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## LOCAL NEWS

of interest to  
ALL OF OUR READERS.

Miss Mary Bostian visited the "Brown" Sisters last Wednesday night.

Miss Mary Jane Kirk spent the week-end at Charlotte with friends, returning home Wednesday evening. She reports having had a grand old time. She did not bring the young man with her this time.

J. L. Siffard will close out his goods now by the piece or job lot. Any one needing goods in this line had better see him soon.

Rev. C. A. Brown, president of the North Carolina Synod, went to Columbia, S. C., last Wednesday in an official capacity to attend a meeting of the Home Mission Board of the United Synod.

J. J. Lentz has accepted a position with Templeton Bros.

Misses Estella Hurley and Elizabeth Bostian are visiting Miss Hurley's grand parents in Sandhills.

Mrs. C. D. Watkins of Kannapolis, is visiting Mrs. C. R. Watkins.

Rev. C. A. Brown and daughter, Ruth, went to Salisbury last Tuesday. The former to attend the Rowan County Lutheran Minister's Association, the latter to attend a meeting of the Executive Committee of the Young People's Synodical Missionary Society of the North Carolina Synod.

Mesdames J. A. Rendleman, M. C. Peeler, J. A. Peeler, Miss Rosalind Rendleman and Jacob A. Rendleman of Salisbury, were guests Thursday of Mrs. A. W. Winecoff.

J. A. Thom and family attended the funeral of his son-in-law, W. B. Lasley at Burlington and returned Sunday.

Eugene Kimball is now located at Cleveland, Ohio. He wants the record in order to keep up with home matters.

In the absence of the pastor, Rev. B. S. Brown will preach at Lutheran Chapel church the 4th Sunday at 11 a. m. The public is cordially invited.

Mrs. C. D. Bostian and children are visiting in Spartanburg, S. C., and Augusta, Ga.

Mrs. Preston Linn and children spent Tuesday with Rev. A. Shuleburger.

Mr. and Mrs. Jasper Cline left for their home in Alabama today after visiting Mrs. C. D. Bostian, Mrs. J. E. Correll and others.

J. L. Holshouser and Jas. N. Dayvault started for France Wednesday but stopped at Sumner and visited at T. C. Peeler's.

Robert B. Gray was in Salisbury yesterday.

The Gray Panel and Veneer Co., is now turning out some very nice porch furniture these days.

A chapter of the Red Cross has been organized at Rockwell and the following were elected to officiate: J. W. Peeler, chairman; Mrs. J. A. Linn, vice chairman; Mrs. F. R. Shepherd, secretary; Mrs. G. W. Chate, treasurer. The chapter has 30 members and has collected about \$35.

Rev. W. H. Riser was a Salisbury visitor yesterday.

Jas. N. Dayvault and family spent Wednesday night at Glass visiting his father, John Dayvault.

Another chapter for the county was organized at Spencer Sunday night with Mrs. M. Stauback president, B. F. Stephenson secretary, Mrs. J. W. Freeman treasurer, W. H. Woodson of Salisbury addressed the meeting and a membership of about 50 was secured.

McL. Ritchie of the China Grove Hardware Co., has just purchased 1000 excellent pencils on which is printed the following advertisement: Buy your Hardware and School Supplies from China Grove Hardware Co., China Grove, N. C.

### T. H. Takes a Trip.

Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Kirk and daughter, Mrs. H. J. Kennedy, and husband, H. J. Kennedy, left in an automobile for Albemarle yesterday afternoon. T. H. was expecting to return back before dark but he didn't exactly do so although he believed, "Whoa! Gee!" etc., and tried to make the machine answer to the old field phraseology in use while plowing a mule. In this he failed, but made the trip very satisfactory. T. H. doesn't take many trips but when he does he enjoys them to the full and the folks enjoy his good company.

### Cause of Despondency.

Despondency is often caused by indigestion and constipation and quickly disappears when Chamberlain's Tablets are taken. These Tablets strengthen the digestion and move the bowels.

### Cabarrus Man Takes His Life.

Concord, July 6th.—S. E. Bost, age 73 years, a prominent farmer and citizen of No. 9 township, Cabarrus county, committed suicide this morning early at his home in the lower section of the county by shooting himself with a shot gun. Mr. Bost was in the yard when he suicided. He was the father of Alderman Stuart L. Bost of this city. No cause for the rash act is known.

### Weather Forecast for July.

From 4 o 11, changeable mild with thunder showers, locally some cool along.  
From 11 to 18, wind, rain, by short storms, locally around.  
From 18 to 27, rainy, if wind is southwest at 8 to 10 p. m., the 15th, slight hail, locally around, if east cool rain storms.  
From 27 to August 3rd, fair and clear rendering some dry. July shows some hot, and thunder storms along, pending some hail in localities around, and storms from 11 to 18, the days of rainfall is not known by me, no man knows the day to rain but God, only.

HENRY RELO,  
R. No. 3, Salisbury, N. C.

### Dates for Family Re-Unions and Picnics.

July 19 Southern Conference Lutheran Church, St. Mary's Church.  
August 1st, Stirewall Picnic, Yost Reunion, Mt. Zion Church.  
August 2nd, Nazareth Picnic, Crescent.  
August 3rd, Morgan Ship Sunday School Convention August 3 5, Northern Conference Lutheran Church, Greenville.  
August 6th, Salisbury Ship Sunday School Convention Haven Lutheran Church.  
August 7th, Locke Town Sunday School Association, Lem E. L. church.  
August 10th, Gold Hill Ship Sunday School Convention Organ Church.

### Mrs. Harris Entertains the Club.

Mrs. Lonnie Harris charmingly entertained the members of Thursday Afternoon Club last Thursday afternoon. It was played at several tables ranged in parlor and living room. After the game ice and sandwiches were served. The hostess was assisted serving by her daughter, Mrs. R. M. Hallyburton of Lagrange, Georgia.

### How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Medicine. Hall's Catarrh Medicine has been taken by catarrh sufferers for the past thirty five years and has become known as the most reliable remedy for Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Medicine cures Catarrh of the Blood and healing the disease portions. After you have taken Hall's Catarrh Medicine for a short time you will see a great improvement in your general health. Start taking Hall's Catarrh Medicine at once and get rid of catarrh. Send for testimonials free.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio.  
Sold by all Druggists, 75c.

### The Deal Re-Union.

The Deal re-union will be held at Landis on July 25th. All descendants or connection of the Deal family are requested to be present. There will be speakers for the occasion and a basket dinner. All friends are invited to be present.

W. E. DEAL,  
Chairman.

### Entertainment Saturday Night July 21st.

The Ladies Aid Society of the Methodist church will give a drama at the public school building on Saturday night, July 21st entitled "Tompkins' Hired Man."

### Doing Good.

Few medicines have met with more favor or accomplished more good than Chamberlain's Colic and Diarrhoea Remedy. John F. Jantzen, Delmeny, Sask., says of it, "I have used Chamberlain's Colic and Diarrhoea Remedy myself and in my family, and can recommend it as being an exceptionally fine preparation."

### Woodmen to Unveil Monument to the Late John L. Patterson.

The Woodmen of the World of Mill Bridge will unveil a monument in Center Grove cemetery near Kannapolis, Sunday afternoon over the grave of their departed brother, John L. Patterson. A. L. Smoot of Salisbury, and Rev. O. A. Brown of China Grove, will be the speakers for the occasion. The program for the occasion is quite interesting.

### CHAIN GANG CONSOLIDATED.

Proceedings of the County Commissioners for the July Meeting Held Last Week.

The board of county commissioners held a two day regular monthly session last week, all members being present with Chairman Hall presiding. The following business was transacted:

Ordered that Summersett Undertaking Co., be paid \$15 for burial of Robert B. Howard.

The board ordered that Superintendent Thomason build a road from McCulloh's shop to the W. J. Watson place.

It was ordered that the county furnish foreman and piping for road from the Overcash place to South River church.

Ordered that the county pay the assessment of \$10 to the Good Roads Association.

It was ordered that the county will not take any action in screening the Community Building.

Ordered that Victor Hodge, Fielding Josey and Lee Wagener be discontinued from list of outdoor poor.

The board ordered that an appeal be taken from the decision of the committee allowing Mr. Henry Klutz \$100 for road crossing his farm.

It was ordered that Superintendent Thomason look over site relative to locating road from a point on the Statesville road to Mt. Vernon colored church.

The board ordered that chain gang camps Nos. 1 and 2 be consolidated and that foreman of the camp No. 1 be retained with such other help as may be needed, and that said camp continue work on the National Highway.

It was ordered that Thomas Barber be given \$7.50 for replacing wire fence where road crosses his farm.

It was ordered that Hugh Bradshaw be made foreman of construction force, on the Sherrill's Ford road, said force being known as camp No. 3.

It was ordered that H. M. Brown be paid \$15 rent for rock yard on his farm.

The board ordered that coal dealers, moving picture shows and pawn brokers be assessed the same amount of county taxes paid in 1916.

Chairman Hall and Commissioners Fleming and Kester and Mr. Coble and Superintendent Thomason were appointed a committee to look over road at Reid's mill near Woodleaf.

Ordered by the board that Chairman Hall and Superintendent Thomason secure top soil for Sherrill's Ford road.

The board adopted the report of the committee on investigation of Rice's Mill property which is that the board has complied with its contract.

Ordered that Superintendent Thomason place danger signs at the curves in the road at Rice's Mill.

It was ordered that a certain sick negro be sent to his home in Columbia, S. C.

It was ordered that Superintendent Thomason be made delegate to the good roads convention at Asheville July 9th, 10th and 11th.

Ordered that the orderer relative to the changes on the Sherrill's Ford road be recinded.

It was ordered that Messrs. Coble, Fleming and Patterson go to Mt. Ulla and look over with power to act on some changes the Sherrill's Ford road from railroad crossing to the east side of J. K. Goodman's to railroad crossing to the west of Mt. Ulla.

The bid for supplies for the county for the month was awarded to Peeler Company.

The board adjourned to meet Monday July 9th with the board of appraisers to hear complaints regarding assessed valuation of

### Alcox Child is Reported as Likely to Recover.

Albemarle, July 7.—The physician in attendance upon the little child of Mrs. H. A. Alcox of Badin has pronounced the baby beyond danger and says that it will without doubt recover. It will be recalled that about 10 days ago Mrs. Alcox, the mother of the baby, administered bicarbide with intention, according to her own statement, of killing the child, stating at the time that she was doing this because of the wishes of her husband, who was not the child's father. Mrs. Alcox was immediately arrested and brought to Albemarle jail and a day or two thereafter Mr. Alcox was arrested and also brought to jail. After the physician in charge pronounced the child out of danger Mrs. Alcox was tried and convicted before R. L. Brown, judge of the county court, but no sentence as yet has been pronounced on her. There being no material evidence against Mr. Alcox a nol. pros. was taken and he was released.

Mrs. Alcox appeared to be suffering more or less from mental depression and does not appear to be hardly responsible for her conduct.

### TAKE THE RIGHT KIND OF IRON.

Urges use of Non-Alcoholic Natural Iron as Tonic. Doesn't Hurt Kidneys.

The main danger in treating the blood and system for uric acid and rheumatism complaints lies in the excessive use of alcohol, which apparently must be used by the chemist to hold together the various medicinal elements found in the ordinary "patent" medicine referred to.

Iron alone disturbs digestion, causes constipation and is very injurious to teeth, but alcohol only increases the appetite for the moment and the last excuse for its presence is banished by the discovery of Acid Iron Mineral, a natural medicinal iron mineral which contains three forms of iron together with calcium, sodium, potassium, magnesium and sulphuric acid, all of which are valuable and non-detrimental to the stomach, kidneys, bladder nerves and blood.

Acid Iron Mineral is highly concentrated, non-alcoholic and economical and goes from 2 to 10 times as far as other and weaker iron remedies. It is just pure, powerful, medicinal iron for weak, nervous, rheumatic, rundown people. Results from its use are wonderful.

All Druggists have Acid Iron Mineral (native iron). A half teaspoonful in a glass of water is a dose. Get a fifty-cent or dollar bottle and note how it improves the family's digestion, appetite and strength. It helps sluggish, impure blood and the iron drives out uric acid and other poisons so apt to cause rheumatic and kindred complaints. As a tonic for spring it is unequalled. It paints the cheeks, brightens up the eyes, and puts the "stay there" in the blood and nerves. If over worked, run down and in need of a system tonic, blood purifier and appetite maker get A. I. M. at the nearest drug store today. Large bottle sent prepaid anywhere on receipt of \$1, by Ferroquine Chemical Corporation, Roanoke, Virginia, U. S. A.

property and all parties having grievances in this matter are requested to appear before the board on that date.

By the discontinuance of chain gang No. 2 and consolidating it with No. 1 there were a number of changes necessary in the officials of these camps. By the change H. Crawford Kennerly who was foreman of camp No. 2 is relieved of duty and other minor changes were made.



### Death of W. B. Lasley Son-in-law of J. A. Thom of China Grove.

Burlington, July 7.—Funeral services were held this afternoon at 3 o'clock in the Presbyterian church over the remains of William Lasley, who died at his home at Creedmore Thursday night at 11 o'clock, after a short illness.

Mr. Lasley, who was 33 years old, was a native of Burlington the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Lasley, and spent his early years here. About 15 years ago he went to Creedmore and had been cashier of the bank there since that time. About 10 years ago he was married to Miss Pauline Thom, of China Grove, and she and two children aged six and three years, respectively survive. He is also survived by his parents and three brothers, Ralph and Edwin, of this place, and Early Lasley, of Smithfield.

The funeral was conducted by Rev. D. McIver, the present pastor, and Rev. O. G. Jones, of Greensboro, a former pastor of the church here. An immense crowd of friends and relatives was present and the floral designs were very numerous and beautiful.

W. B. Oddie, aged 47, died at the home of his brother, H. G. Oddie, near Dunn's Mountain, Monday morning from the effects of cancer. Mr. Oddie had recently had an operation performed in a Baltimore hospital but derived no benefit. The funeral was held at Union church Monday afternoon, Rev. G. R. Pless officiating. Mr. Oddie leaves a mother and two brothers, H. E. and O. O. Oddie.

Mrs. M. E. Crego, aged 8, mother of E. C. Crego of Salisbury, died at her home in Hilton, N. Y., Saturday. Mr. Crego attended the funeral.

### Are you one of Them?

There are a great many people who would be very much benefited by taking Chamberlain's Tablets for a weak disordered stomach. Are you one of them? Mrs. M. R. Searl, Baldwinville, N. Y., relates her experience in the use of these tablets: "I had a bad spell with my stomach about six months ago, and was troubled for two or three weeks with gas and severe pains in the pit of my stomach. Our druggist advised me to take Chamberlain's Tablets. I took a bottle home and the first dose relieved me wonderfully, and I kept on taking them until I was cured." These tablets do not relieve pain but after the pain has been relieved may prevent its recurrence.

### Annual Crockett Picnic.

The annual picnic of the Nazareth Orphan's Home will be held on the orphanage grounds at Crescent Thursday, August 2nd, and the address will be by Rev. J. L. Murphy, of Hickory. There will be a big dinner and amusements as well as band music.

The proceeds will go to the orphanage funds.

This institution is the orphan home of the Reformed church in North Carolina, Rev. W. B. Werner is superintendent, and these annual occasions are always largely attended and it is hoped to make the picnic of 1917 the best yet held.