

### PINNACLE RUNAWAY

#### ALMOST A CATASTROPHE

Mrs. Napier and Mrs. Tuttle Have a Very Narrow Escape From Violent Death

Pinnacle, July 7.—Mrs. T. A. Napier, of Pinnacle, and her daughter, Mrs. L. E. Tuttle and little son, Aviah, of Roanoke, Va., came very near losing their lives while on their way to Wade Mecum Springs, the 4th of July. The party was driving a fine horse belonging to Mr. J. R. Napier when suddenly dashed over a knoll in the road a runaway horse hitched to a cultivator owned by Mr. John Tilley. Before the time Mrs. Tuttle said "Lord have mercy, look coming mother," the furious animal had swept down the road towards them and frightened Mr. Napier's horse, which whirled with lightning speed and ran in the direction of the runaway horse, throwing Mrs. Tuttle from the buggy, striking her chest

against the front wheel, the back of her head and left arm on the hind wheel, and entangling her feet and body in the lines, lap robe, etc., partly swinging and finally dragging her head downward for a distance of about 25 yards, tearing her hat and a part of her hair from her head as it ploughed through the dirt. Kind providence provided for her neck and kept it from breaking.

Mrs. Napier's injury was a slight bruise on her right arm and the skin torn and bleeding on her left hand. The little boy jumped from the buggy and went clear, without injury. Mrs. Tuttle was badly bruised and shaken up, but no bones were broken.

WANTED—A respectable white woman, either widow or maiden lady, to live with family in Madison, N. C. Good wages and best treatment and comfortable home. Write N. C. Reporter, Danbury, for full particulars.

From R. L. Nunn.

Mr. Editor:

For the benefit of the members of the Farmers' Union in Stokes county, please print the following:

The second quarterly meeting of the Union was held in Danbury Saturday, July 6th, and was one of the best meetings held in a long time.

We had with us Messrs. P. M. Comer of Danville, Va. and John R. Williams of Rockingham, who made excellent speeches along Union lines. We also paid in the required half of stock for the Union Bank at Walnut Cove, and it was decided to raise the capital stock to \$12,000.00, instead of \$10,000.00.

The meeting was well attended and every one seemed to be well pleased. The date was set for our annual picnic to be held at Danbury on the picnic grounds Aug. 17, 1912. We will have two or more good speakers and Patrick County Union band there on the above date. Brother Comer will be there and we will try to get another, just as good.

The picnic will be conducted upon the same plan as last year, namely: each that brings any nations to put on the table will be allowed to take his family and a few invited guests on the inside of the enclosed space and will have charge of his own spread. Then all persons that don't bring anything will line up around fence on the outside when dinner is announced, and will be waited upon by those inside. So you see the inside is the desirable place and to get in you must contribute something. Now let's take take this up in our locals and see if we can't get each member to carry something to put on the table on above date.

Our picnic last year was a success, and we had a nice spread, but we want to have the best one ever this year, and with the hearty cooperation of the members we can have it. Fraternally,  
R. L. NUNN.

FOR SALE—bald hay, any kind. J. E. Miller, Dalton, N. C.

Summerfield.

Summerfield, July 7. We have been blessed so far with good seasons in this section and crops are looking fine. The wheat crop is very sorry in this section.

The 4th of July passed quietly. As there was no celebration at the Guilford Battle Ground, the Sunday School of this place had a picnic there. There was also a picnic at the White Oak Cotton Mill.

Mrs. Lucy Mishecaux, of this place, passed away the 5 and was buried the 6th at Stokesdale.

The stork is at large in our town and has left two little girls, one at Mr. Conard Strader's and the other at Mr. S. G. Case's.

Mr. Troy Winfree, of S. C., is visiting his father of this place.

Mr. Will Rice has moved his saw mill on Mrs. F. W. Doggett's farm and will soon be ready for work.

Mr. W. S. Highfill, of this place, made a business trip to Greensboro the 6th.

We are very sorry indeed to learn the death of Miss Vivian Gann, of Sandy Ridge Route 2, but we feel the loss to her people is great, but to Heaven and to God it is gain, for the writer has seen her at the house of God many times.

On the 3rd there was a severe electric storm. Three buildings were struck and damaged very much. The Groom house owned by Dr. H. Willis was severely damaged. At the time it was struck there was no one in the house. The dwelling of Mr. H. C. Brittan was struck and slightly damaged, and the other one being a house owned by Mrs. J. Winfree, occupied by Mr. Walter Sutton. The lightning struck a tree in the yard, then ran down the chimney into

the house, striking the wife of Mr. Sutton in the face and run her entire length, tearing one of her shoes off. She is still living but very low.

SELDOM COEMR.

Meadows Township Sunday School Convention.

The Meadows Township Sunday School convention will be held with the Germanton Baptist Sunday School on Saturday, July 27th, 1912, at Germanton, N. C. The convention will be called to order at 10 o'clock, A. M. The program follows:

Song service—By convention.  
Devotional exercise—By Rev. R. W. Crews.  
Song—By convention.  
Reorganization.

Reports from Sunday Schools. Short talks from representatives of each school telling needs of each school.

Song.  
Sunday School address by Rev. Samra Smith.

Song, "Blest Be the Tie" By convention.

Benediction. Recess for dinner to be served in picnic style.  
Convention meet song.  
Reading programs by the several schools.

Address by J. C. Carson.  
Miscellaneous business.  
Song "God be With You."  
Benediction.

Each Sunday School is expected to be present with short programs. Let everybody come and have a good time together. Bring a well filled basket.

J. B. GREEN  
J. B. CHAPMAN, Com  
G. T. BAKER

Announcement of J. O. Smith For Sheriff

Germanton, July 7.  
As it is getting near the time for the precinct primaries I wish to say to the Republicans of Stokes county if you think I have sacrificed to be entitled to the nomination for Sheriff I will appreciate the same and will serve the party to the best of my ability.  
Respectfully yours,  
J. O. SMITH.

NEWS OF MIZPAH.

Burial of Mr. Sylvester Overby—Ice Cream Supper—Other Items.

Mizpah, July 8. Mr. Vess Overby, who died Saturday, was laid to rest at Quaker Gap Baptist church Sunday. Quite a large crowd were present.

Rev. Samra Smith preached to a large attentive audience at Quaker Gap church Sunday.

Messrs. W. G. Slate, Sol Hall and Dr. J. W. Slate were among the number that went to Danbury on business Saturday.

Mr. Roy Slate, of Kernersville, visited relatives here Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. W. J. Johnson, who has been seriously ill for some time, is improving. Her many friends will be glad to learn.

There was an ice cream supper given at Messrs. J. W. and G. W. Robertson's Saturday night. A large crowd was present and all report a nice time.

Mr. Gaston Meadows and family visited his parents at Mizpah Sunday.

Dr. J. W. Slate made a short business trip to King Monday.  
VISITOR.

Lawn Party At King.

There will be a lawn party at C. G. Ingram's on Saturday night, July 20th, 1912. Everybody is invited to attend, especially the young people. The proceeds, after all expenses are paid, goes to the benefit of the Galatia Christian Sunday School. Special invitation to all Sunday School people. There will be good music and we expect to have a nice quiet crowd. Everybody come.

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MISS VIOLA INGRAM, Mgrs.  
MISS BENA LOVE

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Winston-Salem, N. C.

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