

Correspondence.

UNION CHURCH.

March 1.—There has been a great deal of sickness in this community.

W. A. Goodman is convalescent. He has been confined to his bed for several weeks with pneumonia.

G. A. Boger's house was filled with visitors last Sunday. Too many to name.

G. M. E. Lyerly and wife will leave for Manchester Tuesday night, March the 2nd, where he has secured work.

C. J. H. Lyerly will clerk for A. L. Lyerly at his store near Union church.

There was a large crowd at the base ball playing last Saturday evening at Union Academy. The score stood 7 to 30 when the game ended.

Our farmers are getting in readiness for another crop. The oat crop is all O. K. up to the present time.

C. M. Lyerly has made a disk harrow which does good work, also a corn and fertilizer planter.

Lonie Mahaley and Charley Lyerly went over to Trading Ford for a few hours last Sunday and report a good time.

Walter Agner is at home from Crescent Academy to engage in farming this summer.

Will close till I can get more news, wishing the editor and the readers of THE WATCHMAN success. HUSTLER.

To Past Students of Greensboro Female College.

No accurate record of the Alumnae and students of Greensboro Female College, having been kept during the sixty-three past years of its history, the Alumnae Association is now making an effort to gather as much material as possible for a permanent record of each student. In order to accomplish this, the co-operation of every former student and friend of the institution is earnestly solicited. We request the readers of this paper who may be in possession of any information which would be of value in making this record to kindly send us such information as early as possible.

We would like for every former student to write us, giving her maiden name and present name and address; also what profession or work she has been or is now engaged in, and any other facts of interest.

Why not write at once before you forget it to

Mrs. W. M. CURTIS,
Recorder Alumnae Association,
Greensboro Female College,
Greensboro, N. C.

PARK ACADEMY.

Rockwell, Route 2, Mar. 1.—The people are making good use of the fine weather by plowing for the future crop.

The school at Park Academy which is taught by Miss Roxie Trexler and Miss May Sloop, will close Friday, March 5th, with an exhibition beginning in the evening at 1 o'clock and closing with an entertainment that night. If the weather is too bad it will be held on Saturday the 6th. Everybody come and bring your friends. Remember the date, Friday 5th, if it is not too bad, and, if it is too bad we are going to have it on Saturday 6th. Everybody come.

S. T. and A. L. Trexler were welcome visitors at J. F. Park's last Sunday evening. CRAB.

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FAITH.

February 23.—The little three-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. George Ritchie died here yesterday. The funeral and burial will take place this evening. It had throat trouble and was not sick but a short time.

Almost every lady in this community is receiving a nice set of dishes for selling household articles for a firm in Illinois.

The other night I was in a big city in the North, where all the cotton mill owners of the United States met to devise a plan to start up all the cotton mills. They decided to buy up all the cotton, and thus put money in the people's hands, who in turn, would naturally buy up all the cloth which would make it necessary for the mills to run to supply the demand. I woke up.

Mar. 1.—Miss Leona McCombs, of Mount Amona Seminary, visited her parent Sunday, 21st.

We had peach blossoms here February 24th.

Murry Peeler has bought the old Peeler farm from Rev. J. M. L. Lyerly and will move on it this week.

The incubator at W. M. McCombs turned out 160 little chicks Saturday.

Dolph Casper has moved to Faith into Albert Brown's residence.

J. T. Wyatt shipped three large granite door sills to Burlington Saturday.

Fisher & McCombs shipped forty-five pairs of millstones last week for grinding corn.

D. A. Hodge expects to get his phone in his residence this week. The poles are nearly ready for the wire.

Roy Misenheimer, son of George Misenheimer, is very ill with pneumonia.

Four young couples from China Grove took a buggy ride to visit the scenery at Faith Sunday the 21st.

C. C. Wyatt returned to Monbo, N. C., where he has charge of the blasting force for the Turner Mills Company of that place.

Roland Kirk, of Salisbury, was out looking over his farm here, which has become a valuable piece of property owing to the town growing up all about it.

Chas. A. Peeler of the Globe Department Store, has gone to Baltimore on a business trip and will also spend several days in the capital city taking in the inauguration.

There will be a big school exhibition at the Parks' school house, at Shuping Bros. Roller Mill, next Friday evening and night, March 5th. A big time is expected. The comic dialogues and comic speeches, etc., will be interesting from start to finish.

Venus mailed sixty-two circulars and pamphlets Saturday to different parts of the country to people who ask for information about North Carolina. Any one having a few hundred newspaper clippings about North Carolina would do well to send them to Venus, Faith, N. C., to be mailed out. VENUS.

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LOWERSTONE.

Feb 27.—Miss Rose Ann Bost is right sick at this writing. Her friends hope her a speedy recovery.

Miss Dora Hip has returned home from school. Her eyes failed her.

The Lowerstone boys crossed bats with the Bethany boys on the Lowerstone ground recently. The score stood 4 to 23 in favor of Lowerstone.

There will be preaching services at Lowerstone church every Friday night until easter.

Miss Maggie Moose gave a party to her friends last Thursday night.

Lewis Foutz had his hand out very bad while chopping wood last Thursday.

Jones Klutz has purchased a new top buggy. NEBUHADNEZZAR.

COURT HOUSE HILL.

March 1.—There will be an exhibition at Barger's academy and business college March 12, 1909. Everybody is invited to attend. There will be something worth your time for I know that there be a large crowd.

John R. Lyerly, who lives near this place, lost his purse Saturday, February 27th, between home and Salisbury. While on his way to town he pulled his purse out and got a few dollars out and then, as he thought, put it in his pocket, but missed his pocket and it went down his leg. The purse contained about twenty dollars. Any one that finds it will please bring it to the owner and he will pay you for your trouble. Please be kind and send it to him. JAKE.

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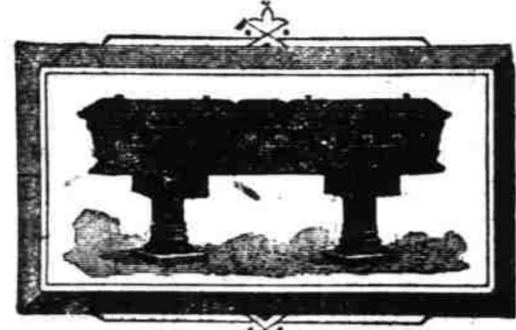
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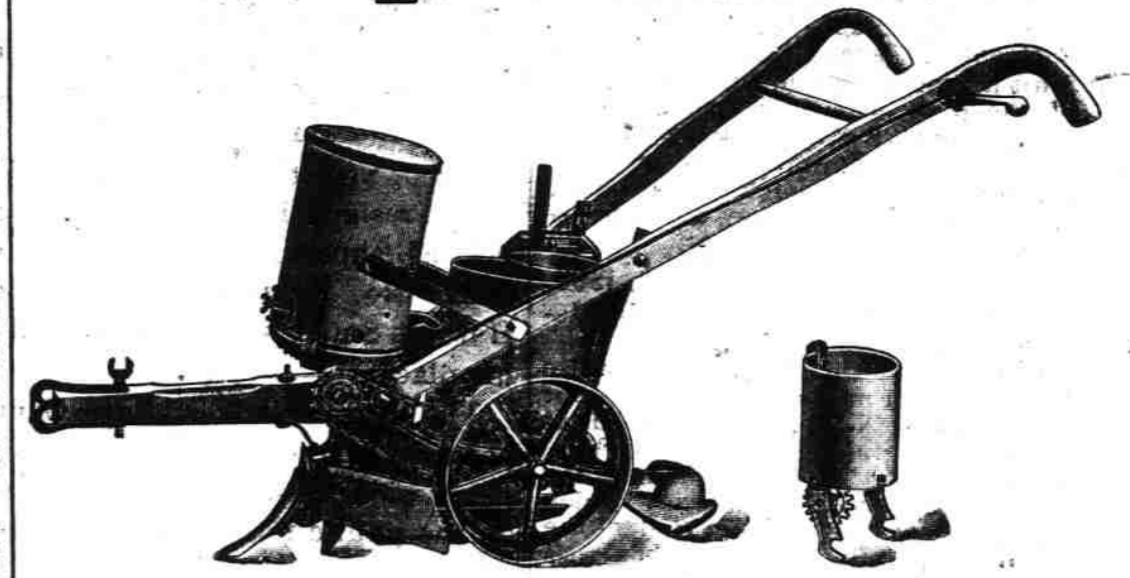
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REV. H. M. BLAIR,
Editor N. C. Christian Advocate,
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