

Local News Items

There will be found in this paper a few items of interest which should have appeared in our last issue, but they had to be left over on account of the demand on our advertising space.

Cards have been received here announcing the marriage of Miss Christiana Lyons and James W. Aids, the latter being from Alabama. The ceremony will take place on Dec. 25th, at 8:30 p. m., at the home of the bride's parents, 429 North Main street.

On the afternoon of the 9th, Miss Georgia Lindsay and Clarence O. Brown, of Salisbury, were married in Chicago, where Mr. Brown is now located.

Geo. Mowery, Jr., who sustained painful injuries some days ago, by falling from the concrete wall near the Innis street bridge, has not yet recovered.

The Spencer Y. M. C. A., has been formally opened to the public. This building is a beautiful and well appointed one, and a visit of inspection there will be well worth while.

Miss Belle Workman and J. F. Martin were married on the 9th, at the home of the bride's sister in Granite Quarry, Rev. Geo. H. Cox officiating.

A. L. Van Noys, who has been in charge of the Brenner Lumber Company's business here, has severed his connection with the company and returned to his home in Indiana. R. W. Walker succeeds him in the management of the business.

News has been received here of the death of Rev. N. S. Jones, a former pastor of the Baptist church in this city. The funeral was held in Raleigh on Dec. 9th.

Salisbury and Rowan county are to have a Fair Association, and it is now the intention to have everything in readiness for the first fair, next fall. Some of the gentlemen mentioned in connection with the promotion of the enterprise are: Hon. John S. Henderson, M. L. Jackson, T. H. Vanderford, Sr., T. B. Brown and J. M. Maupin.

According to the Mooresville Enterprise, Miss Essie Bell Sechler, of Enochville, and Sherman Walter, were married recently at Mooresville by Esq. C. V. Foils.

In the shake-up resulting from the recent changes of officials of the Southern Railway Company, it is rumored that Salisbury may have one of the important offices located here.

F. P. Roesch, the master mechanic, who succeeded W. S. Murrian at the Spencer shops, has assumed charge of his duties.

J. V. Goodnight, an employe of the Whitney Reduction Company, died at Whitney last week of heart disease. The funeral was held at Luther's chapel in China Grove on the 4th.

Floods the body with warm, glowing vitality, makes the eyes strong, quickens circulation, restores natural vigor, makes you feel like one born again. Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. 85 cents. T. W. Grimes Drug Co.

Sam Harris and Kid Jones, two negroes, had a row over a woman a few nights since, when Harris attacked Jones with a knife and cut him seriously. Harris was arrested and gave bond.

A number of people are finding that the recently published schedule of the Salisbury-Spencer Street Railway Company, a sort of 15 puzzle.

Petitions are being prepared, addressed to the officials of the Southern Railway, urging a better service on the Yadkin road. T. H. Vanderford, Sr., who has the matter in charge, will place it in the hands of the Merchants' Association.

Mrs. I. Littman and children returned last week from a visit of several months in Germany.

A recent special to the Charlotte Observer from St. Louis announced the death of F. William Reader, who was a resident of Salisbury some years ago.

Miss Mary Mowery, of Franklin township, and James L. Eudy, of Salisbury, were married last Sunday, by Esq. F. M. Tarrh, at his home on Chestnut Hill.

Miss Mary Roueche has gone to Baltimore, where she will spend several weeks with her father, Engineer P. D. Roueche, who is still in a hospital in that city.

P. D. Roseman, Marion Snider and Hugh Sowers are here from Chapel Hill and will spend the holidays at home.

The Salisbury Drug Company has recently put in one of the handsomest soda fountains to be found anywhere. Everything connected with it is of latest design and it will prove a great drawing card for the firm.

Mrs. David Elliott died at her home in Franklin township last Wednesday night, death resulting from pneumonia. The funeral was held from the Lutheran church at Zeb, on Thursday afternoon.

H. F. Modlin, who formerly conducted a cigar and news stand at the Hotel Vanderford, has moved to Norfolk, Va., with his family. His business was purchased by Robt. B. Blake, former clerk at the Central Hotel.

Last Wednesday evening, Miss Lola B. Aaron and Samuel B. Kerr, were married at the parsonage of the Main street Methodist church, Rev. J. H. Farrington officiating.

Remember.—At 4 o'clock p. m., December 24th, our contest for the prize gold watch closes. All votes must be in this office by that time or they cannot be counted. We have learned that some persons in the county are doing some energetic hustling. We cannot tell how much they may do, but the friends of candidates now in the field should not be too confident.

For any of the ordinary diseases of the skin Chamberlain's salve is excellent. It not only allays the itching and smarting but effects a cure. For sale by James Plummer and Spencer Phar. Spencer, N. C.

For Sale at a Bargain.—Harness Factory and Tannery conveniently located. New buildings and up-to-date machinery. Address Factory, care this paper.

Death of Miss Lentz.

Miss Lottie Lentz, of Rockwell, departed this life November 20th, 1906. She had been a sufferer for some time from that dreadful disease, consumption. But during all of her suffering she was very submissive, never complained. Her mother and several brothers and sisters preceded her to the better land. The care of the home thus rested upon her. She will be missed by her aged father. She will be missed by her church. When she was in good health she was an active worker in the Sunday school and the church. Yes, she will be missed. She will be missed by her friends, those who knew her well. She always wore a cheerful countenance. Her funeral services were conducted by her former pastor, Rev. J. M. L. Lyster and her present pastor, Rev. W. W. Rowe. She was laid to rest in St. Luke's graveyard, the family burial place. The bereaved family and relatives have the sympathy of friends and above all the comfort and peace of their Heavenly Father.

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Mrs. Fisher Dead.
On last Saturday afternoon George A. Fisher received a telegram announcing the death of his mother, Mrs. Mary Barnhardt Fisher, the widow of the late Capt. J. A. Fisher, recently deceased. Mrs. Fisher's death occurred at Newton, where she was visiting a daughter. The remains were brought to Salisbury on Sunday and taken to the Fisher home, about four miles from the city. The funeral was held Monday afternoon from Grace Lutheran church. The deceased was 78 years of age and leaves eight children.

The Rowan Pensioners.

Superior Court Clerk, J. Frank McCubbins, has received the warrants for the Rowan county pensioners, and has been busy distributing them. Two of the first class, receive \$60 each; five of the second class, \$45 each; fourteen of the third class, \$35 each; one hundred and twenty-four of the fourth class, \$18 each; one hundred and six widows, \$18 each, and four totally blind, \$30 each.

Visitors From Tennessee.

Governor Cox, of Tennessee, accompanied by a number of prominent citizens of that State, passed the city Friday night on their way to Norfolk. The trip is being made in the interest of Tennessee exhibits which are to be made at the Jamestown Exposition.

Notice to Advertisers.

Changes of advertisements to receive proper attention, should be received at the office on Monday. This is very important and we hope our friends will observe it as near as possible.

Capt. Dodson Ill.

Capt. J. A. Dodson, superintendent of construction of the Southern Railway, who was in Charlotte this week on business, is seriously ill at his home in Atlanta. He was taken sick while in the city and was accompanied home by General Superintendent G. R. Loyal.—Charlotte News.

Injured by a Fall.

Engineer H. D. Major, of Spencer, fell from his engine to the ground a few days since, and was brought home for medical attention. One of the steam pipes sprang a leak and the steam was escaping. The engineer wishing to avoid being severely scalded, jumping to the tender, slipped and fell. The engine was running at a rate of about 20 miles an hour when the accident occurred.

New Church For Spencer.

Arrangements are now under way for the erection of a Reformed church in Spencer. Rev. W. B. Duttera has been able to secure, through the generosity of the Southern Railway, two suitable lots near the school building in West Spencer, and he is of the opinion that work on the new church will begin next summer.

Badly Scalded.

Monday afternoon while Mrs. John W. Webb was taking a kettle of boiling water from the stove, it was turned over and the water was poured on her face and shoulder. A physician was called in at once and administered remedies to bring relief. While the burns are quite serious and painful it is not thought they will result in disfigurement.

On the evening of the 5th at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Dennis, in East Salisbury, Miss Dennis became the bride of Wilbur P. Dennis, the ceremony being performed by Esq. C. M. Higgins. Mr. Higgins was elected at the last election, and this is the first couple he has married.

Standing of the Voting on the Watch.

- Miss Beulah Gardner, Faith, 1,975
 - Miss Stella Owens, Chestnut Hill, 925
 - Miss Mary Hutchins, Scotch-Irish township, 500
 - Callie Ribben, City, No. 7, 450
 - Miss Lillie Taylor, Gold Hill, No. 1, 175
 - Miss Alpha Briggs, Barber, No. 11, 100
 - Miss Addie McInyre, Woodleaf, 75
 - Miss Mary Seyfert, Salisbury, 75
 - Miss Mandina Bostian, China Grove, 50
 - Miss Mary Stoner, Cranen, 300
 - Miss Zella Pless, Crescent, 50
- Now is the time to get busy for your favorite if you would see her win.

About Digestion.

It is not the quantity of food taken but the amount digested and assimilated that Camberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets invigorate the stomach and liver and enable them to perform their functions. The result is a dish for your food, increased strength and weight, greater endurance and a clear head. Price, 25 cents. Samples free. For sale by James Plummer and Spencer Phar. Spencer, N. C.

ELECTRIC BITTERS
THE BEST FOR BILIOUSNESS AND KIDNEYS.

HOUSING OF FOWLS.

How to Care For Them During Cold Weather.
If houses for poultry are to be built, attend to the matter at once before cold weather interferes with outside work, writes Eben E. Rexford in "Making the Country Home" in "Outing Magazine" for October. Everything should be in readiness for the flock by the coming of cold weather. If you have houses already, go over them and see that they are in perfect repair.

In building the first thing to do is to select a proper location. The ideal one is the south slope of a hill. The next best one is a place protected from cold winds by buildings on the north and west. If no facilities for shelter are at hand, the north wall of the building must be made of extra thickness. Evergreen trees make an excellent wind break, and I would advise planting them for future protection, no matter how thick you make the walls of your house.

Be very sure that whatever location you select has perfect drainage. This is a matter of the greatest importance. Leading poultrymen agree that more sickness among fowls originates from dampness than from all other causes. More and more the opinion grows among practical poultry growers that the best house for fowls consists of a closed room, in which they may roost, lay and remain in cold weather, if they choose to do so, and a shed opening to the south, where they can scratch and sun themselves to their liking. There should be an opening between this shed and the closed room, through which the fowls may have free egress during the day, but which should be closed at night in cold weather and for the protection of the hens from intruders. The shed floor should be covered with chaff, straw or leaves to the depth of five or six inches. If road dust or sand is mixed with it, the better the fowls will be suited. If grain is scattered over the litter, the fowls will busy themselves scratching for it, and this open air exercise will be a strong factor in keeping the flock healthy. It will also result in a larger yield of eggs, if an egg producing diet is given in connection with it.

How to Clean Ribbons.

Ribbon in delicate shades which has lost its color and is somewhat soiled may be washed in naphtha, a process which will effectually prevent it from fading, says the New York American. The soiled pieces should be placed in the naphtha and thoroughly saturated with it, every few inches of the ribbon in turn being well rubbed with the hands. When the spirit has absorbed much of the dirt empty it into a clean bottle and continue the process with some fresh naphtha. If all the spirit is bottled, well corked and set aside for a day or two, the grains of dirt will be found to settle at the bottom of the bottle, leaving the liquid above clear and clean. When poured off into a fresh receptacle it can be used again and again. After this treatment the ribbon should be pressed with a hot iron on the right side over a piece of brown paper. One method of treating ribbon which has been washed is to "squeegee" it on a polished surface. It should be laid flat on a clean marble slab—the chimneypiece or the top of a washstand will answer the purpose—the ribbon being pressed down smoothly with the palms of the hands until it adheres to the surface of the marble. Leave it to dry, and when it is rolled off it will be found to have a luster which cannot be attained by ironing.

How to Wash a Corset.

The art of washing a corset is quite an unknown one to a majority of women. There are some women who have never heard of washing the corset, and as white ones do not stay clean very long it adds considerable to one's expenses to lay them aside when but slightly soiled. The following advice might be taken in this matter: After removing the steels lay the corset on a board or table and scrub with a small stiff brush which has been covered with a lather of white soap. Rinse many times with cold water, pull straight and allow to dry. The steels are easily placed when dry. It is also best to dry as quickly as possible, and if the sun is hot enough it might prove beneficial.

DR. KING'S NEW DISCOVERY
Will Surely Stop That Cough.

Government Clerks.

The government clerks at Washington are moving for a general increase of salaries and the Washington Post is backing them. The clerks will be satisfied if Congress will give them \$10,000 a year each and a four-hour day, with twelve months annual leave.—Houston Tex., Post.

To Cure a Cold in one Day

Take LAXATIVE BROMO Quinine Tablets. Druggists refund money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box.

I Have Several High Grade Sewing MACHINES
Slightly Used,
which I will sell for prices ranging from \$7.00 to \$20.00. None of them worth less than \$15.00. Come quick and get a bargain. New Machines of all kinds at reasonable prices.
ALSO ORGANS
at a less price than you can get the same goods elsewhere.
W. M. RUTH,
Salisbury, N. C.
107 North Main Street.

A Fine Farm For Sale
in Rowan county, N. C., near Cleveland, on the Statesville and Salisbury road, also on the Salisbury and Statesville railroad. This farm is known as the Kerr place, lying on 3rd creek. Fine rich soil for cotton, corn, wheat and oats. About 80 acres in cultivation, 45 in fine pasture, about 60 or 70 acres in original forest, pine, oak and hickory. One good five room dwelling newly covered, one large frame barn, one log-crib and wagon shed, one cow-barn, implement sheds, buggy shed, log well-house, smoke house, good fence around barn and garden, plum fruit, a fine well of water as can be found in the county. This farm contains 172 acres. Any one wishing to buy will please call on or write to
J. M. CROWELL,
Statesville, N. C.
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MORTGAGE SALE.
Pursuant to the provisions contained in a Mortgage Trust Deed Registered in Book No. 28, page 42, made by Chas. H. Hartman and wife, Emma I. Hartman, for the protection and benefit of the undersigned, on the 28th day of May, 1906, default having been made in the payment of this debt, which said Mortgage was given to secure, the undersigned will sell at public sale for cash, at the court house door in the city of Salisbury on the
5th day of January, 1907,
next, the following property: Beginning at a stone, Morris' corner, and runs thence S. 2 degs. W. 23.30 chs. to a stone, Rodgers' corner, thence N. 83 degs. E. 15.19 chs. to a stone, Rodgers' corner, thence N. 18 degs. E. 16.44 chs. to a stone, corner of W. W. Klutz's lot, thence N. 7 1/2 degs. W. 17 chs. to a stone, thence W. 2 chs. to the beginning, containing 28 1/2 acres, be the same more or less. See deed to Emma I. Hartman registered in Register's office for Rowan county. Conveyed by the said Chas. H. Hartman and wife, Emma I. Hartman, to satisfy the debt provided for in said mortgage.
JOHN J. STEWART,
Trustee.

Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic
has stood the test 25 years. Average Annual Sales over One and a Half Million bottles. Does this record of merit appeal to you? No Cure, No Pay. 50c.
Enclosed with every bottle is a Ten Cent package of Grove's Black Root Liver Pills.

CHRISTMAS GIFTS OF FURNITURE
Are the Most Sensible and Lasting.
Give the good wife or friend a Rocking Chair, Dining Table, a Side Board, a Set of Chairs, a nice Sofa, a Lounge, a Set of Bed Room or Parlor Furniture; Something of Real Value and of Lasting Qualities, Something that will be a thing of Joy, Pleasure and Constant Service, not for one day alone, but throughout the year, a happy year. We have all of stock. A Sensible present will be the more appreciated. over you will find many helpful suggestions in the selection. Equally beneficial should you wish Furniture or Household articles. You are cordially invited to come and see me.
Yours for a Pleasant Christmas and a Happy New Year.
W. B. SUMMERSETT, 108 West Innis Street, SALISBURY, N. C.