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## WALNUT COVE LETTER

Contract Let For Another Tobacco Warehouse At That Place.

## HORSE RUNS AWAY

Better Telephone Service To Be Given — Power Company To Turn On Lights — Other News.

Walnut Cove, May 25.—While out driving at some point near Danbury Sunday morning Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Stephens were thrown from their buggy and painfully injured when their horse became frightened at an automobile and ran away, demolishing the buggy after it was turned over. The injured parties are getting along nicely.

Deputy Sheriff Joyce arrested a colored man here Sunday, who is wanted in Iredell county for disposing of mortgaged property. The negro was carried to Winston-Salem and turned over to the Iredell authorities Sunday night.

The Rural Mail Carrier's Association, composed of the rural carriers of Stokes, Forsyth and Surry will hold their annual picnic here Saturday. There will doubtless be a number of Uncle Sam's faithful force in attendance.

Mr. A. W. Davis had the misfortune to lose a good horse last week. It is thought that the horse was driven too hard by one of the drivers.

Messrs. R. L. Nunn and L. J. Johnson have been here the past week looking after the Big Creek telephone line and installing a new switchboard in the home of Mr. O. J. Cates. Several new 'phones were installed and the town is now connected with a good telephone system, being in touch with the Big Creek and Town Fork lines as well as with long distance. Messrs. Nunn and Johnson left Monday for Dillard where they will install another switchboard.

The Walnut Cove Power Co. is pushing the work of their electric light system, several buildings on Main Street having been wired this week. Messrs. Morefield and Walker, who are doing the work, hope to have the lights going within a couple of months.

All methods of transportation have their advantages and disadvantages, but probably the most provoking beast of burden is an automobile when it stops and in spite of all cranking, pushing, cooling and coaxing absolutely refuses to budge. Messrs. Sanders Rierson, S. H. Stewart, Maurice Miller and J. N. Young went to Danbury Monday night, and as they were on their way back, winding and gliding around the graceful curves of the hill just south of Danbury the unexpected happened, the car stood still. It doesn't matter what ailed the machine, suffice to say it just stood there for reasons of its own, possibly

on general principles. After much had been done, and all the vocabulary known had been exhausted the three former gentlemen, believing in the healthfulness of walking, proceeded to ambulate in the direction of Walnut Cove arriving early Tuesday morning none the worse for their exercise. Mr. Young, being of a contentious nature, refused to dismount from the lifeless car and spent the night lying beneath the twinkling stars, listening to the song of the whippoorwill and the sweet refrain of the screech owl, dreaming of the future possibilities of rapid transit.

Messrs. Taylor and Hutcherson, promoters of the new warehouse to be built here, spent Monday in town for the purpose of receiving bids for the erection of the building. It is understood that Mr. Ernest Fowler was awarded the contract for the house which will be something like the warehouse that was built last year. Work will probably be commenced as soon as the necessary material can be had.

Mr. L. M. McKenzie was a business visitor here the past week.

Mr. J. Wesley Morefield and family spent Sunday in Winston-Salem.

Mr. J. S. Gant and Prof. Allen, of Pine Hall, were in town a short while Saturday. While here Mr. Gant exchanged his Reo car for a new Ford. The exchange was made with Mr. T. J. Covington, agent for the Ford car.

Several automobile deals have been consummated here during the past week. Dr. J. W. Slate, cashier of the Farmer's Union Bank & Trust Co., has purchased a Buick, Mr. L. B. Morefield has exchanged his Ford for a Case, Mr. Watson Joyce has traded his Ford for an Overland, while there are other trades pending and prospects seem good that several new cars will be purchased in the near future.

Messrs. John Bolt and son, J. Irving, will leave this week for their northern home to spend the summer. They have in recent years spent most of their time in Walnut Cove and both have a host of friends who regret to see them leave.

Elder J. A. Fag; went to Shilo near Stoneville Sunday where he attended the annual footwashing of the Primitive Baptists.

Prof. E. C. Byerly, who was formerly principal of the Walnut Cove high school, spent Sunday night and Monday in town greeting old friends.

Mr. J. A. Petree, of Winston-Salem, was a visitor here Sunday. Mr. Petree has just recovered from an attack of pneumonia and his many friends are glad to see him out again.

Mr. O. L. Swinney, the road contractor of Danbury township, spent a short while here Saturday on business.

Mr. M. T. Chilton passed through here Sunday enroute to Greensboro and Winston-Salem on business.

## MEET NEXT SATURDAY

Democratic Convention To Be Held At Court House In Danbury.

## TO ELECT DELEGATES

To State, Congressional and Judicial Conventions — Also to Name Date For Regular County Convention.

The Democrats of Stokes county are called to meet here next Saturday by Chairman J. W. Neal for the purpose of electing delegates to attend the State, Congressional and Judicial conventions, and to name a date for the regular county convention at which candidates for the county offices will be nominated. As there are no contests this year, the convention will probably endorse the National and State administrations, and the cause of Senators and Representatives in Congress, and transact other formalities.

The crowd in attendance may be considerable, owing to a sharp awakening of political interest in the county.

## Placed In Jail On Charge Of Larceny.

A man was brought here Thursday and placed in jail by special officers Messrs. George Kullam and Will Dodson on the charge of larceny. The man is unknown by anybody and will not tell his name.

The officers stated that the man had been in the Buffalo community for several weeks and had been a public nuisance. He has been stealing milk from the milk boxes of that community for some three or four weeks.

He was given a preliminary hearing before Justice of the Peace W. E. Willis and was bound over to the next term of the Superior Court.

The directors of the Stokes County Warehouse held a business meeting here Wednesday.

Sheriff W. C. Slate passed through here Monday with his new Buick auto.

Dr. and Mrs. R. G. Tuttle spent Saturday night and Sunday at Whitsett, making the trip in their automobile. They were accompanied home by Dr. Tuttle's brother, Dexter, who has been in school there.

Mr. W. H. Bryant, of Dobson, spent Monday night in town.

Mr. Jno. G. Fulton and daughters, Misses Annie and Elizabeth, and Miss Ola Boyles spent last Thursday at King.

The school at Fulp, which was taught by Miss Jessie Vaughn, closed Wednesday.

Miss Agnes Lewis spent Friday night in Winston.

Civil Engineer Ambler, of Winston-Salem, spent Sunday in town.

Mr. A. E. Strode spent several days in Greensboro last week.

## RUNAWAY SUNDAY

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Stephens Have Narrow Escape From Death.

## BUGGY WRECKED

Children of Mr. and Mrs. Stephens Escape With Only Slight Bruises.

While returning from a visit to relatives in northern Stokes last Sunday Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Stephens, of Walnut Cove, had a very narrow escape from death by the horse which they were driving running away. Mr. Stephens had a very dangerous gash cut on his head besides other wounds, while Mrs. Stephens suffered a broken arm. Their two children, who were in the buggy with them, received only slight bruises. The buggy was almost completely demolished.

The cause for the horse running is not known. It was stated by some that an automobile coming up behind frightened the animal. The runaway occurred two miles north of Danbury.

Dr. McCanless, of Danbury, treated the wounds of Mr. and Mrs. Stephens, and they are getting along as well as could be expected at this writing.

## Gideon.

Gideon, May 26.—The farmers of this section are very busy planting tobacco.

Mr. Wiley Carpenter called to see Miss Sadie Flinchum Sunday. Mrs. Lite Isom and daughter, Eunice, visited at Mr. J. Frank Dunlap's Sunday.

Mr. J. G. H. Mitchell and little daughter, Rebecca, and Mrs. B. J. Martin, of Walnut Cove, are visiting at Mr. W. M. Flynt's today.

Mr. Claude Rhodes called on Miss Berchie Dunlap Sunday.

Messrs. J. J. Martin and Cary Flynt went to Madison Saturday on business.

Miss Fannie Wilkins spent Saturday night and Sunday with her sister, Mrs. Frank Johnson.

Misses Avis Dunlap and Bessie Martin and Messrs. Elmer Flinchum and Walter Flynt called on Miss Ethel Flynt Sunday afternoon.

The Big Creek Telephone Company are installing 'phones in this section this week.

## DANCING KID.

## Preaching Appointments.

Walnut Cove, May 26.

Mr. Editor; Rev. Frank Siles, D. D., will preach at the following times and places on the Walnut Cove Circuit:

Methodist church, Thursday night, June 4th; Stokesburg, Friday morning, June 5th, at 10 o'clock; Pine Hall, Friday night, June 5th, at 8 o'clock.

E. J. POE, Pastor.

Preaching at Mt. Carmel next Sunday at 11 o'clock.

THOS. J. FOLGER.

## AUTO CLUB WILL MAKE TRIP.

About 75 Cars Are Planning a Tour From Winston-Salem to Piedmont Springs Saturday Week.

The Winston-Salem Journal today has the following article which explains itself:

In celebration of the completion of the magnificent network of sand-clay roads in Stokes county, the Winston-Salem Automobile Club is planning a tour to Piedmont Springs on June 6. It is expected that about 75 automobiles from here will go and that a number of others from different parts of the State will assemble here to join in the procession.

The completion of this system of roads, it is believed, marks the beginning of a movement that will make that section of the country the playground not only of this city but also of the State. The climate of Stokes county is ideal, the scenery is grand, and already many splendidly equipped summer resorts are in operation there. To these, hundreds of people flock every summer, filling them during the warm season.

Winston-Salem people, who have gone over the roads in Stokes, declare that they are among the best to be found in the country. Mr. Oscar Hege made a preliminary trip over the route yesterday and he found good roads all the way to Piedmont Springs. There is a short stretch of road that has not been recently improved but it is said to be in fine condition and will not delay the tourists.

Mr. J. N. Young, of Walnut Cove, expects to open a store at Piedmont Springs the coming week.

## Directory Of Teachers' Institutes To Be He'd.

Raleigh, May 26. — Director E. E. Sams of the teachers' institute division of the State Department of Education, has just gotten out a complete directory of the institutes that will be held during the summer, the law requiring that every county must hold such an institute at least every other year. There are sixty-one of the one hundred counties that will have institutes this summer. A great number of the foremost teachers in the State have been enlisted for this work, a conductor and one or more assistants being assigned for each institute and itineraries have been arranged and published for each institution.

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## TEACHERS, JUNE 8

Institute Will Meet At Piedmont Springs, Continuing Two Weeks—Reduced Rates To Teachers.

## SOCIAL FEATURES

Event At Popular Watering Place Will No Doubt Have A Record Attendance—Educators of State-wide Reputation to Be In Charge—Many Teachers From Adjoining Counties Coming.

Prof. J. T. Smith, County Superintendent of Schools, today received a telegram stating that Prof. W. R. Mills and Miss Louise Lunn had been appointed by the State Superintendent of Education to conduct the Stokes County Teachers' Institute, which will convene at Piedmont Springs on June 8, continuing two weeks. Reduced rates at the Piedmont hotel have been offered the teachers, which is extended also to teachers of adjoining counties, and already a number of outside teachers have written the Piedmont management for accommodation.

This Institute bids fair to have a record attendance. An effort will be made to make the occasion one of real enjoyment as well as substantial benefit to the gentlemen and lady teachers, who are doing so much for education in this part of the State. There will be special lectures and addresses, entertainments and other pleasing social features. The Piedmont orchestra, composed of high class musicians of Richmond, Va., will arrive on June 5. This means that the musical feature of the Institute will be A 1.

It is expected that fully 100 young women and young men from Stokes and adjoining counties will take advantage of the opportunity to spend two weeks of pleasure mixed with solid instruction and culture.

Prof. J. T. Smith will have the management of the Institute, while Mrs. J. T. Smith will chaperone the young lady teachers.

## Sunday School Picnic At Piedmont Springs Friday.

The Danbury Union Sunday School expects to have its annual picnic at Piedmont Springs Friday. The Sunday School has a large enrollment of students and the picnic each year is looked forward to with much pleasure. Mr. N. O. Petree is superintendent of the Sunday School.

## Death Near Buffalo.

Mr. Walker Gann died at his home last Saturday near Buffalo at the ripe old age of 87. He was buried at Buffalo cemetery Sunday in the presence of a large crowd of sorrowing friends and relatives.