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Local Train Schedule.

Arrival of passenger trains at China Grove.

(Only trains that stop here are given.)

Northbound.	
NO 8—for Richmond	4:35 a.m.
NO 44—for Washington	7:05 a.m.
NO 36—for Washington	11:37 a.m.
NO 45—for Greensboro	4:10 p.m.
NO 12—for Richmond	7:19 p.m.

Southbound.	
NO 45—for Charlotte	5:56 a.m.
NO 11—for Atlanta	9:39 a.m.
NO 7—for Atlanta	3:10 p.m.
NO 35—for Atlanta	8:15 p.m.

LOCAL NEWS MATTERS.

Short Items Concerning our People and their Doings.

T. S. Leffer and wife and Mrs. Bessie Kimball and son, Bittle, spent Wednesday in Charlotte.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Leighton Brown and children, of Concord, have been spending several days with Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Troutman.

Roy Kimball was in Salisbury on business yesterday.

Mrs. W. E. Deal and children are visiting her father-in-law, Caldwell Deal, south of Enochville. They may return today.

D. C. Swearingen, our popular druggist, was a Salisbury visitor Wednesday.

Rev. and Mrs. W. H. Riser spent Wednesday night in Salisbury visiting friends.

Rev. D. I. Offman and M. A. Stirewalt were in Salisbury on business Wednesday.

Mike Ramsaur, who has been holding down a position in the Southern's big shops at Spencer, is now at home for a few weeks previous to taking up his studies in the University at Chapel Hill.

J. L. Boetian and daughters, Misses Elizabeth and Dorothy, spent last week at Davis' White Sulphur Springs at Hiddenite.

Miss Emily Harney, of Plymouth, N. C., and Miss Nell Herring, of Concord, who have been visiting at W. J. Swink's returned to their respective homes Wednesday.

Miss Mary McLaughlin, daughter of Rev. C. P. McLaughlin, of Concord, is visiting Rev. and Mrs. W. H. Riser.

Rev. E. H. Cooper is spending a few days here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Cooper. Rev. Cooper preached in St. Mark's Lutheran Church Sunday night and his hearers were much pleased with his remarks.

"Aunt" Mannie Bingham, who has been at Mrs. M. J. Sloop's for some time, is now making her home with Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Bost.

Templeton & Yost are busy taking stock this week. This is a big undertaking for the boys in the absence of Pat. Pat having decided to take a vacation and is enjoying himself down at Landis building chimneys.

Those interested in playing tennis have cleaned off the tennis grounds and are now ready to bat the mystic sphere.

Little Miss Lomie Fink, of Richfield, is visiting her grandfather, M. A. Stirewalt. She arrived yesterday morning.

Bittle Kimball and Hampton Stirewalt spent Wednesday in Charlotte.

Misses Mattie and Myra Goodman, of Charlotte, are here visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Goodman.

Miss Florence Eddleman, of Albemarle, is here visiting her parents this week.

Geo. M. Bostian, of Charlotte, spent Monday and Tuesday here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Boetian.

John R. Wallace, one of the best citizens in this community, has been ill more or less all summer. His many friends hope that he will soon be fully restored to health.

Robert M. Ritchie went to Salisbury yesterday on a business trip.

C. C. Sechler was in Salisbury on business yesterday evening.

Hampton Stirewalt made his usual trip to Spencer yesterday.

A Fine Crop of Pears.

F. W. Bost is the champion pear raiser in this section of North Carolina. He has a fine lot of Kaiser and Magnolia pear trees and expects to harvest 250 to 300 bushels of pears this year. His pears are now ripening and he is making preparations to market them to the best advantage. Mr. Bost has learned the art of producing pears of the smoothest and best flavored varieties and seldom fails to have a crop. He sprays his trees at the right time and gives them such other necessary attention that insure healthy trees and good fruit and is making good in this particularly profitable enterprise.

Change in Mill Circles.

E. W. Edwards, superintendent of the Patterson Manufacturing Company's cotton mill has tendered his resignation to take effect September 15th. His resignation has been accepted and Mr. Hall, superintendent of the Barringer Manufacturing Company, of Rockwell, has been selected to take his place. Mr. Edwards is a capable mill man and it is with regret the people of China Grove learn of his intended departure. Mr. Edwards has sold his splendid house to John D. Walker, getting about \$1200 for it.

W. P. Hurt, a boss in the Patterson Mill here will go to Rockwell to take the position vacated by Mr. Hall as superintendent. Mr. Hurt's leaving is also a matter of regret, while a welcome is extended to our new citizen, Mr. Hall.

Civil Service Examination.

Civil service examination for positions mentioned below will be held September 17th, at the Salisbury post office, and those desiring to compete will write local board for applications, stating the position for which they wish to stand, viz:

- Apprentice, plate printer.
- Bookbinder.
- Clerk, Department at Washington.
- Electrotypist molder.
- Guard; U. S. penitentiary.
- Press feeder.
- Pressman.
- Stenographer.
- Stenographer typewriter.
- Stereotypist.
- Typewriter.

China Grove vs. Kannapolis.

The China Grove and Kannapolis ball teams met on the Kannapolis diamond Saturday evening. The implements of the game were brought forward and handled with a considerable degree of skill, but Kannapolis proved her superior ability and carried off the laurels. This is the third game China Grove has lost out of sixteen played.

THE LUTHERAN RE-UNION.

About Five Hundred Gather at Lutheran Chapel and Enjoy the Day.

As previously announced the Lutherans of this section had a grand re-union at Lutheran Chapel, Rev. C. A. Brown, pastor, Tuesday of this week. About 500 people from this and adjoining counties were present to enjoy the exercises and renew old acquaintances.

After a song, "All Hail the Power of Jesus Name," heartily sung by the audience, Rev. L. B. Spracher, of Union Church, led in prayer. Then Rev. M. M. Kinard, of Salisbury, made an address of welcome, after which Rev. C. P. McLaughlin, of Concord, chairman of the meeting, happily introduced one of the speakers of the day, Rev. Geo. H. Cox, of Spencer.

Dr. Cox spoke on "Pioneer Lutherans of the North Carolina Synod." The entire address was a fine portrayal of the early history and church loyalty of the German Lutheran people who settled in this part of North Carolina.

After the adjournment for the noon recess the pastors, fifteen in number, organized themselves into the Lutheran Re-union Association of North Carolina by electing the following officers: Rev. C. P. McLaughlin, of Concord, president; Rev. C. A. Brown, of China Grove, vice president; Rev. W. H. Riser, of China Grove, secretary, and W. C. Sifferd, treasurer.

During the recess a bountiful dinner was served in the grove. Afternoon services were opened by singing, followed by prayer by Rev. H. A. Trexler. Then Rev. C. P. McLaughlin, of Concord, read a poem giving the history of Chapel church written by some of the members.

This was followed by an address on "Christian Education," by Rev. G. F. McAllister, of Mount Pleasant Collegiate Institute.

The Thursday Afternoon Club With Mrs. Gray.

The Thursday afternoon Club had the pleasure of meeting with Mrs. E. E. Gray at her home on North Main St. last Thursday.

Those present, besides the regular club members, were, Mrs. Harris Horton, of Albemarle, and Mrs. Hallman, of St. Matthews, S. C. Conversation was freely indulged in during the afternoon and delicious cream and cake was a pleasant close to the enjoyable meeting.

Good Roads Coming.

The camp of chain gang No. 1 has moved from the camp near Second Creek to the old Richmond Wyatt Spring on Albert Harrison's land. The next work will be on the old plank road which was one of the finest roads in the State in its time. This road was well graded and is probably the most direct route west. Although having been out of use for forty years, it could probably be put in repair and made a most excellent highway for considerably less than many of the roads now being used.

Cataract Cannot be Cured.

with LOCAL APPLICATIONS, as they cannot reach the seat of the disease. Cataract is a blood or constitutional disease, and in order to cure it you must take internal remedies. Hall's Cataract Cure is taken internally, and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces. Hall's Cataract Cure is not a quack medicine. It was prescribed by one of the best physicians in this country for years and is a regular prescription. It is composed of the best known ingredients, combined with the best blood purifiers, acting directly on the mucous surfaces. The perfect combination of the two ingredients is what produces such wonderful results in curing Cataract. Send for testimonials free. F. J. CHERRY & Co., Props. Toledo, O. Sold by Druggists, price 75c. Take Hall's Family Family Pills for constipation.



The six months old son, Brodie Frank, of Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Watson, died in a hospital in Columbia, S. C. Tuesday evening. His remains were brought to Salisbury for interment, the funeral being held from the residence of W. D. Watson, on South Fulton Street.

Mrs. Sallie A. Rusher, wife of the late W. T. Rusher, died at her home on South Lee Street, Salisbury, Wednesday morning. She would have been 45 years old on December 15th. Two children, Mrs. M. L. Mulligan, of Hamlet, and Ed. Rusher, of Salisbury; and one brother, J. A. Barrett, and one sister, Mrs. M. L. Julian, of Salisbury, survive. The funeral was held yesterday afternoon from the late residence, Rev. C. A. G. Thomas officiating. The interment was in Chesnut Hill Cemetery.

Some of Our Folks go to Johnson City.

The excursion this week to Johnson City, Tenn., over the new railroad through the mountains of Western North Carolina, was well patronized, a number of our people taking advantage of the low rate. Among those who took the trip are the following: Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Swink, and Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Sifferd, John R. Brown, Rapers Eddleman, John T. Deal, James C. Correll, Robert Petrea and John Litzker.

Good Prospect for the Public School.

The public school building has been cleaned up and put in order for the coming season which opens Monday. The prospects for a successful term and a good attendance seems quite encouraging.

The faculty for the coming term is as follows: Principal, Prof. R. D. Jenkins, of Wilkesboro; Instructors in High School, Prof. Jenkins, and Miss Lura Scott; Instructors in graded school, Miss Mary Rankin, of Concord, Ella Mae Miller, of Wilkesboro, and Fannie Wortham, of Franklinton.

Rebels Will Kill Americans After September 15.

Douglas, Ariz., Aug. 29.—Americans will be killed by rebels after September 15, is the declaration brought here from Colonel Melio Campa, a leader of Orozco's rebel army, who with 800 men, is parading along the Southern Pacific of Mexico, below Nogales, Ariz.

The only alternative given by the rebel leader is the resignation of President Madero.

Based on a report received from Thomas Hollan, a former Arizona rancher, the State Department at Washington has been notified of Colonel Campa's declaration.

Sixty-Two Pass Law Examination.

Sixty-two out of a class of 75, who undertook the examination before the Supreme Court, in Raleigh, for license to practice law Monday, were successful, two of them being negroes. The list contains two young men from Rowan. They are Samuel Hamilton Wiley, and James Giles Hudson.

Indian Killed on Track.

Near Rochelle, Ill., an Indian went to sleep on a railroad track and was killed by the fast express. He paid for his carelessness with his life. Often it is that way when people neglect enough. Don't risk your life when prompt use of Dr. King's New Discovery will cure them and so prevent a dangerous throat or lung trouble. "It completely cured me, in a short time, of a terrible cough that followed a severe attack of Grip," writes J. R. Watts, Floydada, Texas, "and I regained 15 pounds in weight that I had lost." Quick, safe, reliable and guaranteed, 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free at all druggists.

SALISBURY NEWS ITEMS.

Things of Interest Gathered for our Busy Record Readers.

Rev. C. A. G. Thomas has been invited to address the graduating class of nurses at the Highsmith hospital in Fayetteville on September 22nd.

There was a meeting in the First Presbyterian church last Sunday for the purpose of making arrangements for the coming of A. M. Bruner, an evangelist of Chicago. The meetings are to be held during the week of September 9th to 16th inclusive. These meetings will be held each day, the noon-day meeting to be held in the Spencer shops.

The members of Council No. 54, Daughters of Liberty had quite a rally Wednesday night in the Eagles' Hall over the Wachovia Bank. The hall was full to overflowing and a very enjoyable time was had by those present. Rev. M. M. Kinard, of the Lutheran church, opened the meeting with prayer and the Salisbury Band furnished excellent music. A. L. Smoot made an interesting talk on the principles of the orders, as did other, including E. H. Hooper, who was master of ceremonies. After the speech making, cake, ice cream, lemonade and water melons were served. The only bar to the evening's complete enjoyment was the heat and over-crowded hall.

Early Wednesday morning O. W. File, the night engineer at the Salisbury Ice and Fuel Company's plant, noticed something thrown out of the window at C. A. Clark's store, just across the railroad from the ice factory. Upon investigation he learned that some one was in the store and telephoned for the police. Officers Julian and Kestler answered and were soon on the scene. The thief was still in the store gathering such things as he desired and was taken in charge by the officers. He was found to be Charlie Brown, colored. He had taken several bags of sugar, some cigars, tobacco and some change from the cash drawer. He was locked up to await trial.

New Schedule on Yadkin.

Effective next Sunday, the first of September, trains Nos. 21 and 22 on the Yadkin road will be operated by way of Whitney. No. 22 leaving Norwood at 6:30 a. m., will reach Whitney at 7:10 and will arrive at Salisbury at the same hour as now. No. 21 will leave Salisbury at the same hour in the afternoon and reach Whitney at 6:30, arriving at Norwood at 7:25. Heretofore only the morning train has been going to Whitney, and the evening train on the return. Under the new schedule both trains will run by way of Whitney and this means greater accommodation for those who have business at Whitney.

Flying Man Fell

victims to stomach, liver and kidney troubles just like other people, with like results in loss of appetite, backache, nervousness, headache, and tired, listless, run-down feeling. But there's no need to feel like that as T. D. Peable, Henry, Tenn., proved. "Six bottles of Electric Bitters" he writes, "did more to give me new strength and good appetite than all other stomach remedies I used." So they help everybody. It's folly to suffer when this great remedy will help you from the first dose. Try it. Only 50c at all druggists.

Developing Southern Dairying.

Fine results must be following the running of a dairy and live stock train over the lines of the Southern Railway in western North Carolina and upper South Carolina. Several co-operative dairies have been successfully established in some counties, and it seems that the South Carolina farmers have become specially interested in the badly needed industry of butter-making. We have urged co-operative dairying as a matter of Southern salvation, for there is unlimited demand for dairy products right at home and consequent assurance of success when dairies are properly conducted on a scale that will permit of business-like distribution of home dairy products of good quality.—Wilmington, N. C., Star.

This good movement should not be given a set back by the competition of counterfeit products. Those interested in Southern dairying should resist any lowering of the restrictions now existing. If the present oleomargarine law is to be changed it should be strengthened rather than weakened. The National Dairy Union has perfected a bill which expresses what the dairy interests of the country stand for. Southern congressmen should stand for developing Southern dairying.

President Taft out of Politics

Springfield, O., Aug. 29.—President Taft, in a speech from the rear platform of his private car here, declared that he did not intend to take further active politics.

"I am not here to make a political speech," said the President. "I have given that up. I believe that there are some politics going, but I am not going to take part in them. So far as I am concerned, you will have to make up your minds without hearing me further. I am on a trip to my own State to celebrate 100 years of political life, and I have something to say to the people of Ohio on that subject but not on politics."

Col. Lucky Freeze on a Rampage

Just what Col. Lucky Freeze is preparing to work off on the community is not exactly manifest at this particular writing. It is evident he has some uncomprehensible scheme afoot or, he may be likened unto the conduct of a chicken-rooster suddenly fluting himself the victim of an axe. Col. Lucky recently sold his horse a splendid rounded animal, Templeton & Yost being the purchasers. The Colonel then purchased a mule of Jonas Kirk, Esq., but still desiring to trade, he went to Salisbury Wednesday and disposed of the mule. Wednesday night he sold his wagon and harness. All of which means Colonel is now dispossessed of beast, of burdens has gone out of business and the town is suffering the need of a drayman.

However these things may be, Lucky is none the less happy. He is enjoying a vacation and is making full use of such a rarity. He went to Salisbury again yesterday and returned safely. We feared the city's blue-coated reception committee was going to entertain him at the public's expense, but this he fortunately avoided. The streets there being quite smooth he was able to make it fairly well, but, if he does not improve, China Grove will have to widen her streets to accommodate the Colonel's new gait. When he awakens to the reality of the situation it is likely some of his joy will be conspicuous by its absence.

E. H. Miller, register of deeds, who was so badly burned by the explosion of gas in the court house recently is holding his own and his recovery is expected within a reasonable time.

WHAT THE WOOL VETO MEANS.

One Reason why the Country Should Turn to the Democrats as the Last Hope.

The Democratic majority in Congress passed the wool bill which was destined to secure justice for the starving mill employes in certain parts of the country. In the light of the president's veto of the wool bill, which veto gives the woolen trusts a continuance of its privilege to plunder the consumer while at the same time paying its workers starvation wages, a page from the hearings in connection with the Lawrence strike inquiry makes interesting reading. The witness was Miss Sanger, a trained nurse.

Mr. Pou—Miss Sanger, were you instrumental in taking a number of the strikers' children away from Lawrence during the strike?

Miss Sanger—Yes sir.

Mr. Pou—Did you talk to those children about their manner of living?

Miss Sanger—Yes sir. I found that the children, there were 119 of them in my party, seldom ate meat, and their physical condition was the most horrible I have ever seen. In the first place four of the smallest children had chicken pox, and they had not received medical attention. They were walking about among the other children apparently without noticing the chicken pox of diphtheria; one child had diphtheria. Of 119 children only four of them had underwear, and it was bitterly cold. We had to run all the way from the station to Labor Temple after we got to New York to keep from freezing.

Mr. Foster—You say only four had underwear; what was the condition of their outer clothing?

Miss Sanger—It was simply in rags. Their coats were worn to shreds.

Mr. Foster—Were the children pale and thin?

Miss Sanger—Yes, sir, and I want to say that when they had supper it would have brought tears to your eyes to see them grab for the meat with their bare hands.

Mr. Foster—Did any of them have on woolen clothing of any sort?

Miss Sanger—No sir.

Mr. Foster—And yet they all worked in woolen mills?

Miss Sanger—Yes sir. In his message Mr. Taft has much to say about the "woolen industry" and "foreign labor." He makes no mention of these poor victims of the woolen trust's greed.

Labor Day Plans.

Indications point to a large and interesting celebration in Salisbury and Spencer on Labor Day, Monday, September 2nd. Column upon column might be written descriptive of the various floats, unions, riders, committees, amusements and educational features that compose the lengthy program outlined, but all to no purpose unless we might induce people to come to Salisbury and Spencer to see and participate in the proceedings. Those who fail to do so will miss much and will regret their negligence.

Among attractions for the day will be a big barbeque, base ball, balloon ascensions, hurdle races, sack races, reel races and other amusements, including a display of fire works. A parade of industrial and commercial exhibits will be worth seeing. A distinct feature of the day will be a dem

John T. Wyatt
THE FLOWERS COLLECTION