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Items of Interest from Various Places as Viewed and Told by Those on the Field.—Personals.

South Lowell News.

Once again spring has opened with its beautiful rays of sunlight it makes the farmers feel like working.

S. E. Terry son of Elder S. P. Terry left last Tuesday for the State of Washington, where he will make his home in the future.

E. G. Harris and Miss Mary Russell spent Sunday afternoon at the home of W. S. Terry.

Mrs. S. H. Hunt who has been ill for some time is so slowly improving.

The South Lowell school will close 17th of April children are anticipating on having a big picnic.

A. W. Wagner is having a new residence erected in this neighborhood. We are glad to know that some one is in the notion of remaining in this country for a while.

Departed this life on the morning of the third of March, 1908, Mrs. W. S. Terry, aged fifty-eight years and eleven months. She was the mother of eight children—seven living, and one dead. God in his infinite wisdom has made a void in this home circle that can never be filled. A fire side without mother is over-shadowed with a gloom, the clouds of which seem to linger even when the grave has consumed all that was mortal, and naught but dust remains of the dear loved from. Holy memories cluster round the one word "mother." It is the first and sweetest name ever uttered by a child's prattle. To the dear bereaved family should come this consolation, that she has gone from the evil to come. All life's cares are left behind all suffering has ceased, for she believed firmly in "salvation by grace," and for many years has cherished the hope that death would open for her "the gate to endless joy as is written." "By grace are ye saved, through faith that not of yourselves 'tis the gift of God, not of works, lest any man should boast." The subject of our sketch was a loving character, adored by her husband and children, loved by all who knew her, ever ready to respond to the needs of the suffering. Dear children, forget not her instructions live as she desired you to live.

Dear mother, thou has left us, our loss we deeply feel; 'tis God who hath bereft us, can all our sorrows heal.

Do not wish thee back again, dear mother, with God remain. We hope to gain that peaceful shore where those who meet shall part no more.

F. S. Terry and family wish to express thanks to their many friends for the kindness rendered them during the brief illness of their mother.

Durham Route 5.
Crabtree's little daughter was bitten by a mad dog one last week, she was carried to Durham to the madstone which she was going back again Saturday it failed to adhere. The child after biting the child bit several dogs and killed a few in the neighborhood and his escape.

M. Lea, while working with a drill last week, happened quite a painful accident. Fertilizer attachment failing to work properly.

It took all of the big cog wheel and gave it a pull, his mules moving at the same time drawing his hand in between two cog wheels, he thought by backing his team his hand would be extricated but owing to the disc already being in the ground this also pulled his hand in farther, he then reached with his free hand for the only rock in reach thinking that he would break the wheel, but the rock broke first, he then began to call for help, and in about an hour made himself heard, but when help arrived it took one hour to extricate him. His hand is badly lacerated the cogs having met through his hand.

James Rhodes is attending court at Hillsboro this week being one of the jurors.

Fletcher Garrard who has been sick for sometime is able to be out again.

Edgar Couch and sister, who have had the grippe are improving.

Mrs. Jack Carroll is having a work frolic to-day (Wednesday,) she is covering her house.

Messrs. Horner and Barber had the misfortune to break a piece of their engine last Monday so their saw mill is standing for a few days.

David Clayton who has been laid up with a sprained ankle for several days is up again.

Johnson had an old grey mule although he was black. Any man was a fule. To try to get on that mule's back.

One day there came along a fellow, Who said he cu'd ride him, He was neither white nor black, but yellow

And he got astride him. The mule he kicked and bucked, He cut the pigeon wing, The fellow clucked and clucked And to that mule he did cling. The mule snorted and cavorted, Tried all the tricks but one he knew.

Then that fellow he escorted, To the banks of the river Blue. The river was only one mile wide And two or three miles deep. The mule said before I got to the other side. This fellow will be asleep. The mule made a deep dive And came out with a splash, splash.

No wonder this fellow could survive For he was still astride eating a fish. B. F. H.

From Stem.
It continues to rain and but little plowing has been done by farmers in this section.

Rev. A. W. Roberts preached at Roberts Chapel last Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Francis Bullock died March 7th, and was buried at the home burying ground. She leaves four children, three sisters and many friends and relatives to mourn her death. She was a devoted member of the Stem Methodist church.

Mrs. M. A. Monk has returned from Lynchburg, where she had been during the past four weeks attending the bedside of her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Claud Monk, who has been suffering with an attack of typhoid fever. She reports Mrs. Monk as being on the road to recovery.

Church Almost Finished.

St. Joseph's church, the beautiful memorial of a son's beautiful love for his parents, is almost finished in West Durham.

This is the church that Mr. W. A. Erwin erects to his father and mother and is in charge of Rev. Thomas L. Trott. It is a very beautiful piece of architecture, as well as sentiment and when finished will be one of the prettiest worshiping places in the city or the two outside Durhams.

The seats are being placed and the close of the month will see pretty nearly everything ready. The consecration of the church has been set for the first Sunday in May. On that occasion, Bishop Cheshire and a number of clergymen will be present and assist in the dedicatory services. All of Mr. Erwin's close kinspeople will attend the services and it will be an occasion in which the finest sentiment of the heart will be given manifestation. The people will see what one can do.

Death of Mrs. Chamberlain.

Mrs. Clyde Hill Chamberlain died Tuesday morning very suddenly at her home on East Main Street. Neuralgia of the heart was adjudged the cause of her death.

Mrs. Chamberlain had been somewhat ill a day or two. Monday she was stricken but overcame it and was much better later in the day. Tuesday morning she grew worse and at 7:30 she passed away after having been ill less than one day.

Mrs. Chamberlain was thirty-six years old. About fifteen years ago she married L. L. Chamberlain. She was the adopted daughter of Mrs. Henrietta Hill, of Kinston, and lived with her until she came here. But few relatives remain.

The funeral services were held Wednesday afternoon from Trinity church with Rev. G. T. Adams officiating at 4:30 o'clock.

Death of Mrs. McGhee.

Mrs. Rebecca McGhee, aged seventy-six died Wednesday evening at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Dora Royster, on East Chapel Hill street.

Mrs. McGhee had been ill about three weeks during which time she suffered greatly. The last day and a half of her life, was spent in a comatose condition and her death was expected at any time.

Mrs. McGhee leaves in her immediate family, five daughters: Mesdames, Dora Royster, R. H. Wolfe, J. P. Kerr, M. M. Low and W. H. Parrish, also one son, W. H. McGhee. She had also five sisters, Mrs. J. W. Weaver, Mrs. W. H. Weather- spoon, Mrs. M. M. Howard, Mrs. Dennis Baucum, Mrs. George Barbee and a brother, Mrs. F. P. Hopson. There are many grand children also.

The funeral was held Thursday afternoon at the home on Chapel Hill street. Rev. W. C. Barrett, pastor of the Second Baptist church, officiated, Mrs. McGhee having been a devoted member of the Baptist church many years.

Of course it is his business if he chooses not to resign one place before he gets the nomination for the other, but in our opinion he will have much smoother sailing if he should come down and give the other fellow a fair show at his place. If what people generally say is to be depended upon, he will have a much harder time getting the nomination to Congress while he is solicitor than if he were not.

TWENTY-FIFTH ANNUAL CONVENTION.

Of the North Carolina Sunday School Association.

The greatest Sunday School meeting of the year will take in Burlington on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, April 7-8, in the Christian church. This will probably be the best Convention the State Association has ever held. The Burlington people are making every effort to make the delegates welcome. The entertainment will be free, and any one interested in Sunday School work may attend.

The music will be in charge of Messrs. Tullar and Meredith, of New York City, both of whom are known and loved in our State. It will be worth a trip to Burlington from any part of our State just to be in the song service of the Convention. They have few superiors as leaders of gospel music.

Among the speakers of the program are W. C. Pearce of Chicago, the teacher training Organized Adult Department Superintendent of the International Sunday School Association; Mrs. J. W. Barnes, Superintendent of the Elementary Department of the International Association; Rev. B. W. Spilman, of our own state; Dr. Jas. A. B. Scherer, President of Newberry College, S. C., besides many other Sunday School workers in our state.

It will be of interest to all Sunday School workers to know that the afternoons are to be given to Conference Work. There will be Conferences on Primary Work, on County and township Officers, on Organized Adult Class Work, on Baracca and Philathea Work and on Teacher Training.

Some of the subjects to be discussed are: "America in Sunday School Work," "World's Sunday School Convention at Rome," "Studies of Jesus as a Teacher," "The Pastor's Relation to the Sunday School," "The Making of a Teacher," "Marks of a Well-Organized Sunday School," "How to Win and Hold Men," "The Boy Problem," "Children," "Temperance," "The Adult Organized Class Movement" and other subjects vitally connected with the Sunday School.

This is an inter-denominational Sunday School Convention and every Sunday School in the State should have a representative in Burlington.

Any one wishing to attend should send their name to Mr. W. K. Holt, Burlington, and entertainment will be provided.

Advertisers for the Winchester and Remington firearms and cartridge company will give an exhibition in Durham on March 29th and 30th.

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