

SPENCER THIEF STEALS HORSE.

Meat Market Without Fording Power for Its Delivery Wagon—Mr. Morgan Spier, Address Y. M. C. A. Meeting—New Forecast Station Special to The Observer.

Spencer, Nov. 12.—A horse belonging to Tucker & Brown, who run a meat market in Spencer, was stolen from a stable on the premises of the market in the business section of Spencer about midnight last night.

Mr. Morgan B. Spier, of Charlotte, district superintendent of the Southern Bell Telephone Company, spoke at the Young Men's Christian Association yesterday afternoon using as his subject "The Fast Young Man."

HOW ROCKINGHAM DID IT.

Democrats Won the Battle of Ballots Contrary to Republican Expectations—Virginia Field Trials' Association Elect This Month. Special to The Observer.

Spray, Nov. 12.—Contrary to the confident expectations of the Republican constituency of Rockingham county and Leaksville township especially, the Democratic party won the battle of ballots of the 8th. The Republican party led a most strenuous campaign, spreading literature, spending money at every turn, and harranging the voters from the stump.

Arizona Know What She Wanted. Providence Tribune. President Roosevelt had been prevailed upon by either unwise or unduly partisan counselors to undertake the strength of the anti-amalgamation sentiment in Arizona and to operate the advantages of joint Statehood.

Isaiah Walton Wakes Up. London Daily Mail. An angler in the river Meuse, in Belgium, while fishing recently, felt a light bite as he was pulling in his line.

ODD FELLOWS IN GREENSBORO.

District Meeting to be Held Tuesday and Wednesday—Consent Line to Furnish All Cars on the A. & Y. Railroad. Special to The Observer.

Greensboro, Nov. 12.—The district meeting of Odd Fellows for this district will be held here Tuesday and Wednesday of this week. The district is composed of the counties of Randolph, Rockingham, Caswell and Guilford.

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POT-HUNTERS ABROAD.

Game Laws of the State Violated in Buncombe—Game Warden to Investigate. Special to The Observer.

Asheville, Nov. 12.—It is evident by the amount of game coming into the Asheville market that pot-hunters are abroad in the land and also that the game laws of North Carolina are being violated.

SPENT LITTLE MONEY.

Buncombe Candidates Relied Mainly on Oratory and Personal Popularity to Get Votes. Special to The Observer.

Asheville, Nov. 12.—According to the sworn statements of expenditures submitted to Frank Carter, chairman of the election board and Marcus Erwin, clerk of the court, the candidates before the people in Buncombe at last Thursday's election spent little money.

MAY EIGHT LUTHERAN CHURCH.

Project to Establish Church of Lutheran Denomination in High Point on Foot-District Meeting of Pythians Tuesday. Special to The Observer.

High Point, Nov. 12.—It is most probable that the Lutheran denomination will establish a church here in the near future. Prominent Lutherans of the State, some of whom are holding the highest offices in the North Carolina Synod, were here recently and looked over the field and were much gratified at the outlook.

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CONGESTION OF FREIGHT.

The Situation Worse Now on the Western Division of the Southern Than Ever—Asheville Merchants in Despair—Railroad Officials Claim to be Doing Their Best.

Asheville, Nov. 12.—The congestion of freight on the Asheville yards and between Asheville and Knoxville and Asheville and Salisbury is worse now than at any time during the strike as it is declared in railroad circles here.

OHIO WOMAN BANDIT.

Youngstown Police Search for Beautiful Girl, Dressed as a Man. Youngstown Post, 11th.

Modern Samson in Canada. Quebec Dispatch to Philadelphia North American. Possessed of Samsonlike strength, Albert Fisher saved his life by a remarkable exhibition of his power.

MARRIAGES.

Higgins-Arledge, of Folk County. Special to The Observer. Saluda, Nov. 12.—Two of Folk county's most popular teachers have solemnized their professions, chosen the better part and joined the Benedicts.

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SPANKED IN HOTEL LOBBY.

Football Rooters Administer "First Degree" to Jolly Minnesota Coeds. Chicago Special, 11th, to The New York Sun.

STARE AT VANDERBILTS.

Curious Sightseers Denounced by Rector of Biltmore Church. Asheville Special, 11th, to Washington Post.

Mr. George W. Vanderbilt and his family, while attending church at Biltmore, have suffered much annoyance from curious crowds of sightseers.

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Miles in London a Beau Brummell. New York Tribune. "The greatest Indian fighter in American history has arrived in London," observes M. A. P.

Schnapps Tobacco is Made ENTIRELY from Flue Cured Tobacco Grown in the Piedmont Country. The Imitation Brands Have Schnapps Quality Only On the Outside Of the Plug

Hundreds of imitation brands are on sale that look like Schnapps tobacco. The outside of the imitation plugs of tobacco is flue cured the same as Schnapps, but the inside is filled with cheap, flimsy, heavily sweetened air cured tobacco.

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