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THE FLOWERS COLLECTION

LOCAL NEWS of interest to ALL OF OUR READERS.

R G Fleming was in town yesterday after having been kept at home for several days with an attack of la grippe.

A Van Peilt is at home after making several trips to various nearby points.

Miss Zeva Peeler is assisting in taking stock at Holshouser & Dayvault's.

Uncle Pat has been laying brick for the Southern Railway at Midway repairing the section house there.

J J Bostian was a visitor here yesterday.

C E Correll and wife of Sumner, were visitors here yesterday.

A C McDaniel was in town yesterday and told us of having purchased the stock of the well-known Rawleigh remedies from W D Loflin. Mr McDaniel expects to get started on his rounds next week.

P A Safrit, who is in the hospital at Salisbury, had a very restful night Thursday night and the doctors have some hope of his recovery.

John R Brown and Jas E Correll took a party of friends on a tour of nearby towns Monday.

The China Grove Hardware Company has had some extra windows placed in the Depot Street side of their store.

Rev C A Brown will go to Charlotte tomorrow to organize a new Lutheran congregation in East Charlotte on Sunday. He will preach in the morning at 11 o'clock and in the evening at 7.30.

Miss Edna Brown, who has been teaching at Cornelius, N C, will be home Monday, her school closing there tomorrow.

Mrs Levi Deal of the Coldwater neighborhood, is quite ill. She is over 70 years old and has some trouble with her heart.

The United Daughters of the Confederacy will meet with Mrs P L Ketchie Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock. The members are urged to be present.

John Eagle, whose barn was blown down recently, has erected a new one.

F B Brown of Enochville was in Salisbury yesterday.

There was considerable frost and some ice reported yesterday morning. It is thought the fruit escaped with slight injury.

Sifferd's have a change of advertisement in this paper to which attention is called. They have a nice fresh stock to select from.

Rev C A Brown and son, Herman, were in Salisbury Wednesday on business

Rev D I Offman of Julian, N C, passed through Salisbury yesterday morning en route to Hickory, near where he will attend the Tennessee Lutheran Conference.

The big new barn being erected by T L Ketchie is now about complete.

Mesdames J A Thom, W J Swink, R D Jenkins and F E Corriher were Salisbury visitors yesterday afternoon.

Get it at Sifferds'.

Mission Service at St Mark's

There will be a special mission service at St. Mark's E. L. Church at the regular Sunday School hour, 9:45 a. m., entitled "A World Wide Message." This service will be rendered by the members of the Sunday School and a collection for missions will be taken.

Confederate Veterans Dinner

On Wednesday, May 15th, the annual memorial exercises, under the auspices of the Robert F Hoke Chapter, U. D. C., will be held in the City Graded School building on Ellis Street, to be followed by a dinner for the members of the Charles F. Fisher Camp and other Rowan County Veterans.

Watch Child's Cough.

Colds, running of nose, continued irritation of the mucous membrane if neglected may mean catarrh later. Don't take the chance, do something for your child. Children will not take every medicine, but they will take Dr. King's New Discovery and without bribing or teasing. Its a sweet pleasant Tar Syrup, and so effective. Just laxative enough to eliminate the waste poisons. Almost the first dose helps. Always prepared, no mixing or fussing. Just ask your druggist for Dr. King's New Discovery. It will safe guard your child against serious ailments resulting from colds.

Officials of Farmers' Union to Meet.

There will be a meeting of the presidents, vice-presidents, secretaries and trade agents of the various Farmers' Union locals in the county at the old court house Saturday, May 6th, at eleven o'clock.

There will be an interesting discussion on "The Good of the Order." Orlina Cress, H. M. L. Agner, Prof. F. B. Brown and others will have something good and elevating to tell us on this subject. We earnestly request every local to be represented and as many members as possible. We will have some very important business to transact and some very instructive business talks.

Don't forget the day and the hour for we wish to be on time.

Very fraternally.

OSCAR H. PHILLIPS.

Miss Mary L Bostian, who has been teaching in the Albermarle graded schools, has returned home for the summer, the schools having closed this week.

Mrs Jas E Correll is visiting her parents Mr and Mrs Rufus Cline in Cabarrus County. She will return on Sunday.

Frank Bostian, son of R A Bostian, is doing some painting at Kannapolis this week

John R. Brown the optometrist and jeweler, has a new advertisement in this paper to which attention is called.

Mrs A C Wilhelm of Dunedin, Fla. came in Wednesday night to visit her parents, Mr and Mrs C A Safrit.

Mrs Mc L Ritchie, who has been visiting her parents at Richfield, returned home yesterday accompanied by her father and mother, Mr and Mrs D D Ritchie.

Miss Pauline Graham of the Mt Ulla neighborhood, is spending the week at Mr and Mrs W C Sifferd's.

Told Him That There Was no Cure For Him.

"After suffering for over twenty years with indigestion and having some of the best doctors here tell me there was no cure for me, I think it only right to tell you for the sake of other sufferers as well as your own satisfaction that a 25 cent bottle of Chamberlain's Tablets not only relieved me but cured me within two months although I am a man of 65 years," writes Jul Grobien, Houston, Texas. Obtainable everywhere.

China Grove's New Superintendent of Schools

Prof. J. E. Redfern, who has been in charge of the Walkertown Graded and State High school during the past term, and who was unanimously elected to the position of Superintendent of the China Grove Schools, has accepted the position and will move his family here about the middle of May.

Prof. Redfern seems to be a capable man and it is believed will make a progressive and successful school official, at least this is the hope of those who have induced him to come here. From reports it seems that Prof. Redfern's schools have measured up well with the best and he has been given much credit by those who have been in a position to observe his accomplishments. A dispatch from Walkertown, Forsyth County, speaks of his achievements thus:

Walkertown, April 8.—The Walkertown High school, under the able supervision of Prof. J. E. Redfern, the principal, has won a number of distinctions in the various contests it has entered in the past few weeks, the most important of which was second place in the recent State high school spelling contest.

The Walkertown school made a grade of 96.8 per cent. the Grover school in Cleveland having won first place with 97.5 per cent., a difference of only .7 of one per cent. There were 69 High schools in the contest, the names of which will be published in the April number of the Carolina High School. The words were sent to all of the schools from Chapel Hill.

In the triangular debate of Walkertown, Clemmons and East Bend, the Walkertown affirmative team won the affirmative side of the query against Clemmons.

At the Forsyth County Commencement, H. C. Martin won the declaimers' gold medal Miss Julia Marshall won first prize in composition. The Walkertown school also won a prize for the best industrial map of North Carolina, two prizes in geography, a $5 prize for the best all-round school exhibit at the Winston-Salem high school, and the pennant for the county championship in basket ball.

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy

From a small beginning the sale and use of this remedy has extended to all parts of the United States and to many foreign countries. When you have need of such a medicine give Chamberlain's cough remedy a trial and you will understand why it has become so popular for coughs, colds and croup. Obtainable everywhere.

Optometrists Met.

The North Carolina scientific section of optometry held its regular monthly meeting Wednesday night in the offices of J. W. Taylor in Greensboro, with a good attendance.

One of the subjects of most interest to all present was, "How the accommodation of the eyes of children and young adults can be controlled without the use of drops." The latest and most modern methods known to optometric science were cited, and a general discussion of these methods of examination of the eyes for glasses was gone into from every viewpoint.

The meeting was a very enthusiastic one and much interest was manifested in the subjects discussed. The next meeting of the section will be held in Greensboro, May 17th.

Splendid for Rheumatism.

"I think Chamberlain's Liniment is just splendid for rheumatism," writes Mrs. Dunburgh, Eldridge, N. Y. "It has been used by myself and other members of my family time and time again during the past six years and has always given the best of satisfaction." The quick relief from pain which Chamberlain's Liniment affords is alone worth many times the cost. Obtainable everywhere.

DEATHS

Mrs. L. T. Brown of Spencer, who with her husband had been in Albuquerque, N. M., for their health, died on April 17th at that place. She was buried Sunday at her old home in Calhoun, Ga.

Leonard Edwards, who is alleged to have been killed by Hyman Epstein at Goldsboro Wednesday night, was a brother of Mrs. Urbansky of Salisbury. The coroner's inquest into the death was postponed until Saturday. The young man is well known here.

David Locke Granford, died Thursday morning at the home of Charles Smith, Salisbury, where he roomed. He was aged about 81 years and was a yard conductor for the Southern in Salisbury. Burial was made Friday at St. Matthew's Church, northwest of Salisbury.

MARRIAGES

Miss Rosa May Shives and Charlie Edgar Wilhelm both of Salisbury, were married last Saturday evening at Haven parsonage by Rev George H.L. Lingle.

Miss Ada Middleton, of Warsaw, and T. M. Stanback, manager of the Rowan Drug Store at Spencer, were united in marriage on Wednesday at the home of the bride. Miss Middleton was a former teacher in the Spencer schools. They will reside in Spencer.

Miss Jessie Johnson of Rowan County and A. L. Rowles of Davie County, were married on Tuesday at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C J Johnson, Scotch Irish Township, by Rev. V. R. Stickly.

Pills Best for Liver.

Because they contain the best liver medicines no matter how bitter or nauseating for the sweet sugar coating hides the taste. Dr. King's New Life Pills contain ingredients that puts the liver working, move the bowels freely. No gripe, no nausea, aid digestion. Just try a bottle of Dr. King's New Life Pills and notice how much better you feel. 25c at your druggists.

A Card of Thanks

We take this method of expressing thanks to all our friends and neighbors who were so good and kind to us during the illness and death of our dear mother and grandmother. May God's richest blessings rest upon them all.

M. E. PROPST AND FAMILY.

The Aches of House Cleaning.

The pain and soreness caused by bruises, over exertion and straining during house cleaning time are soothed away by Sloan's Liniment. No need to suffer this agony. Just apply Sloan's Liniment to the sore spots, rub only a little. In a short time the pain leaves, you rest comfortably and enjoy a refreshing sleep. One grateful user writes: "Sloan's Liniment is worth it's weight in gold." Keep a bottle on hand, use it against all soreness Neuralgia and bruises. Kills pain. 25c at your druggists.

Farmer's Tragic Death.

Lexington, April 26.—About 15 miles east of Lexington Charles F. Ward, a prominent farmer, lost his life in a runaway. Through some unknown cause his team became frightened, started to run, throwing him to the ground, dragging him for a considerable distance with the brake rope tangled around his neck. Mr. Ward's neck was broken, skull crushed in at the back, both jawbones smashed. The dead man was about 55 years old and leaves a wife and several children.

The Do-As-You-Please Club Entertained

Landis, N. C., April 26.

The Do-As-You-Please Club was charmingly entertained by Mrs. Ralph Sloop on Thursday afternoon, April 20th. The hostess greeted the guest in the hall which was abloom with dog wood and honey-suckles, and ushered them into the parlor beautifully decorated with spring flowers. After spending some time in pleasant conversation, a "Stitch" contest was entered upon. Then each guest was presented with a small silk bag filled with scraps. Mrs. O. L. Linn was awarded the prize, a crocheted basket for making the neatest article from the scraps.

Delicious refreshments in two courses were served in the dining room by the hostess assisted by Misses Elma Sloop and Mary Rice. The table was very attractive with its decoration of Easter rabbits and chickens.

The guests present were; Mesdames B. S Brown, G. O. Lipe, T. E. Wright, Fannie Corriher, B. O. Edwards, W. M. Brown, P. E. Sheely, O. L. and J. P. Linn, Misses Ola Linn Joe Lipe, Elma Sloop and Mary Rice.

The club was invited to meet with Mrs. G. O. Lipe in May.

Catarrh Cannot Be Cured

with local applications, as they cannot reach the seat of the disease. Catarrh is a blood or constitutional disease, and in order to cure it you must take internal remedies. Hall's catarrh cure is taken internally, and acts directly upon the blood and mucous surface. Hall's catarrh cure is not a quick 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 tonic known, 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 catarrh. Send for testimonials, free.

F. J CHENEY & CO., Props., Toledo, O.

Sold by druggists, price 75c.

Take Hall's family pills for constipation.

Do You Know That

Walking is the best exercise, and the cheapest?

The United States Public Health Service administers typhoid vaccine gratis to Federal employees?

A little cough is frequently the warning signal of tuberculosis

Bad teeth and bad tonsils may be the cause of rheumatism?

Unpasteurized milk frequently spreads disease?

The air-tight dwelling leads but to the grave?

Moderation in all things prolongs life?

The careless spitter is a public danger?

Ford Is Willing to Accept If the People Want Him.

New York, April 22.—Henry Ford announced here today that he would accept a nomination for the presidency, "if the people wanted him."

"One thing I am absolutely sure of in this respect," declared Mr. Ford, "and that is that I shall not finance any third party; not with one cent. Should it be made evident that I am wanted, that is a different matter."

"I am not a candidate for the presidential nomination," he added. "I can not regard myself in such a light, I regard it as a joke only. It is a very serious question as to who the joke is on."

Referring to the recent primary election in the Middle West at which he was endorsed by Republican voters as their preference for the presidential nomination, Mr. Ford said the result was "significant of what the people in that section of the country, the people who raise the stuff that feeds the country, think of militarism."

Get it at Sifferd's.

Appointments Made

Registrars and Judges for Primary and General Election.

North Ward, M A Shank, Registrar; T H Vanderford, Jr., C F Hartley, judges.

East Ward, H E Rufty, Registrar; W T R Jenkins, W N Daniels, judges.

West Ward, T J Rabe, registrar; Kerr Craige, Frank Bowers, judges

South Ward, N B McCanless, registrar; Chas S Miller, J M Kizziah, judges.

China Grove, W L Harris, registrar; H C Miller, H. S. Bostian, judges.

Spencer, Paul M Nusman, registrar; W H Burton, J S McNeil, judges.

East Spencer, T M Earnhardt, registrar; C A Sides Ernest Staton, judges.

Franklin, Will Lindsay, registrar; Cicero Miller, B N Hampton, judges.

Scotch Irish, W A Steele, registrar; R J Lyerly, W D McLaughlin, judges.

Bostian X Roads, W C Klutts, registrar; N W Menius, Ivey Klutts, judges.

Grant Creek, J F Cress, registrar; J R Cress, J M Yost, judges

Unity, E J Roseman, registrar; D C Chick, H Pennington, judges

Hatters Shop, Oscar Phillips, registrar, P D Linn, Nat B Drury, judges.

Rowan Academy, W B Oddie, registrar; P A D Peeler, Geo D Peeler, judges.

Bradshaw, C J Karriker, registrar; J S McCorkle, W J Deal, judges.

Gold Hill, J W Jenkins, registrar; W Love Shaver, W S Hinson, judges.

Cleveland, R B Harris, registrar; W B Thompson, W L White, judges.

Bost Mill, R L Lingle, registrar; Jas B Lingle, J K Cress, judges.

Steele, Joe Hall, registrar; Lank Lippard, W E Anderson, judges.

Mt. Ulla, J C Sherrill, registrar; V C Edmiston, J P Brantly, judges.

Enochville, A L Karriker, registrar; A L Deal, Martin Sloop, judges.

Landis. O L Linn, registrar; Geo. Lipe, John W Weaver, judges

Heilig's Mill, Henry Canup, registrar; Luther Cauble, W F Josey, judges.

Bernhardt's Mill, Z A Klutts, registrar; C A Holshouser, Lewis, Cable, judges.

Granite Quarry, J H A Lyerly, registrar; J M McCombs, M M Hall, judges.

Rockwell, Arthur Shoe, registrar; Homer Misenheimer, J H Sides, judges.

Morgan, Jos A Miller, registrar; Thos Morgan, Lawson W Eagle, judges.

Good for Colds.

Honey, Pine-Tar and Glycerine are recognized cold remedies. In Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey these are combined with other cough medicine in a pleasant syrup. Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar Honey quickly stops your cough, checks your cold, soothes irritation of the throat. Excellent for young, adult and aged. Its one of the best cough syrups made. Formula on every bottle. You know just what you are taking and your doctor knows its good for coughs and colds. Insist on Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey Only 25c at druggists

Died in Automobile.

T. C. Foust, aged about 60 whose home was in Dovidson County, eight miles from Lexington, died suddenly Wednesday morning while riding in an automobile on his way to Hickory to attend a meeting of the Tennessee Synod of the Lutheran Church. With him was a son and another gentleman. The death occurred near Barber after the party had passed through Salisbury. The body was brought back to Salisbury and prepared for burial and taken to Lexington on the afternoon train.

SALISBURY AND ROWAN COUNTY LOCALS

A completion was effected in the Poole-Rabe shooting case on Wednesday afternoon in county court by both defendants being adjudged guilty of an affray in which deadly weapons were used. A fine of $50 and costs was imposed on each by Judge Carlton, who also required each to give a $500 peace bond. In addition to this the judgment specifies that each defendant is to keep away from the premises or other places of business of the other, and that Mr. Poole is to move his residence from in close proximity to Mr. Rabe's place of business by May 1st. Both gave notice of appeal and bond was fixed at $800. In a case against each for carrying concealed weapons they were adjudged not guilty and a like verdict was given in a case against Mr. Poole for assault on his wife.

Salisbury will have a new blacksmith shop soon. D. W. Julian, as agent for the Williams property, has secured a permit to erect a shop on North Lee street. The shop will be occupied by T. J. Morgan when completed.

Walter Leverett, a fourteen-year-old boy, was up in county court on Wednesday morning on a charge of felonious entry and larceny of a quantity of brass from a junk dealer's place on Council Street. Judge Carlton, who is much concerned about the boy, appointed an attorney to defend him and gave him every chance to prove his innocence, but the evidence was too strong against him and he was bound over to the Superior court for May. He was placed in the asylum department of the jail in default of a $100 bond. Efforts are being made to have him admitted to the Jackson training school at Concord.

There will be an examination for clerk and carrier at the city post office on May 18th next. Age limit, 18 to 45 years on date of examination. Married women excluded, but not women who are divorced, they being limited only to appointment as clerk. For further information write or call on Secretary Board of Civil Service Examiners at the city post office.

Rev. Geo. H. L. Lingle and family were given a pounding at Haven Lutheran parsonage last Saturday evening by a large number of parishioners and friends. They presented the pastor with a quantity of groceries and some cash, besides the kindest greetings.

Hon. Theo. F. Klutts has returned from a visit to his sons, Theo. F. Jr., and Whitehead, at Washington. While in the Capitol city he heard the special message delivered to Congress last week by President Wilson.

A big damage suit was up in Federal Court, in session here this week, on Wednesday and Thursday, in which the administrators of Grover McClure, a lineman who was killed near Winston-Salem in 1914 while working on lines of the Southern Power Company, are seeking damages to the amount of $85,000. The case of the Standard Trust Company of New York city against the American Exchange Bank of Greensboro, which has been fought in the State courts, was taken up Thursday and is now in progress.

Engineer Charles W. Baker of Spencer, has filed suit against the Spencer school board, claiming damages to the extent of $2,000, by reason of his young son being expelled from school for violating the rules. The case will come up at the next term of Rowan Court on May 15th.

Officers to serve during the ensuing year were elected on Thursday morning at the business session of the Grand Council of the Royal Arcanum of North Carolina. Thomas F. Johnson of Salisbury, was elected as Grand Orator. An elaborate banquet was served on Wednesday night at the Empire hotel.