

HAPPENINGS IN OUR NEIGHBORING VILLAGES

STANFIELD ROUTE TWO. Christmas was enjoyed in our community very quietly. Mr. J. D. Love and family, of Albemarle, spent Christmas eve with Mrs. Love's sister, Mrs. J. E. Turner, of near Stanfield.

ROCKWELL ROUTE TWO.

Mr. John Fugart and Miss Ella Furr were happily married last Thursday night. We extend congratulations. Mrs. John Brown gave her sisters, Mrs. Florence Vost, Mrs. Mattie Trexler and Mrs. P. M. Vost fifty dollars apiece for a Christmas present.

CONCORD ROUTE FOUR.

The school at Moose has started after two holidays for Christmas. All reported a nice time. Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Stallings and children, Daisy, Morris, Melvin and Myrtle, spent Sunday night with Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Blackwelder.

LOCUST.

Mr. Glenn Turner, who has held a position in Akron, Ohio, to the past six months, arrived Monday to spend the holidays with his parents. Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Fife, of Salisbury, are spending a few days here at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Smith.

LOCAL MENTION

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Cameron MacRae, December 27th, a daughter. Cotton today on the local market is quoted at 26 cents per pound; cotton seed at 72 cents per bushel.

PERSONALS.

Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Deal returned Wednesday to their home in Charlotte, after spending the holidays here with home folks. Miss May White left Wednesday for a visit with relatives in Old Fort and Black Mountain.

SMITH-PARKS

Miss Mabel Parks and Mr. Thad W. Smith Married Sunday Night at the Home of the Bride. A wedding of much interest was celebrated Sunday night, December 24, at 8 o'clock at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Parks, near Kannapolis.

PROPOSED LEGISLATION

Senator Brown Names Several Important Measures He Will Favor. Madison, N. C., Dec. 28 (By the Associated Press).—Announcement that he would support legislation to make a person's name on his automobile license as to his residence was given so as to destroy identity of a motorist.

CHARLES D. JONES SUES FOR \$1,000,000 DAMAGES

Lancaster Man Charges Conspiracy to Ruin Him Financially, Socially, Professionally. Lancaster, S. C., Dec. 22.—Alleging a conspiracy among the defendants to wreck and ruin him financially, socially and professionally, Charles D. Jones, of Lancaster, today filed an action for damages in the court of common pleas here in the sum of one million dollars against LeRoy Springs, John T. Stevens, H. R. Wright, and William J. Sheeter, national bank examiner.

GERMANY'S NEW PROPOSAL

Payment of 20,000,000,000 Gold Marks in Lump Said to Be The New Reparations Plan. London, Dec. 21.—Dr. Theodor Melchior, Hamburg banker and one of Germany's delegates to the Versailles Peace Conference, has gone to Paris, where he will submit to the French government fresh reparations proposals, says a Central News dispatch from Berlin, quoting the Lokal-Anzeiger as its authority.

WEATHER FORECAST

Fair tonight and Friday; colder tonight. "Have you an opening for a bright, energetic college graduate?" "Yes, and don't slam it on your way out."

COTTON RALLIES AND SHOWS HEAVY GAIN

Advance of 22 to 31 Points Is Shown For the Session at New Orleans. New Orleans, Dec. 22.—Cotton was higher from the opening today, the main supporting influence being the way the very small tenders which made their appearance on this, the first notice day for the January position, were snuffed up. In the second half of the session the large mill takings for the week caused further buying.

DANCE FRIDAY NIGHT

The following dance invitations have been issued: Mr. and Mrs. Alex R. Howard Friday evening, December the twenty-ninth, nine to one o'clock. Merchants and Manufacturers Club, Concord, North Carolina.

LITTLE BROOKLYN GIRL IS SHOT THROUGH HEAD

Teresa McCarthy, 8 Years Old, Found in Bathroom With Hole Through Body. New York, Dec. 27.—Teresa McCarthy, an 8-year-old Brooklyn girl, was found dead in the bathroom of her home with a bullet over her heart when her mother returned tonight after being away most of the day.

CONDITION OF WALLACE REED IS NOT FAVORABLE

Los Angeles, Dec. 22.—The condition of Wallace Reid, motion picture actor, who, his relatives say, has been suffering from a breakdown following abandonment of the use of drugs and liquor, was "not so favorable tonight," according to a bulletin issued by his physicians, which added: "He is by no means out of danger."

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LET US HOPE THAT IN THIS GREAT CITY OF OURS THERE WILL BE NO LITTLE TOT WHO WAKES UP ON CHRISTMAS MORNING TO FIND SANTA CLAUS IS NOT A REALITY.

FISHER'S. You can carry out your resolution to make 1923 better than 1922 by depositing regularly a portion of your income at 4 per cent. interest, compounded four times a year, in the Citizens Bank and Trust Company.

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Browns - Cannon Co. We're Glad to See You. Drop in anyway—we want to see you and hear how you've been getting along. Life is just one New Year after another.

The Store That Satisfies. wishes to thank you all for the splendid trade given us during the year. Nineteen hundred twenty-two has been the greatest in our history and we have set our stakes to make 1923 still greater by offering better goods for same money and same goods for less money.

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