

ENSIGN YOUNG FOUND.

Ensign Young returned to the city this morning and was seen at his office after his arrival. The first news that his son had been found reached him from Mr. Fred Williams, who holds a position at the Cannon Manufacturing Company's office in New York and who formerly lived here, stating that Ensign Young was located at the Cannon office there Wednesday, July 20th, and wanted to see Mr. John C. Leslie, a native of Concord and manager of the Cannon office in New York. Mr. Leslie was out of the office at the time but Ensign Young was recognized by Mr. Williams, who knew him well when he lived in Concord.

Mr. Williams, who had been with Ensign Young part of the time during his search for his son, immediately notified him of his appearance there. Dr. Young left Atlanta immediately and upon his arrival in New York had his son placed under medical treatment at the hands of Dr. Patchard, where he remained until Monday, when it was decided to bring him to North Carolina.

At the time Ensign Young showed up at the Cannon office he was registered at the Wolcott hotel in New York but had been there only one day, coming there he states from Albany, just how long he had been in Albany could not be learned or whether he had visited any other places during the nine days his whereabouts were unknown.

Dr. Young states that Dr. Patchard said that his son was suffering from serious mental affection and was not competent to perform his duties and recommended that he be placed in a Sanitarium in the mountains of North Carolina for treatment. When asked how long his son would likely be at the Sanitarium Dr. Young replied that he could not tell on account of the nature of the trouble but that he would be there until he was fully recovered and that, he thought, would take considerable time.

Senator Overman was seen in Salisbury on his way to Washington Tuesday night and he notified the naval authorities this morning of the young Ensign's whereabouts. Letters have been sent the department by the young man's father, containing reports from the two physicians that have examined him regarding his condition.

Dr. Young stated that the report that he or his son made any attempt to travel incognito or had planned their trip to Morganton was an error, as they made no effort whatever to conceal their identity. They were met in High Point by Mr. Luther T. Hartwell and came to Salisbury on train No. 35, where they waited an hour or more for the western train and in that time spoke to a number of acquaintances from Salisbury and Concord. When they reached Morganton Dr. Young says that he and Ensign Young went to the hotel and registered and made no effort there to keep their identity a secret.

Since Ensign Young's whereabouts and condition have been made public his father is of the opinion that the naval authorities will not interfere with the plan that has been adopted by him for treating the young officer and he has requested a leave of absence for him on account of sickness, which he thinks will be granted.

Ensign Young's mental condition is without doubt responsible for his leaving his ship. It is learned that the alienists who examined him in New York consider his condition very serious.

While the strain which he has undergone while searching for his son has had telling effect on Dr. Young he meets his friends in a bright and cheerful manner and resumed his large practice here this morning in his usual vigorous way.

Mr. Tillett Again Declares He Will Not Be a Candidate.

Raleigh, July 26.—C. W. Tillett of Charlotte, who spent the day here, reiterates his declaration that he will not under any circumstances be a candidate for Governor to succeed Governor Kitchin and says he is a friend of all four of the candidates for the Senate. He was a caller at the executive offices of Governor Kitchin, spending some time there, and later took an automobile ride with ex-Governor Aycock.

Little Louise Fowler is quite sick of fever at her home on East Marsh street.

MT. PLEASANT NEWS.

Improvements at Collegiate Institute.—The Farmers' Institute.—The Railroad Survey.—Personals.

The most extensive improvements that have been made for years are being completed at the Collegiate Institute. The main building has not only been thoroughly renovated, but it has been worked over to a great extent. Many of the rooms have been partially or fully refurnished, all the hallways newly wainscoted and the entire interior given an application of paint and white wash. It is neat and attractive in every particular. The boarding hall has been completed and the lady in charge of the boarding department will reside in the hall during next session. The outlook for another year continues encouraging.

Mr. Jonah Harwood commenced Monday morning with a force of hands grading out the public square. It will add no little to the appearance of the streets at this important place.

The Sunday School convention for No. 8 Township will meet in St. James Reformed church on Tuesday August 15th at 10 o'clock. A splendid programme has been especially prepared and it is expected that this will be one of the best township conventions No. 8 has ever had.

The annual institute for farmers will meet here next Wednesday. Ample preparations will be made to care for all visitors, and a large attendance is expected.

The threshermen are driving their machines into the sheds to await another harvest, having completed threshing one of the largest crops of small grains ever produced in this section of the county.

The farmers are looking for rain and they are needing it badly.

Just now we can appreciate the advantages of living in a small town. While other towns are crying for food at fabulous prices we are managing to find enough to eat at reasonable prices. A majority of our people have a garden, potato patch—but no potatoes—cow and pigs—both living and dead—so that we are not in immediate danger, though just a little short for some of the necessities.

The railroad surveying corps' plans were changed last week. Instead of returning to Salisbury from here they are continuing to Monroe. They have had their headquarters for the past few days at Mr. M. M. Furr's.

Miss Annie Dry has gone to Mr. H. D. Crayton's at Mission to look after the sick of his family, six of whom we hear are confined with typhoid fever.

Miss Ella Moose is visiting in Charlotte.

Mr. and Mrs. John Cook, of Albemarle spent Sunday here.

Rev. N. R. Richardson left Tuesday to attend conference at Norwood.

Rev. and Mrs. L. D. Miller and Prof. G. F. McAllister are attending the Sunday School normal at Hickory.

A number of our people are attending the Masonic picnic at Albemarle today.

Miss Margaret McAllister has gone to Concord to assist her brother, Mr. J. B. McAllister, in the work of his office.

Mr. Jesse Peck has entered the business college in Charlotte.

Prof. D. B. Welsh is at home from the summer school at the University of Virginia.

Mt. Pleasant, July 27, 1910. B.

Taft Signs the Treaty.

Washington, July 26.—President Taft signed the Canadian reciprocity bill at 3:10 p. m. today.

Secretary of State Knox, Secretary of Commerce and Labor Nagel, Secretary to the President Hillises, Representative Littleton of New York, several newspaper men and a battery of photographers witnessed the signing.

To give the photographers a chance the President went through the motion of signing the act again a few seconds later. "I didn't know there was so much interest in it as this," he said, "but—" He was "snapped" wearing a broad smile.

Goes Over Niagara in Barrel and Lives

Niagara Falls, N. Y., July 26.—Bobby Leach of Niagara Falls, Ontario yesterday afternoon went over the Horseshoe falls in a barrel and still lives. Though he was severely battered and bruised in the drop of 158 feet over the brink of the cataract, he sustained only superficial injury, and is able to be about his house. This is the second time in the history of the river that the cataract has been successfully navigated. Mrs. Anna Edson Taylor, of this city made the trip in a barrel October 24, 1901, and came out alive.

Cline & Moose are making a big reduction in the price of Melrose flour in order to get many new customers to try it. This flour is made out of the best valley of Virginia old wheat, and is sold at the price of common flour.

DR. REID TO BE HERE NEXT SUNDAY.

Secretary of Laymen's Movement of Methodist Church to be at Central Church Next Sunday.

Rev. Dr. C. F. Reid, Secretary of the Laymen's Movement of the M. E. Church, South, will occupy the pulpit of Central church next Sunday morning at 11 o'clock. The subject of Dr. Reid's address will be: "China the Biggest Thing in the World."

Dr. Reid is one of the ablest men in the Southern Methodist church, and his missionary addresses recently at the Greensboro and Charlotte district conferences left impressions on those who heard them that can never be effaced. Speaking of his address at the Greensboro conference the North Carolina Advocate says:

"Dr. Reid's appeal in behalf of the Laymen's Movement was one of overwhelming effect, and we doubt if ever a congregation was brought to feel more sensibly the thrill of a great theme presented by a master. The Western North Carolina Conference will owe Dr. Reid a great debt of gratitude for the magnificent campaign he is making in connection with our District Conferences. It is not too much to say that no such inspirational campaign has ever before been continuously pressed among us on the subject of missions. It will surely bear much fruit."

Dr. Reid will also address a meeting of the laymen of the city Sunday afternoon, and will occupy the pulpit at Forest Hill Methodist church at night.

It is intended to have a great interdenominational mass meeting of laymen here soon to be addressed by Dr. Reid. Definite announcements will be made by this paper later.

ARRESTED IN MORGANTON.

S. J. Kirby Now in Jail Here charged With Stealing Clothing from Store of Barrier-Widhouse Company.

Samuel J. Kirby, a one arm white man, formerly an insurance agent here, is now in jail in default of a \$500 bond on the charge of stealing clothing from the firm of Brrier & Widhouse. Kirby was arrested in Morganton, where he was located by the local police and when brought here yesterday he confessed to stealing the goods and gave the police the name of one confederate, who will probably be arrested today.

Several weeks ago the store of Barrier & Widhouse was entered and a quantity of clothing taken. The police department began a strenuous search for the guilty parties and a strong chain of evidence was worked up against Kirby, who was found in South Carolina. A close trace was kept of his movements, and when he landed in Morganton the police there succeeded in arresting him. He waived examination and was committed to jail in default of a \$500 bond.

Evidence Grows Against Beattie.

Richmond, Va., July 26.—Another long interview between detectives and Beulah Binford, the woman in the Beattie murder case took place in the Henrico jail today. The girl talked with great freedom of her relations with Henry Beattie, Jr., and while not giving the officers any testimony upon which a new line of investigation might be pursued, disclosed many details which are said to strengthen the web being wound around young Beattie.

None of the detectives believe that Beulah had anything whatever to do with the murder, though she would have profited by the death of Mrs. Beattie if Beattie had not been suspected.

After the interview with Miss Binford the detective had a short talk with Paul Beattie, who remained unshaken in the statement that he bought the shot gun for his cousin at the latter's request and turned the gun, with three cartridges, over to him.

The Institute at Harrisburg.

At the Farmers' Institute to be held at Harrisburg on Thursday, August 3rd there will be music and other attractions with a match game of ball in the afternoon. The public is cordially invited to attend this institute. Great benefit is to be derived from these meetings and our people should take advantage of them. There will be a sale of ice cream on the grounds for the benefit of some worthy cause. Don't forget to patronize the ice cream booth.

Mr. M. H. Austin, who is here today tells us that surveyors of the Salisbury-Monroe railroad are now at a point between Mr. M. M. Furr's and Bethel church. Mr. N. B. McCandless, one of the promoters of the road, says that work will begin on grading September 1.

Mr. John Troutman, who has been living on South Spring street, has moved into the Gillon cottage on Bell Avenue.

CITY ALDERMEN MEET.

Must Connect With Sewer—Street-Car Franchise Discussed—J. H. Dorton Elected Building Inspector. Fish and Fish Odors—Various Other Matters.

The board of aldermen held their regular monthly meeting Tuesday night at the city hall. Mayor Wagoner presided and Aldermen King, Brown, Propst, Bruton and Barrier were present.

All property owners on the section of streets outlined were ordered to connect with the sewer. On both sides of Depot street from Spring to church street. On Union street from Franklin avenue to D. L. Bost's residence. On Church from Loan to Corbin street. On both sides of Corbin to Spring. On the east side of Spring to G. Ed. Kesler's residence.

It was ordered that sewer line be constructed on following streets: To grader school building No. 2 West side of Depot street from South Georgia avenue to Pine street. On Pine street from Depot to out-fall at Cannon mill. On Kerr from Depot to Guy. On Guy from Kerr to Pine. On White to Depot.

A cement pavement was ordered put down at full width between Kerr and Pine streets.

The board agreed to build a pavement on North Church street between Loan street and Brown's lane, provided no damage is asked by the property owners.

The board ordered that curbing be placed on the west side of Georgia avenue to Grove street.

The street car franchise was also discussed by the members of the board but no action was taken. When the street car company applied for a franchise they put up a bond of \$1,000 which they agreed to forfeit if they did not have three miles of track built and cars operated within two years. As it is well known the street car company has not yet complied with this agreement and as the time expires August 22 it is hardly probably that they will be able to extend their track to three miles in length in such a short time. If the track is not three miles in length by the time stipulated in the agreement the bond is automatically forfeited as is the franchise. If some other agreement is not reached by the board and the street car people they will be operating cars without a franchise after August 22. As the time is not yet up the board did not take any action last night. From the sentiment expressed during the discussion there is little doubt that the majority of the board favor holding the street car company strictly to the agreement.

Upon the endorsement of the members of the fire company the board elected J. Harvey Dorton building inspector. This office has always caused the administration more or less trouble as it has never been conducted in accordance with the law governing it and the State authorities have severely criticised the city for not enforcing the ordinances that it is the duty of the building inspector to enforce. Mr. Dorton has the support of the local firemen and Mayor Wagoner is especially anxious that the laws governing buildings be rigidly enforced in order that he city officials may be relieved of any embarrassment at the hands of the State authorities.

Fish and Fish Odors, was a subject that elicited a lively discussion. The board was vigorously opposed to fish and much more so to the odors that emanate from certain sections of the back lots during these sultry days, but they were at a loss to adopt some measure that would put an end to such an undesirable neighbor. The question arose when a communication from Attorney J. Lee Crowell was read in which he complained of the fish odors that the gentle breezes gather in the back lots and waft into his office. The matter was referred to the city attorney with the request that he draw up an ordinance that would put a stop to cleaning fish within the fire limits.

The Salisbury District Conference at Norwood.

Spencer, July 25.—The Salisbury district conference of the Methodist church convened at Norwood, Stanly county, today with the Rev. J. C. Rowe presiding. There are a number of delegates present from the 17 churches of the district and much attention is being given to work by laymen and to missions. The district contains more than 10,000 members, and is one of the largest in the state.

Attention, Veterans.

The annual meeting of Camp No. 212 for the election of officers and such other business as may come before the body, will be held on second Tuesday in August, being the 8th.

H. B. PARKS, Com. Camp No. 212 U. C. V.

An Edison comedy and a Vitagraph drama at the Pastime today.

CONFIDENTIAL CONVENTION.

Of Southern Conference N. C. Synod Held at St. Martin's Church.

The Confidential Convention of the Southern Conference of the North Carolina Synod of the Lutheran church, convened at St. Martin's church, Stanly county, Rev. H. M. Brown, pastor, on Saturday afternoon, July 23rd.

The convention opened with hymn 299, Miss Ollie Cook, of Concord, presiding. The secretary being absent the president appointed Miss Laurie Brown to act in that capacity. The delegates were enrolled and their reports read. Not very many societies were represented, but all reports read were encouraging ones. Among those represented were two women's societies that had for a time been dormant, but have again become active. All were glad to welcome them back. The convention was delighted with the following recitations: "Unawares," by Miss Fannie Brown; "Giving for Missions," by Miss Ruth Brown, and a touching reading by Miss Ida Whitley.

The convention was also favored by two addresses. Rev. C. P. MacLaughlin, of Concord, most appropriately spoke on Acts 1:8. In an impressive way he sought to give the worldwide viewpoint of missions which Christ had; and to impress the world's need of evangelization.

Mr. B. E. Petrea, of Granite Quarry, in a beautiful flow of language, very fittingly spoke on "The prime requisite for the successful operation of the true Christian missionary enterprise." Stressing it from the standpoint of the individual, he made prayer and consecration the two prime requisites for the individual.

The collection taken amounted to \$5.50. This will go as part payment of the baptismal font which the confidential convention expects to place in the new church at Greensboro.

The following officers were elected: President, Miss Ollie Cook, Concord; vice president, Miss Lillian Cline, Mt. Pleasant; secretary, Miss Fannie Brown, Salisbury; assistant secretary, Mrs. Ernest Misenheimer, Millington; treasurer, Miss Mary Brown, Efrid's Mill.

The convention closed by singing the doxology followed by the benediction by Rev. C. A. Brown. C. Durham.

NO. 8 TOWNSHIP CONVENTION.

To Be Held in St. James Reformed Church, Mt. Pleasant, Aug. 15.

10:00 o'clock, devotional exercise, Dr. P. A. Barringer.

10:10 o'clock, Methods of Teaching, Rev. R. A. Goodman.

10:30 o'clock, How to Reach Those on the Outside, Rev. N. R. Richardson.

10:50 o'clock Duty of each member in Sunday School, Rev. L. D. Miller.

11:10 o'clock, Relation of Sunday School to Church, J. B. Moose.

2:00 o'clock, Reports of schools and business.

2:30 o'clock, Address, Rev. Plato T. Durham.

3:00 o'clock, Round Table, Rev. J. J. Long.

Dinner will be served on Collegiate Institute Campus. A full attendance of all the Sunday schools in No. 8 is desired. Come with well filled baskets and let us spend a pleasant and profitable day discussing plans for the improvement of our schools.

J. B. MOOSE, Secretary of Committee.

The Liberty Tailors to Open a Store Here.

Mr. P. M. Abernombie, president of the Liberty Tailoring Co., of Baltimore, is in town today, completing arrangements with Mr. J. M. Dyer to take charge of their Concord store. Mr. Dyer leaves today and will take charge at once.—High Point Enterprise.

Mr. Dyer arrived in Concord Tuesday, and will open up the Concord branch of this company Saturday, in the room next to Willeford's Jewelry store. This room has been repainted and nicely fixed up. See the big ad. in today's paper, which will tell you about the big seven-day offer they are making.

Pastime Show Room to be Used for Good Roads Lecture.

Mayor C. B. Wagoner has rented the Pastime picture show for the purpose of allowing the good road expert that will accompany the Southern Railway's good road train here to give an illustrated lecture on good roads. The lecture will be given at 10 o'clock Friday morning and all persons who are interested in good roads are urgently requested to be present. The farmers and road supervisors of the county are extended a special invitation to the lecture.

The Sunday school convention of No. 11 township will be held at the Methodist church at the Young-Hartwell mill next Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

THE "OTHER WOMAN" TALKS.

Declares Beattie Told Her He Had No Intention of Spending His Life With His Wife.

Richmond, Va., July 25.—Roland Sydnor, a Chesterfield county dairyman today identified Henry C. Beattie, Jr., charged with the murder of his wife a week ago, as the man whom he saw alone in an automobile early on the night of the tragedy in the very spot where later the crime was committed, and Beulah Binford, the "other woman in the case," made a statement which is taken to furnish a motive for the crime. These were the principal developments in the case today.

The Binford woman is alleged to have admitted to detectives a short time before the murder Beattie said to her: "Of course I have no intention of spending my life with Louise. I may have to live with her as long as my father is alive, but just as soon as the old man dies—say, kid, you and I will run away together. I don't know whether we can get married or not, but we will take a chance anyway."

Never Had a Chance, She Says.

"I never had a chance, not even when I was a little girl," Miss Binford said, with a sob. "I've always been shoved down, down. Every time I tried to work somebody came and dragged up old stories and now, oh, how I wish I were dead, for all my happiness is over."

"If I had had a father like other girls, I'd have been alright. When I was 13 years old father got a divorce and mother didn't want me around home, and then I men Harry and afterward things went wrong. Then I tried—Oh, I tried so hard to be good. I got a job as bookkeeper as Norfolk, but somebody recognized me and told and I had to leave."

"I was turned out of the school I started to go to because of it, and every job I got I lost because the world won't give a girl a chance. Every time it has been worse, and now my life is over."

GOOD ROADS TRAIN TOMORROW

Lecture Will be Given at the Pastime.—Will be Illustrated by Handsome Pictures.

The Southern Good Roads Train will reach Concord tomorrow morning and every citizen of Concord and Cabarrus county should take a look at it. The lecture which is one of the most interesting features of its kind ever presented to a Southern audience, will be delivered in the Pastime moving picture theatre. Manager Odell very kindly tendered the use of his theatre and his moving picture outfit to the good roads folks and he will see to it that everything is made comfortable for the audience. There will be plenty of electric fans to keep the folks cool and the lecture will be well worth hearing.

L. E. Boylin and H. S. Fairbanks, of the United States Office of Public Roads, will explain the workings of the good roads machinery, models of which will be shown in one of the cars. This part of the display will remain at the Southern station and will be open to everybody. All of the details of road making will be explained by experts.

The address will be illustrated with stereopticon views, showing good roads from all over the world. The lecture will be bright and interesting and will be well worth while. The train will arrive here at 10 o'clock a. m.

Fetzer Won Game in Ninth.

Sufolk, Va., July 14.—By parking the pill in the last of the ninth, Fetzer won for the Nancies in one of the best played and most exciting games of the year. Any baseball lover who would not give up to bits to see a battle between the Nancies and Gunners as lined up at present would not give \$19 for a double saw buck.

Though Fetzer put over the marble, he gets credit for only a two base hit, as the winning run crossed and ended the suspense by the time he reached second.

Both Sweeney and Dr. Cooke pitched great ball, and both had speedy support. Suffolk did not score before the second and ninth, and even the most loyal fans had all but given up in despair. The climax came like this: Nagle missed three good ones. Edwards drew transportation and was sent to third by Fry's two sacker just before Fetzer ended the game. Then came a storm from the spectators.

Charity and Children: "The Stone-wall Jackson Training School is full to overflowing, and a great many others are clamoring for admittance. How in the world did we get along without it anyhow? Well, we simply closed our ears to the cry of the wayward boy."

There is a hole in the cement sidewalk in front of the Morris building that is liable to cause some pedestrian to be injured if it is not repaired.