

S. L. VENABLE HURT.

Mrs. Cordelle Hennis Ill--
Other News Items of
Madison

Madison, May 26.—Mr. S. L. Venable happened to a very bad accident Saturday night while on his way home from Madison with a four-horse load of fertilizer. As he neared the store of Mr. J. A. Wall his mules became frightened, whirled and ran back upon a high bank, then down into the road again overturning the wagon, which was a new one, and tore it up considerably. While they were running Mr. Venable was thrown or jumped from the wagon, which ran over him and hurt his shoulder right badly.

Mr. John F. Shelton has been right sick for several weeks, and doesn't seem to be improving any.

Mrs. Cordelle Hennis, of Madison Route 3, who has been confined to her bed for several months, continues right sick. Hope she may soon be well again.

Mrs. Joe Joyce, of Mayodan, spent a portion of last week with her parents.

Misses Sadie and Bessie May Flinchum spent Sunday at Mr. M. L. Powers'.

Mr. Elmo Griffin called to see Miss Lillie Venable Sunday.

Messrs. J. F. and E. D. called at Mr. J. F. Shelton's Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Terrell and Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Carter visited Mr. W. R. Terrell's Sunday.

Mr. Lester Mitchell filled his regular appointment at Mr. Powers' Sunday.

Misses Saloon Hennis, Claudie Duggins and Lillie Venable spent Sunday at Mr. Shelton's.

Guess everybody enjoyed themselves Saturday night at the ice cream supper at Mount Hermon.

There was prayermeeting at Delta Sunday night as usual.

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A Surprise Birthday Dinner.

Dalton, May 25.—On the 22rd day of May, 1913, at the home of Uncle William Edwards, as he is usually called, were gathered most of his relatives with full baskets with which they loaded a beautiful table of good things to eat, and to celebrate his 77th birthday. Uncle William's brother invited him to help him work in his meadow on that day and the showers drove them from there to the woods to a squirrel's den and at 12 o'clock they marched up. Uncle William being very much surprised, saying: "Who done this," and then turned to his brother and said: "Abe, you knew all about this. Why did you not tell me? I never thought of you all doing this." And after all gathered around him and speaking some words of cheer to him then all gathered around the loaded table where thanks were returned by Sister Edwards, one of the oldest members, and after dinner all had some good old timey talks together. We all wish Uncle William many more happy birthdays.

ONE PRESENT.

The Big Creek Telephone Co. are building a direct line from Danbury to Walnut Cove which will be of great benefit to both places. The telephone system from Danbury to Walnut Cove has been very convenient for some time.

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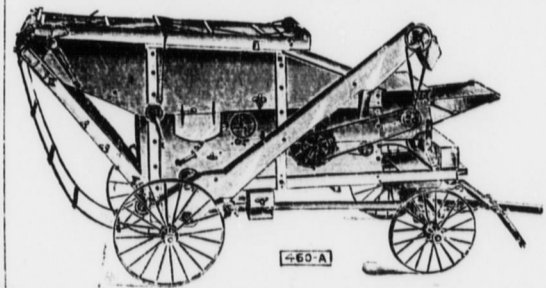
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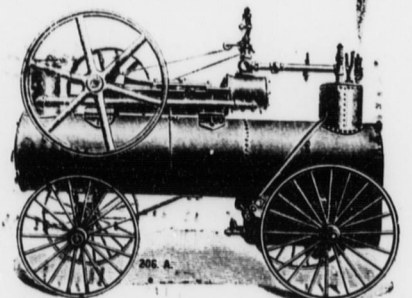
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