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## THE CAROLINA WATCHMAN.

### SHORT LOCAL ITEMS

Rev. Geo. H. Cox, D. D., and wife, who have been making their home in Norfolk, Va., since leaving Eunuchville, have returned and will make their home in Spencer. After the meeting of Synod Rev. Cox will take up his duties as pastor of the Spencer and East Spencer churches.

Rev. M. M. Kinard was in Charlotte Monday making arrangements for the meeting of the N. C. Lutheran Synod which convenes there Tuesday of next week. The Synod is then supposed to settle the location of the new Lutheran seminary.

The fourth of July committee held a busy session Monday night. Quite a list of prizes was decided on and other arrangements made.

Mrs. H. C. Sharrill, of Spencer, has opened a music school at Mrs. Cook's on Chestnut Hill. She has 17 pupils, and a part of them are taught at night.

The protracted meeting at the First Methodist church has started into the second week and it is not decided when it shall close. Beginning yesterday, and each night during this week.

Miss Katie Earnhardt and Walter P. Cook were married last Thursday night at the home of Dr. M. M. Kinard on West Council Street. The couple are both of the Haven Lutheran church, Chestnut Hill. Only a few friends of the contracting parties were present to witness the ceremony.

Dr. J. E. Smoot, of Concord, who was operated upon several weeks ago at the Whitehead-Stokes Sanatorium is able to be out now.

Nearly all of the grocers in this city have agreed to close their stores at 7 o'clock beginning with today.

Rev. Jas. I. Good, D. D., L. L. D., of Philadelphia, delivered an interesting lecture in the Reformed church in this city Sunday night, the subject being "Beautiful Japan."

The 4th of July celebration committees have begun to make arrangements to make the event this year the greatest ever held in Salisbury.

J. S. McCubbins has become sole owner of the Ford hotel property having purchased the shares of T. P. Johnston and T. H. Van derford. He intends making many improvements after which the hotel will be run on a larger basis and will be one of the best in the city.

The Progressive Merchants, Prize Contest began today. \$675 in prizes is to be given away and the contest is open to everyone. Of course you are interested and will be glad to know that all you need to do is to look up their page advertisement in this paper and then get busy.

The regular annual commencement exercises are in progress at Livingstone College this week, Friday being the most auspicious and final proceedings. A train has been chartered to bring the en-

tire membership of the A. M. E. Zion Conference here from Charlotte on that day.

Mrs. J. Frank Plummer will give a tea for the St. Agnes Guild at the home of Capt. and Mrs. T. C. Davidson this afternoon commencing at 4 o'clock and continuing until 10 o'clock. There will be a musical program by Messrs. Collins and Reams and Miss Goodykointz. The public is invited to attend.

Dr. M. L. Smoot is spending some weeks in Baltimore taking a post-graduate course in medicine.

The city hall in this city has recently undergone repairs and is much improved as compared with its former condition. The rooms in the building were replastered and recalcined, the stair cases and wainscoting cleaned and re-varnished, and the four prison cells were changed and renovated. Unsanitary conditions were also remedied.

C. H. Lumsden, who has been employed in the jewelry store of A. Green, has resigned his position with that firm and expects to leave soon for Columbia, S. C. where he will live. The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Lumsden will be sorry to hear that they are soon to leave Salisbury.

Mrs. G. W. Long of the Trading-ord neighborhood, who has been quite ill for the past seven weeks, is improving now we are glad to report.

### Gov. Kitchin at Spencer To-night.

A public reception is to be tendered Gov. W. W. Kitchin in the Y. M. C. A. at Spencer, Wednesday, May 1st, 1912, from 5 to 6 p. m. Governor Kitchin will deliver an educational address at the closing of the Spencer public school at 8 p. m. Of course a large concourse will turn out to welcome the governor. W. D. Pethel is chairman of the reception committee.

### Factory Building Burned at Winston-Salem Last Night.

Winston-Salem, April 29.—A spectacular blaze in the factory district here tonight at 10 o'clock caused a loss of more than \$400,000.

The large building near the depot formerly owned by the American Tobacco Company and just sold by them on Saturday to J. P. Taylor of Taylor Brothers, tobacco manufacturers, was destroyed. The building was valued at \$40,000 with \$80,000 insurance.

The R. J. Reynolds Tobacco Company had 8,500,000 pounds of leaf stored in the building which was burned entailing a loss of \$800,000. The tobacco loss is understood to be covered by insurance.

A number negro tenements in the immediate vicinity were burned and several other important industrial plants were seriously threatened for a time but the fire was finally got under control. The origin is unknown.

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Mrs. Linda Elliott, wife of B. A. Elliott, died at her home in Franklin Township, last night after a short illness with paralysis and old age, she being 79 years old last November. The funeral took place at Bethel Lutheran church, at Franklin this evening, Rev. Ridenhour officiating. Mrs. Elliott was married twice, her first husband being Geo. W. Jacobs, and there were four children by this marriage; to wit, John L. and Geo. Jacobs, Mrs. Monroe Peeler and the late Mrs. W. A. Monroe. By the last marriage there were two sons, Frank and David Elliott, and one daughter who died young. Mrs. Elliott was a splendid woman and the sorrowing ones have the sympathy of a large circle of friends.

Mrs. J. M. Peck died Sunday night at her home on East Henderson street, death being caused by tuberculosis. She was the widow of the late James M. Peck and leaves three sons.

The funeral took place from the home about 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon conducted by Rev. C. A. G. Thomas. The burial was at Calvary Baptist church in the county.

R. B. Jones, a citizen of Morgan Township, died Tuesday, April 16th, he being 51 years, 9 months and 16 days old. He leaves a wife and six children to mourn their loss.

### Concord Presbytery.

The Concord Presbytery was in session in Salisbury last week.

Quite a number of delegates were present and very interesting meetings were held. The Presbytery convened Tuesday night in the First Presbyterian church, Rev. Byron Clark, moderator, presiding, and the opening sermon was preached by Rev. J. M. Grier, of Concord. After the sermon the election of officers was gone into which resulted as follows: Rev. F. A. Barnes, moderator, Rev. E. D. Brown, of Mooresville, and Elder R. H. Rickert, of Statesville, clerks.

Wednesday two new pastors, Revs. W. L. Lingle, of Davidson College, and H. D. Wanehof, of Oklahoma, were received. Rev. L. W. Lingle addressed the Presbytery on Union Theological Seminary. He also preached Thursday morning, Wednesday night, and Thursday morning the subject of missions was considered, Rev. C. A. Munroe, chairman of the Home Mission Board was in charge.

Rev. A. T. Walker made a report on the Barium Springs Orphanage and told of its needs. He recommended a steam heating plant, a new infirmary and another barn for the farm.

The Presbytery adjourned Thursday night to meet at Concord church, Iredell county, September 24th.

There will be preaching at Jackson College Jr. O. U. A. M. Saturday night, May 4th. Every body is invited to come Johnny.

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### DETECTIVE ATTAWAY KILLED.

A Shifting Engine Cut His Body to Pieces and Severely Wounds Mr. Blackwelder.

Yesterday just before noon on the Southern Railway's detective, A. T. Attaway, and D. M. Blackwelder, were going to their homes in East Spencer for dinner they met with a very serious misfortune, Mr. Attaway losing his life, and Mr. Blackwelder was probably fatally injured. They had been in Salisbury and were returning in Mr. Blackwelder's buggy. At the crossing beyond the Vance Mill there was a long string of cars on the siding hiding the occupants of the buggy from the engineer. Just as the engine was backing to the crossing, moving with considerable speed, Messrs. Attaway and Blackwelder drove out the middle track, the horse having crossed, the engine struck the buggy, demolished it and catching Mr. Attaway literally cutting his body to pieces. Mr. Blackwelder held to the reins and was not killed outright, but was knocked unconscious and was taken to the hospital with all haste.

Mr. Attaway's legs, feet and hands were cut off and scattered along the track and his body was dragged about fifty feet, while the buggy was dragged some distance farther.

Mr. Attaway was well known here and in Spencer, he was a faithful and fearless officer and had quite a number of friends who will regret to learn of his untimely end. He had just moved to East Spencer and his wife had just returned home from the sanatorium. His remains were taken in charge by Undertaker Wright and prepared for shipment to Elberton, Ga., tonight where the funeral and interment will take place.

Prolific Seed Corn, has from four to eight ears to stalk. Price \$8.00 per bushel. Call on J. F. Ludwick, Salisbury Roller Mill or Kessler Sons' Hardware, Salisbury, N. C. 2-t-pd.

### STORMS AND FLOODS CONTINUE.

Heavy Wind and Rain Sweeps Through Oklahoma and Texas.

Oklahoma City, Okla., April 29.—Approximately forty-one lives were lost in the storm which yesterday afternoon swept, northward from Childress, Texas, into Oklahoma and over a portion of the southwestern and central part of this State, according to reliable reports. There are reports of other fatalities, but these cannot be verified. The list of injured totals more than one hundred. Fully twenty towns were embraced in the storm swept area.

Up to an early hour tonight, no word had come from the towns of Eldorado, Warren, Martha and Blair, all four of which Saturday were reported to have suffered severely.

The heavy wind was accompanied by a terrific downpour of rain and in many instances hail. The fall of rain amounted to from one to five inches. As a result all of the smaller streams in western Oklahoma are on a rampage.

Eik Creek, west of Hobart, is over a mile wide, owing to its branches having joined together. A farmer's family of four, living west of Hobart, names unknown, are said to have been killed. All rural telephone lines are down.

All of central Oklahoma seems demoralized and it will be several days before anything like an accurate estimate of the property loss or list of dead and injured can be secured.

A call for aid was sent out today by town officials of Lugbert, who say there are thirty destitute families there.

Following is a summary of the damage to life and property in the storm-swept territory:

Foss, Okla., 10 persons reported killed; 25 or 30 injured; town badly torn up.

Butler, Okla., 9 reported killed, many injured; several buildings blown down.

Sentinel, Okla., 2 persons reported killed; 50 houses blown down. Hobart, Okla., country west of this point visited by terrific winds. Two known dead, 4 others

reported dead, several injured; great damage to property.

Lugert, Okla., 2 killed, 5 fatally injured and a score less seriously hurt; no structure building left standing.

Rocky, Okla., 1 killed, half town blown away; upward of dozen injured.

Calumet, Okla., 8 killed, 6 or 8 injured; heavy property loss.

Eldorado, Okla., 4 reported killed and many injured.

Martha, Warren and Blair, nothing heard from them since Saturday's report that they were blown away.

Reports of numerous smaller cyclones received from Mingo, Yukon and points in Garfield county, south of Fluid.

Childress, Tex., 7 dead and great damage to property.

### New Advertisements.

Attention is called to the big page advertisement in this issue of THE WATCHMAN in regard to the Progressive Merchants Prize Contest. By reading over this advertisement you will probably learn something of interest and value. They propose to give to their customers coupons with each purchase which can be voted for any one desired, the one obtaining the most votes will be awarded the first prize, the second next and so on. Read it over.

Belk-Harry Co., has a change of advertisement in this issue. It always pays to read these trade announcements.

The R. Lee Mahaley, Feed, Livery and Sales Stables, suc-

cessors to the Harper Livery & Sale Co., has an important announcement in this paper to which all in need of stock and livery service should give heed. The stables have been improved, new stock secured and first class service will be rendered all. These are clever and accommodating gentlemen and every body is assured of a square deal who trades with them.

A W. Winecoff is still pushing for the patronage of the public. His stock has been replenished, and his prices are as low as can be. See his advertisement.

P. Crawford Bernhardt, a splendid young man of the county, offers for county surveyor this week. Mr. Bernhardt is thoroughly competent to serve the county.

The Bank of Spencer, one of the leading institutions of our neighbor town, has a statement of its condition in this paper. This is a well managed bank and always makes a good showing. The administrators of J. A. Ludwig have a notice to creditors in this paper.

### British Warships to Mexico.

Washington, April 29.—The United States will not be the only government to send a vessel to Mexican waters. Information received at the State Department is to the effect that a British warship will be ordered to Mexico. A rumor has reached here that a French cruiser will also put in appearance at one of the gulf ports of Mexico very soon.

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