

SPECIAL TO ROWAN COUNTY.

More About this State Convention of the W. T. C. U. in Salisbury.

On the programme for the W. T. C. U. convention to be held in the first Methodist Church, September 29th to October 3rd there will be two special features Friday and Saturday nights.

On Friday night the exercises will be of unusual interest, as perhaps one hundred boys and girls, from the city and country, will participate. Don't fail to see them. On Saturday night there will be a contest for a gold medal. The contestants are young ladies and gentlemen of this county.

All patriotic citizens should make a special effort to encourage the young people of their county by going to hear them.

Mrs. B. W. Hatcher, who is county superintendent, is in charge of the exercises for the two evenings, and she is doing faithful work, preparing the children to entertain you.

Prof. W. S. Taylor is assisting Mrs. Hatcher in the music for Saturday night, which means success on that point. The programme will appear later.

Some Special Premiums for Rowan Farmers.

The directors of the Rowan Fair Association last week mailed checks for about one-fourth of the amounts of premiums awarded at last year's Yadkin Valley Fair.

The latter association was forced into the hands of a receiver on account of the heavy losses incurred by reason of the very unfavorable weather which prevailed the week of last year's fair, and the new association decided to reimburse the exhibitors to the above named extent. We are informed that the Rowan Fair Association has the money in bank to pay all premium awards this year, even under the most unfavorable weather condition. The premium list which is now being printed at the Watchman office, has a number of new features some of which none of the other fairs have, including cash premiums for buggy horses, one and two-horse wagon teams, mule teams, etc., all of which must be owned by farmers. No town or livery man can compete for these premiums. This is done to encourage the farmers of Rowan county to bring out their good stock, of which there is an abundance in the good old county.

Order in Esson Company Receivership.

Asheville, Sept. 27.—In United States circuit court today Judge Pritchard in the matter of the National Trust Company et al., against the Esson Granite Company et al., signed an order allowing Mr. George R. Collins, receiver for the Esson Company to be made a party defendant in the suit of Christian Henderson against the Esson Company and allowing the suit to continue in the superior court of Rowan county.—Special to Charlotte Observer.

DO-N'T EXPERIMENT.

You Will Make no Mistake if You Follow This Advice.

Never neglect your kidneys. If you have pain in back, urinary disorders, dizziness and nervousness, it's time to act no time to experiment. These are all symptoms of kidney trouble, and you should seek a remedy which is known to cure the kidneys.

Doan's Kidney Pills is the remedy to use. No need to experiment. It has cured many stubborn cases in this vicinity. Can Salisbury residents demand further proof than that contained in the following testimonial?

Mrs. G. W. Clegg, 503 Race St., Statesville, N. C., says: I suffered more or less for years from weak kidneys and although I took several remedies in an effort to find relief, I was unsuccessful. Some months ago I procured a box of Doan's Kidney Pills and began using them according to directions. They went directly to the seat of my trouble and since using them the pains have greatly diminished and my kidneys have given me no annoyance whatever. I can heartily recommend Doan's Kidney Pills to anyone suffering from kidney complaint, as they proved of wonderful benefit to me.

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States. Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

Was it Suicide or Murder?

Sheriff McKeuzie, acting upon information received Friday, sent deputy Jas. Krider with Dr. E. Ross Dorsett, coroner, and Dr. I. H. Foust to the home of John Upright, in the vicinity of Concordia Church, in the western part of the county, to investigate the reported suicide of Mrs. Upright on Wednesday, it having been reported to the Sheriff that her husband had been very brutal to her and on the morning of her death had broken a broom handle over her head, and, while she was setting out on the wood pile crying, had seized her and beat her severely with a fence paling. The doctors made a superficial examination and found a contusion over her ear, but there was no effusion of blood on the brain, which was very much decomposed, and some other marks of "the beatings" she had received, but did not think they were sufficient to cause her death, and from what evidence they could get, decided that she had drunk some laudanum which she had evidently had on hand for sometime. The people of the neighborhood are very much incensed and talk of lynching was freely indulged in. Upright was given a hearing before a Magistrate and was bound over or trial in the County Court Wednesday. He is reputed to be a very disolute character and has the children, who are the only witness in the case, so afraid of him that it may be hard to get evidence that will convict him.

Building Sand-Clay Roads.

A great deal of interest is being manifested in the demonstration by D. H. Winslow of the Clay sand road building which has been carried on for the past week on the road leading from the toll bridge towards Salisbury. Mayor H. P. Grier, of Statesville; N. B. Mills, chairman of the board of commissioners of Iredell county; J. A. Conner, chairman of the street committee of Statesville; and T. J. Allison, one of the county commissioners of Iredell, were here last week viewing the work. They began work at the toll bridge and have worked about two miles towards Salisbury. The work consists of clearing out the ditches and grading to a mound in the middle of the road, after which sand is put on and the whole plowed thoroughly with disk ploughs, cultivates, etc., until the sand and clay is thoroughly mixed to a depth of eight inches. It is then rounded from the ditches to the middle, watered and rolled. Side ditches are made when necessary to lead the water off from the road and culverts or drains, used where it crosses the road. In places where the work has been completed it is very hard, although recently done, and gives promise of splendid wear.

Quite a number of baskets have been promised for the dinner to be served to the Confederate veterans on the occasion of their reunion here on Thursday, but more can be used, and all who can are asked to bring baskets to the court house not later than 9 o'clock Thursday morning. It is a privilege to furnish an occasional meal to the old veterans that we will not enjoy many years longer.

David Peeler and Miss Cora Sides were married at China Grove on Sunday. Mr. Peeler accompanied by Rev. C. B. Heller and a few friends drove to China Grove and the ceremony was performed by the pastor at the home of the bride, by Rev. C. B. Heller. After the marriage they returned to Faith where Mr. Peeler, who is an extensive granite operator, has recently built a nice home.

A message received Sunday night by R. L. Shaver told him of the serious illness of his little granddaughter, Margaret, the nine-months-old child of Mr. and Mrs. Vance Shaver, of Asheville. Tuesday he received another message announcing her death.

THE VOTING BEGINS.

Those Who Have Been Nominated to Contest for the Buggy and Other Prizes Offered.

Judging by the list of candidates nominated the present contest will be by far the largest and most interesting we have yet conducted. Besides those given below it is likely others will enter, the contest being open to any reader of either THE WATCHMAN or Rowan Record, our combination semi-weekly. If any one not a reader of these papers desires to get in the game he can do so by subscribing.

The game is now wide open and the candidates should read over the rules carefully, get receipt books and get busy. Go in to win. Those who win in this contest show their popularity and ability to make a successful canvass before the public, shows a spirit of progress and enterprise that spells success in any undertaking. Every one has the qualities to a more or less degree and many a man can succeed if he will only try, IF HE WILL ONLY TRY. Do nothing and hesitation have never accomplished anything, and never will, so while it is necessary to get busy to win anything, the mere getting of subscriptions for THE WATCHMAN and ROWAN RECORD and votes for the candidates, is a very easy task once a person makes a start.

There will be prizes enough for all who secure even a few votes, number to be stated later, so no one need hesitate to make some worth effort.

Get busy and keep busy and you will win or give the winner the scale of his life.

Table listing candidates and their vote counts for the buggy and other prizes. Includes names like John Harkey, Harran Cooper, G C Moss, etc., with corresponding vote numbers.

No action was taken at the meeting of the city aldermen Thursday night upon the proposed amendment to the franchise of the Piedmont Carolina Railway company. Allowing this company to build their line on Fulton Street and to which strenuous opposition is being made by residents of that street. The matter will be considered at a meeting to be held on Thursday night.

Thomas H. Ederer, the popular clerk who has been behind the counter at the Empire Hotel for the past two years, leaves next week to accept a position as steward and assistant manager of the Lake Jackson Hotel at Florida, Fla. Mr. Ederer has many friends in Salisbury who will regret his departure.

Allen Heilig was married to Miss Agnes Reimer, at Bethel Lutheran church, Franklin, on Sunday. This was another of these quiet marriages. No one seemed to be aware of their intentions until they returned to Salisbury and imported the news to the parents of the bride. The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Reimer and has been employed for some time in the Singer Sewing Machine office. Mr. Heilig is a son of the late Allen Heilig. He has been employed at the Southern Railway shops for several years and is a splendid young man.

Several important changes was made on Monday at the Southern Railway shops at Spencer. Eugene Fuller was promoted from foreman of the erecting shop to the general foreman's place, vice Mr. Cadie resigned, and O. L. Bunch was made foreman of the erecting shop.

Sheriff McKeuzie, who had intended going to Chattanooga Wednesday with Eb Seales, who was to identify the negro who has been held there as the suspected murderer of Conductor Wiggins, received a letter with a photograph of the negro Wednesday and showed it to Mr. Seales, who said at once that it was not Ed. Davis, the man wanted.

DOCTOR ADVISED OPERATION

Cured by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

Paw Paw, Mich.—"I suffered terribly from female ills, including inflammation and congestion, for several years. My doctor said there was no hope for me but an operation. I began taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and I can now say I am a well woman."

Another Operation Avoided. Chicago, Ill.—"I want women to know what that wonderful medicine, Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, has done for me. Two of the best doctors in Chicago said I would die if I did not have an operation, and I never thought of seeing a well day again. I had a small tumor and female troubles so that I suffered day and night. A friend recommended Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and it made me a well woman."



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Execution Sale. State of North Carolina vs. Rowan County. C. M. Miller, Plaintiff vs. Eureka Consolidated Copper Co. Notice of execution of sale.

Monday, the 1st day of November, 1909, at about 12 o'clock noon at the court house door of said county, sell to the highest bidder for cash to satisfy said execution, all the right, title and interest which the said Eureka Consolidated Copper Co., the defendant, has in the following described real estate, to-wit: First tract: A certain tract of land known as the E. Manney home place in the town of Gold Hill which was conveyed to Walter Geo. Newman on the 28th day of June 1906, and described as deeded registered in book 111, page 21. See also deed registered in book 111, page 222 in which the said property is conveyed to Eureka Consolidated Copper Co., by the said Walter Geo. Newman. J. H. McKeuzie, Sheriff Rowan county. This 24th day of September, 1909.

Advertisement for THE WORLD'S GREATEST SEWING MACHINE LIGHT RUNNING NEW HOME. Includes text: 'If you want either a Vibrating Shuttle Rotary Shuttle or a Single Thread (Chain-Stitch) Sewing Machine write to THE NEW HOME SEWING MACHINE COMPANY Orange, Mass. Many sewing machines are made to sell regardless of quality, but the New Home is made to wear. Our guarantee never runs out. Sold by authorized dealers only. FOR SALE BY DR. KING'S NEW DISCOVERY Will Surely Stop That Cough.'