

COUNTRY CORRESPONDENCE.

Items of Interest in Various Neighborhoods Sent in by Our Friends.

PROVIDENCE.

June 4.—The health of this community is very good at this writing. No sickness to report.

A good rain is very much needed. The corn and cotton is looking bad by not having rain.

P. M. Barringer, who had his arm hurt some months ago, is improving, but very slowly.

The people are busy making hay, and wheat will soon be ripe. Some few have been cutting wheat.

The Sunday School of Providence is going to have children's day exercise the second Sunday in June. All are invited to attend. Come prepared to spend the day with us.

About all the boys and girls of this vicinity, who have been off to school, are at home now.

Walter Earnhart, of Spencer, was down at Providence once again. Glad to see him.

Theodore Poole, of this place, had the misfortune of losing his right hand, and part of his arm. He had it cut off while working at a saw mill, near Barber Junction.

Craven and Fairmont teams crossed bats to-day on the Fairmont grounds. The score stood 4 to 20 in favor of Craven.

I will close wishing the WATCHMAN and RECORD much success.

COUNTRY KID.

REEDY BRANCH.

June 4.—The health of the community is very good.

Strawberry valley visited at Lawson Pool's recently.

The wheat of the community seems to be very good.

Theo. Trexler visited homefolks Sunday.

Bill thinks of visiting Bro. Ike soon.

Arthur Morgan visited at A. T. Klutz's Sunday evening.

Baxter Morgan visited at Samuel Bame's Sunday evening.

Crabbus visited at Joseph Lentz's Sunday.

Well, Bro. Joe, I can't tell you when I was named and I don't know when I built the frame.

Anyone wishing information in regard to the "But in Club" will do well to see Cyarevitch in regard thereto. We all wish him much success.

Z. B. Trexler extends to his most bereaved friend, Czarevitch, hearty thanks for announcement of his return from the so-called mountain school, thus interpreted by Czarevitch. Yet he regrets with sore displeasure that he cannot resume the operation of the Park line, as so zealously anticipated by the bereaved writer, Czarevitch. Neither the co-operation of his little brother as formerly enjoyed. Thanks Mr. Czarevitch. WILD BILL.

Comet Causes Frost.

Ashville, N. C., June 4.—John P. Arthur, a local historian, says that Halley's comet will cause frost every month of the year in which it appears. This happened on its last trip, he says.

Meekins is Appointed.

Washington, June 4.—Isaac M. Meekins of Elizabeth City was appointed assistant district attorney for eastern North Carolina today by the Attorney General. Judge George W. Ward said a good word for him. His backing and endorsements were of a high order. He is a good lawyer and a good fellow.

BOARD OF THANKS.

We desire to return our thanks to the good people of the neighborhood for the help, kindness and courtesy shown towards us during our illness. We especially appreciate their coming together and working our crop. Again thanking you all for your kindness, very respectfully. ED. SIFFORD and L. M. SAFRIT.

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A Birthday Anniversary.

Saturday, the 28th ultimo, was a day of pleasure at Rodolphus Lingle's, a day in which the anniversary of himself and wife was celebrated.

Everything was so arranged as to have the visitors on the ground without the knowledge of either. He had often remarked that a whole community could not be cognizant of such a thing without his catching on to the maneuvering; but this is one of the times in which he was completely trapped.

This thing had been going on for weeks, and before his eyes, and still he never caught on. The girls were so nice in sweeping the yard, etc., that he reproved them for their unnecessary work, and while Charley knew all about it, he said they had better be at work where it would do some good. This was an encouragement to the girls, but a blindfold to Mr. Lingle.

But they knew he must go to Salisbury on Saturday, and how to get him back in time was the trouble. To overcome this they proposed to visit his son, R. V. George Lingle, that evening, and must start from his house by half past one. While in Salisbury, his friends insisted on him staying for a committee meeting in the afternoon, but no, he could not stay for he was going on a visit that evening, but he would vote by proxy. By the time he got home these very friends were on the grounds with him.

When he drove up there was a great crowd present. (his son, Rev. George, with them) and while everybody else were laughing, he had but a queer smile, and was rather slow to get out of the buggy.

Mrs. Lingle had been making arrangements for a regular family dinner, and when some of the neighbors came in, she said she did not know what to do if they stayed all day because they were going to see their son George and family that evening, and wanted to get an early start, so the ladies had to give her some information, but this only seemed to excite her more.

A large table was soon prepared and abundantly filled with the best of provisions, when a summons was given we surrounded the table, and after getting Mr. and Mrs. Lingle in place, Rev. R. L. Brown read some verses prepared especially for the occasion, after a blessing was asked by Rev. J. A. Linn, and after a hearty invitation from Mr. Lingle and his wife to join them, we made a bold and heroic attack on the provisions, but in this we failed, after all had done their best, we noticed a full surrender of the job while much remained unconquered.

After dinner Walter Murphy and A. H. Boyden, each addressed the couple with a few words of pleasantness, cheer, appreciation and congratulation. We know these men are amply able to address an audience whenever called upon, but were somewhat surprised to hear them do so well when so full of such excellent rations.

The couple also received a large lot of very nice presents, besides some boxes of cigars and many other valuables, there was a nice fine suit of clothes. Just how much all amounted to we do not know, and while the crowd was large we cannot give the exact number present, but with the neighbors and many nearby friends who were there, there was a fair representation from Salisbury. Among these were J. D. Brown, his wife and son, the sheriff, the ex-mayor and a part of the bar, with a number of others the writer is not able to name.

After dinner was over the young people engaged in their pleasure, and while Mr. Lingle enjoyed himself with some of the fine cigars just received, it was our pleasure to tease him about his inability to catch on to the secrets that were all around him. Many things were said and done that left ample ground for suspicion, and in some things he was a little inquisitive, but in spite of all he was kept in the dark, and taken completely by surprise. To be sure, it was a day of pleasure and social gathering, and after all the rush and rattle to get from Salisbury in time to take that pleasure trip, he did not get off. X X X.

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FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER

I hereby announce my candidacy for the office of County Commissioner, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries and convention. P. A. HARTMAN. 6-1-10.

FOR TOWNSHIP TAX COLLECTOR.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for nomination for Township Tax Collector, of Salisbury Township, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries and convention. 6-1-10. A. M. RICE.

FOR REGISTER OF DEEDS.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of Register of Deeds of Rowan County, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries and convention. 6-1-10. E. H. MILLER.

FOR SHERIFF.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of High Sheriff of the County of Rowan, subject to the Democratic primaries and convention. 6-1-10. JAS. H. MCKENZIE.

FOR STATE SENATE.

I hereby announce my candidacy for the nomination for State Senator from Rowan, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries and convention. 6-1-10. W. B. SMOOT.

FOR CLERK SUPERIOR COURT

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of Clerk Superior Court of Rowan County, subject to the Democratic primaries and convention. 6-1-10. J. FRANK McCUBBINS.

A CARD FROM COUNTY TREASURER.

To my fellow citizens: Four years ago I was honored with the office of County Treasurer, and during my term I have endeavored to discharge my duties faithfully and to the best of my ability. My official duties have deprived me of the pleasure of calling upon a great many of my friends and supporters, I therefore take this method of soliciting your votes and influence. Permit me to say that, should I be again honored with the office I promise to use my best efforts to always maintain the duties of my office. 6-1-10. J. R. NICHOLAS.

FOR JUDGE COUNTY COURT.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of Judge of the County Court, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries and convention. 6-1-10. B. B. MILLER.

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FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER

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FOR REPRESENTATIVE.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the House of Representatives, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries and convention of Rowan county. 6-1-10. R. D. COLEMAN.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of County Commissioner, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries and convention. 6-8-10. ARTHUR L. DEAL.

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