

COUNTRY CORRESPONDENCE

NO. TEN TOWNSHIP
The rain of last Wednesday was the heaviest in the Flowers Store section that has fallen in several years.

Crops and gardens have very materially improved since the good rains of last week. With the continuance of seasonable weather through the growing season we see no reason why farmers should not expect good crops this year.

Mrs. L. T. Bost, who was taken to a Charlotte hospital and underwent an operation for appendicitis last week, is making slow improvement. Her friends wish her an early restoration to health.

With the coming of Summer activity in the way of people going to and from the noted Sossamon mineral springs is seen.

N. J. Sherrill, of Charlotte, owned his valuable property for a good many years until last fall when he transferred it to John and Isaac Sossamon, heirs of the original owners.

When it was made known that J. H. Carraker and Miss Macie Taylor were married in Concord last Sunday evening.

Mr. Carraker is the son of J. W. Carraker and the late Martha Carraker, and is a prominent merchant of Cabarrus.

Mrs. Carraker is the pretty daughter of John Taylor, of Mecklenburg county, and has been employed as a saleslady by Mr. Carraker for the past two years.

Two weeks ago she took a vacation and on her return was met in Concord by Mr. Carraker, where they were married. Their friends wish them a long and happy life.

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WINECOFF.
The Woman's Missionary Society of Mt. Olivet will meet Wednesday, June 23, at 2:30 o'clock with Mrs. H. A. Scott, of Kannapolis. The members are all requested to be present.

The Junior Missionary Society will meet Tuesday, June 22, at 3 o'clock at the home of Mrs. S. W. Cook. The mothers are invited to be present at this meeting.

The Winecoff Educational Club met at the schoolhouse last Monday night. After the usual routine of business, a delightful program was rendered. It was decided that the club would give a play, the date of which will be announced in the near future.

Mrs. Will Barringer and daughter, little Miss Imogene, of Mt. Pleasant, spent a few days last week with Mrs. Fred Goodman.

Mrs. Viola McClellan and children, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Shinn, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Goodman spent last Tuesday in Winston-Salem with the latter's sister, Mrs. Tom Hopkins. They were accompanied home by Miss Mary Alice and little Lee Hopkins.

Shakespeare Harris, Clell and Harris Caldwell have returned home after a week's visit in Wilmington.

Miss Janet Stroud spent Friday in Charlotte with Mrs. Leonard Hartzell.

Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Winecoff spent the week-end with relatives in Winston-Salem.

Mrs. N. P. Watt has returned home after a two weeks' visit to relatives in Decatur.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Dry and children of Mt. Pleasant, spent a few hours Sunday at the home of S. W. Cook.

Mrs. C. R. Cline and little Miss Bonnie Cline left Saturday night for Little Rock, Ark., where they will visit Mrs. Cline, who is taking treatment there.

Alvin Shinn spent Saturday night in Concord with his sister, Mrs. Viola McClellan.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Stroud and children, of Statesville, spent Sunday at the home of Mrs. J. A. Stroud.

Miss Gladys Goodman, Frank Scott and Leonard Umberger are attending the Epworth League Conference which is being held in Asheville this week.

Mediamer Fred Goodman, Hugh Goodman and Misses Gladys and Hazel Goodman attended the Hefron-Seaford wedding in Mt. Pleasant last Wednesday.

Little Miss Lucy Lubchenko, of Newells, is visiting her grandmother, Mrs. J. A. Stroud.

NEWS REPORTER.

GEORGEVILLE.
We are having plenty of rain for the last two weeks.

The community meeting was held at the schoolhouse on last Saturday night. A very interesting program was rendered and enjoyed very much by all present. Mr. Robertson and Miss Hill, from Concord, were with us and added very much to the program.

We hope to have them with us again. This being the time for election of new program committee, Mrs. A. I. Shinn, Mrs. J. P. Eudy and Clyde Shinn were elected for the next term of three months. A finance committee was also elected. The members are L. Z. Shinn, Mrs. A. I. Shinn, Miss Elma Eudy, H. E. Barrier and Wade Biggers. The club will meet again the fourth Saturday night in July.

Miss Elma Eudy has returned from Concord, where she has been the guest of Mrs. S. A. Eady for a week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Chaney and Miss Lela Chaney, of Midland, were the week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Little.
Miss Martha Teeter, a nurse at the Concord Hospital, is spending her vacation here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Teeter.

The Woman's Club met at the schoolhouse last Tuesday afternoon and elected the following officers: Miss Inez Shim, president; Miss J. F. Eudy, vice-president; and Miss Autin Linker, secretary. Miss Cooley was present and gave some very interesting remarks concerning different salads.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Eudy and Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Eudy attended the revival services at Concord last Friday night.

ENOCHVILLE.
We are glad to see Mr. Eugene Smith at home again, having had a recent operation for appendicitis.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cavin motored to Kannapolis Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Correll and children were visitors last Sunday, at John Correll's, of China Grove.

C. A. Weddington is expected to return home in a few weeks.

Misses Julia and Ethel Barnhardt are boarding at the home of their aunt, Mrs. Cleve Meadows.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Deal announce the birth of a son.

Mr. and Mrs. John Fulham, of China Grove, were visitors Sunday at Cleve Meadows.

Miss Jennie Overcash is spending a few weeks with her sister, Mrs. E. L. Deal, of Statesville.

The protracted meeting will begin at Old Bethpage, on Sunday, July 4th, at 11 a. m. Rev. Mr. Wright will assist the pastor in charge in the services following.

Reba Overcash spent Thursday evening with Georgia and Elsie Upright.

Mrs. A. D. Correll and children spent Wednesday evening with Mrs. C. C. Upright.

About all the farmers through this section are through harvesting and report a very good grain crop.

The recent rains have taken good effect.
BUSY BEE.

IRDELL COUNTY MAN SHOTS SELF IN HEART
Jonas Harris Had Been In Bad Health Some Months.

Statesville, June 27.—Jonas Harris, aged about 40 years, emptied the contents of a shot gun into his heart Friday near his home at Stony Point.

Mr. Harris was born and reared in Turnersburg township, removing to Stony Point about three years ago and has since been an employe in the Watts Spinning Mill. He had been in bad health for some months, having recently lost sixty pounds in weight.

He had talked suicide recently on various occasions, having spoken to Sheriff Adams, of Taylorsville, who is in the undertaking business to bury him. He is also said to have spoken to members of the funeral order to have charge of the funeral.

On Thursday, Mr. Harris is said to have bought some shells, and Friday morning about 9 o'clock he borrowed a shot gun and told his wife he was going out hunting. Failing to come back when expected, his wife went out to search for him about 2 o'clock Friday afternoon and found him lying in an old field, along a path in the edge of the woods, not far from the home. The gun was lying by his side and the contents of the shell had passed through his heart.

Funeral and interment took place Saturday morning at 10 o'clock at Stony Point.

Frankie Camilli, who made quite a reputation as a heavyweight boxer under the name of Frankie Campbell, is being tried out as a shortstop by the San Francisco Pacific Coast League team.

Vic Keen, who is proving a star pitcher for the St. Louis Cardinals, is the son of a Methodist preacher. Owing to a promise made his father when he entered professional baseball Vic never plays in Sunday games.

TEN CANDIDATES SEEK VOTE IN MECKLENBURG
Two Women Among Those in Second Primary—Chief Interest in Sheriff.

Charlotte, June 28.—With ten candidates, including two women, girding themselves for desperate battle, final campaign drives in preparation for the second primary were getting underway in Mecklenburg county today.

Chief interest in the second primary centered in the sheriff's race and the race for two seats in the house of representatives. Sheriff W. O. Cochran is opposed by John R. Irwin, who ran him a nip and tuck race in the first primary. In the race for the house seats Conley Robinson, W. E. Price, Miss Julia Alexander and Miss Carrie McLean are seeking the nomination.

Principal interest in the house race apparently is in the contest between the two women, who are reported fighting each other tooth and nail.

The two men, Robinson and Price, are also reported to be fighting it out, but with the women putting up such a spirited campaign no political prognosticators admit they are unable to figure out the situation.

Miss Alexander has vigorously defended her record in the last session of the general assembly and it is reported here that she has attacked the religious orthodoxy of Miss McLean. Miss Alexander has spiritedly presented these attacks on her religious beliefs, pointing out that she is a Sunday school teacher and worker.

It is reported that Miss Alexander has spread the information or charge that her woman opponent is an "evolutionist."

The outcome of this race is awaited with much interest in this county where both women are very well known.

Sheriff Cochran has announced that this will be his last term if elected. However, he will have a battle to be renominated this time. Mr. Irwin ran him a close race before and indications point to a close count next Saturday.

The other two races to be settled in the second primary are those for

place on the county board of education and Charlotte township constable.

A campaign for a national system of highways, expanded replica of the North Carolina system, will be launched by Colonel T. L. Kirkpatrick, pioneer good roads enthusiast, at the annual convention of the national organizations of Lions Clubs in San Francisco on July 21st, he announced here today. Colonel Kirkpatrick is chairman of the platform and resolutions committee and in this capacity will start his campaign.

Colonel Kirkpatrick says he expects to start a movement for a system of national highways linking the various state capitals in the same manner North Carolina county seats are linked.

The price situation in the yarn trade continues deadlocked, according to C. Singleton Green, secretary of the Southern Yarn Spinners Association. Present prices are below the cost of replacement, he said. Mr. Green pointed out that curtailment is increasing and buyers are continuing to feel out the market.

Papers to Print Lists of Drunken Motorists.
(By International News Service)
Hartford, Conn., June 28.—Every person who is convicted in a Connecticut court of operating his motor car while he is under the influence of liquor, gets his name published in every daily newspaper in the state.

Such lists are supplied weekly by the state motor vehicle department "as a part of the effort to reduce this highway menace," and the editors use the list without exception with the address of the person convicted whether he is a resident of the state or not.

Readers are asked with each publication to notify the nearest police department if they see any of the persons named operating cars. With every conviction the driver's license is suspended for one year.

An Indiana judge has ruled that in future insanity cases he will sentence the parents to one day in the county jail for each day their children miss school without good reason.

Mr. Meekins will be assisted

in the management of the Hayes campaign by B. C. Campbell, deputy United States collector of revenue, and by Mrs. H. J. Faison, of Faison.

MONUMENT TO SAM DAVIS
Another Confederate Hero to Be Honored in Marble.
(By International News Service)
Columbia, Tenn., June 28.—Memory of another Confederate hero will be perpetuated here early in July when a monument of fixed finished Georgia marble, ornamented with an old Civil War musket, is unveiled on the spot where Sam Davis was captured while on an important war mission.

Contract for the memorial already has been awarded, and it is expected that it will be unveiled here before July 15th, although the exact date for the unveiling has not been set.

The silver gray stone will be placed near the Bee-Line highway at Minor Hill, sixteen miles south of Pulaski county. It was here that Davis, after being captured, refused to divulge the source of information he carried, and as a result was tried, condemned and hanged in Pulaski county.

Tickles the Wicked.
The Upright.
The lovers of the sensational are being feasted on the unfortunate condition that confronts Dr. Chappell, the suspended pastor of Central Methodist Church of Asheville.

The world rejoices when a preacher gets entangled. It is cowardly, if the world cannot give a better excuse for being wicked than that of a preacher becoming involved in a scandal, it has founded its cause on sand. The brave and manly thing to do is to withhold judgment, give the victim the benefit of a trial.

Knowing Dr. Boyer as we do, we make bold to say that he is so honest and fearless and just that he would refuse to defend a man if he thought him guilty. As long as Dr. Boyer regards Dr. Chappell as the victim of an unfortunate and uncontrollable circumstance and that he is innocent of any wrong intentions, the public is safe in withholding its condemnation.

USE PENNY COLUMN—IT PAYS

Boy Corn Wizard Presents Prize Ear to President



FRANKIE'S FARMALL IN ACTION

"Mr. President, let me present this —"
The young corn wizard paused as cameras flashed and clicked. For a moment he stammered, confused; then both he and the President smiled and fell into easy conversation.

"What did Silent Cal say?" the other boys around Shelbyville, Ind., are asking Frankie Lux.

"It's indiscreet to quote the president," is the only reply of the boy corn wizard.

Frankie Lux, who is but 17, has seen winning corn-growing cups for several years. He has been all-American junior champion. His father, Peter J. Lux, is known as Corn King for his many victories.

Last year Frankie, whose brother Maurice is also a regular winner, was close up in the 100-bushel yield contest on five acres. So when the Indiana delegation recently visited the White House, President Coolidge was genuinely pleased to meet the lad, to receive the prize ear, and to listen to some of the philosophy of the coming generation of American farmers.

The Lux farm near Shelbyville, which has figured so long in the corn show headlines, is run on a sound scientific basis with no lost motion. Frankie says only the latest and best equipment can produce the biggest and best corn crops. They have been tractor farmers in recent years. This spring the old type tractor was traded in for a new Farmall at the

local McCormick-Deering branch. The new machine, easily mastered, was taken in charge by the young corn-growing champion, who double-disked and cul-tivated 29 acres the first day. Then after equipping with the two-row cultivator attachments, he handled the corn cultivations without use of horses.

All of his father's prize corn fields and his own five-acre plot are being handled by this tractor power at a big saving of time and labor, which, the young corn wizard says, is "the secret of profitable farming."

"I told President Coolidge," said Frankie, "that we had put corn growing on a business basis, just as he is putting government on a business basis."

Two of World's Foremost Inventors and See Perfected Talking Movie



ATLANTIC CITY, N. J.—Two of the foremost inventors of the age clasped hands at the National Electric Light Association Convention here recently. They were Thomas A. Edison, inventor of the electric light, motion picture, talking machine, and a host of other devices, and Dr. Lee S. De Forest, the man who invented the talking picture, and the author of the

which makes modern radio possible.

wife and a salesman, the latter demonstrating the refrigerator and answering questions. The exhibit was said to mark the first commercial use of the talking motion picture. From left to right, Dr. De Forest, Mrs. Thomas Edison, Mr. Edison and Secretary of Labor James J. Davis, pictured in the Servel booth after seeing and hearing the new talking movie.

Advertisement for Ruud Tank Heater Sale. Text: 'A little to pay — A long time to pay it. If you buy before closing time tomorrow Ruud Tank Heater Sale \$22.65 intalled 65c down—50c a week, payable monthly'.

Advertisement for Ruud Tank Heater with boiler. Text: 'If you have no boiler, we will install a Ruud Tank Heater with 30-gallon boiler complete with 50 feet of gas and water pipe and two hot-water faucets at special terms, \$59.65 installed. 65c down—\$1.00 a week, payable monthly'.

Advertisement for Southern Gas & Power Corporation. Text: 'SOUTHERN Gas & Power Corporation. Concord & Kannapolis Gas Co. CONCORD, N. C.'.