

LOCAL NEWS

of interest to
ALL OF OUR READERS.

E L Fleming of Landis, has been given the contract to erect the big new Rowan school building at Kannapolis at a cost of \$8,000. The building is to be of brick, it to be modern in every particular and work on its erection has been begun. It is to be ready for the fall term which opens in September.

The Salisbury military company, the 4th Co., C A C, has been recruited to its full war strength and it now consists of 109 men. There are others wanting to join and their names are placed on the waiting list.

Quite a large number of old soldiers and others left on the special train for Washington Sunday night. A Parker of Salisbury and Parks Basinger of Morgau Township, were among those leaving.

There was quite a wind storm to the west and north of Salisbury Sunday afternoon and at some places did damage. The roofs of several freight cars while passing between Linwood and Lexington were blown off, but no great damage has been reported.

Owing to speculation in wheat, Robert Moore, an employe of W R Craig & Co brokers of New York, that firm is short to the amount of \$1,030,650. Part of this is covered by bond Mr Craig has an estate in Davie County and visits Salisbury frequently.

George Crawford, Negro was fined \$50 and cost in the county court Monday for carrying a concealed weapon, also \$25 and cost for shooting Jim Brown in the leg. Failure to pay the fines means 90 days on the roads.

Mr and Mrs E C Sweet are in Washington this week, having gone there with the old soldiers.

D D Harrison, a printer, who has been meandering about the country for several years, is spending a week or so here. He was the first to register for the army in the North Ward.

Last Friday the pupils of the primary department of the city schools presented their principal, Mrs T E Johnston, with \$20 in gold as a token of their esteem.

Dudley Hall, son of W A Hall of Franklin Township, left Monday for Kiowa, Colorado, where he will take charge of a ranch. Mr Hall is only 19 years old and is remembered as the young man who was the champion corn-grower in North Carolina.

At a recent quarterly conference of the first M E Church of this city, the question of changing the church's name was discussed. The name "Asbury" was recommended by the conference.

Thomas P Johnston, Jr., who has been attending the Theological Seminary in Richmond, Va, has returned home. He will leave for Statesville this week to be present at the Presbytery when he will receive his license to preach. He will return to the seminary later.



Mrs. Martha Fowle Gordon, aged 66 years, of Washington, N. C., while on a visit in this city to her daughter, Mrs Percy Grimes, died quite suddenly Monday night, May 28th. On Tuesday following her remains were taken to Washington for interment.

R B Harris, about 60, died before day at his home in Cleveland, last Wednesday morning from the effects of cancer of the stomach. The funeral was held from Third Creek church last Thursday. Mr. Harris was a prosperous and prominent farmer of that section of the county. Beside a wife and several children, he leaves a brother, W L Harris of China Grove, to mourn their loss.

Capt. W T R Bell, aged 78, father of C D Bell, postoffice clerk in Salisbury, died in Richmond hospital last Thursday. His remains were taken to his home at Rutherfordton for interment.

D Augustus Lentz, aged 64, died at his home on West Kerr last Wednesday night from the effects of pneumonia. Mr. Lentz was the carrier for rural route No. 5 and was a faithful and efficient officer and was well liked by a large circle of friends. The funeral was held from his residence Friday afternoon, Rev G H L Lingle of Haven Lutheran church, officiating. The pallbearers were his co-workers: John A Sloop, Jesse Nail, D R Myers, J A Thomason, Clarence Bernhardt and Lee Canup. The interment was in Chestnut Hill cemetery. He leaves a wife and five children.

Mrs. Ella L Palmer died at her home at 523 East Innes Street last Friday morning, after an illness of a few days. She was about 62 years of age, and a member of the First Methodist church, here. The funeral was held Saturday morning, conducted by her pastor Rev. W A Lambeth, and the interment was in Chestnut Hill cemetery. Mrs. Palmer was an excellent woman, a good Christian and in church matters took an active part. She leaves three sons, Fred L, W L and W. E. Palmer, and numerous friends to mourn their loss.

Miss Viola Albright, 20 years of age, died at her home on South Main Street, from the effects of appendicitis after undergoing an operation, last Friday afternoon. She was a most excellent young lady and had hosts of friends. The funeral was held at the home Sunday afternoon, conducted by Rev. M M Kinard, D D, assisted by Rev. G L Lingle. While in life she took a deep interest in Sunday school work and was a very active member and much loved by teacher and class. The interment was in Chestnut Hill cemetery. A large concourse of friends followed Miss Albright to the cemetery. The procession was made up entirely of automobiles, no other vehicles being in line. The floral offerings were unusually large and very pretty. Her Sunday school class, with W Snider, teacher, followed the procession in a body.

John Pethel, a resident of the vicinity of Landis, died after several days' illness last Friday afternoon, the funeral and interment taking place Sunday. Mr. Pethel was probably the oldest man in the county and a well known citizen. He was a member of Co. G, 42nd regiment N. C. state troops and joined the army under the name of John Pechel, March 19, 1862, giving his age as 45, and being born on January 1st, would make him over 100 years old at death. Mr. Pethel was a good soldier and at one

time was postmaster at Enochville.

Mrs. Millie Maria Miller, aged 78, died at the home of her son, John R Miller near Trading Ford, Sunday morning. She was the mother of Charles H Miller of Salisbury, a postal clerk between Salisbury and Knoxville.

Mrs. Charlie Kimball of Granite Quarry, aged 35, died at her home Saturday afternoon probably from the effects of heart disease. She had laid down on a bed with a sick child and was found there by other children. A husband and seven children survive. The funeral and interment took place Sunday.

Join the Red Cross.

Membership in the American Red Cross has passed the million mark. Less than a year and a half ago it numbered only 30,000. Since the declaration of a state of war with Germany new members have been added in an unceasing torrent and it is to be hoped that there will be no let up to it. A million is a good many, but the figure is far below what it should be. Japan's Red Cross boasts a membership of two million. On this same basis America's Red Cross should number at least 3,500,000.

Ex-President Taft, chairman of the central committee, said not long ago: "The American people have as much generosity as any people in the world, but it needs an electric shock to arouse to its excise."—New York Globe.

Lula Allison Gives Bond.

The coroner's jury convened at the court house Saturday afternoon and heard additional evidence in the case of Lula Allison, charged with stabbing and killing Annie McCulloh in a dance hall on Fisher street last Wednesday afternoon, May 30th. It seems the McCulloh woman had gone to Statesville and was in hiding, her whereabouts being known to her husband. Upon being arrested by the sheriff of Iredell, Lula admitted that she did the stabbing and although other witnesses were present to testify this was sufficient for the coroner, to hold her for the murder and she was locked up to await the September term of the Rowan Superior court, she being required to give bond of \$1,500 by the suggestion of Solicitor Hayden Clement, should she wish to be given her liberty. Her sister, Sallie Eccles, who was also being held for the crime, was put under a \$100 bond and other witnesses were put under smaller bonds to insure their appearance at court. Lula succeeded in giving the required bond yesterday and has gone home.

Spontaneous Combustion.

Some people have supposed that spontaneous combustion is a myth, but there is nothing mythical about a fire loss of \$5,463,822 in the United States in a single year. When it is estimated that this figure is 50 per cent. preventable, it may be assumed that such an estimate is very conservative. The most frequent cause of spontaneous combustion is from allowing oily rags to be kept in wooden boxes or in contact with combustible material. Certain kinds of oil have a great tendency to produce upon the least opportunity. The public has been warned times without number of the danger of carelessness in this matter, but oily rags are so often found in every household, factory, and business building that the proportion of careless individuals is able to cause severe losses.—Michigan Fire Marshal's Bulletin.

The Quinine That Does Not Affect The Stomach. It is the best. It is the only one that does not cause nervousness and does not cause the usual effects of other quinine. It is the only one that does not cause the usual effects of other quinine. It is the only one that does not cause the usual effects of other quinine.

MARRIAGES

Monday evening Miss Lena daughter of Mr. and Mrs W M McCombs, of Crescent, and Paul J Lyerly, son of Mr. and Mrs. M L Lyerly of Granite Quarry, were united in marriage, Rev. John A Koons officiating.

The marriage of Miss Laura Frauces Hearne, who taught in the public school at China Grove during the past session, and Ernest M Henning of Virginia, took place in the Lutheran Church at Albemarle yesterday evening, Rev. V C Ridenhour officiating.

The marriage of Miss Pearl daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C A Linn of Landis, and John Quincy Wertz of Salisbury, will take place this evening at the house of bride's parents, Rev. A Shultenburger officiating. After a trip to Western North Carolina the young couple will make their home in Salisbury. They are splendid young people and have a host of friends who will be interested to learn of their wedding.

Last Friday evening Miss Georgiana Russell and Joseph E Blalock were married at the Baptist parsonage, Pastor C A G Thomas officiating.

Miss Willie Kesler, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J W Kesler of Salisbury, and Cliff Burton of Spencer, were married at the home of the bride's parents Sunday afternoon, Pastor C A G Thomas officiating.

The marriage of Miss Mary Ramsay and Joseph H Robertson took place at the home of the bride's sister, Mr and Mrs. T E Witherspoon, the ceremony being performed by Rev. Bryon Clark of the First Presbyterian church, Thursday evening, May 31st. Miss Ramsay is a niece of James H Ramsay and has been holding a position in the registry department of the post office for several years, and Mr. Robertson is manager of the Salisbury branch of the N C Public Service and is native of Burlington. After a trip to Western North Carolina they will make their home in Salisbury.

New City Officials Sworn In.

The newly elected city officials, including the mayor and eight aldermen were sworn in Monday at noon. The mayor and board are as follows: W H Woodson; mayor, J D Norwood, J F Ludwick, T E Couly, J G Crowder, and C M Henderlite, H E Ruffy and R L Julian. There are only two new members, these being J G Crowder and C M Henderlite, succeeding respectively D A Beaver and G A Fisher. The new board held a short session and re-elected J D Norwood mayor pro term. The election of clerk, treasurer, tax collector, police, sanitary officer and others will be taken up at another meeting.

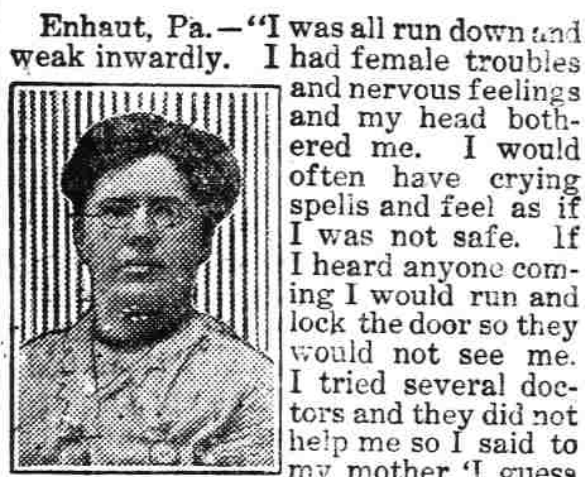
Arnold B Huff, one of the proprietors of the Iris theatre here and a son of W H Huff, has purchased an interest in the Isis theatre of Greensboro and will take personal charge of its affairs, moving his family there and making his home in that city.

As a token of their regard the children of the Salisbury public schools presented, retiring Supt. A T Allen with a purse of gold last week.

The commencement exercises of the Salisbury public schools, the Salisbury normal and Industrial Institute and the East Spencer public schools have been held during the past week. The programmes though interesting were quite lengthy.

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SALISBURY MARKETS.

Corrected weekly by C. P. Shuping.
Beacon, sides per lb, 22 1/2 to 28.
" shoulders, per lb, 22 1/2 to 25.
" ham, per lb, 27 1/2 to 30.
" round, per lb, 26.
Butter, choice yellow, 25 to 30.
Chickens, per lb, 12 to 15.
Ducks, 20 to 30.
Guineas, 25 to 30.
Eggs, per doz, 25 to 30.
Corn, per bushel, 2.00 to 2.10.
Flour, straight, per sack, \$7.25 to \$7.59.
" pat, \$7.75 to \$8.25.
Hay, per hundred lbs, 9 to 100.
Honey, per lb, 18 to 20.
Lard, N. C., per lb, 22 1/2 to 25.
Meal, bolted, per bu, \$2.40.
Oats, per bu, 90 to 1 00.
Potatoes, Irish, per bu, 3 00.
Wheat per bush, \$2.50 to 3 00.
Onions, 2 50 to 900.
Rye, per bushel, \$1.40.
Turkeys 15c per lb.
Geese, 12 1/2c per lb.

Notice to Creditors.

Having duly qualified as executor of the estate of Dale Brown, deceased, this is to notify all persons having claims against said estate to present the same to the undersigned on or before May 1st, 1918, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please settle at once.
This May 1st, 1917.
W. F. KELSEY, executor.
T. G. FURR, atty.

Mortgage Sale of Real Estate.

By virtue of the authority contained in one certain Mortgage Trust Deed executed by Napoleon Brown and wife to P S Carlton, trustee, on the 8th day of December, 1913, and registered in the Register's Office of Rowan County, in Book of Mortgages 47, page 181, default having been made in the payment of the note secured thereby, and at the request of the cestui que trust, Mrs Dora M Kern, the undersigned Trustee will sell by public auction to the highest bidder for cash at the court house door in Salisbury, N. C., on SATURDAY, JULY 14th, 1917, at twelve o'clock m., the following described real estate:

Two tracts of land in Litaker township adjoining the lands of J D Bailey, W P Holshouser, E L Wood, et al: 1st. Beginning at a stone, corner, to Margaret Haynes' lot; thence E. 10 chains to a stake on Daniel Peeler's line; thence S 25 1/2° W 3 chains to a stake; thence S 65° W 7.50 chains to a stake thence N. 18° W. 6.25 chains to the beginning, containing four acres more or less. Upon the lot above described is a five room dwelling house. 2nd. Beginning at a stone, corner of church lot; runs thence S. 34 E. 5.41 chains to a stake; thence S 70° W 3.16 chains to a stake, Wood's corner; thence N. 34° W 3.88 chains to a stone Wood's corner; thence N. 38 E. 3.68 chains to the beginning, containing one and one half acres, less one-fourth of an acre sold to the Board of Education of Rowan County. For back title see deed registered in Book of Deeds 122, page 490, Register's Office of Rowan county. This the 6th day of June, 1917.
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Application for Pardon.

Notice is hereby given that application will be made to Governor Bickett for the pardon of Andrew Linder who was convicted at May Term 1908, Rowan Superior Court, for murder in the second degree and sentenced to fifteen (15) years in the State Prison. Any persons wishing to object to his pardon will file their objections with Governor Bickett.

This May 29, 1917.
ANDREW LINDER,
By R Lee Wright, Attorney

Administrator's Notice.

Having qualified as administrator upon the estate of D M Campbell deceased, notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to said estate to call and settle without delay and all persons having possession, control or custody of any effects or estate of the said D M Campbell, are notified to surrender the same to the undersigned at once. All persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present the same to the undersigned, duly verified, on or before May 14, 1918, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery.
This May 14, 1917.
R. LEE WRIGHT, Adm'r of D. M. Campbell.

Sale of Valuable Land.

NORTH CAROLINA, ROWAN COUNTY.
Pursuant to the provisions contained in a certain Mortgage Deed of Trust, executed on January 16, 1913, by James D. Dorsett and wife, Hester L. Dorsett, to W Fenwick Trustee, which is duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for Rowan County, in book of mortgages No. 44, page 193, default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness there secured, and at the request of the holder of the note thereby secured, the undersigned Trustee will expose for sale at the court house door in the city of Salisbury, N. C.,

Thursday, the 11th day of June, 1917,

at the hour of twelve M., the following described real estate:
1st. Lying in the town of Spencer, N. C., on the corner of McCubbins Ave. and Baldwin street, and being lots Nos. 1 and 2 in Block No. 3, B F Lively's Addition to Spencer, N. C., and more particularly described in a deed from T. E. Connelly and others to J D Dorsett, Nov. 25, 1907, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for Rowan county, N. C., book 125, page 466.

2nd. One vacant lot lying in the East Ward in Salisbury, N. C., lying on the North-west side of Shaver street between Liberty street and Park avenue and being a part of the land conveyed J H McKenzie commissioner to W F Whitaker, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for Rowan County, N. C., book 113, page 488, and more particularly described in a deed from W F Whitaker and wife, to J D Dorsett dated Nov 21, 1911, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Rowan County, N. C., book 127, page 221.
3rd. One half undivided interest in the following lots which lots are located in the J D Dorsett addition to East Spencer, N. C., conveyed by G C Kesler to Jas. D Dorsett, Nov. 28, 1905, and registered in Rowan county, N. C., book of deeds 107, page 224, Nos. 51, 42, 53, 67, 68, 63, 64, 65, 66, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20 and which lots are shown more particularly on the map of J D Dorsett's addition to East Spencer, N. C., and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for Rowan county, N. C., This May 14, 1917.

W. F. SNIDER, Trustee.
JOHN L. REDLEMAN, Attorney.

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