

RURAL CARRIER ITEMS

R. F. D. No. 16.

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Isley of No. 1, visited Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Shoffner last Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Robertson were pleasant callers on No. 10 last Saturday and Sunday. R. L. Cooper of Rock Hill, S. C., and Alson Cooper of Saxapahaw are visiting their sister, Mrs. C. W. Keck, and "others."

R. F. D. No. 8.

J. H. Thomas and family of Duke, spent the 4th and a few days with H. L. Thomas on No. 8. P. M. Somers and daughter spent Sunday at J. W. Somers. Miss Grace Somers is spending several weeks on No. 2, visiting her sister Mrs. W. G. Kernodle. We certainly miss Little Grace. C. D. Story and family, Wilbur Gwyn of Altamahaw, Henry Williams of No. 2, Miss Maud Ross B. L. Foster and family of No. 8 were all visitors at J. N. Story's Sunday. Verily these people know where to get something to eat and have a pleasant time.

R. F. D. No. 7.

The rural carriers convention at Raleigh last week evidently liked the "specimens" from Alamance county as they put J. M. Hays, No. 8, on the executive committee and elected Mrs. Alice Fowler, No. 6, as a delegate to the national convention to be held at Little Rock, Arkansas, next September. Alamance sits up near the head of the table, in nearly every thing, any way. These fine showers are making the corn and weeds look flourishing but it is pretty hot for the farmer to have to expend so much "elbow-grease" trying to keep their crops from grass, however, their reward at harvest time depends upon their diligence and prompt action when needed. The plaintive squawk of the chicken, the low hum of the thrashing machine and the busy bustle of the house wife preparing the feast for the men, is a familiar and of recurring sight these days.

T. P. Nicholson is in Orange County doing some work. Mrs. Minnie Lewis and son of Raleigh are visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Albright. We found W. A. Tinnors mail box full of roasting ears to-day and brought them home for our breakfast in the morning. This is our first this year and we appreciate them.

Our neighbor R. J. Mebane visited R. C. Thompson over on 7 last Sunday and reports a nice time. Bob says he learned our name, or at least the name we are known by over there, and he got back and greeted us by calling us "Harry."

We thought "Dan" had about rounded up his business at Bellemont but it seems like he has taken charge of Cary Branson and entices Cary up to Mr. Petty's yard where Cary loves to play with little Dace Bryan and get a glimpse of Dace's aunt Mary once and while. We all know "Dan" is hard to down.

Miss Blanche Thompson of Burlington, who is visiting at W. B. Sharpes, spent the latter part of last week with Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Cobles. Mr. Coble gave an ice cream supper at his home on Saturday night in honor of Miss Blanche. Those present were: Esq. John Dixon and wife, Miss Bessie Tinnin, of Graham, who spent last week with her uncle, John Dixon, and Misses Mary and Bettie Russell. The boys present were: Jacob Sharpe, Sidney and Lawrence Russell. They all had an enjoyable time and the amount of cream Squire Dixon and Jacob Sharpe put away was a sight.

Haw River Items.

Mrs. Ernest Franklin of Duke returned to her home Monday, after spending ten days in town with her sister-in-law, Mrs. S. A. Vest.

Miss Nellie Maxwell returned Saturday from Rock Hill S. C. where she spent a week visiting relatives.

Jno. A. Trolinger spent Saturday in Greensboro.

Miss Belle Murray returned Sunday from her home where she has been taking her vacation.

Rev. Forlines of Maryland preached for Rev. Bryan Sunday at eleven o'clock to the delight of his people. He is working for the Seminary, he asked for \$25.00 for Westminster, Md., the people responded with cash pledges.

Miss Josephine Scott was in town Sunday with her cheerful face as usual.

William Clark of Orange is visiting his son Lucco he is a vet and cheerful.

Mrs. G. W. P. Cates visited her sister M. E. Worrkman in the Hawfield section and reports all well.

Miss Iola Franklin who has been visiting her sister Mrs. S. A. Vest returned to her home in Durham last Saturday. She carries sunshine wherever she goes.

Mrs. R. W. Scott was in town last week and gave us a pleasant call at the office.

The items of last week should have been W. R. Williamson the

esteemed clerk of the Granite Supply Rooms instead of J. W. Johnson.

Mrs. W. H. Anderson with part of her Sunday School Class met at the home of Mrs. G. W. P. Cates last Wednesday night to go over the lesson for Sunday and had quite an enjoyable time. She served cream and bannans and a general good time and much interest was manifested in the lesson.

Mrs. A. L. Andrews visited relatives in Roxboro last week and returned home Saturday evening the sheriff looked very lonely.

Clifton Faucette of Brown Summit is the telegraph operator here he seems to be a young man of bright promise for the future.

Mrs. W. J. Crutcheff took a to the country and spent Monday at R. J. Aldridge to enjoy a good wheat threshing.

W. M. Freshwater is putting lumber on the yard to build him a handsome dwelling house.

Grover Bivens made his usual trip to Haw River Sunday evening. Ask Miss Nellie who he came to see.

Lem Johnson was a pleasant visitor at J. W. Johnsons Sunday. We are glad for a good man to come into our midst.

Miss Emma Cates spent a few days in Durham with her aunt.

We want to in the near future speak of Haw River forty years ago, and what it is today. Watch the Dispatch we are going to say some good things before the leaves fall, we are trying to gather statistics for that purpose.

Postmaster and the writer took off their hats and made a pleasant bow to Mrs. R. W. Scott for some nice plums sent them by our rural carrier.

Also bow with thanksgiving to Mrs. Davis and Miss Carrie Albright for peaches, long may they live to do deeds of kindness.

Our town was severely shocked Monday, when it was learned that Geo Best son of Mr. and Mrs Best who was in the river bathing was drowned. He was about ten years of age. Oh, how sad for the grief stricken parents to have a child taken so suddenly and unaware. Funeral by Rev T. G. Vickers.

Rock Creek, R. F. D. No. 2.

Wheat threshing is in order and is turning out exceedingly well, but the daily rains last week made it a little hard on the men running the machine, yet they were not all the people that were hit by the rain, we have been informed that our congenial carrier over on Burlington No. 7 has been in the habit of stopping along his route and gathering blackberries trying to make a buck and tung meet, and the rains have caused the berries to sour and drop off. We hope his patrons will take notice and come to his assistance.

Dr. and Mrs. J. D. Gregg, of Liberty, spent last Sunday Mr. R. Kimrey's over on Hartshorn No. 1.

Tom Linebury, Robbin Kimrey, Wilbert Foster and Jesse Suing were callers at T. E. Murray's last Sunday evening.

Claud Smith and Lee Eulis called to see their best girls Sunday night.

Mrs. G. A. Foster, of Liberty, is spending some time with J. R. Foster, this route.

Miss Mattie Foster of Kimeville, spent Saturday night with Coye Kimrey and attended the dance at Henry Shammons'.

There will be association at Mt. Zion Baptist church the 26th of this month. Everybody is invited to attend this association.

Mr. and Mrs. John Staley were visiting Lee Spoon last Sunday evening.

Dr. and Mrs. C. E. Spoon called to see his father, A. L. Spoon, over on Hartshorn No. 1 last Sunday evening.

The Merchants Association has recently issued a neat and attractive folder setting forth many facts in regard to Burlington's present and future. The folder is for distribution and every business man should have a supply upon his desk, that they may be sent out promiscuously. They may be secured by calling at the office of the Association in the First National Bank building.

GREAT SUMMER SALE AT Isley's Department Store

At the present high prices of many articles the offerings at this great sale ought to be an inducement to every person that wants to buy goods at a saving. Look at a few of the prices and offerings at this great Summer Sale.

5000 yards of staple and fancy gingham, real value 8 to 10c, for this special Summer Sale only 5c. 2000 yards of lawn, dimity, or-gandy and prints, special for this sale 5c per yard. 2000 yards of white madras, special for this sale only 10c, real value 15 to 18c. Yard wide white lawn and India linen, real value 10c, special for this sale only 7c. 10c bleaching, special for this sale only 7 1/2c. 12 1/2c bleaching, special for this sale only 10c. 5, 7 1/2, 8 and 10c val. torchon lace and embroidery special for this sale your choice 5c. 8 and 10c sea island, special for this sale only 7c. Ladies' white duck skirts, to close the lot, special for this sale only 99c. These skirts are easily worth \$1 and \$1.25. Ladies' \$1.50 wash skirts, special for this sale only \$1.00. \$3.00 and \$3.50 wash suits, special for this sale only \$2.25. \$7.00, \$7.50, \$8.00 and \$8.50 Men's suits, special for this sale your choice \$4.49. One lot of Men's suits consisting of finished and unfinished worsted very attractive styles \$10, \$10.50 and \$12.00 suits, all on one counter, your choice for this sale \$7.79. One counter of Men's fancy suits, this spring's style, very attractive patterns, finely tailored, \$1.50 brussels rugs, special for this Summer Sale 98c. \$2.00 velvet rugs, special for this sale \$1.49. \$5.50 and \$6.00 Axminster rugs 36-in. by 72-in., special for this Summer Sale \$3.49.



McCall Patterns No. 3348 Ladies' Over-Blouse No. 3354 Ladies' Skirt

worth \$12.50 and \$15.00, special for this sale only \$9.95. The offering in these suits is a great saving to anyone that needs a suit, or will need a suit in one year or more. 50c corset covers special at 25c. 40 and 50c Boy's knee pants, special for this sale 25c. \$1.50 and \$1.75 Men's pants, special for this sale only 98c. \$7.50 and \$8.00 go-carts, special for this Summer Sale \$3.98. Other go-carts and baby carriages \$5.00. 75 and 85c galvanized wash tubs, special at 49c. \$1.00 galvanized wash tubs, special for this Summer Sale 59c. 25 and 55c galvanized water pails, 12 and 15 qt., special at 14c. See the great offerings on our 5c, 10c, 25c and 50c tables. The offerings in our grocery department ought to interest every one that wants something to eat. A special deal in Arbuckle Coffee enables to place on sale at 15c. 100 lbs seamless sack of fine salt, special for this sale 54c. Finest nutmegs for this sale 2c per doz. The very best you want in flour, meal, ship-stuff, corn and oats, special prices for the Summer Sale. One car lot of white stone ware, special for this Summer Sale 9c per gal. This ware is cheap at 15c per gallon. 75c Japanese rugs 36-in. by 72-in. \$2.00 velvet rugs, special for this sale \$1.49. \$5.50 and \$6.00 Axminster rugs 36-in. by 72-in., special for this Summer Sale \$3.49.

Do not forget this Summer Sale, these prices are effective only until August 1st, or until present stock is exhausted.

Jos. A. Isley & Bro. Co. DEPARTMENT STORE Burlington, N. Carolina.

Educational Address.

The educational and missionary campaign as planned by the N. C. Classis was opened here Sunday night when a large audience heard a most excellent address on "Christian Education" by Professor J. F. Bucheit, the new president of Catawba College. Immediately after the address John R. Hoffman a successful young attorney of this place and elder in the Burlington Reformed church, offered to establish an annual \$25 prize for the best thesis on North Carolina history by a member of the senior class. This offer was cheerfully accepted. Prof. Bucheit comes from Pennsylvania and is making a fine impression wherever he speaks.

Death of a Baby.

Claude Pope, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Pope, of Columbia, S. C., died in the home of Mr. Thomas Hinshaw on Means street Friday July 8th, aged about three years. The mother, a sister to Mrs. Hinshaw, brought the little son to Burlington about a week ago hoping his health might be improved. But alas, this sore disappointment. The funeral was conducted in the home by Rev. J. D. Andrew and the little body laid to rest in Pine Hill Cemetery.

To the Merchants of Central North Carolina.

We wish to thank you for your very liberal patronage, in the past and to announce that beginning Monday July 18th 1910 our terms will be spot cash on delivery of goods. We do this in order that we may sell goods at greatly reduced prices. Very truly, McLamb Company

How I Felt 4,000 Feet.

Charles K. Hamilton, the noted aviator who electrified the whole world a few weeks ago by flying from New York to Philadelphia and back in one day, has written a thrilling story for the New York Sunday World of July 17, describing a fall of 4,000 feet. The usual song, words and music complete, will also be given with that issue of the Sunday World. Copies of Sunday World can be secured by applying at the DISPATCH OFFICE.

There will be a mass meeting held at the Christian church Sunday evening at 4 o'clock in interest of the Alamance hospital. Let every one who feels an interest in this noble cause be present.

Republican County Convention.

The Republican county convention for Alamance county is hereby called to meet in the court house at Graham, N. C., July 30th, 12 m. for the purpose of electing delegates and alternates to the State, Congressional, Judicial and Senatorial conventions, and to transact such other business as may properly come before the convention. The primaries for all the townships and precincts except Burlington and Graham, will meet at the usual places Saturday July 23rd, 4:00 p. m. Township chairmen will please take notice and see that the widest publicity possible is given to the precinct meetings and that the same are regularly held in accordance with the rules governing the same. T. F. McVey, Chm'n. E. S. W. Dameron, Sec.

By order of the Republican County Executive Committee of Alamance county. This the 30th day of June 1910.

New Tank.

The Railroad company has erected a new water tank at this place last week. The new tank has a capacity of sixty thousand gallons, ten thousand more than the former one. The tank is twenty feet deep being four feet deeper than the old one.

The Life Insurance Company of Va. office has been moved from the Isley Building to the First National Bank Building occupying rooms 11 and 12, 3rd. floor of that building. The Virginia keeps abreast of the times and in business location.

A Missouri blacksmith has entered the Senatorial race against Mr. Warner. He will at once try to start an anvil chorus, of course.

Call For The Republican Congressional Convention, Of the Fifth District of North Carolina.

Notice is hereby given that pursuant to order of the Republican Executive Committee of the Fifth Congressional District of North Carolina, I do hereby call a convention to be held in Greensboro N. C., on the ninth day of August 1910, at eight o'clock p. m. The purposes of this convention are to nominate a candidate for Congress, for the election of members of the Executive Committee and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before said convention. This July 7th., 1910. John T. Benbow, Ch. Rep. Ex. Com. 5th N. C. District. J. Zeb Waller, Secretary.

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