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LOCAL NEWS of interest to ALL OF OUR READERS.

J. F. Bigham has just returned from a week's visit at Derita.

Miss Vera and Mack Edleman left yesterday afternoon to visit their aunts, Mrs. Chas. Kimball and Mrs. J. B. Sutton in Columbia, S. C.

Miss Sue Bruner, the trained nurse who has been looking after the children of Wm. Rogers, at Enochville, returned home yesterday. The children, three of whom had typhoid fever, are now out of danger, though not fully recovered.

H. V. Ritchie was in town yesterday and stopped over a short time while en route for High Point to visit his sons.

Rev. D. I. Offman spent yesterday afternoon in Landis.

J. A. Bame, of Granite Quarry, was here yesterday.

Mrs. A. W. Winecoff, of Sumner, was here yesterday attending the W. H. and F. M. convention.

Mrs. C. H. Deal, of Norfolk, Va., who has been here this week with Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Bost, left yesterday evening to visit Mr. and Mrs. Caldwell Deal, near Enochville.

Mrs. H. H. Troutman, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Howell, returned to her home at Gastonia yesterday.

Dermont Graham, who has been visiting his mother, Mrs. M. J. Graham, returned to Springfield, Ohio, yesterday morning.

Mrs. M. J. Graham left yesterday afternoon for Columbia, S. C., where she will visit her sisters for a short while.

Work on Dr. Swaringen's new drug store is held up because of failure to get the necessary pressed brick for the front wall.

Mrs. Geo. Bringle, of Spencer, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. John R. Brown.

McL. Ritchie and J. L. Bostian went down to Rockwell Wednesday on business. They were accompanied to Christianna Church by John R. Brown.

The Sunday School children of the Granite Quarry Methodist Church were here yesterday and held a picnic on the public school grounds.

Miss McLester Howell left yesterday for High Point where she will visit her brother, L. P. Howell. From there she will go to Goldsboro to visit relatives.

Rev. and Mrs. W. H. Causey, of Faith, spent Tuesday night at Rev. J. H. Keller's. Rev. Causey has resigned as pastor of the Faith Reformed Church and will leave soon for Pennsylvania.

Miss Beulah Pinkston of Franklin is visiting Miss Mary Bostian.

Miss Eleanora Brown, daughter of D. S. Brown, of Granite Quarry, is visiting her cousin, John R. Brown.

Miss Willfong, of Rock Hill, S. C., and Miss Mary Wood McKenzie, of Salisbury, visited Miss Nannette Rainsaur Wednesday evening.

Miss Carrie Thompson, of Davidson, will conduct a private music school here this fall and winter. Miss Thompson has arrived and made arrangements to conduct her classes in the public school building.

Mack Kirk left Tuesday for Dunedin, Fla., where he will probably stay until next spring.

A. C. Wilhelm of Dunedin, Fla., was here last week on a visit to his father-in-law, Chas. Safrin.

Aunt Mary Bigham, who has been making her home during the past year with Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Bost, is quite ill. She is blind, 78 years old, and has a complication of diseases.

H. S. Bostian was in Salisbury Wednesday on business.

Miss Elizabeth Van Poole, of Craven, is visiting at M. A. Stirewalt's. Miss Poole is secretary of the Woman's Home and Foreign Missionary Society in session at Lutheran Chapel.

Mrs. Efrid, of Winston and Mrs. Dr. A. H. Dreher, of Wilmington, are stopping with Mrs. A. M. Hanna.

The New Bank Building.

The new bank building now has the roof on, the windows in and is waiting for the interior finishing to be complete. The first floor will be laid with tiles and another important feature is a substantial, fire-proof, safety vault. The building presents a splendid appearance.

Contract Let for New Store Building.

Messrs Blackwelder & Ritchie, the general merchants now occupying the old J. M. Edleman stand, have contracted with H. S. Bostian to erect a substantial two-story brick building on their lot corner of Main and Edleman Streets. Mr. Bostian is preparing to proceed with the work of construction as soon as the material can be gotten together.

Big Sale at Corriher & Carpenter Co.'s.

The Corriher & Carpenter Company, successors to the Patterson & Youny Company, have decided to conduct a big August clearance sale and Saturday is to be their biggest day. On to-morrow they will make special offerings in many lines and it is up to the prudent buyer to attend this big sale. Mr. Thompson, the manager of this rejuvenated establishment, is a live and enterprising business man who will not only be glad to see you but will take pleasure in giving you cordial attention and seeing that you get all the value of your money you can possibly secure.

The Public School Will Open Monday.

The China Grove public school and high school will open Monday under the most favorable auspices. Both the equipment and faculty are complete and abundantly sufficient to give a well rounded and thorough education to any normal minded child. The curriculum when mastered will fit the pupils for admission into the higher schools and colleges of the State. The tuition is free. Let the children start at the beginning and don't miss a day, which means success.

The Best Pain Killer.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve when applied to a cut, bruise, sprain, burn or scald, or other injury of the skin will immediately remove all pain. E. E. Chamberlain of Clinton, Me., says: "It robs cuts and other injuries of their terrors. As a healing remedy its equal don't exist." Will do good for you. Only 25c at druggists. For sale by DeWitt & Co., Swearingen.

MESSAGE RECEIVES GENERAL APPROVAL

Speaker Clark Declares Address to Congress on Mexico Most Admirable.

Washington, Aug. 27.—Congressional leaders declared tonight that President Wilson's vigorous assertion of a definite policy toward Mexico would have the effect of staying in Congress, for a time at least, open criticism of the administration and demands for information. Those who discussed the message agreed in the general statement that it presented a frank and full statement as to the recent negotiations with the Huerta government and at the same time definitely outlined the American policy for the future.

Republicans joined the Democrats in the endorsement of the President's utterances. Thus far, however, there has been little detailed discussion of the plans outlined.

The President's message is an admirable document," said Senator Bacon, chairman of the Senate Foreign Relations Committee. "It sets forth the facts without reservation, and puts us right before the world. Moreover, I believe it will have a calming effect upon our own people and a soothing influence upon public expression in the United States. The magnificent oration, given the President showed that he has behind him both branches of Congress, without regard to party division."

Senator Lodge, the ranking Republican member of the Foreign Relations committee, also expressed general approval of the message, commending particularly the policy of non-intervention, and the embargo on the shipment of arms across the border, and Senator Root declared the message was "admirable in tone and spirit."

Senators Shively, Williams and Stone, all Democratic members of the Foreign Relations committee, endorsed the document for the policy of peace it outlined, and for its emphatic assertion of the attitude of the United States.

House leaders likewise gave their strong endorsement to the President. "It seems to me that this Mexican situation," said Speaker Clark, "presents a case where silence on the part of most folks is golden. It is ticklish and grave. The President's address to Congress on the subject is admirable, lofty in conception, felicitous in diction. In the very nature of things, he knows more about a situation which changes every day, almost every hour, than the rest of us, and speaks with fuller knowledge. The most practical suggestion that he made was that Americans should come out of Mexico as rapidly and as soon as possible."

Beware of Ointments for Catarrh That Contain Mercury

as mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is tenfold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free.

Sold by druggists. Price 75c per bottle. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Hampton Stirewalt Goes to Arkansas.

Hampton Stirewalt, a graduate of the Charlotte conservatory of music, left yesterday morning for Helena, Ark., where he has accepted a position as choir-director in the Presbyterian Church of that place. Mr. Stirewalt is an expert musician and will no doubt make good.

TOOK PRISONER FROM CONSTABLE.

After Township Officer is Overcome Sheriff and Party Round-up Belligerent Blacks.

Yadkinville, Aug. 27.—One Negro is dead, one badly wounded, a township constable badly bruised and three Negroes are already under arrest following a mixup that began at a Negro meeting near Huntville, this county, last night.

Late yesterday afternoon Township Constable J. E. Shugart received word that he was wanted down below Shocktown to make an arrest, and, taking his son, Jersey, he started. He found that he was to arrest two Negroes, Tom Hamlin and one named Biting, for the alleged theft of a coat from one Frank Warren earlier in the day. So procuring his warrants, the constable went to the church where the Negroes were and arrested Biting.

While this was going on it seems that Hamlin was organizing a crowd to rescue the prisoner. Finally with six comrades he made an attack on the officer and succeeded in liberating the prisoner.

After this things happened thick and fast. Hamlin, the leader of the rescuing party, is of powerful build and is supposed to have been the one who struck Constable Shugart some hard blows that almost put him out of commission for a while. As the Negroes went away with the prisoner Shugart fired at them but the shots went wild.

This was early last night. Shortly after midnight Sheriff Poindexter and Deputy Sheriff Wishon and some special deputies arrived on the scene and soon several of the Negroes were surrounded. In a pitched battle that followed between the officers and Negroes one Negro named Biting was killed outright and another Negro wounded. It is not known whether it is the one arrested for stealing the coat or not. When arrested Biting was wearing the coat he was charged with stealing. The officers arrived this morning with three of the rebellious blacks who will be given a hearing at once, while the officers of adjoining counties are on the lookout for those escaping.

It is not known who killed the Negro and this will probably be hard to determine, owing to the circumstances of the killing.

Popular Excursion to Richmond, Va., Via Southern Railway, Tuesday, September 9th, 1913.

Southern Railway will operate annual September excursion from North Carolina territory to Richmond, Virginia, on Tuesday, September 9th, 1913.

Special train consisting of first-class coaches and standard Pullman sleeping cars will leave Charlotte, N. C., at 8:00 p. m., Tuesday, September 9th, arriving at Richmond, Va., 5:00 a. m. following morning.

Returning, tickets will be good on any regular train leaving Richmond up to and including trains of Friday, September 12th. Passengers from branch lines can use regular trains connecting with special train at junction points. This will be the last excursion of the season to Richmond, and will be a first class trip in every respect. Three whole days and two nights in Richmond. Ample time to visit the many attractions in and around this magnificent city.

Following low round trip fares will apply from points in North Carolina: Salisbury, Kannapolis, Linwood, Ohns Grove, Landis, Spencer and Lexington \$4.50. Marion, Glen Alpine, Bridgewater, Ruthersfordton, Morganton and Connelly Springs, \$5.00.

Proportionately low round trip fares from other points. For further information, Pullman reservations, etc., see any agent Southern Railway, or write.

R. H. DeBurts, D. P. A., Charlotte, N. C.

Read THE RECORD only 75c.

PROCEEDINGS OF MISSIONARY SOCIETY.

A Large Delegation at Lutheran Chapel Yesterday and Today.

The 28th annual convention of the Woman's Home and Foreign Missionary Society of the Evangelical Lutheran Synod of North Carolina convened yesterday in Lutheran Chapel E. L. Church, China Grove, N. C., Rev. G. A. Brown, pastor.

The convention was called to order by the president, Mrs. R. L. Patterson, of Charlotte, and was formally opened by the use of the beautiful service for the opening of the convention. An unusually large number of delegates were present for the opening services. After the enrollment of delegates the president read her report which showed an increase in the work done in both the home and the foreign field.

Miss Mary Lou Bowers, of Newberry S. C., and Miss Martha Akard, of Blountville, Tenn., have been called to go to our field in Japan. They will begin their work early next year.

Missionary, Rev. L. G. Miller and family are at Battle Creek, Mich., on furlough. Mrs. Lipard and children are en route home on furlough.

All in all the president's report showed an advance in all departments of our missionary work and to meet the increased needs of the work increased thankofferings are called for.

The afternoon session was opened by an impressive devotional service conducted by Mrs. M. O. J. Kreps, of Columbia, S. C.

It was announced that a mission study class will be conducted twice daily by Miss Constance Olive of Concord, using "The Call of the World."

Reports from the societies were heard during the remainder of the afternoon session.

J. B. Moore.

New Parcel Post Rates.

The pound rates of postage for local delivery and in the first and second zones are easily calculated, as in the local rate the charge for packages of from four ounces to one pound is five cents, and one cent more for each two pounds or fraction, while in the first and second zones rate the five cents for four ounces up to one pound is increased one cent on each pound or fraction of a pound. The following table shows these rates:

Weight.	Local.	1st & 2d Zone.
1 pound	\$.05	\$.05
2 pounds	.06	.06
3 pounds	.07	.07
4 pounds	.08	.08
5 pounds	.09	.09
6 pounds	.10	.10
7 pounds	.11	.11
8 pounds	.12	.12
9 pounds	.13	.13
10 pounds	.14	.14
11 pounds	.15	.15
12 pounds	.16	.16
13 pounds	.17	.17
14 pounds	.18	.18
15 pounds	.19	.19
16 pounds	.20	.20
17 pounds	.21	.21
18 pounds	.22	.22
19 pounds	.23	.23
20 pounds	.24	.24

Tom Gordon, a farmer about 60 years old who lives near Pinnacle, attempted suicide Tuesday by cutting his throat with a tobacco knife. He made an ugly gash about three inches long, but will likely recover. About three years ago Mr. Gordon fell, sustaining a blow on his head which affected his mind, having never been just right since. While in a critical condition, some hope of his recovery is entertained by physicians.

Minister Preaches this Lentenive.

Rev. H. Stubenoll of Allison, in praising Dr. King's New Life Pills for constipation, writes: "Dr. King's New Life Pills are such perfect pills no home should be without them." No better regulator for the liver and bowels. Every pill guaranteed. Try them. Price 25c at druggists. For sale by DeWitt & Co., Swearingen.

THE THAW PROCEEDINGS.

Amid Riotous Scene Judge Rules New York Attorneys out of Court.

Sherbrooke, Que., Aug. 27.—Harry K. Thaw won three victories over the New York State authorities today and was locked tonight in the Sherbrooke jail, immune for the time being from the Dominion immigration authorities, after having received an ovation from the townspeople of Sherbrooke that would have done honor to a prince of royal blood.

So riotous was the scene in the Superior Court, when at the morning session Judge Arthur Globensky refused to allow counsel representing New York State to be party to the proceedings, that the court subsequently warned spectators that a repetition of the cheering, chair climbing, handkerchief waving and general hysteria would mean jail sentences for the demonstrators.

Speaking from the bench at the afternoon session Judge Globensky said that never in his experience as a member of the bar and of the bench had he been a witness to "such disgracefulness." It was carried out in the presence of court attendants and four armed Dominion police who stood immobile while emotional women rushed toward Stanford White's slayer crying:

"Three cheers for Thaw! Three cheers for the British flag! We will give you justice, Harry!"

Tonight with Thaw's term of confinement indeterminate and the key to the riddle still not found, there was a general exodus of those who rushed hither after the fugitive's sensational escape from Mattawan. Tonight or tomorrow District Attorney E. A. Conger and Sheriff Horvath of Dutchess County Superintendent Krieb of Matoswan and John E. Maek, former District Attorney of Dutchess County, will depart and with them stettiffs and deputies of Vermont and New Hampshire who were ready to string themselves along the border line and seize Thaw in event of his deportation.

Messrs. Jerome and Kennedy will confer at Quebec with the Attorney General of the Province in the hope that he as the Province's chief officer of the Crown, may be able to open the legal lock that holds Thaw in jail.

The three points in which Thaw's lawyers were successful in their first legal skirmish, were:

- 1.—New York State was denied the right to be party to the proceedings in court.
- 2.—Counsel for the State failed in their efforts to have Thaw arraigned before a magistrate and the commitment on which he is held quashed. This would have released him to the immigration officers.
- 3.—Judge Globensky granted the plea of Thaw's counsel for a discontinuance of the writ of habeas corpus which might have brought about his release today. This remedied a strategic blunder made last week by Thaw's attorneys, who apparently did not realize then that in seeking their client's release they were playing into the opposition's hands.

Suffered Eczema Fifty Years, Now Well.

Seems a long time to endure the awful burning, itching, smarting, skin-disease known as "tetter"—another name for Eczema. Seems good to realize, also, that Dr. Hobson's Eczema Ointment has proven a perfect cure. Mrs. D. L. Kenney writes: "I cannot sufficiently express my thanks to you for your Dr. Hobson's Eczema Ointment. It has cured my tetter, which has troubled me for over fifty years." All druggists, or by mail 50c. Pfeiffer Chemical Co., St. Louis, Mo., or Philadelphia, Pa. For sale by DeWitt & Co., Swearingen.

The Supreme Court announces 67 successful applicants for licenses to practice law in North Carolina, out of the class of 77 that undertook the examination Monday at the opening of the court for the Fall term.

SALISBURY AND ROWAN COUNTY LOCALS

Cameron Witherspoon, who was recently stricken with paralysis, suffered the loss of his sight. He is now stopping with his daughter, Mrs. F. W. Sumners.

V. Wallace & Sons are preparing to enter Winston-Salem. They have leased the store room formerly occupied by J. A. Neely in the Starbuck block on Liberty Street and will conduct a retail store there.

Samuel Wade, while working on a scaffold assisting in the repairs at Starnes & Parker's jewelry store, had a narrow escape from death. The supports had been taken from the brick-work overhead, Mr. Wade was working beneath the wall, and while hammering the brick were loosened and fell. The scaffold struck Mr. Wade and the scaffold was overturned, falling on the pavement. Mr. Wade was seriously wounded. His leg was out and his leg skinned from his shin to his thigh.

Rev. John W. Moore, pastor of the First Methodist Church has returned from a month's vacation in Western North Carolina.

The members of the Lutheran Sunday School of Faith passed through Salisbury this morning en route to South River where they are enjoying a big picnic. This is one of the largest Sunday Schools in the county, having a membership of about four hundred. We know they are having very pleasant outing.

A class from Nazareth Orphans Home, of Crescent, will give a concert at Wauhtown, a suburb of Winston, Sunday night.

According to the vital statistics law passed by the last legislature, an account of which has been published in this paper, Chairman H. C. Trotter has named the following gentlemen to make the registration of births and deaths in their respective townships: Atwell, S. A. Carrigan; China Grove, G. G. Blackwelder; Cleveland, Dr. Burrus; Franklin, William Kester; Gold Hill, C. F. Montgomery; Locke, J. B. Lingle; Litcher, R. A. Bane; Morgan, Joseph Miller; Mount Ulla, Dr. G. A. Brown; Providence, Forrest Eller; Salisbury, Dr. H. B. Spencer; Scotch Irish, Frank N. Bryan; Steel, Jas. A. Locke; Unity, E. J. Roseman.

Yesterday morning a pair of young men en route to Blowing Rock in an automobile, were halted for speeding on North Main Street. They were taxed \$10 and costs. These were strangers and of course it was right and proper to put the law to them, but an ex-alderman of Salisbury split lines open at the rate of 85 or 40 miles per hour, without lights of any kind the same evening and no arrests were made. Another prominent citizen did the same thing within an hour without a tail light and this also passed unnoticed. Such things cause men to despise our great and noble methods of misgovernment.

Mother! Have Your Children Worms

Are they feverish, restless, nervous, irritable, dizzy or constipated? Do they continually pick their nose or grind their teeth? Have they cramping pains, irregular and ravenous appetite? These are all signs of worms. Worms not only cause your child suffering, but stunt his mind and growth. Give "Kickapoo Worm Killer" at once. It kills and removes the worms, improves your child's appetite, regulates stomach and liver and bowels. The symptoms disappear and your child is made happy and healthy, as nature intended. All druggists or by mail 25c. Kickapoo Indian Medicine Company, Philadelphia, Pa., St. Louis, Mo. For sale by DeWitt & Co., Swearingen.

Wanted, Traveling men and women, salary paid and expenses, small bond required. Samuel A. Morgan, Greensboro, N. C.