Bramham. Several other candidates will be in the field, it is said.
Dr. Campbell is a fine man, a good political worker, and would make his party a most capable leader. The State Republican organization might go a far way before it could bet a better man for the chairmanship than Dr. Campbell would be.
Who Wants to Stay in a Rut?
Abe Martin says: "If you keep in a rut you won't skill."
But who wants to stay in a rut?
USE PENNY COLUMN—IT PAYS

EFIRD'S HEADQUARTERS for NEW SPRING SILKS and COTTON PIECE GOODS LADIES' SPRING COATS and DRESEES You Will Find it Cheaper at EFIRD'S