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Salisbury, N. C., May 19, '15.
 The State Supreme Court has passed on several cases brought to test the one-quarter liquor law passed by the last legislature and held it to be constitutional. Old John dies slowly but surely.

One reason the politicians do not object to women voting is because where it has been tried there has been no appreciable changes made. They find it just as easy, if not a little more so, to work tricks on the women as the men.

Considerable complaint is heard in regard to the speeding of automobiles and motorcycles on the streets of Salisbury and on the avenue between Salisbury and Spencer. It is a wonder there are not many accidents resulting from this practice as few pay any attention to the speed regulations.

Our pressman went to sleep this morning and failed to get enough ink on a portion of the paper this week and it was discovered too late to reprint. We regret this and hope such an occurrence will not occur again. When our new press is installed we will be able to give a much better service.

THE WATCHMAN does not believe an officer elected by the people has any business with plans. He is purely to the servant of the people and it is up to him to merely do their bidding and observe strictly the requirements of his office. The people are getting sore on bossism hereabouts. There is too much of it.

We understand that a bolter from the Democratic party at the last election is a candidate for city tax collector, and, we understand that there is no hope of his election without the mayor-elect, W. H. Woodson, chairman of the County Democratic Executive Committee, so desires. The question is, What is the chairman of the party going to do about it?

Others may see it different, but from our view point by the lack of sufficient appropriations and foresight in regard to an adequate navy, Congress has permitted the American people to be found defenseless in the hour of need. President Wilson is now playing the baby act to keep us from being slapped off the earth, which of course is the only thing he can do at present.

Now that the old Confederate soldiers are getting scarce, it has been suggested that their wives also be invited to partake of the annual dinner and memorial exercises. It is said that there was more than enough food supplied last Friday and to have the good women to join with the veterans would cause no additional burden and yet cause more of the old veterans to attend.

It is the veriest rot for any posted American to intimate that the United States has a navy that would in any way justify this nation's entering into a conflict with any European power of consequence. Our little fifteen or twenty ships may be ready alright enough, but ready for what? Every important nation knows all that is necessary concerning our navy and this buncombe about being "ready" only creates a smile.

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The great war in Europe will no doubt awaken this country to its obligations to itself, if it is to exist. There are enemies within and without that need to be given some attention. Good seed and good intentions do not bring forth a very desirable harvest. Cultivation and constant attention is necessary. We have left our gates open until our fields are almost full of fowls from every quarter of the globe. They have come to feed off of us and will assist the enemy, evidenced by recent occurrences, bespoil us when the opportunity affords, yet we continue in our stupidity and prodigality, being pleased to call it "enterprise", "prosperity" and "boasting."

It is even now contemplated that an organization should be effected in this State to induce more of these fowl to migrate to our beautiful, peaceful and happy hills and valleys, to crowd out our native God-fearing, patriotic and virtuous population and to take millions of our good dollars from our pockets and from the pockets of posterity to be sent to the old world for the comfort, upbuilding and maintenance of their own. Instead of standing guard at our gates and protecting ourselves we permit the dollar chasers to lead the enemy in to the heart of the land, furnish him with all the necessary implements of a commercial war and bid him do his will. When will we learn that happiness, contentment and safety is worth more, more lasting and of more value than dollars and cents? Why consume our raw material quickly when it can be so much more easily digested when consumed by our own in a natural and orderly way? Altruism, like charity, should begin at home.

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CHRISTIANA.
 Wheat and oats are looking much better since the recent good rains, but there is much talk of planting the cotton over where the land is tight.

The apple crop will be very small this year. We had a fine crop of blooms, but at least 90 per cent did not materialize.

E. B. Peeler is renovating his threshing machine, preparatory for threshing again after harvest.

R. L. Brown, an old crippled soldier was very much surprised on Friday evening to receive a full meal of the old soldiers' dinner from Salisbury. He was unable to get there himself, but somebody thought of him and Alexander Peeler brought it, saying he had a parcel post package. It was received and opened with pleasure, it contained ham, ham-salmon, beef, cheese, pickles, an assortment of fine cakes, pie, bread, meat, etc. It was so far better than the rations they used to have in the army when we did our own cooking, he had to conclude that these rations were too nice and too well prepared to be the production of men alone, he is sure the ladies had a prominent part in the preparation of them. He wishes to express his hearty thanks to the ladies, to those who thought of sending him some and to the man who brought it. We understand that the ranks of the old soldiers are growing thin. A few more years and they will not need any more dinners here, but I hope they will be able to feast on better things.

Next week the girls will be home from the Mt. Pleasant Seminary. A very sad thing occurred at Mt. Pleasant last week. A young man had been to Concord where he got some booze (probably mixed with poison) he came home, and that night while trying to vomit, fell over the banisters and died.

Knowing that the good book says it is not good for man to be alone, T. J. G. Trexler, with a respectable pardoner by the name of Mrs. B. M. Misenheimer, called at the home of Rev. R. L. Brown, on the morning of the 16th instant and said they had a little work for him to do. They were invited in and soon they were made man and wife and went on their way a happy couple. Our best wishes go with them for a long and happy life.

R. L. Brown and wife are visiting in Salisbury this week at the home of A. L. V. Fisher's, VIOLA.

FAITH.
 May 15.—D. W. Moose of Mount Pleasant, and Miss Cora Pless of Crescent were quietly married at the Lutheran parsonage on the night of the 13th by Rev. O. P. Fisher, who is the brother-in-law of the bride. Mr. Moose is a native of Cabarrus and a graduate of Newberry College, S. C. For the past ten years he has been engaged in school work in different places in the State and is a son of Giles Moose and a brother of Rev. J. B. Moose. The bride, Mrs. Moose is a graduate of Crescent Academy and business college. She has been a teacher in the schools of Rowan County for the past five years. The bride is beautiful and popular among all of her acquaintances. Professor Moose and his wife have both taught school at Faith and the whole town joins in congratulations and best wishes.

John D. A. Fisher has just brought a large automobile and bought it out home today. Several others expect to buy soon.

J. T. Wyatt received an order today for three pair of mill stones and a granite window sill nine feet long.

R. O. Suddah of China Grove, instructor in agriculture of the Rowan Farm Life School, is out on his rounds illustrating live stock with the use of a baloon projecting apparatus. He was the guest of Venus on Friday and at night he made a lecture on live stock, to a large crowd at the public school house in Faith. From Tuesday to Friday night he will be in Morgan Township. It don't cost anything to hear his lectures and see the illustrations.

There is going to be a big time in Faith the fourth of July. The program which is now being gotten up will be announced a little later.

Luther Efrid of near Albemarle, who is attending the meeting of the North Carolina Synod is spending part of the week with Rev. O. P. Fisher.

The members of the Reformed Church gave their pastor a big surprise one day this week in the way of an old time ponding. They assembled at his home in great numbers, spread a large dinner and everybody present was invited. After a blessing by one of the ministers present all helped themselves. After dinner they brought forth many good things to fill his pantry which consisted of canned goods of all kinds, eggs, butter, flour and many other things. Rev. Paul Barringer and Rev. Peeler were present and made addresses. Rev. Welker replied by thanking all for remembering them. Mr. and Mrs. Welker were also presented with a purse filled with money. There were members present from all three of the churches of the Faith charge. This is the first ponding our new pastor has received since coming to North Carolina and we guess he will not have any objections to this kind of ponding. A most pleasant time was had by all present.

L. A. Barger has ripe apples. Who can beat that?

Mrs. Maggie McOmbs is going to sell her large two-story residence in Faith, which as a large lot to it.

Little Miss Lena Brown is spending this week with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. James Ritchie.

Mrs. John A. M. Brown and Mrs. O. M. Brown of Lowerstone, are visiting at Mrs. C. M. Brown's sister, Mrs. J. I. Barger. Mrs. C. M. Brown has her little twin girls along, Anna Martha Jane and Annie Lee Lucretia, and Venus took their pictures.

Monac Editors indicted.
 The publishers of the Menace, an anti-Catholic paper printed in Aurora, Mo., must stand trial in the federal court at Joplin in June. The charge against them is sending obscene literature through the mails. The articles complained of are charges that were made against the Catholic priesthood.
 The indictment was prepared and presented to a jury by Francis Wilson, United States District Attorney. Last Wednesday attorneys for the Menace editors argued motions to quash the indictment before Judge Van Valkenburgh, and were over-ruled.
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