

Correspondence.

LIBERTY X ROADS.

Jan. 18.—Owing to the inclemency of the weather and bad roads, the lumber hauling has been postponed.

Messrs. G. A. Trexler and A. L. Poole spent a part of last week in Cabarrus, hunting.

Jno. Parker is clearing a big new-ground.

Owing to the rain last Sunday there was no preaching at the Holiness church.

J. T. Eagle is moving to his new dwelling near the Dutch Creek Roller mills, one mile north of the Cross Roads.

This is leap year and the girls are supposed to go to see the boys, and some of them has made the beginning.

There will be preaching at Liberty next Sunday at 11 a. m.

Miss Effie Isenhour and Richard L. Frick were united in the holy bonds of matrimony Sunday, the 4th. May the blessings of God attend this happy union and long may they live, and happy may they be. Mr. and Mrs. Frick moved the next day to Mr. Frick's new home.

Wm. Morgan visited his brother, J. C. Morgan, last Sunday.

Messrs. I. C. Shaver and C. A. Campbell, agents for the Mutual Fire Insurance Co., has been doing lots of insuring, recently, and are expecting to be out in the business this week if nothing prevents.

It has been reported the Graf mine would put on a force of hands this morning.

Jesse Cranford had a wood chopping recently, and Joseph Hill lost a good watch some where of the new-ground.

Owing to the high waters our mail carrier missed getting around one day recently.

The saw mill business has been knocked in the head until the weather gets favorable for work.

BILLY.

PINEY WOODS.

Piney Woods, Jan. 18.—As Southerner has taken quite a vacation during the holidays, he will again attempt to pencil a few local items from the Piney Woods.

The panic is all the topic with the majority of our people, and is being discussed by all. It has been a harbinger in our section at last. The Southern has quit taking crossties on the Yadkin division of the Southern. That being the chief industry in our section of trade. Most of us have the blues. Hundreds and thousands of ties are made in our section. Some take them to Richfield our principal place of trade and exchange them for goods, which helps the farmer considerably and is generally his winter's occupation. We hope this will not last long and that the situation will become settled and resume the taking of ties.

On Sunday evening, December, 22nd., Charlie Morgan and Miss Fannie Morgan, desiring matrimonial affinity secured a horse and buggy drove to Salisbury, and there got on No. 29 bound for Rock Hill, S. C., and there were married. The whole circumstances has somewhat of a funny nature. When they arrived it was raining terrible hard, but despite the rain they went to a divine and he did the balance. They were married as wet as drowned rats, but came back gayful over their honeymoon. The groom was 17 or 18, and the bride was 25. Our best wishes go with them.

Mrs. I. C. Shaver is very sick at this writing. We hope her case is not serious. Dr. Allen is the attending physician.

The holidays passed off quietly with a merry Christmas and a happy new year.

What has become of Brown-Eyed-Girl? Guess she is taking music lessons as she has treated herself to a new organ. Jesse Harkey has also bought one.

SOUTHERNER.

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CHRISTIAMA.

Christiana, Jan. 18.—Rev. L. B. Spracher, of Virginia, preached at Christiana last Sunday, Jan. 12th. He has not yet fully decided to accept the call sent him by the Union-Christiana charge. He seems to be an ideal man and our people were well impressed concerning his ability.

Junius, the little son of David S. Brown, is ill with bronchial pneumonia. Also Zelia, the little daughter of John A. Lingle, is recovering from pneumonia.

The Crescent school is running at its fullest capacity now.

We note with interest that the so much talked of anti-saloon election in Salisbury is to be a reality. There is nothing that will debase a man more, ruin the boys and pollute a political election more than the selling of liquor, such as Salisbury is famed for. Yet people continue to use it, claiming that when a laboring man starts off on his day's work he must take a dram, then when he gets tired take another. They also claim the business man must drink to sharpen his wits and thereby enable him to carry on business better. Such men in one year's time consume more liquor than the average drunkard you see staggering around the back lots using profane language. Does it give them more energy? No, it only enables them to more quickly consume what energy they have and then they grow dull and therefore they think they must have another drink, going on this way day after day and year after year until some time you pick up the paper and read of a sudden death, due to heart trouble or he has quickly succumbed to some slight ailment, all because his nervous system was completely wrecked, his vitality exhausted by the continued use of alcoholic drinks. This is for the practical side of the question and for all those who think they do not drink to excess and shudder at the thought of being drunk.

Salisbury will be better off financially without saloons because every man who spends his dimes and nickles for liquor takes that much from home and on account of this he has to live in a little hut of his own or pay 2 or 8 dollars per month for rent when he could live in a nice house of his own or pay 10 or 12 dollars rent for a nice house, thereby increasing the value of real estate of Salisbury. Again a big per cent of our court expenses in trying drunkennes and crimes resulting from the same would be eliminated. These saloons are robbing us of our manliness, the flower of our country, the future foundation of our government, and have taken the happiness from many a happy home and have sent into eternal oblivion many a son whom a once fond mother had nestled close in her loving embrace, sending a prayer to Almighty God to some day make her son a hero in the battle of life.

We may scan back the ragged pathway of time and look into the most remote corner of either ancient or modern history; we may go to the loftiest mountain peak or roam the wide world round, but we would never find a man more happy and contented within this old sin-cursed world than William F. Josey, of Crescent. Needless to say it is a little girl.

XERKES.

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FAITH.

Jan 18.—Sidney Wyatt, the youngest son of C. C. Wyatt, has joined the United States standing army. He goes to New York in the cavalry department.

Jacob Holshouser talked over the telephone for the first time from John Josey's residence to Faith. He is 92 years old.

Peeler Brothers have two phones in their store, one from each telephone company.

The big crowd of granite workers has started up on the Phillips mountain to get out building stone to ship to Danville, Va. One car will be loaded Monday.

Peeler Brothers have made arrangements to load a car with cotton seed at Crescent siding Monday and Tuesday. Good cotton seed sells well.

Dolph Gant has opened another fine boulder quarry in Faith near Dolph Eller's and Arch Kluttz's residences.

J. F. Castor is visiting his daughter Mrs. D. A. Frick in Salisbury.

Dolph Misenheimer got his foot mashed while at work on the quarry.

Mrs. George Hoffner has bought the Green B. Eller farm between Organ and Lowerstone churches and will soon move there.

D. A. Hodge got first premium on a pen of white Wyandottes, second on a pen of white Leghorns and other premiums at the poultry show held in Charlotte. There were over 1,500 on exhibition.

Caleb Hess took suddenly ill Monday morning and is under the care of the doctor.

Mayor P. A. Peeler and his wife have gone down to Mrs. Peeler's father's, Rev. R. L. Brown. They heard he had gotten his leg broken by a fall.

William Bame, the superintendent of the granite works of Peeler, Bame & Co. and one of the firm, has gone to Asheville to be under the care of a doctor for consumption.

There will be preaching at the Baptist church here, the 4th Sunday in January at 3 p. m., by Rev. Myers.

VENUS.

DUNN'S MOUNTAIN.

Dunn's Mountain, Jan. 20.—Fine weather along now, but our roads are awful. We hope to see them better soon.

There will be a flag raising at the Dunn's Mountain school house in the near future, at least as soon as the flag pole is put in place. Then Council No. 196 will present the flag and bible.

We hope to see a good attendance at the J. O. U. A. M., meetings in the future for there will be questions to discuss, solid subjects and questions with the pro and con. Hope all the brothers will come and enjoy these discussions. Meeting again February, 1st, 7:30 p. m.

Harvey A. Trexler, of Salisbury, visited in our neighborhood Sunday evening last.

Brother Jno. H. Tippett carried off the prize given by Bro. T. C. Eller, Jr. P. C., for the one bringing in the most new members during Bro. Eller's term as counselor. The prize was a beautiful pin, the emblem of the order. The new counselor will award a prize on certain conditions, to be presented on the last night of his term. This occasion will be public. Plans, however, are not definitely decided yet.

BARTLETTE.

Rank Foolishness.

"When attacked by a cough or cold, or when your throat is sore, it is rank foolishness to take any other medicine than Dr. King's New Discovery," says C. O. Eldridge, of Empire, Ga. "I have used New Discovery seven years and I know it is the best remedy on earth for coughs, colds, croup and all throat and lung troubles. My children are subject to croup, but New Discovery quickly cures every attack." Known the world over as the king of throat and lung remedies. Sold under guarantee at all druggists, 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free.

What the Southern Herald's End-Man Thinks.

And Salisbury chooses the surer if not the easier way.

Those who want the legislature to settle the rate question and adjourn are simply afraid of what it will do.

And so Salisbury has decided to leave it to the legislature. Winston has also practically done the same thing.

Salisbury went at it as if she did not like it, and we are not surprised that she got out of it the first opportunity.

When a man cannot get an office without being a prohibitionist there is no guessing as to where the politicians will be.

If it is right for any legislature to pass a prohibition law for the state we do not know that it makes any particular difference when it is done.

If the temperance wave was what they claim it to be there would be no occasion for putting the saloons and distilleries out of business by legislative enactment.

It is not absolutely necessary that there should be a demand for a state prohibition law. All that you have to do is to make the legislature believe it.

With both sides talking of the probable effect of a state prohibition law on the party we hardly know what to look for.

When the railroad matter is settled a state prohibition law passed and the legislature adjourns there then can be no reason why the several gentlemen should not ask for what they want.

Rowan's representatives in the legislature evidently have all they expect to get.

There is much consolation in the thought that we can live under any law that they can make that applies to all alike.

You should not take it for granted that all of these politicians are prohibitionists just because they want to be.

Real Tainted Money.

In the private practice of one physician in New York there have been four cases of poisoning resulting from handling filthy money within the last three years. A highly respected gentleman died recently from a loathsome disease transmitted to him by a one-dollar bill, the appearance of which alone was sufficient cause for its retirement from circulation. It is not too much to say that most of the paper currency in circulation should be redeemed and destroyed because it is a menace to public health.

That intelligent men and women are content to risk their lives and expose themselves without complaint to infection from this source is most remarkable. Persons who are loud in their denunciation of crowded vehicles, theatre ticket speculators, and the annoyances of street peddlers accept without murmur bank notes, Treasury certificates, and greenbacks so dilapidated as to be almost unusable and so dirty as to be offensive to eye and nose.

The cost of issuing new notes is not prohibitive. The government and the banks, without straining unduly their resources, could adopt the rule of retiring unclean paper money. The public could force them to adopt this policy if it wished. By demanding clean paper, at all times, and in all places it could create a sentiment which would meet with quick response. Thus the danger ever present in handling any article in promiscuous circulation might be reduced to the minimum.—New York Sun.

Sale of Valuable Lands for Partition.

By virtue of an order obtained from the Clerk of the Superior Court of Rowan County in the special proceeding entitled D. A. Beaver and Lafayette Beaver vs. William Earnhardt and wife Alice Earnhardt et al., appointing the undersigned Commissioner to sell certain lands for partition, I will expose for sale at public auction for cash at the court house door in Salisbury, N. C., on

Monday, February 3rd, 1908.

at the hour of 12 M the following described lands: Beginning at a stake, corner of No. 4, thence north 86 chains to stake on division line, corner to No. 4, thence west 5 chains to poplar on division, thence south 25 chains on the old line to post oak, thence east 5 chains on the old line to the beginning, containing 12 1/2 acres.

Another lot, beginning at stake, thence north 25 chains to stake on division line, corner to No. 10, thence west 20 chains on the division line to a stake, thence south 25 chains on line with No. 5 to stake on the original line, thence east 20 chains on the old original line to the beginning, containing 50 acres, the same being lots Nos. 2 and 3 in the division of the lands of John Beaver.

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Having qualified as executor of the last will and testament of Miss Mary Elizabeth Stallings, deceased, I hereby give notice to all her creditors to present their claims to me or to my father, Dr. J. N. Stallings, my agent for this purpose, on or before the 1st day of January, 1908, or this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said deceased will please make payment to said Dr. Stallings, who is hereby authorized to receipt for same.

ROBERT E. STALLINGS, 6t executor of Mary E. Stallings.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

Having this day qualified as Administrator of the estate of D. L. Lefler, deceased, notice is hereby given all persons having claims against said estate to present them to the undersigned on or before Dec. 6th 1908, or this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate are hereby notified to call and settle with the undersigned at once. This Dec. 6, 1907.

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This is to clear house before taking inventory on February 1st. Avail yourself of this opportunity as we are not likely to have another sale in 1908. Positively no goods charged at discount prices.

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