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LOCAL NEWS

of interest to
ALL OF OUR READERS

Miss Esther Sappenfield of Concord, is spending the week end with Miss Mary Eild.

W G Cranford of Winston Salem, visited friends here last week and attended services Sunday at his home church Ebenezer. He had not been there for forty years. His many friends here were glad to see him.

A number of China Grove people are attending the Burke Culpeper meetings in Salisbury.

Miss Martha Shuford gave a 4th of July party for her friend Miss Helen Ryne, which was much enjoyed.

Miss Florence Eddleman spent the week end with her father, J M Eddleman and is now visiting in Charlotte.

Mrs G M Misenheimer has been confined to her room for several weeks.

Henry H Sechler and wife of Logan's Port, Ind. are spending a few weeks here with Mr Sechler's parents, Mr and Mrs A D Sechler. After visiting here they will go to Savannah to visit Mrs Sechler's sister.

Mrs N Templeton who has been visiting relatives at Clarksville and Chase City Va. is expected home soon.

Misses Annie Mamie and Cora Smith gave a pouncing party at their home Saturday night in honor of their brother "Gip," Smith, who has just returned from army service in France. Something over 100 guests were present and all enjoyed the evening very much.

Dave S Brown and daughter Eleanor, and M Brown and wife of Granite Quarry visited at John R Brown's yesterday afternoon.

M D James is now working with the Kohloss and Klutz shirt factory in Salisbury.

Luther Peeler and family of Greensboro are visiting at J L Holsbouser's.

Miss Kathleen Dayvault is spending a week or two visiting at Rev Albert Sherill's in Summerfield.

McL Ritchie and family who are enjoying a vacation and visiting relatives at Misenheimer Springs, are expected to return Monday.

Miss Gertrude Overcash spent the week end with Miss Duree Deal.

Miss Lila Patterson spent the week end at her country home, near Rockwell.

Miss Viola Jordan of Derita, who has been spending several weeks here with her friend, Miss Duree Deal, will return home Monday.

Mrs M S Rose is spending a few weeks at Montreat, N C.

W J Swink and J T Deal were in Salisbury Thursday.

M M Ketchie and wife spent Sunday in Charlotte visiting a daughter, Mrs J W Correll.

H F Cooper, wife and child of High Point, are spending a few days here with relatives.

The China Grove Township Sunday School convention will be held in the Lutheran church at Landis on the first Sunday in August, at 3 p. m. Program will be published later.

Mrs Hanna Entertains.

The Thursday Afternoon Club and a few invited guests were charmingly entertained by Mrs A M Hanna last Thursday afternoon.

Progressive ruck was played on the lovely lawn.

Delicious refreshments were served by Mrs Hanna assisted by her niece, Mrs Lurline Graham Rankin. Aside from the club members the following invited guests enjoyed Mrs Hanna's hospitality: Mesdames T S Wilkie, J R Ivey, J P Linn of Landis, Lurline Graham Rankin, Misses Ruth Thom, Francis Swink, Martha Shuford and guest, Mrs Rhyne of Newton, Lucille Swarringen and Mary Rose.

Summer Complaints in Children.

There is not anything like so many deaths from this disease now as before Chamberlain's Colic and Diarrhoea Remedy came into such general use. When this remedy is given with castor oil as directed and proper care is taken as to diet, it is safe to say that fully ninety nine out of every 100 cases recover. Mrs W G Campbell of Butler, Tenn. says:

"I have used Chamberlain's Colic and Diarrhoea Remedy for summer complaint in children. It is far ahead of anything I have ever used for this purpose."

Miss Eild Entertains in Honor of her Entertains.

A social event of the week was party given Tuesday night by Miss Mary Eild in honor of her guest, Miss Esther Sappenfield of Concord. The party was given out on the beautiful lawn. As the guests assembled every fifth one was given a penny and later in the evening the ones that held a penny were asked to perform a "stunt." The guests were then invited into the house where a mock wedding was performed by the ones holding the pennies. After the ceremony delightful refreshments were served.

The Brown Reunion and Association.

The Brown Reunion and Association is appointed to meet at Granite Quarry on the 30th of this month, July, at 10:30 sun time.

Owing to the war we have missed two years, but this reunion has not been dead. Now that the war is over we expect to have one of the best times of its life, a reunion and Association and a picnic combined. The morning service will be music, a few short and interesting speeches and perhaps a synopsis of the history of the Brown descendants, and the afternoon will be given to social relations, friendship and picnic.

A social dinner will be enjoyed. Hence all are requested to bring well filled baskets enough for themselves and invited friends. Everybody is cordially invited, remembering that it is to be an association as well as a Brown reunion. We believe there will be much of interest to be heard and seen. A visit to the stone house and grave yard is expected.

The morning train from Salisbury gets there about 10:30, fast time. Remember the date, Wednesday the 30th of July and do not fail to enjoy this good time.

R. L. Brown.

ACCOUNT SALISBURY JULY 4 95 YEARS AGO

Old Letter Tells of the Battle of Preparation for Fourth of July.

Salisbury has been celebrating the Fourth of July for many years, as witness extracts below from a letter written nearly 100 years ago by Lemuel Bingham, father of the late G A Bingham, of Salisbury:

Salisbury, July 3, 1824.—Salisbury at this time is quite in a bustle—everyone is preparing, in some way or other, to honor the birthday of our country—though I fear that many will neither honor the day nor themselves. A procession will be formed at the new academy in about two hours and proceed from thence to the courthouse where the ceremonies will be commenced with prayer by the Rev Dr Freeman, after which several patriotic songs will be sung, when the Declaration of Independence will be read by Major Beard, and an oration pronounced by Albert Torrence, Jr. A part of the company including my honorable self, will then repair to Major Yarborough's to eat, drink and be merry; and another and probably the larger part, will march down hill to Henry Allumong's who will provide a dinner, and plenty of whiskey at 75 cents each; it will be the privilege of this last class to get gloriously drunk, like true patriots, on corn whisky and apple brandy. On the whole I expect that before night we shall have fighting and fun in great abundance.

Sunday, July 4, 1824.—I was mistaken yesterday as to the departure of the mails, it comes Saturday, but does not go out again until Tuesday—and I have broken the seal of this letter just to tell you this. But as I have gone so far, I may as well tell you that the celebration yesterday passed off well. Albert gave us an excellent oration and the arrangements generally were in a superior style. About 50 people sat down to dinner at Major Yarborough's served up in a superior style. After the cloth was removed we drank a variety of toasts, which were interspersed with 20 or 30 songs, and about 5 o'clock the company separated in fine humor and every one as sober as a judge. In truth there was not a single instance of inebriation, a circumstance, I presume, unparalleled in the annals of Fourth of July celebrations in Salisbury. Major McClelland officiated as president and Charles Fisher, as vice-president.

Chamberlain's Colic and Diarrhoea Remedy.

This medicine always wins the good opinion if not praise of those who use it. Try it when you have need of such a remedy.

Meeting of Young People's Guild.

The Young Peoples Guild of St Mark's church will meet Tuesday night July 15th. Every member is urged to be present as this is the end of the year. There will be an election of officers, collection of back dues, convention dues and a thank offering.

Box Supper Saturday Afternoon.

The Young People's Missionary Society of the Methodist church will hold a box supper on the vacant lot opposite Holsbouser & Dayvault's Saturday evening. Come out and help a good cause.

Salesman Wanted to solicit orders for lubricating oils, greases and paints. Salary or Commission. Address THE VICTOR OIL CO., Cleveland, O.

LANDIS ITEMS.

Miss Kathleen Fleming delightfully entertained a number of her friends at a week end. Those participating of Miss Fleming's hospitality were Misses Mary and Ethel Moyle of Salisbury, Misses Patt and Nina Hackett of Spencer, Miss Pauline Harris of New London and Keith Fleming of Charlotte.

CP Deal and wife are spending a few days with Mr Deal's parents, C J Deal and wife.

Miss Josephine Hanna spent the week-end with her parents in Hickory.

Mrs J P Linn spent a few days during the past week with friends in Mooresville.

PK Dry and wife spent Saturday and Sunday in China Grove visiting Mrs Dry's parents.

Miss Lois Hanna of Hickory, spent a few days with her sister Miss Josephine Hanna.

Rev and Mrs Sterling Whitener of Hickory, and Rev and Mrs F L Fesperman of Rockwell were the pleasant visitors of friends in Landis during the week end. Revs. Whitener and Fesperman will leave very soon for foreign fields, the former to China, the latter to Japan.

Miss Pauline Harris of New London is spending the week with Miss Elma Sloop.

Miss Beulah Linn of Charlotte spent the week end with her mother, Mrs E L Linn.

Miss Kathleen Fleming delightfully entertained a number of her friends at a watermelon feast in honor of her house guests. Dancing and numerous games were enjoyed throughout the evening. Those present were Misses Pauline Harris, Ethel and Mary Moyle, Patt and Nina Hackett, Elma Sloop, Beulah Linn, Sadie Moyle and Estelle Bruce. Messrs Durad Linn, Clarence Shulenberger, Claude Brown, Ralph Linn and Keith Fleming.

Woman's Missionary Society Elects Officers.

The Woman's Missionary Society of St Mark's E L church at its last meeting elected the following officers.

Pres.—Mrs C P Fisher.
Vice Pres.—Mrs F R Shepherd
Cor. Sec.—Mrs Mc L Ritchie.
Rec. Sec.—Mrs A W Wine-off.
Treas.—Mrs D C Swarringen

Delegates to the annual convention which meets at Organ Church, August 28-31 are Mesdames D C Swarringen and C P Fisher. Alternates, Mesdames P A Earnhardt and J L Bostian. The offering for the evening was \$57.00.

Annual Public Missionary Day.

The annual public missionary day at Lutheran Chapel will be observed Sunday, July 13th.

There will be a sermon in the morning at 12 o'clock, by the Rev John B Boose, formerly Synodical Missionary of the North Carolina Synod, now professor in the Mt Pleasant Collegiate Institute, Mt Pleasant N C. Lunch will be served in the grove and will be a pleasant social feature.

In the afternoon there will be a short exercise by the children and an address by Rev Charles E Ridenhour, pastor of the Bethel St Paul's church.

An offering will be asked for at both the morning and the afternoon services which will be credited to the Young People's Missionary Societies of Lutheran Chapel congregations. Everybody is cordially invited to attend these services.

Evangelical Lutheran Synod of N. C.

The Programme Southern of Conference of the Evangelical Lutheran Synod of North Carolina to be held in Center Grove Evangelical Lutheran church, Cabarrus county, July 24-27, Rev C Brown pastor.

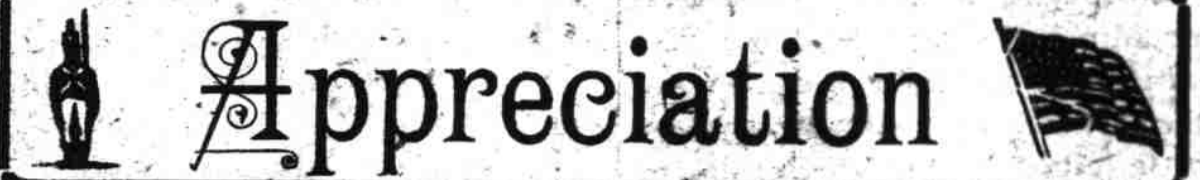
Officers: President, Rev V C

Ridenhour.

Vice President, Rev M L Stid-walt.

Secretary, Rev C R Pless.
Treasurer, Mr J C Lingle.

All pastors and delegates attending conference will please notify D B Castor, Concord, N C, Route 3, on or before July 20.



The Honor Roll of Rowan County is an appreciation of the gallant men in Rowan County who served the Nation in its hour of need.

You are proud of your boy who is in the Service and your neighbor is proud of his.

We want these pictures and biographies so that we can prepare an Honor Roll for Rowan county that will be preserved for many generations.

WHAT THE HONOR ROLL WILL CONTAIN.

It will have pictures and biographies of the women in our county, who gave up their time and strength for the American Red Cross work.

It will have pictures and records of the boys of this county who have been in the service and who are now in the service. They did their duty when we needed them and now it is up to us to preserve their records in a way that will make them proud that they are from Rowan county.

It will contain pictures and text describing activities of the men who could not go to war, but were eager to do their part by helping Uncle Sam with all his war activities, such as Liberty Loan Drives, War Stamps and various relief work.

It will contain handsome colored reproductions of General Pershing, President Wilson and General Foch. Each picture will be placed within an elaborate decorative frame symbolic of the activities of each of these great men.

It will have four distinctive five color division illustrations prepared by a well known artist typifying the activities of the Red Cross, Home Service Workers, the Army and the Navy.

It will be elaborately prepared with page after page of highly artistic colored designs in the forefront of the volume especially designed for our Honor Roll by one of the leading publishing companies in this country.

We have spared no expense in making this book one that you will prize highly should you be so fortunate of securing a copy of same. We feel confident that it will be a volume that everyone will treasure and hand down from one generation to another with considerable pride.

There is only a limited number being printed. If you desire to have us reserve a copy you had better do it immediately, as we cannot promise to secure additional copies later on.

ORDER YOUR HONOR ROLL AT ONCE TO BE SURE OF OBTAINING SAME.

This authentic record of all war activities in Rowan county. The edition is being sold out very rapidly and we have ordered only enough to cover the cost of compiling, printing and binding this handsome book. We are not going to conduct an extensive sales campaign, so that is not our mission in preparing this publication. Please do not hold back the picture of your boy or yourself, because you are not going to order a book.

We want your picture, your boy's picture, and biographies in this book whether you order or not.

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Name.....

Rank..... Branch of service.....

Company..... Division..... Regiment.....

Township..... Date of birth.....

Son of..... and wife.....
(Both parents. Give maiden name of mother)

Husband of.....
(Give maiden name)

Entered service....., 191....., at.....

To Camp....., date..... 191.....

Transferred to Camp....., date..... 191.....

Transferred to Camp....., date..... 191.....

Over sea to....., date..... 191.....

Date of promotion to rank of.....

Date of promotion to rank of.....

Date of promotion to rank of.....

Date of promotion to rank of.....

Fought at.....

Wounded at battle of.....

Date.....

Killed at battle of.....

Date.....

Died: Place.....

Date.....

Decorations.....

Mustered out at Camp....., date..... 191.....