

News of the State

happenings of Yesterday Told in Paragraphs.

Mr. Charles Craws, clerk of court at Granville county, is seriously ill with fever.

The Florence Cotton Mills, of Forest City, are shut down for perhapsten days. The force is getting a much-needed rest.

The Hamlet Democratic county convention will be held Thursday, August 20th, when a strong and winning ticket will be named.

All the wheat in Forsyth county is threshed. Mr. J. M. Holder being the last man to "go in" yesterday, he having threshed 30,000 bushels.

Mr. Art Van, of Sampson county, has sold his livery and auto stables on broad street in Dunn to Mr. John Manna. The purchase price being \$1,000.

Success again attended the annual Mockeys Masonic Thursday, \$1,200 in cash being taken in. The Masons of Winston-Salem netted \$243 for the orphans at Oxford.

The tobacco market at Dunn has opened up very well. Mr. J. W. Loye-lace represents the A. T. Company and Messrs. E. W. Harris and J. F. Motley both buy on the market.

Judge J. Crawford Biggs and Mrs. Biggs of Durham have gone to Canada to spend two weeks, this being the vacation of Judge Biggs before commencing the fall term of courts.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Louthian, of Charlotte, the former of The Observer force, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Powell this week at Forest City. They will return to Charlotte on the 15th.

Miss Minnie Gouger, of Charlotte, underwent an operation at Long's Sanatorium, at Statesville Wednesday evening for appendicitis and is getting along nicely. Her mother, Miss Mary Gouger, of Charlotte, is with her.

The Presbyterian church at Dunn has been pulled away to make room for the erection of a new brick church, which will be large and commodious. The work on it has already begun.

Rev. J. C. Mack, pastor of the Forest City Methodist church, has recently enjoyed an interesting meeting at Pleasant Grove, a church on his charge. His daughter, Miss Mattie, is preparing to enter school this fall at the State Normal.

Dr. McKnight, manager of the hotel at Vade Mecum, states that the kitchen which was burned some time ago has been rebuilt and a water tank has been erected over the building. He says there are many other hotels in resort. The hotel will not close until October 1st.

Mr. C. W. Boshamer, of Statesville, returned this week from Philadelphia, where he had been for some weeks undergoing treatment at a hospital. He has been in bad health for more than a year, but the treatment at Philadelphia has slightly improved his condition.

Prof. J. W. Conley was yesterday elected superintendent of the Oxford graded schools, which position he accepted. He is a graduate of the University of North Carolina, class of 1901, and was superintendent of schools in Youngsville, Franklin county, last session.

The teachers' institute which was held in Oxford by Prof. N. W. Walker, of Chapel Hill, was a success in every way. About fifty teachers of Granville county were in attendance and the subjects of study each day proved very instructive.

Mr. Rule I. Poole, who formerly lived in Reidsville, is spending a part of his vacation there with relatives. Mr. Poole graduated at the A. & M. in civil engineering and he will continue his course after September 15th at Cornell University, where he expects to specialize in some branch of civil engineering.

Mr. Roland Harris, of Statesville, who recently sold his interest in the job printing business of Crowson & Harris to his partner, Mr. B. W. Crowson, has accepted a position as foreman in the office of The Burlington Daily News and will leave in a few days to begin work.

The Philathea, class of the First Baptist church, of Statesville furnished a ward in the handsome new infirmary at the Baptist Orphanage at Thomasville, which will be known as the Statesville Philathea ward. A single member of the class—a stenographer—donated \$10 to the fund for this purpose.

The congregation of Bethel Baptist church, of Reidsville, has called Rev. V. M. Swain, of Cool Spring, as pastor and Mr. Swain has accepted on an increased salary. He has been supplying the church for some time. The pastor and Rev. O. W. Triplett, of Durham, will begin a protracted meeting at Bethel Sunday.

Connecticut Bird Preserve, Hartford Courant.

Despite the fact that reports have been circulated of late that the commissioners of fisheries and game had secured two thousand quail from Oklahoma and would place them on Terry island, near Suffolk. Commissioner George T. Matheson said last evening that nothing has been done about buying any quail as yet. It is true, however, that the use of the island, which contains about one hundred and thirty-five acres, has been obtained by the commission and it is very likely that a preserve will be established there.

Until fifteen or sixteen years ago the island was inhabited by Clinton Terry, and the house is still standing, and it was from this place years ago that a band of Second Adventists put on their ascension robes and waited in vain for the end of the world.

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THE DEATH RECORD.

Death of an Infant.

Correspondence of The Observer. Greensboro, Aug. 13.—W. I. Underwood, Jr., 2 months old, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. I. Underwood, died Wednesday night at 10 o'clock. The child has never been in good health and Mrs. Underwood has been ill for three or four months. Burial took place this afternoon at 3 o'clock in Greene Hill Cemetery, the services being conducted by Rev. Dr. G. H. Detwiler, pastor of the West Market Street Methodist church.

W. C. Whicker, of Winston-Salem.

Special to The Observer.

Winston-Salem, Aug. 14.—Mr. W. C. Whicker, aged 55 years, died this morning at his home at Southside, a suburb of Salem, after a ten weeks illness with typhoid fever. A wife and eight children survive him. The interment will take place to-morrow afternoon at Mount Pleasant funeral home to be conducted with Jr. O. U. A. M. honors.

Mrs. Frank Miller, of Winston-Salem.

Special to The Observer.

Winston-Salem, Aug. 14.—Mrs. Ida Wharton Miller, wife of Mr. Frank Miller, died at her home on Summit avenue this evening at 6 o'clock. She had been ill for ten days and several years of ill health. Mrs. Miller was one of the most prominent as well as one of the best beloved women in the city. Besides her husband she is survived by three children: Mr. R. S. Callaway, of this city; Mr. F. M. Miller, of Birmingham, Ala.; and Mr. A. C. Miller, of this city, who at present is on a camping trip in Maine. The funeral arrangements will be announced later.

Mrs. L. W. McGlin, of Gaffney, S. C.

Special to The Observer.

Gaffney, S. C., Aug. 14.—Mrs. L. W. McGlin died very suddenly at her home here Wednesday morning. She had been in ill health for some months but no uneasiness was felt for her condition. Her husband, L. W. McGlin, was not at home when she died but was in the mountains of North Carolina and only arrived home yesterday afternoon, after being notified of Mrs. McGlin's death. The interment took place at Oakland Cemetery this afternoon.

Ralph MacGregor, of Pennsboro, W. Va.

Special to The Observer.

Greensboro, Aug. 14.—Mr. Ralph MacGregor, of Pennsboro, W. Va., died of tuberculosis at his boarding place in this city to-day. His father and mother and a brother were with him when he died. The young man was 23 years old and had been afflicted with the dread malady for several years. He came to Greensboro some time ago in the hope that the change of climate would improve his condition. The deceased was a nephew of Mr. W. E. MacGregor, president of the Huntley-Stockton-Hill Company. The funeral will take place in Pennsboro, W. Va., to-morrow afternoon.

MARRIAGES.

Fink-Brincheff, at Statesville.

Special to The Observer.

Statesville, Aug. 14.—Mr. George Fink, a well-known and wealthy citizen of Salisbury, and Miss Lena Brincheff, of Statesville, were married Wednesday evening about 7 o'clock at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Brincheff, on Fourth street. Quite a large number of the bride's young friends witnessed the ceremony, which was performed by Rev. J. H. Pressly. Shortly after the marriage Mr. and Mrs. Fink drove to the station and left on No. 12 for an extended bridal trip to Washington, New York, Niagara Falls and other points, after which they will be at home in Salisbury.

The marriage of this young woman, who is only 18 years old, to the gentleman of middle life is just a little romantic. Miss Brincheff, who is an attractive little woman, went to Salisbury some months ago to visit an aunt there and it seems that Mr. Fink fell desperately in love with her at first sight. He paid her some attention in Salisbury and since her return home he has called on her a number of times. He had been here but once or twice when it was whispered that the couple was to wed, and a short time later the friends of the bride were informed as to when the event would take place.

PASQUOTANK COUNTRY CLUB.

Elizabeth City Parties Purchase a Site in Camden County on Pasquotank River, Easily Accessible by Water and Land.

Special to The Observer.

Elizabeth City, Aug. 14.—A deed has been recorded in Camden county from D. G. Brockett, of this city, and other, conveying to certain parties the site of ground intended for the new country club, a movement for which was started some time ago and concerning which mention was made by The Observer's correspondent. The location is about four miles down the Pasquotank river at the mouth of Arnegue creek, on the Camden side. The site contains about six acres of forest which can be converted into beautiful shaded parks, drives and walks. It is approached by land or water.

The club is now in process of organization and is composed of a number of business and professional men of the city. Assessments have been made and it is understood that the members will proceed at once to the fulfillment of their plans. Swinging around the point the channel of the mouth of the creek approaches close to the shore and it is on the elevation of the point that the club house is proposed to be erected.

The first construction will very probably be confined to satisfy temporary needs, but in such a way that it may form a lesser part of a more pretentious structure for the future. Such a club will offer to its members all the advantages of a watering resort and a country home. The easiness of its access makes it available in the shortest time, both the river and the county roads leading almost directly to it.

Why Charlie Stays by His Business.

Danbury Reporter.

Mr. Charlie Boyles stays in his store night and day; the reason why is he has purchased him a new phone to talk to the Oak Grove girls. Look out girls, he is coming. Mr. Boyles is an industrious young man; he is digging a new well and will put up a new dwelling house soon.

M. E. Ingalls to Stump For Bryan.

Indianapolis Dispatch, 11th.

Gilbert H. Hendren, chairman of the speakers' bureau of the Democratic State committee, received a letter to-day from M. E. Ingalls, of Cincinnati, in which Mr. Ingalls accepts an invitation to make a Democratic speech in this city early in October.

FIRST AID FOR THE DROWNING.

Two Cases of Resuscitation After a Long Time in the Water.

New York Sun.

The following directions for resuscitating a seemingly drowned person are published in the current *Lauch*: First—Loosen the clothing; place the face downward with the forehead resting on one of the knees and the face turned to one side. Open the mouth; seize the tongue between the fingers, covered with a handkerchief or piece of cloth, and draw it forward between the teeth; clear the mouth and throat from mucus by passing the forefinger, covered with a handkerchief or piece of cloth, far back into the mouth, thus opening a free passage to the windpipe.

Second—Turn the body face upward; shoulders resting on folded coat or pillow; keep tongue drawn forward; raise the arm backward and upward to the sides of the head; this expands the chest and allows the air to enter the lungs. Then slowly move them downward, bending them so that the elbows will come to the sides and the hands cross on the pit of the stomach, and press them gently but strongly against the sides of the chest. This forces the air out of the lungs. Continue these two movements, which produce artificial breathing, very deliberately about ten or twelve times in a minute, and without ceasing until the patient breathes naturally, or until satisfied that life is extinct.

Third—While this is being done a little friction on the chest may be produced by rubbing gently with warm flannel, and the body may be stripped and then wrapped in dry blankets.

After natural breathing begins continue very gently for a few minutes the two movements which produce artificial breathing.

After natural breathing is fully restored give the patient a teaspoonful of brandy, hot sluz or tea two or three times a minute until the beating of the pulse can be felt at the wrist.

Rub the arms and legs upward and the feet and hands with warm or dry flannel.

Apply hot cloths to the body, legs and arms and bottles of hot water to the feet.

Do not be discouraged if animation does not return in a few minutes. The patient sometimes recovers after hours of labor.

Do not allow the tongue to fall back and close the windpipe while the arms are being worked.

Do not rub the legs and arms until natural breathing is restored.

Do not put any liquid in the mouth until natural breathing is fully restored.

Do not roll the body or handle it roughly.

Do not allow the head to hang down.

There have been two recent and striking illustrations of the fact that the resuscitation of the apparently drowned is to a surprising extent a matter of patience and perseverance.

The New York life saving service reports the case of a man who was revived after he had been under water twenty-three minutes, the work of resuscitation taking over a day. At Atlantic City a man was revived after he had been in the water ten minutes. He was worked over for an hour or more.

The Income Tax.

A tax on the hundreds of millions of annual income of the wealthy would far toward relieving the burden of taxation now borne by people with small incomes or almost no incomes at all. There is no more just or equitable way of raising public revenue.

THE WEATHER.

Washington, Aug. 14.—Forecast: Virginia, fair Saturday; Sunday partly cloudy, probably showers and somewhat cooler in the interior; light variable winds.

North Carolina, fair Saturday; Sunday partly cloudy, probably showers and somewhat cooler in south portion; light south winds.

South Carolina, Georgia, west Florida, Alabama, Mississippi and Louisiana, generally fair Saturday and Sunday; light south winds on the coast.

East Florida, local showers Saturday and Sunday; light to fresh east winds.

Eastern Texas, fair Saturday, except possibly showers and cooler in the afternoon or night in northwest portion; Sunday generally fair; fresh southeast to south winds on the coast.

Western Texas, fair Saturday, preceded by showers in north and extreme west portions; Sunday fair, warmer in west portion.

Arkansas, local showers and somewhat cooler Saturday or Saturday night; Sunday fair.

Tennessee and Kentucky, partly cloudy Saturday; showers and somewhat cooler at night or Sunday.

West Virginia, fair Saturday; Sunday showers and somewhat cooler, variable winds.

LOCAL OFFICE U. S. WEATHER BUREAU.

Charlotte, Aug. 14.—Sunrise 5:43 a. m.; sunset 7:13 p. m.

TEMPERATURE (in degrees).

Highest temperature .. 83

Lowest temperature .. 71

Mean temperature .. 76

Excess for the day .. 5

Accumulated excess for month .. 170

Accumulated excess for year .. 2,110

Total for 24 hours ending 5 p. m. .. 0

Total for the month .. 2.14

Accumulated deficiency for month .. 64

Total for the year .. 2,110

Accumulated deficiency for year .. 5.24

Prevailing wind direction .. South

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