

HAPPENINGS IN OUR NEIGHBORING VILLAGES

ROCKY RIVER.

Old Man Winter is surely flirting with Spring. Mrs. T. H. Spence visited her sister, Mrs. Harrison in Salisbury last week. Miss Margaret Alexander, of Mitchell College, and her brother Hugh, of M. C. P. 1, spent Easter with home folks.

ROBERTA.

The people of our community are planning and getting ready to plant. There were all day services at the Church Sunday. In the morning there was Sunday school at 9:45, testimony meeting at 11 o'clock. Dinner was served at 12. At 1:30 Rev. Fred Love preached. At 7 p. m. Rev. Fred Furr and Rev. Mr. Gurtner preached a fine sermon.

MT. PLEASANT ROUTE ONE.

Miss Mayme Littles, of Charlotte, spent the week-end with home folks. Mrs. Floyd and sister, of Greenville, S. C. are visiting the former's daughter, Mrs. O. Smith.

COLD SPRINGS.

Mr. Hawley Best is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Best. Miss Ermon Smith spent last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Smith. Miss Smith had the misfortune to get her foot mashed March 25. She returned to her work in Kannapolis Sunday.

BLUE EYES.

Mr. Arthur Peacock and Miss Minnie Lowder visited Miss Ermon Smith Saturday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Faggart, of Concord, visited Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Barber Saturday night.

ADmits Killing Wife With an Axe.

Thibodeaux, La., April 9.—Victory Taber, aged 32, of this parish, has confessed, according to Sheriff Lewis Stark, that he chopped off his wife's head with an axe Saturday night because she disobeyed his order not to leave home without his consent. Taber walked from his home that night and awakened the sheriff to tell him the story.

METHODISTS BUILD AT JUNALUSKA LAKE

New Sunday School Building Among Improvements at Southern Assembly.

Among the notable improvements which will mark the Southern Assembly grounds at Lake Junaluska, N. C., when Methodist clans gather there for their usual summer season of denominational activities, will be the new standard training school building, property of the general Sunday school board of the M. E. Church, South.

The mummy, which is that of an Egyptian who died about 350 B. C., was bought by a Mr. Walter Ingram from a dealer when serving in one of the Nile campaigns.

The mummy was brought to England and presented to Lady Meux by Mr. Ingram. When its hieroglyphics came to be deciphered, part of the inscription was found to have been copied from an ancient papyrus in the possession of the British Museum, at the end of which was the following curse:

"If any person of any foreign country, whether he be black man, or Ethiopian, or Syrian, carry away this writing or it be stolen by a thief, then whosoever does this no offering shall be presented to their souls, they shall never enjoy a draught of cold water, they shall never more breathe the air, no son and no daughter shall arise from their seed, their name shall be remembered no longer upon earth, and most assuredly they shall never see the beams of the Disc (Sun-God)."

In 1886 the curse began to take effect, for in that year Mr. Ingram was killed by an enraged elephant. The mummy remained in the Meux collection, and in 1900 Sir Henry Meux died childless. The baronetcy thus became extinct, and another clause of the curse was fulfilled.

Spring Flower Show.

An affair that promises to be of unusual interest to the people of Concord, is the spring flower show, which will be given under the auspices of the Cabarrus Black Boys chapter D. A. R., either the last week in April or the first week in May.

Death of Prominent Farmer of No. 9 Township.

The death of Mr. Jacob W. Hartsell occurred at his home in No. 9 township, Cabarrus county, on March 27th. He was 63 years of age. Funeral services were conducted by his pastor, Rev. T. W. Herrin, assisted by Rev. C. B. Reed, of Albemarle, and interment was made in Mission cemetery.

The Ford Weekly Purchase Plan.

Under the terms of this plan you can select your Ford Car, set aside a small amount each week and you will be surprised how soon you will own it. In the meantime your money will be safely deposited to your credit in any one of the Concord banks where it will draw interest.

Bethel Community Club Program.

The Bethel Community Club will meet at the schoolhouse on Thursday, April 12th, at 8 o'clock. The following is the program: Opening song. Prayer. Recitation—Miss Letha Black. Quartet. Address: "Needs of the Community"—J. M. Hartsell. Recitation—Miss Mamie Flowe. Song. Address: "Needs of Greater Interest in School"—Rev. R. E. Hunt. Business. Closing song. The public is invited.

SALE OF LAND.

By virtue of authority vested in me by a deed of trust, executed by Smith Leach on the 19th day of April, 1921, which deed of trust is duly recorded in the office of Register of Deeds for Cabarrus County, N. C., in Book No. 45, page 214, the conditions not being complied with, I will sell at public auction at the court house door in Concord, N. C., on Monday, the 7th day of May, 1923, at 12 o'clock M., to the highest bidder for cash, the following described real estate: Lying and being in Ward No. 4 of the city of Concord, and being lot No. 3 on the map of Coleburg, as surveyed by Q. E. Smith on October 3rd, 1906; Beginning at an iron stake in the north edge of an alley and runs N. 83 3/4 W. 49 feet to a stake in the old Mahan line; thence N. 1 1/2 E. 85 feet to a stone, Geo. Murphy's corner; thence N. 72 E. 53 1/2 feet to an iron stake; thence S. 3 1/2 E. 110 feet to the beginning, and is the lot conveyed to Smith Leach by H. R. Walden and wife on the 20th day of March, 1919, and registered in Book No. 45, page 508.

Title to said property is supposed to be good, but the purchaser takes such title only as I am authorized to convey under said deed of trust. This the 7th day of April, 1923. JOHN M. HENDRIX, Trustee. By I. T. Hartsell, Atty. 6-4t.

TRINITY AND DAVIDSON DEBATING TEAMS TO MEET

Will Argue the Question of Tax Exempt Securities.

Davidson, N. C., April 5.—The debating teams of Trinity and Davidson this spring will meet to argue the question of tax exempt securities. The debate will be held here April 27 and will mark the first time the rival institutions have met on the platform.

Trinity suggested the subject of the debate and Davidson selected the negative. The full text of the query reads: "Resolved: That the issuance of Tax-Exempt Securities Should Be Prohibited by an Amendment to the Federal Constitution."

Each team will be represented by three speakers. The three that will defend Davidson's side of the question are Warren Cox, Mobile, Ala., Linton Elkins, Waycross, Ga., and Albert Hillhouse, Waynesboro, Ga., J. W. Baldwin, Clarkton, N. C., was selected as alternate and manager of the debating team.

These four men were chosen from a field of eleven candidates in preliminaries held at Davidson, March 23. All of the contestants had interesting and well prepared speeches, resulting in a spirited and close preliminary.

Both Trinity and Davidson have had debating teams in the field for many years. None of the present members of the Presbyterian institution's team has engaged in a debate contest while in school here, but all of them have been prominent in literary work. They now are being trained by Mr. Wagner, of the public speaking department.

Last fall, the Davidson debaters were nosed out by Washington and Lee on the question of the cancellation of war debts. Under the system in force, no man can engage in two intercollegiate debates the same years.

Jennings Now in Richmond.

Richmond, Va., April 9.—Dennis Jennings, alleged leader of a gang of automobile thieves that operated in Virginia, North Carolina and South Carolina and Georgia, was returned here today from Detroit, where he was arrested several days ago. Jennings will be tried on charges, conviction of which, officials declared, will carry aggregate maximum penalties of 50 years' imprisonment.

All Six Defendants in the Herrin Case Are Acquitted.

Marion, Ill., April 6.—All six of the defendants in the second Herrin riot trial were found not guilty after the jury had deliberated six hours and 55 minutes. The second Herrin riot trial ended abruptly today when the defense waived its right to argument after Otis Glenn, special assistant attorney general had completed the opening address for the prosecution. The case was given to the jury at 4:22 p. m.

In his closing instruction Judge D. T. Hartwell indicated four possible verdicts, for each of the six defendants: Guilty as charged in the indictment with sentences of death, a life term in the penitentiary, an indeterminate term in the penitentiary or not less than 14 years, or a verdict of not guilty.

Mr. Glenn did not ask a death penalty but said he would leave the sentence to the conscience of the jury, "although no crime in the history of world ever more fully merited hanging."

Sandhills Peach Crop is Not Utterly Ruined.

Southern Pines, April 5.—Current rumors that the Sandhills peach crop has been annihilated by recent heavy frosts are being replaced by statements that increased production in new bearing trees will replace, in the Belle and Carmen varieties, the ravages of the frost. The Alberta crop, according to those in close touch with the peach situation, has been seriously curtailed, but that the Belle and Carmen peaches are plentiful, is the general opinion. The estimates that the 1,500 cars of peaches shipped from the Sandhills last year has decreased to 500 cars is thought problematical and with the increase in the total number of bearing trees that the production will fall only a little short of the last year's shipments.

In Cornwall there is a tradition that King Arthur still lives in the form of a raven, and that one day he will be changed back to a man again, and all England will ring once with his fame.

SIR ARTHUR CONAN DOYLE HAS SECOND REVELATION

Arrives on Olympic With Psychic Phenomena From Spirit Land.

New York, April 4.—Sir Arthur Conan Doyle arrived on the Olympic today with his second revelation of psychic phenomena and to take part in scientific tests to determine the manifestations he had described. He said he firmly believed that religion combined with faith in immortality will do more to cure the ills of the world than internationalism and bolshevism.

J. Malcolm Bird, associate editor of the Scientific American, who accompanied Sir Arthur, said he had seen several psychic phenomena and exhibited an uncanny photograph of himself on which two heads were visible. Sir Arthur's wife and three children also were in the party.

Ft. Benjamin Harrison, Ind., April 9.—The TC-1, largest U. S. Army non-rigid dirigible, landed at the Fort Harrison aviation field at 9:25 a. m. today, completing the first leg of its journey from Wingfoot Lake Station, Akron, Ohio, to Scott Field, Belleville, Ill.

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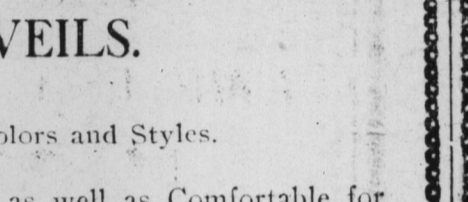
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