

# Correspondence.

## FAITH.

G. W. Hoffner is hardly able to be out. He has hands hired to plant his corn.

Mrs. Nancy Hodges has been confined to her bed for several days but is on the mend now.

We attended the district meeting of the I. O. O. F. at Salisbury Friday night. All present had a fine time. There was something doing, with ice cream and refreshments added. A number of good addresses were made by the delegates.

We had the pleasure of hearing a fine sermon preached to the Odd Fellows in Salisbury, Sunday afternoon. Several persons from Faith and Granite Quarry were present.

Columbus Cicero Wyatt, who went to Mount Airy and bought a plantation, where he has located, was married April 14th. A large number of friends and relatives attended the wedding and enjoyed a dinner given on the occasion. We wish them a long and happy life.

Mrs. Addie Ketner has gone to Charlotte to visit her brother.

VENUS.

## UNION CHURCH.

April 29th.

We are very glad to see the beautiful sunshine once again. Guess the snow blizzards (or lizards) are all gone now.

Rev. N. D. Bodie leaves for synod this week; for this reason there will be no preaching on the first Sunday.

Wm. Verbe visited A. L. Lyerly last Sunday. Come again William.

Several of the A. D. K. members, of this neighborhood, spent a few hours in Salisbury on the night of the 27th. Of course they made us a very nice and interesting report. They say they will remember the event and all the things which resulted in pleasure and enjoyment. Hurrah for the A. D. K.

W. F. Rufty and C. J. H. Lyerly are doing some painting for D. L. Arey. Don't you know they make a shine?

Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Mahaley visited at Rev. N. D. Bodie's last Sunday evening.

Almost a surprise, but not quite, was the toll of the wedding bell yesterday about 4 o'clock, when Rev. N. D. Bodie tied the silver cord which united T. L. Canup and Miss Carrie Horah in the holy bonds of matrimony. Mr. Canup is a very enthusiastic Junior and a steady employe of the Southern at Spencer. We heartily congratulate him and his bride, a very prominent young lady of Dunn's Mountain. We wish them much joy.

Mrs. David Mahaley had her dwelling house covered last week. It is all O. K., now.

We are informed that there will be a picnic at Dunn's Mountain May 9th, (Ascension day). We have been given the opportunity to invite everybody, and all that will come with respect and make the event a success and spend the day together joyously to be remembered.

We knew the sun would shine some day, for it had been cloudy so long. Guess it will make 'em all crawl out of their nests and get busy.

CHUB.

## Houston Gets the Limit.

Naybern, N. C., April 25.—In the United States court in session here a rather peculiar condition of affairs was developed in the case of Jonak Houston, tried on the charge of illicit distilling. The defendant is a resident of Onslow county and has acquired such an undesirable reputation that a petition was given Judge Purnell, signed by forty residents of the county, asking the court to give Houston the limit, as he has made life a burden to the people in his neighborhood. The judge complied with the petitioners' request by giving the defendant two and one-half years in prison and a fine of \$500.—Special to Charlotte Observer.

## SOUTH ROWAN.

April 29th.

The double funeral service to have been held at Organ Church, was postponed on account of the illness of Mrs. Jane House. It will be held the second Sunday in May, provided Mrs. House is better.

Jacob Holschouer, who moved to Salisbury recently, is visiting his old friends in South Rowan.

Mrs. Miles Josey is unable to do anything on account of rheumatism. We hope her speedy recovery.

Eli D. A. Sifford has another fine horse.

Mrs. W. Shuping is suffering from an attack of asthma. We wish her an early recovery.

A big boy at John Miller's. The little daughter of Mrs. Fannie Shuping is very ill. She has pneumonia.

While Mrs. Dr. Moore, the dentist, was in China Grove, she pulled a number of teeth for people in South Rowan. We wish her success in Salisbury.

Some early ones who planted corn so soon are planting it over. Success to them this time.

ROCKER.

## GOLD KNOB.

April 29.

At last, we have decided to plant corn.

Again it seems that spring has opened up. Corn that was planted a few weeks ago is coming up nicely. Some few have ventured as far as to plant cotton. Our moral is, the slow and steady often win the race.

Wheat is looking all O. K., and it is to be hoped that the wheat crop will not be so bad as was first thought.

Rev. J. A. Linn and Boyden C. C. Trexler, pastor and delegate, will leave Wednesday for Salem church to attend the meeting of the North Carolina Synod and Ministerium, which convenes at that place May 1st.

There will not be any services at St. Peter's on the first Sunday in May, except Sunday school.

Gaston Bailey, who hailed from South Carolina, and who had made his home with W. M. Stoner for the last few months, left very mysteriously last Sunday night, leaving no traces of his whereabouts. Mr. Bailey had built a little house in Mr. Stoner's yard and on every night his request was that Mr. Stoner close the door and latch it from the outside. On this particular night he asked that the door be closed as usual, but when the family retired for the night he made good his escape and has not been heard of since. His absence is a mystery to the community.

Cousin Xerxes, we had decided to have or organize a debating society at this place, but having heard that you had a debating society of your own at Mr. Johnston's, we decided that we couldn't secure your presence and postponed our's for a more convenient season.

The Gold Knob base ball team will cross bats with the Granite Quarry team on next Saturday at Granite Quarry.

The program for the exhibition at the Barger's School house May 9 has been arranged. We had thought of publishing it but too inconvenient. It is thought that the Rockwell Cornet Band will furnish music for the occasion. Everybody cordially invited.

LEE.

## Money Well Bestowed.

Richmond, Va., April 25.—A check for \$1,000 was received in Richmond today from Andrew Carnegie for the home for the needy Confederate women, here. No conditions are attached to the gift, which comes in a personal letter to Miss Mary Custis Lee, who is at the head of the managers, and who met Mr. Carnegie in Florida last season. It is said to be the first contribution made by Mr. Carnegie or any of his assistants to the Confederate institution.

## DUNN'S MOUNTAIN.

April 27.

We have been having some fine weather for a few days.

Miss Esther Cauble has returned from a visit at Jos. W. Miller's, near Richfield, where the measles are in fashion.

David M. Keeler is pushing his residence at this place towards completion.

C. L. Keeler will in the near future ride the I. O. O. F. goat. We wish him a pleasant journey.

Masters Hubbard, Fradie and Dewey Klutz were visiting in our community Sunday last.

Some things are carried on in the country which should not be; for instance when parties drive along the road and look out to one side and can see in plain view a party of young men sitting at a game of cards, and on Sunday at that.

W. S. Earnhardt, of Faith, has fixed our chimney and done other repairs necessary. We can now have a fire and keep dry when it rains. Mr. Earnhardt was paid the \$25 that we received from the insurance company. If you need anything in his line call on W. S., and he will fix you up.

If Bro. Lee and his friends want to have some fun and get their money's worth, they are cordially invited to come over to Union Church school house and meet with Jr. O. U. A. M. Council No. 198, and be introduced into the mysteries of the A. D. K. Your money will be refunded if you don't think you have received the worth of the 25 cents. Advise yours truly before you decide to come.

Gold Knob was represented here Sunday. Guess you know the representative.

In Chas. Dry's case about being through planting cotton, Scriptures may hit his case, viz: "The first shall be last, and the last shall be first." Go slow, brother.

M. A. and Mrs. Cauble spent Saturday night and Sunday in our community. Glad to see you, come again.

We would suggest to Bro. Lee that he give us the programme of the exhibition at the Barger Academy Ascension day. Guess Bro. Lee will be on hand.

The A. D. K., march and everything connected with the same last Saturday night was quite interesting and was enjoyed by all the brethren.

Council No. 106 will meet Saturday evening, May 4, at 8 o'clock. BARTLETTE.

## Merchants Meet.

The Salisbury Merchant's Association held a meeting last Thursday night. The committee on the use of the delinquent list made a report and the list was made part of the by-laws. The trading stamp system was discussed and it was found that there was considerable sentiment against it. A resolution, having for its object the prevention of the use of trading stamps here, was adopted. It was decided to invite Norman H. Johnson, attorney of the State Association, to address the merchants of the city on the evening of May 15th. A motion was adopted that Postmaster Ramsey be requested to have mail taken from the three letter boxes on Main street at 5:30 in the afternoon.

## Miss Lyerly Weds.

Miss Mary Lyerly, of this county, and M. L. Webb, of Coolemeec, were married on the evening of the 22nd, at the parishage of the Reformed church at Crescent. Mrs. Webb is a daughter of the late Isaac Lyerly, who, with several members of his family was murdered last summer, near Barber. The young lady has been a student at Crescent Academy. Mr. Webb is the proprietor of a hotel in Coolemeec.

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## Wedding at Baptist Church.

The First Baptist church was the scene of a pretty wedding last Friday morning. Miss Helen Ruth Neiber becoming the bride of Leigh James Rodgers. The ceremony was performed by Rev. R. E. Neighbor, brother of the bride. The couple left for Columbus, Ga., immediately after the marriage ceremony.

The bride has recently been engaged in church work in Columbus, Ga., under the auspices of the First Baptist church of that city. She visited Salisbury early in the year and made many warm friends, Mr. Rodgers is the principal of an industrial school at Columbus. The best wishes of many friends go with Mr. and Mrs. Rodgers to their new home.

## Picking Cotton in April.

At least three or four farmers in Johnston have finished picking their cotton in April. This is on account of the scarcity of labor last fall. They could not get it picked and have finished picking this spring. Fourteen hands were seen in a field by a man traveling the road. This sounds like Texas. It is said one frequently sees there hands in one field picking and in an adjoining field another group preparing the land and planting.—Smithfield Herald.

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