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Correspondents should mail news letters in time for them to reach this office by Tuesday morning, to insure their appearance in the week's issue. Important happenings, such as deaths, fires, accidents, etc., may be phoned at The Courier's expense.

Good roads, good schools and a better system of taxation are the crying needs of the hour.

The winter roads should remind us that road work should be done in summer.

Nearly three hundred thousand dollars increase in the assessed valuation of property for last year more than the assessed value for the year before is a splendid record for Randolph's progress.

Guilford and Mecklenburg are enjoying the fruits of the good work in the building of good roads years ago and Iredell and other counties are fixing to reap the reward of their wisdom in building good roads.

Work in the laundry of a reformatory or in a work house for Beulah Binford would be a capital idea for those who want to help her. Putting her on the stage is not the kind of help she needs.

Did you ever think about it? The development in agricultural, industrial and educational lines during the last few years has a magical effect on the people. They have become broader, and more readily take up good roads and other improvements.

The greatest development in the building of good roads is the discovery of the method of mixing sand and clay in such a way as to make a road of the highest quality. Experts say that sand clay roads are of superior value to macadam, except possibly on heavy roads.

Birthdays Dinner

Mr. Editor: I wish to thank my many friends and relatives through the columns of your valuable paper for the marked kindness tendered me by way of a surprise basket dinner on August 12, 1911, preceding my departure to Florida on the 14th with my son and wife.

My family and friends had succeeded perfectly in keeping me in profound ignorance of their intentions and after attending to my usual morning duties, I sat down on the piazza to rest, attired in my old patched overalls and the rest of my wearing apparel harmonizing well with the afore named garment, and great was my astonishment when I looked down the road and saw several of my nearest neighbors approaching with dinner baskets.

I was not kept long in suspense as to what was in store for me, as my friends began to come in from all directions, until one hundred and fourteen in number had arrived, and each one brought a basket well filled with sufficient delicacies to satisfy the hunger of the most fastidious. When the assembly was complete a table was provided and the good women proceeded to arrange the contents of their baskets thereon, and when completed the table seemed to be groaning under the weight of delicious and well cooked food which is a characteristic of the neighborhood.

About 12 o'clock the assembly was invited to the table, and A. R. Spencer returned thanks, after which we all did full justice to the dinner. After each one had eaten to his heart's content, the remaining food, of which there was an abundance, was transferred to the baskets again, and the remainder of the afternoon was spent in pleasant conversation in which all present seemed to participate, until the shadows began to grow long, and then we bade adieu to each other until the next reunion. Long live the good people who constituted this gathering.

T. W. Andrews.

High Point Route 3 News

Lee Church, of Archdale, visited at L. Bryan's Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl White, of Glendale, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Hunt.

Edgar Hunt has bought from L. L. Cottrane, the farm known as the Isaac Spencer farm, near Cedar Square school house.

Dr. William A. Graham, of Durham committed suicide by shooting himself last Monday.

Thoughts on the Sunday School Lesson, August 17

The Lord is my helper and I will not fear what man shall do unto me. Hebrews 13:6.

This subject is worthy of our deepest consideration because it contains the very principal with which we are continually brought into contact. The great King Nebuchadnezzar had been away from his kingdom on long wars of conquest, and had subdued nations in all parts of the known world. He had made his name great in all the earth and was a leader of armies and men whom few could resist. Sometime after his return from the conquest of Jerusalem, he conceived the idea of showing to the people of all his vast realm that they were united in one great empire, and that he was the head of it. The people he had subdued spoke many languages and worshipped many gods. In many respects they were as different as people could be. The King desired to show them that he was the head of all and that in him centered all authority both religious and political.

He had a great image of gold erected in the plain of Dura, one of his provinces, and he sent for all his deputies, governors, soothsayers and other chief men to attend the dedication. We are not disposed to say anything against this as a political act, for if the king could unite that great mass of humanity, no one in these days would seriously object to it, but as a religious act it was entirely different. God was not considered in the matter at all, or if he was, it was merely the lord of a conquered province, and no man's attention was paid to him.

It was for this reason that the three Hebrew children were willing to endure the wrath of the king, knowing that God was supreme whether they suffered death or not. The king looked upon their words as disloyalty to him. Although the three Jews had been faithful in his service, he now condemned them to death. The furnace was heated seven times hotter than usual and the king's officers took up the men and threw them in. The heat was so intense that the men were suffocated at the mouth of the furnace, but the three Hebrew children fell down in the flames unhurt. Truly was the Lord their helper.

Can we not look upon Jesus as he lay in the garden of Gethsemane, the blood flowing down on the ground? Surely he has borne our sorrows. But they that hath gathered it shall eat it and praise the Lord, and they that hath brought it together shall drink it in the courts of my holiness Isaiah. 52:9.

Lester Lucas,  
Supt. Pisgah Sunday School.

Birthdays Celebration

On Sunday morning, September 10, 1911 a number of relatives and friends gathered at the home of Martha Kivett, widow of the late Troy Kivett, of near Staley, to celebrate her 63rd birthday and in honor of her aged mother, Mrs. Madison Kirkman, who is 82 years of age.

Mrs. Kivett has ten children and thirty-eight grand-children, all of whom were present. At noon, a table about thirty feet long under some beautiful shade trees was loaded with many nice things to eat. A short talk was made by Mr. A. P. Brower, and everybody was invited to partake of the bountiful feast. There were 28 large cakes on the table, and after all had eaten a goodly number of boxes were filled and sent to the sick. Mrs. Kivett received many nice and useful presents.

When the parting hour came everybody said the occasion had been enjoyed more than any dinner or picnic they had ever attended. We all wish them many more happy birthdays. A Friend.

Ramseur Items

Postmaster G. M. Kimrey left last Tuesday morning for Asheville to attend the meeting of North Carolina postmasters.

H. B. Carter and W. H. King have returned from Baltimore, where they spent the past week.

A. D. Phillips, of Durham, is visiting J. B. Phillips.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Richardson last Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Kirby Wright, of Spencer, visited in the community last week, returning home Friday.

B. T. McIntyre has returned home from Cumberland county, where he spent the summer.

Dr. Tate has improved the appearance of his residence very much by painting it.

Miss Mary Betts has been spending some time at Sanford.

West Ramseur Items

W. W. Smith went to Sanford last week to visit his parents.

The funeral of Miss Ida Jane Allen, who died a few weeks ago, will be preached at the Holiness Church here on September 24, at 11 o'clock.

Master Tom Parks, of Parks X Roads, visited relatives in town Sunday.

Pearl Brewer, of Fall Creek, moved his family to Ramseur last week. They are living in the Tom Ellis house.

D. O. Holt and son went to Asheboro last week and purchased a fine range.

Harvey Cox went to Greensboro on business last week.

Quarterly meeting began at the Holiness Church last Friday night.

As Dr. J. H. Mock, of Thomasville, was driving near the Jewel Cotton Mill one day last week, his horse became entangled in an arc light hoist rope, throwing him to the ground and bruising him; The horse was also hurt considerably.

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Your Money Back if You Are Not Satisfied With the Medicine We Recommend.

We are so positive that our remedy will permanently relieve constipation, no matter how chronic it may be, that we offer to furnish the medicine at our expense should it fail to produce satisfactory results.

It is worse than useless to attempt to cure constipation with cathartic drugs. Laxative or cathartics do much harm. They cause a reaction, irritate, and weaken the bowels and tend to make constipation more chronic. Besides, their use becomes a habit that is dangerous.

Constipation is caused by a weakness of the nerves and muscles of the large intestine or descending colon. To expect permanent relief you must therefore tone up and strengthen these organs and restore them to healthier activity.

We want you to try Rexall Orderlies on our recommendation. They are exceedingly pleasant to take, being eaten like candy, and are ideal for children, delicate persons, and old folks, as well as for the robust. They act directly on the nerves and muscles of the bowels. They apparently have a neutral action on other associate organs or glands. They do not purge, cause excessive looseness, nor create any inconvenience whatever. They may be taken at any time, day or night. They will positively relieve chronic or habitual constipation, if not of surgical variety, and the myriads of associate or dependent chronic ailments, if taken with regularity for a reasonable length of time. 12 tablets, 10 cents; 36 tablets, 25 cents; 80 tablets, 50 cents. Sold only at our store—The Rexall Store.

Obituary

Priscilla L. Arnold was born in Randolph county, in one mile of Mt. Shepherd Church on March 19th, 1824, and died September 8th, 1911, in her 88th year, at her home on the waters of north Uwharrie, and near Pleasant Hill Church, and was buried in the beautiful cemetery of that church in the presence of many of her relatives and friends, where her body awaits the resurrection of the just.

The funeral services were conducted by her pastor, Rev. A. S. Raper, assisted by the writer. Sister Arnold was the daughter of Allen and Nancy Kearns and the relict of Pennel Arnold, who preceded her to the eternal world about 22 years.

She was the mother of seven children four of whom survive her: Mrs. Isham J. Faller, Mrs. L. C. McCrary, Mr. J. T. Arnold and Mrs. Frank S. Lambeth. She left 13 grand children, 28 great-grand children, and 1 great-great-grand child, so there were actually present at the burial, five generations; a very unusual occurrence. Her parents were both members of the Methodist church, and by precept and example, taught their children that religion was one of the chief interests of life; and as a natural result, everyone of them was converted to God in early life, and became consistent members of the church, living above reproach and dying in faith, with the exception of two who are still living and climbing up the delectable mountain. And I deem it worthy of record here, that in all my life I do not now recall so large a proportion of direct descendants who are up to this day (and I know them all) walking in the footsteps of their pious ancestors. May this current of influence sweep on forever, "The promise is to you and your children."

Sister Arnold being a modest, but life-long faithful Christian, it must follow as a natural sequence, that she was a true, faithful wife and good mother. I doubt very much whether any wife or mother ever labored more unselfishly than she to promote all the interests of her family, as she understood those interests.

And she was one of those good pioneer women who helped to establish "the little church in the wild-wood" at Pleasant Hill, which has grown to be the mightiest influence for good and uplift of all that community. May the name and memory of all such good women live forever.

Frank H. Wood.

Who ever heard tell of a town with water works without providing for drinking troughs for stock?

The protracted meeting will begin at West Bend the first Sunday in October.

Wood's Fall Seed Catalogue

just issued—tells what crops you can put in to make the quickest grazing, or hay, to help out the short feed crops. Also tells about both

Vegetable and Farm Seeds

that can be planted in the fall to advantage and profit.

Every Farmer, Market Grower and Gardener should have a copy of this catalog.

It is the best and most complete fall seed catalog issued. Mailed free. Write for it.

T. W. WOOD & SONS, Seedsmen, - Richmond, Va.

STORE CLOSED

Mr. Lewis Arner's store on Depot Street will be closed from 11:00 a. m. next Friday to 10:30 a. m. Monday on account of celebrating the Jewish New Year.

At 11:00 o'clock Monday morning there will be some special bargains offered.

LEWIS ARNER, Proprietor

Miller Building.

Depot Street.

DON'T FORGET THE BIG GREENSBORO FAIR

OCTOBER 10, 11, 12 and 13, 1911

ATHLETIC GIRLS.

The mental and physical superiority of the American woman, which seems to be conceded very generally, is due in a great measure to her training in athletics. Athletic training is just as important to girls as to boys. But experience has proved that the same sort of games are not beneficial to the two sexes. Outdoor training in the country is, of course, best of all. But thousands of poor children in the cities ever get to the country, so we have to bring outdoors to them. Folk dancing is ideal exercise for girls. It gives them the right carriage, develops their chests and prevents tuberculosis. It has been proved that improved physical health means increased mental efficiency. The girl who wants to be a brilliant woman should first become a healthy woman. — Mrs. James Speyer.

Clatsville Items

"Aunt" Elizabeth Suetes, who has been seriously ill for some time, does not improve.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Y. Allred, who are recently married in Greensboro, visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Allred, last week, returning to Greensboro Monday where they will reside in the future.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Balls, of Supt, visited at J. C. Allred's Sunday.

L. P. Foust, of Asheboro, visited W. Wise Sunday.

Mrs. D. C. Nelson and son, Master William, of Millboro, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Allred, recently.

FOR SALE—One nice dwelling and store house with 12 acres of land in Fork of Randleman at Central Falls Road 14 miles from Asheboro. Apply to Hammer & Co.

AUCTION SALE

We will sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash at the residence of Y. H. Cox, deceased, on Saturday, October 7th, 1911, the following:

Live stock—Two head of horses, one mule colt, nine head of cattle, including two milch cows; seven head of sheep, and six hogs.

Farming utensils—One grain drill, one Champion dumper, one riding cultivator, one corn planter, one two-horse turning plow and other plows, one disc harrow, blacksmith tools, one two-horse wagon, one buggy, etc., etc.

Household and kitchen furniture—One organ, one lounge, seven bedsteads, three bureaus, one range stove, one sewing machine, chairs, etc.

Many other articles will be sold that are too numerous to mention. The sale will begin at 10 a. m. on day and date above mentioned.

W. R. Cox  
O. W. Cox

NEW STATIONERY

We are receiving our fall line of Stationery Tablets, Pencils, Inks, Blank Books, Ledgers, Etc., Etc.

Rexall Tablets for Schools are the best; call and look.

Our prescription department is in charge of a registered druggist of experience.

STANDARD DRUG COMPANY

AND

The Rexall Store

AUCTION SALE

CLIMAX, N. C.

Saturday, September 30, 10 A. M.

Having sold my farm one mile west of Climax, N. C., I will offer for sale at public auction on above date at Climax, N. C., the following personal property, to-wit: 6 head of thorough bred Black Angus cattle, consisting of 1 registered male, 2 registered females, of which certificates are registered in American-Aberdeen & Angus Association. None better bred. 3 heifers entitled to registration, also 8 other cattle, 2 of which are halfbred, other 6 in fine condition for beef. 4 mules, first-class stock, one pair weighing from 1,200 to 1,300 lbs. each, other pair 800 to 1,000. 2 2-horse wagons, 2 sets double wagon harness, lot of plow gears, 1 Deering mowing machine and rake, 1 new Johnson manure spreader, (easy loader) 1 1-horse wagon, lot of farming implements, consisting of 1 disc harrow, 1 peg tooth harrow, 1 grain drill, plows, etc.; 1 cider mill, 1 lot vinegar barrels; 1 top buggy, in good condition; 1 set buggy harness, 1 cook stove and other household property.

Saturday, September 30, 1911.

J. R. HUTTON  
Greensboro, N. C.