LOCAL NEWS

of interest to

ALL OF OUR READERS.

Some of his c ildren, grand children and members of St John's Lutheran church in Concord gave Dr Geo H Cox a surprise hirthday dinner at the parsonage there on Wednesday, Aug 9th. He was 78 years old and a former pastor in Spencer.

The Gold Hill township Sunday school convention was held Friday in Gold Hill and was the largest attended of any jet held in that township

Dr Chas E Brewer, president of Meredith college at Raleigh, will deliver an address at Churchland high school on the 19th. Dr Brewer is easily one of the South's foremost educators

Corporal Alfred Buerbaum of the 4th Co., C. A. C., came in Tuesday morning from Fort Caswell. He accompanied the body of young Leonard Swain to Lexington where the ramains were to be buried

The Salisbury teachers gave an entertainment last night for the visiting teachers attending the county institute Refreshments were serv d and a very entertaining program was carrie through.

The many friends of W . McDaniel, owner of the Col onial theatre here, will be in terested to know that he habought the Strand theatre in Concord.

The machinery and damaged stock of the Meredith Hosiery Mills Co., which plant suff-red from a recent fire, is being moved to thsecond floor of the building on East Conneil street, vacat ed by the Holshouser wagon

A negro woman of East Spencer was up bef ... Ju'z Carlton Wonday arge: with assault in baving poured scalding water on a little megro boy who she contended was annoying her and was fined \$15 and costs and required to pay the child's doctor bill.

H M Miller, advertising man on the Hickery Record Song, God be With You Till We Meet and who learned the printing business in this office, spent several hours in the city Monday and was an agreeable caller.

The Unity Sunday school convention will be held at Lebanon on Wednesday, Aug 16th, A big crowd will be expected.

of F W Woolworth & Co., on South Main street was a great school cain ius success last week and the doors were thrown open for business last Saturday.

ville, and who represents a broom manufacturing firm, was in the city last week calling on his trade and incidentally meeting old friends.

Cure for Cholera Morbus.

arrhoea Remedy," writes Mrs. Sidney Simmons, Fair Haven bers of my family have used this and laughter faction and I gladly endorse it as a remedy of exceptional merit." Obtainable everywhere.

The Quinine That Does Not Affect The steam E cause of its tonic and laxative effect, LAAA LIVE BROMO QUININE is better than ordicary Quining and does not cause nervousness not change in head. Remember the full name and the first the right of the the capable 250

ing it and calling on P A Sloop, China Grove, N. C.

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HOME COMING AT CHERRY HILL.

An Interesting Program for Davie County Folk | Jablenitza, on Way From Galicia, Captured on August 27th

The program of the fourth an-August 27th at 10 o'clock a. m., is as follows:

Prayer by Rev M. L. Ridenhour Song by Congregation Address of Welcome, Hon. John A.

Response, Hon. Frank Hudson

DINNER. Address, W. A Sells

Address, Hon A. H Price

Historian's Report, Miss Beulah Ver

a basket full of dinner

G. M. HENDRICKS, Secretary W. M. RUTH, President.

Lutheran Brotherhood of China Grove Have Splendid Gathering.

St. Mark's church in China Grove | The Italians are vigorously gave a reception Saturday night pressing their advance on the The opening of the hand from 7:30 to 10 o'clock to the Carzo plateau and Rome re some new five ten-cent store Lutherans of the town under the big, spreading oaks of the graded

The pastors of all the churches of the town were given special an sources claim General invitations and pastor Riser call- Cadorna now is within 15 ed upon Rev Parker of the Meth- miles of Triest and that the J Rowan Davis, a former olist church, Rev Brown of Austrian fleet has left the Salisburian, now of States. Chapel Lutheran church and Rev. harbor. Shulenberger of the Reformed church for short addresses. The responses were eloquent in their tribute of praise to the noble Gorizia, but the official state-

is so earnestly engaged. lighted with incandescent lamps, and Paris declare that Tol-"When our little boy now seven specially arranged for the oc- mino, consid red one of the years old, was a baby he was casion. Tiers of benches and most formidable barriers becured of cholera morbus by Cham- chairs were arranged in a circle tween the Italians and Triest berlain's Colic Cholera and Di- for those wishing comfort, while is being evacuated by the for the family. Their value is hard within this circle the young folks Austrians and that the Ital- to estimate when we consider the N. Y. "Since then other mem- made merry with songs, plays

valuable medicine for colic and Twenty gallons of ice cream the British have obtained a way of doing without plenty of good bowel troubles with good satis- and a great array of cakes were provided and every one, of the the Thiepval-Pozieres front estimated from three to four and report the repulse of vio- Lake Doiran. There have hundred present, joined in the lent attacks by the British been several reports of fightchorus that they had a splendid and French in other sectors of ing in this theater recently

Lax-Fos. A Mild. Effective Laxative & Liver Tonic Does Not Gripe nor Disturb the Stomach. In addition to other properties, Lax-Fos contains Cascara in acceptable form, a Money found in the court house. stimulating Laxative and Tonic. Lax-Fos

ENTENTE ALLIES CONTINUE SUCCESSFUL.

by Czar's Army.

London, Aug. 15.-The and home coming to be held at Russians bave captured Jab-Cherry Hill, N. C., Sunday, lon-itza, one of the principal gateways from Galicia to the grad reports that their offensive in this direction is con-Introductory Remarks by W. M. Ruth finning. This is the first news of an advance by the Russian Southern army since the conquest or the Austrian crownland of Bukewina was completed.

Further to the north the Russians are continuing their driving operations against the Austrians with apparently uninterrupted success. Their troops are pouring across the Ziota Lipa at several points in spite of desperate resistance on the part of the Tentonic forces Fierce fighting is being waged along the entire line south of Brony, and General Brussiloff apparently Everybody is expected to bring is making a supreme effort to von Bothmer and force its

sturender In the other theaters of war interest centers in the Italian operations, no important ac tion being reported on either The Lutheran Brotherhood of the British or French frontsports the capture of several sections of the Austaian trenches and the taking of more than 1,600 prisoners. Unofficial dispatches from Itali-

The Austrian official statement reports the repulse of thus equipped is much more likely to Italian attacks in the Vipacco Valley, about 8 miles east of work in which the Brotherhood ment from both sides leave the general situation vague. The grounds were brilliantly | Press dispatches from Geneva

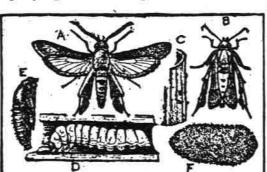
foothold in their trenches in milch cows on the farm.

significance.

CONTROL SQUASH-VINE BORER LONG LIFE OF FENCE POSTS

Cut Out Affected Parts of Vines and Harrow Infected Fields Lightly in the Fall.

The squash-vine borer, which destroys melons, cucumbers, squashes stems of the plants, and through the Spraying does no good. About the



Female; c, Eggs; d, Full-Grown Larva in Vine; e, Pupa; f, Pupal Cell.

only way to get rid of it is to cut out the affected parts of the vines. If your crop is injured this year, plant vines in a different place next year. Harrow the infected fields lightly in the fall, and then plow at least six inches deep in the spring. Or you may cover the vines with earth here and there, while growing, so that new roots will put out, and if the borer cuts off the cut off the army of General plant from the original root it will still live.—Farm Life.

KEEP HORSE STABLES CLEAN

Practice of Removing Litter Only Once Every Week Is Worthy of Strong Condemnation.

The custom on many farms of cleaning the barns, especially the horse stables, only once every week, ten days or two weeks, is to be condemned. It takes but a very few minutes to clean the horse stable each day, and benefits received from so doing are far in excess of the labor involved. Not only do the animals have cleaner, healthier and more comfortable quarters, thus minimizing the likelihood of disease, but there is an actual saving in bedding, and in time used in making the horse presentable by use of the currycomb and brush. An up-to-date litter carrier is a fast time and labor saver and a stable be kept clean.

GOOD MILK COWS ESSENTIAL

They Provide Cheapest, Best and Most Wholesome Food for Family-Value Hard to Estimate.

The first reason for having good milk cows on the farm comes from the fact that they provide the cheapest, best, and most wholesome food ians already are in the sub- amount saved on the bills. Their produce is a superior substitute for many The Germans admit that prices. In fact, there is no economic foods necessarily purchased at high

the Somme line. According and all have come from Gerto Paris and London the day man or Bulgarian sources. passed without any event of As on previous occasions Berlin claims that the fight-Another report of fighting ing was of small importance on the Balkan front comes and resulted in a repulse for Owner can get it by describing it and calling on P A Sloop, hina Grove, N. C.

stimulating Laxative and Tonic. Lax-ros acts effectively and does not gripe nor disturb stomach. At the same time, it aids digestion, arouses the liver and secretions and restores the healthy functions. 50c.

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Osage Orange Leads With Thirty Years-Cement Will Last Fortyeight Years.

The average life of fence posts from the following kinds of woods is and pumpkins by boring through the Osage orange, 30 years; locust, 23% red cedar, 201/2; mulberry, 171/2; ca-Hungarian plains, and Petro- leaf stalks, is a hard pest to control. talpa, 1514; burr oak, 15 1-3; chestnut, Roll call. 14%; white cedar, 14 1-3; walnut, 111/2; white oak, 111/2; pine, 111/4; tamarack, 101/2; cherry, 10 1-3; hemlock, 9; sassafras, 8.9; elm, 8%; ash, 8%; red oak, 7; willow, 61/4. The number of years that a fence post will last should be considered in the price paid for it. Oftentimes for a few cents additional a much longer-lived post can be secured, making it much cheaper

> in the long run. If the bark is left on a fence post, t will rot much faster than if it is

It is estimated that the average life of a cement post is 48 years and of steel post 30 years.

ENEMIES OF ALFALFA PLANT

Not Worth While for Farmer to Waste Expensive Seed on Sour or Alkaline Soils.

Sour soil and alkali are enemies of alfalfa. Most sour soils are sandy soils where the drainage is too good and the lime has been leached out. They can be sweetened by adding ground limestone where this process is not too expensive and leaching lessened by incorporating plenty of humus in the soil. This can be done by applying stable manure or plowing under green manure in the form of grow-

ing crops, etc. Alkali soils usually are badly drained and can be corrected by supplying this factor. It is not worth while to waste alfalfa seed on sour or alkaline soils. If they cannot be corrected, raise some

ALFALFA AND WHITE GRUBS

Excellent Crop to Alternate With Corn, as It Clears Soil of Aphis and Other Insects.

It is claimed that the corn-root which caused so much damage to the corn, will not feed upon alfalfa roots. For this reason alfalfa is considered a very excellent crop to alternate with corn, as it clears the land of corn ene-

Improvement Possible. Any man who will read and work can double his milk and butter yield if it is below 150 pounds of butterfat | ship S. S. Convention, Gold Hill a year, and it is possible for him to do it in a surprisingly short time.

No Fences.

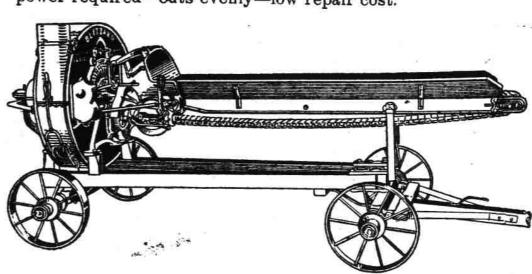
In many parts of Europe there are no farm fences. This preserves for cultivation large acreage, taking the whole country over, that is made worse than useless by fences and the growth of wild stuff on either side of them, such as occurs in this country.

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DIDN'T GIVE 'HM AWAY.

Mrs. Justwed-Do you sell turkeys?
Poultry Dealer-Well, I don't look like a philanthropist, do I?

Sloop Re-union.

The Sloop re-union which took near Concordia, Wednesday, was August 17th. Song, Blest be the tie that binds | lightful time is expected. Scripture reading, 103rd Psalm, by Rev P E Shealy.

Reading minutes of last meeting. Short addresses on practical ed. ucation by Rev O B Shearouse, M L Ridenhour and W E

Song, I need Thee every hour. Benediction by Rev M L Riden-

A sumptuous dinner was served and 250 people were present of which one hundred and thirteen were of the Sloop family.

Do You Know That

The hand that carries food to the mouth can also carry disease germ s

Health first is the highest

form of safety first? Tuberculosis and poverty

go hand in hand?

The U.S. Public Health Service will send a booklet on flies and disease, gratis te to all applicants?

The best fed baby has the best chance?

Physical fitness is prepared, ness against disease? Pneumonia is a communi

cable disease? Cockroaches may carry dis-

Re-Unions, Conventions and Institutes.

Following is a list so far preaphis, white grubs and other insects pared for the various family reunions, Sunday school conventions, farmers institutes, etc., to Gastonia be held in Rowan county this Newton

> August 10, Overcash Reunion, Enochville. August 11, Gold Hill Town-

Aug. 16, Unity Township S. S. Convention, Lebonon Luthern

August 18, Scotch Irish S S must be made in advance. convention, Providence church August 17, Home Coming Salem Church.

S. convention, Bock Creek church many other points. Atlantic August 23, Providence S S con- City at this time will be a most vention, Bethel M E church. August 24, China Grove S S tion.

convention. August 24, Brown Reunion, Granite Quarry. August 25, Cleveland S S con-

get immediate relief from

The Peeler Re-Union.

The annual Peeler reunion will place at the old Sloop homestead | be held at Rockwell on Thursday, guided by the following program: | cordially invited to come. A de-

GEO. D. PEELER, Sec.



Fifth Atlantic City Excursion Thursday, August 17th, Via Southern Railway.

Southern Railway will operate heir fifth excursion of the season from North Carolina territory to Atlantic City, N. J., Thursday, August 17th. All tickets good for fifteen days and will permit of stop overs at Philadelphia, Baltimore and Washington on the return trip. Schedule and round trip fares from some of the principal points shown below:

Leave

Fare

From

Charlotte 7 45 p m \$13 00 7 45 a m 14 00 Shelby . 5 44 p m 13 50 Hickory Salisbury 9 05 p m 12 50 458 p m 13 50 Albemarle Mount Airy 300 p m 13 00 Reidsville 11 11 p m 11 00 Thomasville 9 52 p m 1250Winston-Salem8 50 p m 4 29 p m 14 00 Marion Greensboro 10 33 p m 11 00 9 37 p m 12 50 Lexington Norwood 4 30 p m 13 50 Elkin 508 pm 13 50 High Point 10 03 p m 12 50 8 20 p m 13 00 Concord 5 03 p m 13 50 Statesville 6 55 p m 13 50 5 00 p m 13 50 6 05 p m Low round trip fares from all intermediate points same basis.

Tickets good only on special train, but returning will be honored on all regular trains within limit, which is fifteen days. Passengers from branch August 15, Franklin township line points use regular trains to S S convention, Mt Tabor church nearest main line junction point with special train

Special train will carry both day coaches and Pullman sleeping cars. Pullman reservations

30 minutes stop in Washington for breakfast, arriving Allantic City for noon meal. Ample time to make side August 22, Mt. Ulla-Steele S. trips to New York, Boston and

> attractive place for your vaca-For Pullman reservations or other information see nearest agent Southern Railway, or

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