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LOCAL NEWS

of interest to
ALL OF OUR READERS.

Monday, New Year Day, was observed by all the banks and many of business places.

G. F. Brown, of Statesville, a capable printer, has accepted a position with the WATCHMAN.

Sixty marriage licenses were issued by Register of Deeds J. C. Deaton during the month of December.

N. W. Menius, of Litaker township, one of Rowan's new commissioners, has just killed two hogs weighing 400 and 415 pounds respectively.

The county public schools which suspended operations Friday, December 22nd, for a week's vacation, resumed Monday. The city schools resumed today.

Work is progressing nicely on the Congregational church building on the corner of Main and Liberty streets. The walls to the building are now reaching the third story. Red pressed brick with black mortar is being used and the trimmings are of granite, making an exceptionally handsome structure.

The "Dixie," the new colored moving picture theatre opened Saturday afternoon. The place is run by former chief of police J. Frank Miller and the WATCHMAN wishes him much success.

Dr. J. W. Tankersley, of Greensboro, a former Salisbury man and a son of A. Tankersley of Spencer, who recently returned from the Mexican border where he was one of the medical staff with the N. C. troops, will locate in Wilmington for the practice of surgery only.

Friday Sheriff Krider learned that two young negro men were trying to sell several hams at a suburban store and upon investigation found out that the men had stolen them from the grandmother of one and both were taken into custody and will be given a hearing later.

Hardy Lentz has made an application to the authorities for the installation of a gasoline tank to be installed on North Main street in front of the Norman Furniture Company which it is said, will be the only supply station of this kind in that section of Salisbury.

Henry W. Klutz, of Route No. 1, Rockwell, was in town yesterday on business. Mr. Klutz is 74 years old and came to town on horse-back. He is cheerful, energetic and enjoying good health.

Frank Lattimore, a negro, was caught in a house on Liberty street last week, and being wanted for a deadly assault on a twelve-year-old boy, Pinkton Evans, will be given a hearing. Several days ago while under the influence of liquor he attacked the grandmother of the boy and the little fellow attempted to defend her but was struck on the head with a spade, breaking his skull. The boy was taken to the sanatorium and is in a very critical condition. The Negro is held in jail awaiting the outcome of the boy's injuries.

NEW HOSPITAL WANTS SITE AND \$40,000.

Hospital Committee of Western North Carolina Conference, in Session Here.

That there is to be a modern and well equipped hospital in this section of the state is the determination of the hospital committee of the Western North Carolina Methodist Conference which held an important meeting in Salisbury Thursday night. This committee was appointed at a recent session of the conference in Gastonia, November 23.

Present at the Salisbury meeting was the chairman, Rev. C. M. Pickens, of Spencer. Revs. W. A. Lambeth of Salisbury, R. G. Tuttle, C. W. Byrd of Asheville, Dr. J. W. Long of Greensboro, Rev. E. L. Bain of Winston-Salem and J. B. Ivey of Charlotte. By request of Rev. J. L. Nelson Lenoir lodged a bid for the proposed hospital to be located there.

The most important step taken by the committee was to the effect that the chairman, Rev. C. M. Pickens, and the secretary, Rev. E. L. Bain, addressed a letter to the various medical societies, Board of Trades and other organizations in Gastonia, Charlotte, Statesville, High Point, Greensboro, Winston-Salem, Asheville and Hickory, setting forth the action of the conference, stating the conditions necessary to be met before a city will be considered a competitor for the hospital, and that the intention of the Conference to raise a sufficient additional sum to that of the community to build a hospital to cost not less than \$150,000.

Among the conditions which must be met, in accordance with the action of the Conference, is that the community where the hospital is to be located must furnish an adequate medical staff a suitable site, at least \$40,000 in cash to go towards building and equipment to cost not less than \$100,000, and in addition must prove to the committee that such city is most suitable for the hospital.

The hospital committee adjourned to meet again in Salisbury, March 15th.

How to Check That Cold.

When it is painful to breathe and fever sends chills up and down your back, you are in for a cold. A timely dose of Dr. Bell's Pine Tar Honey will stop the sneezes and sniffles. The pine balsam loosens the phlegm and clears the bronchial tubes, the honey soothes and relieves the sore throat. The antiseptic qualities kill the germ and the congested condition is relieved. Croup, whooping cough and chronic bronchial affections quickly relieved. At all Druggists, 25c.

Hungarian Coronation Marked by Brilliance and Display of Wealth.

Budapest, Dec. 30.—Via London, Dec. 31.—An assemblage of 1,500 Hungarian nobles witnessed the coronation of King Charles Queen Zita. It was the most brilliant in the history of the country. Not even the crowning of Francis Joseph presented such a spectacle of the kingdom's wealth.

The coronation was entirely a Hungarian event.

No foreign Princes were present except King Ferdinand of Bulgaria, who attended in the capacity of a Magyar Magnate, which he is by birth. Frederick C. Penfield, the American Ambassador, was one of the few neutral diplomats present.

King Charles was attired in the red Hungarian uniform, with a pale blue mantle, black boots and gold spurs. Queen Zita wore pale blue brocaded silk with a veil and the diamond-studded crown above a dark blue cap.

Lex-Poc, A Mild, Effective Laxative & Liver Tonic. Cures Hot Spots, Constipation, Biliousness, Headache and works of the Colon. Druggists return money if it fails to cure. W. G. GROVE'S signature on each box. 25c.

Rowan County Association P. O. S. of A Meets at China Grove.

The Rowan County Association Patriotic Order Sons of America met with the China Grove Camp, No. 17, last Thursday night and quite a number of delegates were present, all the camps being represented except one. The president, Mr. Peeler, of Faith, presided, and G. O. Klutz was secretary.

The reports of the various camps were read and showed the order in fine condition.

The subject of woman suffering was discussed. J. L. Shuping and T. E. Webb spoke in the affirmative, and G. H. Page and W. A. Daniel the negative. A good many interesting points were brought out, some of which were quite humorous. The question was left to a vote of the members present and the vote stood about five to forty in favor of the negative.

By vote it was decided to meet next in Salisbury, with Camp No. 24, on the last Monday night in March.

After the business of the evening was over the China Grove Camp served refreshments, mostly to J. L. Shuping, A. G. Shank, H. C. Sloop and G. W. Hill. The refreshments were of the very best and there was a superabundance, such as the good people of that place how to supply. All enjoyed the occasion very much and are looking forward with pleasure to the next meeting to be held in Salisbury.

ANOTHER SALISBURY CASE.

It Proves That There's a Way Out for Many Suffering Salisbury Folks.

Just another report of a case in Salisbury. Another typical case. Kidney ailments relieved in Salisbury with Doan's Kidney Pills.

Mrs. M. A. Winecoff, 331 E. Kerr street, Salisbury, says: "My back ached so that I could hardly drag myself around and in the morning I could hardly get out of bed. My kidneys were in bad shape and the kidney secretions were unnatural. My nerves were unstrung. I suffered from headaches and often felt as though I would lose my reason. I tried many medicines but nothing seemed to do me any good until I took Doan's Kidney Pills, procured at the People's Drug Co. They relieved me from the first and I continued taking them until my back didn't ache and my kidneys caused me no trouble."

Price 50c. at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy, get Doan's Kidney Pills, the same that Mrs. Winecoff had. Foster-Milburn Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y.

Dairy Schools.

Announcement of Dairy Schools for January, 1917, by the Agricultural Department has been made for the following times and places:

- Rowan county, Miranda School House, January 1st to 5th.
- Iredell county, Elmwood School House, January 29th; Shawnee School House, January 30th.
- Rowan county, Klutz and Menius School House, January 31st; Oak Grove School House, February 1st.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years doctors pronounced it a local disease and prescribed local remedies, and by constantly falling to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Science has proven Catarrh to be a constitutional disease, and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., is the only constitutional cure on the market. It is taken internally. It acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. They offer one hundred dollar refund for any case it fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials. Sold by druggists, 75c. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation. Address: F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O.

SECOND BIG DAM FOR ALUMINUM CO.

To Be Constructed at Falls of Yadkin River Three Miles Below Badin.

Albemarle, Dec. 28.—That work on the second big dam to be built by the American Aluminum Company at the Falls of the Yadkin about three miles below Badin is to commence upon a big scale is evidenced by the fact that a double track of railway is to be continued down the river from Badin to the falls.

It is reported upon good authority that the final survey for this road is now being made and that stakes are being driven preparatory to active construction work of the road. The fact that the road is to be double tracked from Badin to the falls is conclusive proof that the work is considered to be exceedingly heavy.

It is reported that work on the construction of this new extension of railway will be commenced immediately and that trains will be running three miles farther down the Yadkin just as quick as labor and material can place the track in order. This will mean no doubt the addition of several hundred additional workers on the big development which is literally tearing up the woods for several miles up and down the Yadkin river just east of this city.

MARRIAGES

Wednesday afternoon Miss Margaret Andrews and Walter Ellis, both of Spencer, gave their families and friends a slip, ran away to Davidson county and were married. Alderman J. M. Ellis, a brother of the groom, forbade the register of deeds in Rowan county to issue license to the couple, basing his objections on the age of the parties, each being only about 17 years old. Failed in their plans in Rowan they went to Davidson and were married. How the license for minors was secured in Lexington is not known. After the ceremony the groom "planned the home of the bride" and the young couple left for Richmond, Va., where Mr. Ellis holds a position.

Miss Weston Capps and William A. Ramsey were married Sunday evening at the house of the First Presbyterian church, the ceremony being performed by Dr. Kyrion Clark. The couple's honeymoon trip will include a visit to the National Capital. Mr. Ramsey is baggage master on the Southern between Salisbury and Goldsboro. His bride has been connected with the Western Union office in Greensboro recently but was for several years with the Southern Bell in its Salisbury office.

The marriage of Miss Ida Sutton, daughter of W. F. Sutton, and S. C. Hill, son of G. W. Hill, took place in China Grove last Wednesday evening. These are popular young people and have many friends who wish them a long and happy life. They are making their home with G. W. Hill, father of the groom, for the present.

Mrs. Rebecca Mize, formerly of Salisbury, who went to Ohio some months ago to be near her children in the State orphanage, was married to John Koeppe, of Florida, on December 30th. The couple will make their home temporarily in Florida and later will go to Florida where Mr. Koeppe is said to own an orange farm.

The wedding of Miss Essie Potts and Harvey D. Canble was solemnized in the presence of a few friends at the First Baptist parsonage Sunday afternoon. Rev. C. A. G. Thomas officiating. Mr. Canble is an employe of the Sanitary market.

Deficit of \$279,000,000 Faced by U. S. Next Year

Washington, Dec. 31.—Secretary McAdoo estimated tonight that under existing revenue laws the government's deficit on June 30, 1918, will be \$279,000,000 and that in order to meet this condition and give the Treasury the necessary working balance of \$100,000,000, Congress will have to raise \$379,000,000 additional revenue during the coming fiscal year. The Secretary takes it for granted that bonds will be issued for \$184,256,000 to reimburse the general fund for \$162,418,000 estimated expenditures for the Mexican border patrol up to June 30, 1917, and for \$21,838,000 estimated expenditures for the Alaskan railway to June 30, 1918. This would leave \$194,817,000 to be raised by taxation.

Inactivity Causes Constipation.

Lack of exercise in the winter is a frequent cause of constipation. You feel heavy, dull and listless your complexion is sallow and pimply, and energy at low ebb. Clean up this condition at once with Dr. King's New Life Pills, a mild laxative that relieves the congested intestines without griping. A dose before retiring will assure you a full and easy movement in the morning. 25c. at your Druggist.

Miss Minnie Long of the Shepherd's vicinity, Iredell county, and Guy Lowrance, of Rowan county, were married Friday at the Methodist parsonage by Rev. J. C. Keever in Troutman. Mr. Lowrance is a prominent young farmer and his bride is the daughter of one of the leading farmers at Shepherd.

Are Your Sowers Clogged?

The bowels are the sewerage system of the body. You can well imagine the result when they are stopped up as is the case in constipation. As a purgative you will find Chamberlain's Tablets excellent. They are mild and gentle in their action. They also improve the digestion.

Stable Linn, Esq., who is to represent Rowan in the State senate, left Tuesday for Raleigh. Mr. Murphy went to the capital Sunday night and is actively seeking the caucus nomination for the speakership. Mr. Phillips, the other Rowan representative, is already in Raleigh for the opening today.

F. Leshepp, 8th Floor, 543 W. 17th Street New York City, General Sales Manager of the largest concern of its kind in the world wants three or four men in Rowan County and several men in adjoining Counties to work for him spare time or all the time. He can use only those who have a rig or auto. Work is very pleasant and no previous selling experience is necessary. Work consists of leaving a wonderful new household necessity in the homes on free trial. Tests at more than thirty of leading Universities and the Government Bureau of Standards show this new article to be four times as efficient as article now in general use in this section. Article is needed in every rural home and benefits every member of the household, bringing cheer, comfort and happiness into the home. Not necessary to be away from home nights. Pay from \$6.00 to \$15.00 per day according to ability and number of homes visited. In writing Mr. Sheppy, mention what townships will be most convenient for you to work in; your regular occupation; your age; married or single; how long you have lived in the community; what kind of rig or auto you have; whether you wish to work spare time or steady; how much time you will have to devote to the work; when you can start, and about how many homes are within six miles of you in each direction. This is a splendid opportunity for several men in Rowan County and counties adjoining to make good money, working steady or spare time. Some of the field men earn \$300.00 per month; one farmer earned \$1,000 working spare time only. No investment or bond necessary.

GERMANY'S PEACE PROPOSAL REJECTED.

Suggested Conference War Maneuver and not Peace Offer Says Reply.

Paris, Dec. 30.—In reply to the proffer of Germany and her Allies for a peace conference, the Entente Allies, in a collective note, declare that they "refuse to consider a proposal which is empty and insincere." The note was handed to the American Ambassador, William Graves Sharp, today by Premier Briand, and was made public simultaneously in London and Paris.

The note does not specifically outline the definite war aims of any of the Entente Governments except Belgium. Before the war, it is pointed out, Belgium asked her nothing but to live in harmony with her neighbors. Assailed in spite of the treaties guaranteeing her inviolability, Belgium, the note says, has taken up arms to defend her independence and "her neutrality violated by Germany."

Belgium's aim, which is declared to be the only aim of her King and Government, is described as "the re-establishment of peace and justice. But they only desire peace which would assure to their country legitimate reparation, guarantees and safeguards for the future."

The note, which is the joint act of Belgium, France, Great Britain, Italy, Japan, Montenegro, Portugal, Rumania, Russia, and Serbia, declares that the present strife was desired, provoked and declared by Germany and Austria-Hungary, and that Germany made no effort to bring about a pacific solution of the trouble between Serbia and Austria-Hungary, as did Great Britain, France and Russia.

A peace concluded upon the German idea would be only to the advantage of the Central Powers, says the note, while disasters caused by the war demand penalties reparation and guarantees.

The German overtures are described as a calculated attempt to influence the future course of the war and to end it by imposing a German peace. The overtures also are said to have the effect of intimidating neutral public opinion as well as to stiffen opinion in the Central Powers "worn out by economic pressure and crushed by the supreme effort which has been imposed upon their inhabitants."

Finally, it is asserted, "these overtures attempt to justify in advancing the eyes of the world, a new series of crimes—submarine warfare, deportations, forced labor and forced enlistment of the inhabitants against their own countries and violations of neutrality."

Soon Over His Cold.

Everyone speaks well of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy after having used it. Mrs. George Lewis, Pittsfield, N. Y., has this to say regarding it: "Last winter my little boy five years old, was sick with a cold for two or three weeks. I doctored him and used various cough medicines but nothing did him much good until I began using Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. He then improved rapidly and in a few days was over his cold."

Carey Bostian of China Grove spent a few days last week with his uncle, J. J. Bostian, near that place.

Sloan's Liniment For Stiff Joints.

Rheumatic pains and aches get into the joints and muscles, making every movement torture. Relieve your suffering with Sloan's Liniment; it quickly penetrates without rubbing, and soothes and warms your sore muscles. The congested blood is stimulated to action; a single application will drive out the pain. Sloan's Liniment is clean, convenient and quickly effective, it does not stain the skin or clog the pores. Get a bottle to-day at your Druggist, 25c.



Mrs. Maggie Bean, aged 61 years, died at the home of her son, J. H. Bean, at Franklin, Thursday afternoon of pneumonia. She lived in Rowan county a short time, having moved from Edenton to which place her remains were shipped Friday for interment.

Henry Gilts Cranford, aged 78 years, a well known farmer of Woodleaf, died at his home Sunday morning after a brief illness. The funeral was held and the interment took place Monday at the Presbyterian church. Surviving is the widow and a number of grown children.

Mrs. J. B. Yost, aged 45 years, died at her home near the fair ground, Sunday afternoon, from the effects of pneumonia. Her remains were interred in the Chestnut Hill cemetery Monday afternoon. Surviving is the husband and seven children.

Mrs. Calvin Klutz died at her home near Cleveland Friday morning and the interment took place Saturday at St. Luke's Lutheran church cemetery. The service was conducted by Rev. S. S. Brown. Deceased was a daughter of Andrew Shuping.

In memory of
John Joseph Stewart, Jr.,
Born Jan. 1st, 1868
Died Oct. 25th, 1914

Have You Used a General Tonic?
The Old Standard Groves' Tonic is equally valuable as a tonic for the blood and the system. It contains the most potent properties of QUININE, IRON, and the Blood Purifier. It is the most effective tonic for the system. 50c.

J. J. Bostian of China Grove was a Salisbury visitor Saturday.

Painful Coughs Relieved.

Dr. King's New Discovery is soothing, healing remedy for coughs and colds that has stood the test of nearly fifty years. For that cough that strains the throat and saps the vitality try Dr. King's New Discovery. The soothing pine balsams and mild laxative ingredients soon drive the cold from the system. Have a bottle on hand for winter colds, croup, grippe and bronchial affections. At your Druggist, 50c.

Rev. I. L. Shaver and Joseph H. Brendall, Jr., of this county, were in the office yesterday. They were on their way to Durham to resume studies at Trinity College.

Drives Out Malaria, Builds Up System. The Old Standard Groves' Tonic, drives out Malaria, enriches the blood, and builds up the system. True tonic. For adults and children. 50c.

At the meeting of the board of county commissioners Tuesday morning, George Y. Thomason, present superintendent of roads for Rowan county, was chosen to succeed himself in this capacity.

Stomach Troubles.

If you have trouble with your stomach you should try Chamberlain's Tablets. So many have been restored to health by the use of the tablets and their cost is so little, 25 cents, that it is worth while to give them a trial.

Dr. J. Thomas Wright has re-opened his offices in the the Gun building, now the Wallace building, and resumed the practice of his specialties, including electrical and X-ray. Residence with J. J. Bostian.

How Long in 6 to 14 Days
The Old Standard Groves' Tonic, drives out Malaria, enriches the blood, and builds up the system. True tonic. For adults and children. 50c.

To Cure a Cold in One Day
Take LAXATIVE BROMO Quinine. It stops the cough and headache and works of the Colon. Druggists return money if it fails to cure. W. G. GROVE'S signature on each box. 25c.