

LOCAL NEWS

of interest to ALL OF OUR READERS.

Governor Craig has issued orders permitting trusty convicts to go home during the holidays.

Frank C Tolbert gave an elegant bird supper to a number of his friends at the Piedmont Cafe last night.

J. H. Cook, clerk of the Modern Woodmen of America, has just received a check for \$8,000 in payment of the insurance of Walter B Harris of Woodleaf, who died December 5th. The application for death benefits was filed on the 11th. This is quick work and is the first death the Modern Woodmen's camp here has had since its organization in 1901.

A good snow fell here Monday and the temperature has been quite low for several days.

The little son of V D Rose ran into Dr J H Rozzelle's automobile on West Innes-street Saturday afternoon, but no particular damage was done.

The public schools of the county will close for one week Friday. This will give all an opportunity to enjoy the holidays.

Arrangements have been made to have a community Christmas tree again this year in front of the old court house.

The barn belonging to Robert Whitaker in East Salisbury was destroyed by fire Sunday morning. The fire company was on hand and prevented the spread of the flames to other property.

Clerk of the Court J Frank McCubbins has been busy during the past week landing out the vouchers to old soldiers and soldiers widows, there being 151 of the former drawing pensions to the amount of \$5,204, and 126 of the latter who draw \$4,112 totaling 277 drawing \$9,316.

A Community Council was organized here last Thursday evening. H A Rouzer was elected chairman, F R Brown, secretary, and a number of others named on various committees including about fifteen people. The idea of this organization as stated is to take charge of all matters thought to be for the welfare of the community. Anything that may accomplish good should be encouraged, but it should be done by a majority of the people for that is the basis on which success depends.

The enrollment of the pupils of the white schools of Salisbury now numbers 1914 an increase of 130 over last year. The enrollment of the negro schools is 471, a decrease of 12.

The public schools of Salisbury closed yesterday afternoon for a two-week's vacation on account of the holidays.

The Meredith hosiery mill is now running on full time in a new building on North Long street where the old building was burned several months ago.

Judge R Lee Wright has made announcement that motions to reduce fines or sentences must be made in open court, which is commendable.

Mrs. P. O. Stuchell Tells How She Cured Her Son of a Cold.

"When my son Ellis was sick with a cold last winter I gave him Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It helped him at once and quickly broke up his cold," writes Mrs. P. O. Stuchell, Honors City, Pa. This remedy has been in use for many years. Its good qualities have been fully proven by many thousands of people. It is pleasant and safe to take.

MARRIAGES

The marriage of Miss Lettie Virginia Weant, of Rural No 1, and Louis E Tatum, of Richmond, Va., took place at the parsonage of the First Baptist church this morning, the pastor, Rev C A G Thomas, officiating.

Miss Mary Burton and John Phifer, well-known young people of Scotch Irish township, were married in the register of deeds office Tuesday. W. L. ... Esq. ... officiated.

Miss Mary Lamb ... and ... were united in the bonds of matrimony at St Luke's Episcopal church last Friday morning. Rev W W ... officiating. After the ceremony they left for a trip to Washington, D. C., Baltimore and other points. They will make their home near Shelltown, Md.

New Bridge Across South Yadkin River.

The new bridge across the South Yadkin river, near J H ... has been completed, and is now open to the public. The road leads off from the old Statesville road just beyond Ket ... and in a ... road to ... Salisbury, and ... This new road and bridge is a great convenience to the citizens of that section of the county and opens up a good section of the country.—Davie Record.

Overman Will Direct Inaugural.

Washington, Dec 17.—Senator Overman of North Carolina will have charge of the inauguration of President Wilson March 4. He has been appointed chairman of the joint committee of the house and senate which will make arrangements for the second inauguration of President Wilson. Four years ago Senator Overman was the ranking Democrat on the committee and then Chairman Hale, out of respect to the North Carolina Senator, allowed him to have full charge of the affair. This time, however, Mr. Overman has been selected by his Democratic colleagues to head this important committee, and he will accompany the President to and from the White House when he takes the oath of office on the capitol steps.

Stop That Cough.

A hacking cough weakens the whole system, drains your energy and gets worse if neglected; your throat is raw your chest aches and you feel sore all over. Relieve that cold at once with Dr. King's New Discovery. The soothing pine balsams heal the irritated membranes, and the anti-epic and laxative qualities kill the germs and break up your cold. Don't let a cold linger. Get Dr. King's New Discovery to-day at your Druggist. 50c.

George McCoy, who was sent to one of the convict camps of this county for larceny about two years ago, but soon escaped, was located by Sheriff Krider in the Virginia penitentiary. Having secured the date of his release the sheriff had a deputy there to take charge of the prisoner. McCoy was brought here and given three months additional for making his escape.

Neglected Colds Grow Worse.

A cough that racks and irritates the throat may lead to a serious chronic cough, if neglected. The healing pine balsams in Dr. King's Pine Tar Honey—Nature's own remedy—will soothe and relieve the irritation, breathing will be easier, and the antiseptic properties will kill the germ which retarded healing. Have it handy for croup, sore throat and chronic bronchial affections. Get a bottle today. Pleasant to take. At all Druggists, 25c.

DEATHS

William A. Graham, brother of Whit Graham of Miranda, died in the State hospital at Morganton last week and his remains were taken to Thytira Presbyterian church for interment. Mr. Graham was 51 years old and had been a patient at the hospital for 31 years.

Moses A Winecoff, aged 25 who lived with his father, Noah Winecoff, at ... died Tuesday, December 12th, from the effects of heart trouble. The funeral was held at Hopewell Baptist church, Mecklenburg county, the day following his death. Mr Winecoff had been in an automobile wreck and had suffered a broken leg which had not yet healed.

John Crouse, aged 69, a citizen of Spencer, died Tuesday morning after several weeks' illness. The funeral took place from the home this afternoon, Revs. M M Kinard and C M Pickens officiating. The interment was in Chestnut Hill cemetery. Mr Crouse was at one time a resident of Hickory and a carpenter by trade. He leaves a wife and some children. He was a member of the Jr O U A M.

Mutilated Beyond Recognition.

(By A. W. Hicks) "Spencer, Dec. 11.—About the worst used-up automobile in Spencer for a long time is the Ford of B F VanCannon, of Spencer Motor Co., which he hired to two young men Sunday afternoon for 75 cents just to go to Salisbury." It is not customary to hire out cars without a driver but in this instance Mr VanCannon says he did so to accommodate the young men and upon their representations that they were only going "to Salisbury" and return. Some five hours after leaving for the city the car had not been returned and Mr VanCannon went in search. He found it shortly before noon today between Landis and Kannapolis where it had been turned up sidledown and covered in mud, broken and mashed beyond recognition. The two young men had been plunoned under the car for short time but managed in some way to crawl out. One returned with a broken arm besides other bruises while the other managed to get home without a broken bone but somewhat used up from the accident."—Salisbury Post.

Now honor bright, if the machine was broken and mashed "beyond recognition," didn't the engine explode and blow the boys out? Or perhaps it was only a mutilated bath tub that Mr VanCannon found. Will the Charlotte Observer please hand this to Everett True for proper disposition?

HIS FRIEND HURT; HE HELPED HIM

Injured Man Laughed When Simple Treatment Was Suggested. But He Thanked His Comrade Later.

Once upon a time word came to Henry A. Veech, of Plainfield, N. J., that a close friend had been injured, and full of anxiety he visited the afflicted man, who was suffering from a sprained ankle. "It was so bad that the leg had turned black," said Mr. Veech in relating the story. "I told him I would have him out in a week and he laughed at me. But I took him a bottle of Sloan's Liniment, that night he put some on and noticed the ankle felt better. I told him to use it every day, and in three days his ankle was practically well. In four days he was working. He gladly admits that Sloan's Liniment 'put him on his feet.'" Sloan's Liniment can be obtained at all drug stores, 25c, 50c, and \$1.00.

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THE ACCEPTANCE SPEECH— AN EDITORIAL APPRAISAL

President Wilson's speech of acceptance was comprehensive, frank and direct.

It was the utterance of a man and a political party, conscious of the honesty of past endeavors and confident of ability to cope with whatever problems the future might have in store.

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With domestic legislation to direct, giving the relief from economic abuses that the country's welfare demanded, with a long list of promises to fulfill, the great war that burst upon the world threatened to check him in his efforts and to involve the nation in the disasters that are afflicting almost every nation of the old world.

How he has brought the country through it all, with honor and with astounding prosperity, the acceptance speech succinctly and modestly tells. It is a story of triumph which every American may read with pride in his great country.

It is a story of achievement, of glory far greater than comes to conquerors on ensanguined fields of battle.

It is a story of moral and economic triumphs that distances romance and puts fiction to rout in actual accomplishment.

In three and a half years the country has been set aright, every class protected in its liberties and its opportunities, the whole commercial system set in order, with prosperity abounding, and reason has never abandoned its throne in all of the country's perplexities.

The speech was a message to the people of all the world. It was a notice to the world that this country is big enough to maintain its honor and to keep out of the war, and at the same time big enough to regulate its domestic conditions.

The speech was no apology, no defense, no complaint. It was a speech that all men and women should read to learn what the country has really been doing.

Services at the Episcopal Church.

Services at Ascension Episcopal Church, China Grove, will be held as follows on Sunday, December 24th: Holy Communion, 10 a. m. Sunday School Christmas service, 11 a. m. There will be no evening service on this date.

Regular service on 2nd and 4th Sunday evenings in January at 7 o'clock.

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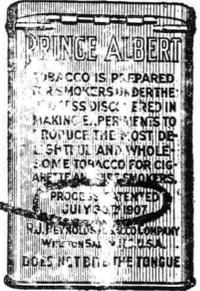
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Notice. North Carolina, Rowan county, W. L. Hampton vs. Ada W. Hampton

The defendant above named will take notice that an action entitled as above has been commenced in the Superior Court of Rowan county, to substantially dissolve the trusts of a mortgage existing between the plaintiff and the defendant and for the granting of a divorce a vinculo to the plaintiff on the grounds of adultery; and the said defendant will further take notice that she is required to appear at a term of the Superior court of said county to be on the third Monday before 1st Monday in March 1917 at the court house of said county in Salisbury, N. C., and answer or demur to the complaint in said action, or the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded in the said complaint. This is the 18th day of November, 1916. J. McCubbins, clerk of Superior court.

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