

HAPPENINGS IN OUR NEIGHBORING VILLAGES

EASTERN NO. ELEVEN. Mr. G. F. Platt does not improve very much. Miss Pearl Biggers, of Kannapolis, is spending the week with home folks. Mr. and Mrs. John Morton, of Millington, spent several days last week at their home, leaving Sunday afternoon for a visit with her brother, Mr. Frank Trotter, of No. 1 township. Late James Platt, son of E. A. Platt, had a severe attack of tonsillitis Sunday. His condition is now improved. Messrs. D. W. Vanderburg and E. L. Post are home after spending nearly a fortnight with Messrs. Gilbert and Paul Vanderburg, of Birmingham, Ala. Mr. Jas. Barlow, of Oakboro, is here remodeling the interior of Mr. E. F. Whitely's residence. Everyone is looking forward to a pleasant and profitable time at the all day singing service at Howell's Sunday, Sept. 30, by the Mecklenburg-Cabarrus choir. Mrs. Beulah Biggers has accepted a position with the Parks-Belk Company. Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Faggart spent Sunday with their son, Mr. F. O. Faggart, of Concord. Mr. Otis Biggers is at home from Kannapolis. Mrs. Ada Saunders entered the Concord Hospital last Sunday for treatment. Mrs. Alice Isenhour is spending the week in Concord with her daughter, Mrs. F. Faggart. We would be glad for all those taking a ride to come the Lost Mill road, and see what an improvement the chain gang has made in such a short time. We are proud of our road. X. Y. Z.

STATEMENT OF TREASURER OF TUBERCULOSIS SOCIETY

Table with columns for dates (October 31st, 1922 to September 1st, 1923), Cash on hand, Receipts, Disbursements, and Balance. Total receipts: \$1,970.94. Total disbursements: \$1,478.26. Balance: \$492.68.

There is a very small balance on hand at the present time, but the next two months can be filled over by using the use of a savings account, accumulating a few years ago, before the tubercular clinics were held in this county. The monthly expense at this time is \$120.00. One of our patients has just returned on the 15th of this month, cured. She spent more than a year at the Sanatorium.

MRS. G. B. LEWIS, Treasurer. Memorial to Harding Considered By Cabinet.

Washington, Sept. 28.—Consideration was given by President Coolidge and his cabinet today to the proposal that a memorial be erected in honor of the late President Harding, and it was indicated that such a proposition will have the backing of the chief executive and the cabinet members who served under the late President.

A corporation headed by Mr. Coolidge and the members of the cabinet in which many other friends of Mr. Harding will be associated for the purpose of raising money and directing the building of the memorial.

The form and location have not been decided, but the suggestion has been made and considered that the memorial be erected in Marion, Ohio, the home and burial place of the late chief executive.

Drinking at Yale Means Dismissal, President Warns. New Haven, Oct. 1.—President James Rowland Angell laid down rules to the freshmen of Yale University at the first reception given by him to the newcomers last night, and one of them bore upon the Eighteenth Amendment. He said to them:

"You cannot under the Federal law, and you cannot under the University law, bring intoxicating liquors into any building of the University, whatever you may think of the Eighteenth Amendment or of the moderate use of liquor, this rule holds."

He said that violation would mean dismissal. Touching upon the relations of the student body to the citizens of New Haven, he said, in part: "When you go out in the streets it is your business to observe the ordinary amenities of life."

He also said: "The University will not permit dissipation. No man can come to any great success at Yale who is known to be a dissipated man."

WEATHER FORECAST. Fair tonight and Tuesday; continued cool.

The rapidity with which the chameleon strikes with the tongue at a flying insect is such that the tongue cannot be detected with the naked eye.

LOCAL MENTION

There will be an important call meeting of the Fine Arts Department of the Woman's Club at the Y this afternoon at 4 o'clock.

Mrs. Bessie Long Hartsell, who has been working at Efrid's for a number of years, has accepted a position with the Parks-Belk Co. She began her new duties this morning.

The King's Daughters will meet this evening at the home of Mrs. G. B. Lewis on South Union Street. All members are asked to be present to help complete the year's work and make plans for the winter months.

Little Miss Pattee Watts entertained about thirty of her little friends at her home on Valley street Saturday evening, September 29th, it being her 11th birthday. Cake and ice cream were served. All reported a good time.

Groups One, Two and Three of Trinity Reformed Church missionary society will meet Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock with Mrs. Moorehead, at her home on East Corbin Street. All members of each group are urged to attend.

Marriage license was issued Saturday by Register of Deeds Elliott to the following couples: H. O. Blackwood, of Mocksville, and Miss Julia Barnhardt, of Kannapolis; George Briggan and Miss Ora Litaker, both of Kannapolis.

Rev. W. C. Wauchop entered the Concord Hospital yesterday afternoon and this morning underwent an operation for the removal of his appendix. A message at noon stated that his condition was as favorable as could be expected at that time.

The golf course at the country club is in excellent shape now. The club has just purchased its own lawn mower and the acquisition of this machinery makes it possible for the employees at the club to keep the fairways in better shape than they have been in.

Mr. David Pemberton, who has been working at the Kannapolis Drug Store for several years, has accepted a position with the English Drug Company, of Monroe. Mr. Pemberton will move to Monroe this week and will become manager of the drug store there.

The aldermen will hold their October meeting at the city hall Thursday night. At that time they will choose police officers for the next two years, and attend to other business that may be presented to them. The meeting is generally regarded as one of the most important of the year, and peculiar interest centers in the selection of the police officers.

In addition to a large number of local artists, several out-of-town stars will be heard at the concert to be given tomorrow evening under the auspices of the War Mothers. They are Miss Elizabeth Carlton, soprano, of Statesville; Miss Mary B. Flowers, violinist, of Charlotte, and Mr. Hugh Sloop, tenor, of Mooresville.

The county commissioners are holding their regular October meeting at the court house today. One member of the board stated this morning that so far as he could learn only routine business would be presented to the members of the board. This prophecy had proved true up to the noon hour, as nothing of unusual importance had been presented up to that hour.

Mr. and Mrs. George Fisher have moved into their home on North Church Street. Eleven cases were on docket for trial in recorder's court this morning. In seven of the cases the defendants were charged with traffic violation, while in two other cases intoxication was charged against the defendants. Chief of Police Talbirt stated that nothing of unusual importance occurred in police circles for the week-end.

The members of the Co-operative Cotton Growers Association held an interesting meeting at the court house Saturday afternoon. Fifty members of the association were present and they showed great interest in and enthusiasm for their association's work. It was decided to meet every two weeks, and the next meeting will be held on October 15th, at which time a speaker will make an address on "The Advantage of Co-operative Marketing Over Old Methods."

A man hunt was in progress near the Southern station yesterday. Several negroes, carrying shotguns, army rifles and revolvers, searched the meadow just south of the station, spending most of the day there and looking into every field, corn patch and other piece of land that might conceal Caleb Archibald, negro, wanted for the alleged killing of a negro woman several days ago. The hunt aroused much interest from onlookers. The negroes found no trace of Archibald.

Beginning next Sunday, October 7th, no regular preaching services will be held at the First Presbyterian Church each Sunday night. Vesper services will be held each afternoon at 5 o'clock and these services will take the place of the regular night services. The change will make it possible for young people of the church to hold their meetings on Sunday night and will also make it possible for the pastor of the church to be with the young people at their meetings. The new plan probably will be used only during the winter months.

ADmits PERJURY TO SAVE CONVICTED MAN

Lester Pell Says He Swore to Lie in Case Against Arthur Shipton. Greensboro, Sept. 29.—In order to save Arthur Shipton, 45-year-old married man of High Point, from a five-year term on the Guilford county roads, Lester Pell, young white man, convicted of breaking into the plant of the Consolidated Hosiery Mills, High Point, this afternoon went on the stand and confessed to perjury, so far as his testimony implicating Shipton was concerned.

"I couldn't go there and make my time and see an innocent man making his," said Pell. He was under sentence for four years, as was Wade McDowell, a young white man implicated in the breaking case. Judge J. T. Shaw said that he would hear a motion to set aside the verdict concerning Shipton at next term of Guilford criminal court, Shipton to give \$1,000 bond which he did. Shipton was night watchman of the plant. Judge Shaw told Solicitor J. S. Sprull that he should secure an indictment against Pell charging perjury when the grand jury in next session.

LLOYD GEORGE'S PASSION FOR READING

Spends Great Part of Each Day Reading Newspapers and Books. London, Sept. 29.—No inconsiderable part of the luggage which Mr. Lloyd George is taking with him when he sails today to begin his long-anticipated visit to the United States and Canada consists of several large parcels of books and the latest issues of British and Continental magazines, with which the former Premier expects to beguile the time during the voyage across the Atlantic. Without something to read, Lloyd George would be a miserable man.

Throughout his career he has been an inveterate reader. No matter what the crisis—and his life has been full of crises—he seldom has failed to spend several hours of each day in reading official papers, newspapers, or books.

Unlike Earl Balfour, who once confessed that he did not read newspapers, Mr. Lloyd George has a passion for them. He is always anxious to buy papers. If he hears a newsboy crying out the headlines in the streets he must buy a paper. Newspapers of all classes and of all shades of political opinion appear to be of equal interest to him. Indeed, he is as avociferous for news as some men are for racing results.

During his long tenure in the premiership, 7 o'clock in the morning found him looking through the newspapers, while the evening papers he read almost as soon as they arrive. He delights in a celebrated court trial just as much as the ordinary individual, taking the keenest interest in the margin in which the cases are conducted by the opposing counsel. He likes to point out what the counsel might have said and what he did not say, or how skillfully the witness evaded the searching question. He has an added interest in such matters, no doubt, from the fact that the law was his own profession.

Whether in or out of office, he has made it a practice to read all important political speeches. He likes to criticize the speaker's methods and discriminate between the good and bad passages. Papers of all sorts—religious, secular, and literary—interest him, except the technical press. He has never yet been studying the pages of an automobile journal or any other of the so-called class publications.

With regard to books, Lloyd George always has several at hand—novels are his favorites, and he has almost the passion of a schoolboy for tales of adventure and daring, his favorite character in fiction being Alan Breck, the hero of "Kidnapped," which he has read many times.

As to novels, "The Cloister and the Hearth," he admits to having read six or eight times in the course of his life. He thinks it one of the most wonderful novels ever written. His favorite novelists are Dickens, Scott, Dumas, Conan Doyle, Robert Louis Stevenson, Bulwer Lytton, Mayne Reid, Charles Reade, Fenimore Cooper, Mary Johnston, Jack London, Kipling, Stanley Weyman, and other similarly vivid writers.

Apart from novels he has no favorite books, except perhaps Macaulay's "Essays"—one of the first books he read as a boy. Stories of great battles, history, travel, and biography interest him largely, while, although generally speaking, he still loves to read Shakespeare, which is no doubt due to his early training and environment. A real lover of sermons, he likes to read them as well as hear them, and is said to have remarked that he would rather have been a great preacher than prime minister.

Goff, Taken at Hickory, is Carried to Raleigh. Hickory, Sept. 29.—John G. Goff, state convict trusty accused of attacking an aged white woman near Spruce Pine, was arrested by Burke county officers near Hickory late this afternoon and on orders of Superintendent Busbee, was sent tonight to Raleigh in charge of City Manager Ballew and Assistant Police Chief Sigmom.

Goff was eating crackers and cheese when the Burke officers found him about two miles east of town. Goff, according to Chief of Police Lentz, denied attempting to assault the white woman, but admitted luring her from the house in order to steal a pair of shoes.

The convict had ridden into Hickory on a local freight train, he said, and was making his way eastward. News of the arrest and start to Raleigh was not generally known here until tonight. No excitement was caused.

Central T. P. A. to Meet. The central grammar school Parent-Teachers Association will meet Tuesday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock at Central School. Full attendance is desired.

NO RELIEF OFFERED CHAPEL HILL POSTOFFICE

Crowded Condition Makes Securing of Mail By Students a Steady Occupation. Chapel Hill, Sept. 28.—Relief for the present crowded conditions at the post-office is uncertain and impossible for some time to come, according to the latest information received from Postmaster Herndon and the universities. Government regulations, and shortage of help all combine to cause the serious confusion now existing.

The Chapel Hill postoffice provides for 881 boxes, 350 of which are used by the township people and faculty, leaving approximately 530 boxes for 2,200 students. The postoffice regulations allow only one family to a box, but the local station is obliged to violate this by crowding three and sometimes four in a box under the excuse of an emergency. The general delivery numbers 1, 600, mostly students, who wait in long lines stretching to the sidewalk all hours of the day.

Shortage of help has added to the trouble of the postoffice staff. Five regular clerks are working overtime, contrary to the official 8-hour day, in an effort to meet the situation. They receive no pay for overtime work. In addition to the regulars there are two sub-clerks, one of whom is now in the infirmary; the assistant postmaster has been ill for a year.

A petition protesting the situation and demanding relief is being circulated among the faculty, students and townspeople.

WYOMING TOWN IS PARTLY UNDER WATER

Heavy Rains Cause Two Creeks to Leave Banks and Flood Sheridan. Sheridan, Wyo., Sept. 28.—Swollen by terrific rains, the waters of the Big Goose and Little Goose creeks left their banks early this morning and dashed over wide sections of Sheridan. Scores of residents in river bottom sections began packing belongings to move to places of safety. The water is standing 1 to 3 feet in various sections of the town.

Mr. Alan D. Prindell sang in the First Presbyterian Church in Statesville last evening. He was heard with much interest by a large congregation.

EXPLODES ANCIENT THEORY THAT RED ENRAGES BULLS

Bulls Act Same Against Any Other Color as They Do Against Red. San Francisco, Sept. 29.—Waving a red flag before a bull has no more significance than waving a pink, green, purple, or white flag because bulls, in keeping with other animals, are color blind, according to Dr. G. M. Stratton, head of the department of psychology, University of California, Berkeley, Calif., who has just completed a six months' investigation of the subject.

Dr. Stratton and his assistants waved red flags in the faces of bulls and other animals, and the reaction was one of curiosity and not anger, he says. Black, white, green, and yellow colors were tried, with the same effect. After trying cows, calves, steers and bulls, Dr. Stratton says he is sure that the entire bovine family is devoid of color sight.

His conclusions, Dr. Stratton says, lead him to believe that: 1. Bulls show no strong excitement over any color. 2. Interest, hesitation and mild mistrust were shown in a banner or any strange thing. 3. There was no reaction that could be discerned toward any particular color, but the brightness of the color and the flutter of the banner were more effective than the color.

4. There was no special reaction toward red as against green, or toward red and green as against black and white. 5. There was greater reaction and interest toward white than any other color, but the reaction in the wild animals was no greater than in the tame.

The investigators, Dr. Stratton said, interviewed 66 persons familiar with cattle, and 53 denied the popular theory that red enrages bulls.

"Peeping Tom" Fined in Salisbury Court.

Salisbury, Sept. 28.—A young white man, Ben Steele, was fined in county court the sum of \$50 upon conviction under the "peeping Tom" law. The offense was said to have been committed at T. V. Long's, Horah and Jackson streets, while Mrs. Long was preparing to retire. Mr. Long chased the intruder and fired several shots. Later Steele was arrested by Sheriff Kridler when he came up to get on his motorcycle, which had been parked near the Long home.

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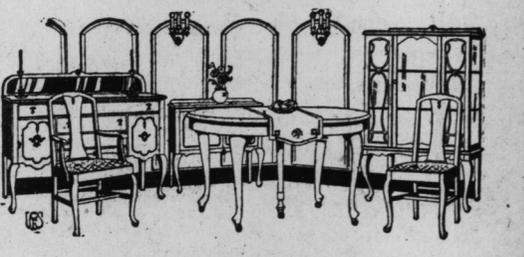
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