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MANY WRECKS LAST SUNDAY

Danbury Man Sees Five On Way Home From Salisbury—Winston-Salem Man Saw Three Others.

Ausby Smith returned Sunday night from a visit to Salisbury and on the way home he saw the result of five automobile wrecks along the road. Two of these were head on collisions, two turn-overs and another car ran into the rail of a bridge. All of the wrecks had been deserted and it was not learned whether there was anyone killed or not. Driving on Sunday has become exceedingly dangerous.

A Winston-Salem citizen on Monday gave the following account of a trip he made Sunday:

"I made an automobile trip of about 150 miles Sunday," said a local citizen, "and in the course of the trip I saw three automobile wrecks."

"And when I saw the kind of driving that some people were doing on the public highways, I wondered that there not more accidents. Certainly it does seem that greater care should be used, particularly on Sunday, when the roads are filled with automobiles."

Revival Begins; News Of Pine Hall

Pine Hall, Aug. 15.—The protracted meeting begins at the Methodist church Sunday afternoon. In connection with this a short program will be rendered by the children.

Bill Carter visited friends and relatives at Dillard Sunday.

Mrs. J. W. Roberts has returned to her home after having undergone an operation in a Greensboro hospital. Her many friends are glad to learn that she is greatly improved.

Miss Mary Dalton and friends, Mr. George Mason and Miss Annie Mason, motored from Roanoke, Va., to visit her mother. They report that North Carolina roads are far superior to Virginia's.

Miss Naomi Long is expected here soon to visit Miss Hester Wall.

Quite a number of our people have been attending the revival services that are now being held at Oak Grove church. Great crowds at every service and the evangelist, Mr. Jones, preaches forceful and touching sermons.

Miss Gertrude Gibson is visiting relatives here. She has been in High Point for some time.

Mrs. J. B. Paris and little son are with friends in Stokesdale this week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Harris with daughters, Margaret and Mary, from Roanoke, Va., and Mrs. Daisy Gudger, of Winston, visited Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Dalton Tuesday.

Lewis Blackwell is at home for a few days from South Carolina.

Miss Virginia Dalton and some of her friends from Danbury came over last evening to enjoy water-melons and sit a while at the tobacco barn of J. E. Dalton.

Gabe Dalton had the misfortune to stick a nail in his foot while at work.

TO SURVEY ROAD DANBURY TO FULP

State Engineers Now In Stokes Will Begin This Work Before Leaving County—Good News For Our People.

It is learned that the State engineering party now engaged in making a new survey of a part of the Danbury-Clemmons' Ford road, will begin the survey of the road from Danbury to the Forsyth county line at Fulp as soon as the work they are now on is completed.

This information will be more than good news to the people of this county, as it is taken for granted that the State Highway Commission intends building a hard-surface road from Danbury to connect with the hard-surface road at Fulp leading into Winston-Salem.

It will be recalled that at the meeting of the State Highway Commission early in the spring the Danbury-Fulp road was authorized for hard-surface at the request of Commissioner A. S. Hanes, of this district, and it is stated that Mr. Hanes is anxious to see the road built as soon as possible.

The next letting of contracts by the State will be some time in November next and with the road surveyed before that time it is likely that contract will be let for at least a part of the Danbury-Fulp hard-surface road.

Marriage Sunday; Collinsown Items

Collinstown, Aug. 14.—Miss Iris Hundley and Walter Frances were married Sunday. They are making their home at Crew, Va. Millard Collins, aged 20 years, died Saturday night with blood poison.

Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Hutchins, of High Point, are visiting Mr. Hutchins' parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Hutchins.

Miss Geneva Hutchins, who is attending summer school at Danbury, and Mr. Chas. Cooley, of Walnut Cove, spent Sunday at Miss Hutchins' home here.

Mrs. Robah Boles Entertains Bride-Elect

Pinnacle, Aug. 14.—Mrs. Robah Boles and Miss Mae Ola Boles delightfully entertained last Saturday evening from three to five o'clock at the home of Mrs. J. A. Boles in honor of Miss Kathrine Watson, a bride-elect of this month. The evening was spent in writing advice for the bride, also poems. Later a sandwich course was served. Those present were Miss Kathryne Watson, bride-elect, and guest Miss Irene Petree, of Ohio, Miss Vinion Elliott, of Lenoir; Feral Nunn and Mrs. H. Bernard, Mrs. R. R. Houck and sister, Miss Peggie Lickford, of Rock Hill, S. C.; Misses Etta Eaton, Mable Watson and Mrs. Reid Boles.

Dr. and Mrs. H. Bernard entertained a number of their friends Saturday night.

TO ERECT CONFEDERATE MONUMENT AT DANBURY

Meeting of Sons and Daughters and Friends of the Old Soldiers Scheduled For Next Saturday Here--To Organize to Raise Funds.

A meeting of sons, daughters and friends of the ex-Confederate soldiers will be held at the court house at Danbury next Saturday at 10 o'clock A. M., for the organizing the Stokes County Confederate Monument Association. The object of this meeting is to appoint a county chairman and township committees, covering every section of the county, whose business it will be to raise funds to build on the public square at Danbury a monument dedicated to the soldiers of the Confederacy who went from Stokes county. It will be purely a business meeting, but a large attendance is expected of those who are interested in this cause. It is hoped that many of the survivors of the great struggle of 1861-65, who are still living, will honor the occasion with their presence.

The plans of those who are promoting this movement for a Confederate monument indicate that Stokes county is soon to have a meritable memorial of the "boys in gray" which will be eminently creditable to the county.

All persons, both ladies and gentlemen, who feel an interest in their loved ones who gave their lives to the lost cause, are urged to be present and help launch the movement.

VETERANS TO MEET IN WINSTON-SALEM

Tuesday and Wednesday, Sept. 4 and 5—Committees Are Making Preparation For Their Entertainment.

The annual convention of the North Carolina division, United Confederate Veterans, will be held in Winston-Salem, Tuesday and Wednesday, September 4 and 5, and it is expected that a number of local veterans will attend the gathering.

Winston-Salem committees are now working on the program and making other arrangements for the entertainment and care of the veterans when they assemble in the city. All local veterans who plan attend the convention are requested to notify Capt. G. H. McKinney at the county courthouse at Winston-Salem.

Trial Here On Sunday Afternoon

John Kington and Reid Stovall were arrested at North View Baptist church Sunday by Deputies Monroe Fagg, Posey Flinchum and J. J. Stephens, charged with violating the prohibition laws. They were given a hearing before Justice N. A. Martin here Sunday afternoon and bound over to Superior Court under bonds of \$200 each, which they gave.

Will Lawson, of the North View section, was later arrested and placed under bond on the charge of retailing.

When Stovall was arrested he appeared to be in a dazed or drunken condition and appeared to be poisoned. He was brought to Danbury for medical attention. Stovall stated that he purchased the whiskey he drank from Will Lawson and a warrant was immediately sworn out for Lawson.

Watt Mabe and family, of Star, Montgomery county, visited relatives near Danbury Sunday and Monday. Mr. Mabe left Stokes in the spring and purchased land in Montgomery. He has a good crop and likes his new home very well.

GOOD ATTENDANCE IS BEING URGED

For Sunday School Convention Here Next Week—Pennant To Be Given School With the Largest Enrollment.

Walnut Cove, Aug. 14.—Attention is again called to the Stokes county Sunday School Convention to be held in the Methodist church, at Danbury, beginning on the evening of Tuesday, August 21, and lasting through Wednesday, August 22.

As officers of the County Sunday School Association, we believe this will be one of the most inspiring and helpful Sunday school meetings ever held in this county.

From an examination of the program, you will notice that Mr. D. W. Sims, of Raleigh, General Superintendent of the North Carolina Sunday School Association, and Miss Flora Davis, Assistant Superintendent, will be present to take part in the convention. We believe you will agree with us that it is a veritable feast of good things for workers in all departments of the Sunday schools of all denominations. You will be doing a real favor to yourself to attend this convention.

A beautiful felt pennant 18 x 36 inches will be presented to the Sunday school having present the largest number of representatives over 16 years of age, according to the number of miles traveled. The number of representatives from a given school will be multiplied by the number of miles from their church to the convention church, and the school having the largest total will receive the pennant. The school with which the convention is held and any other within one mile, will not compete for the pennant.

May we count on you to do your best to have a large delegation from your Sunday school.

H. R. McPHERSON, Pres.
Dr. S. F. TILLOTSON, Vice-Pres.
F. S. ROSS, Secretary.

SUNDAY SCHOOL GOES ON PICNIC

Ford and Dodge Car Collide But No One Hurt—Mr. Lawrence Hauser Seriously Ill—Personals From King.

King, Aug. 13.—Miss Annie Shore, of Thomasville, is spending a few days with Miss Alta Kirby in Walnut Hills.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Petree, of Cincinnati, Ohio, are spending several days with relatives here and at Pinnacle.

Mr. and Mrs. Emmitt White, of Winston Salem, spent Sunday with Mrs. White's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Hutchins, here.

Jarvis Wright, of Norfolk, Va., is spending his vacation with relatives here.

Dr. Lee Kiser, of Statesville, spent Sunday with his parents here.

Lawrence Hauser, one of the pioneer farmers of this section is very sick at his home near here.

Edwin Caudle, of Winston-Salem, spent Sunday with his father near here.

James Cook, who was driving a Ford, collided with a Dodge car near Trinity church just west of here early yesterday morning. The Ford was damaged right much, but no one was hurt.

The King Baptist Sunday school gave a picnic at White Sulphur Springs yesterday. All who attended report a nice trip except they got into a heavy rain and all got wet.

T. C. McGee has purchased from E. P. Newsum a nice residence lot on which he expects to erect a home in the near future.

The contractors on the new garage building for The Cabin Motor Company are getting on nicely with this new building which is being constructed out of cement blocks.

Work is progressing nicely on Thomas E. Smith's new two-story concrete building on Main street. The ground floor of this building will be used for a restaurant and the second floor will be used for a rooming house.

Dr. and Mrs. H. G. Harding have returned home after spending several days with relatives at Farmington.

Miss Mabel Allen, of the Martin Memorial Hospital at Mount Airy, is spending her vacation with her parents here.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Boyles will leave here tomorrow for Norfolk, Va., where they go to spend a few days on the seashore.

Farmers in this section are beginning to pull tobacco, and the crop is good this year.

W. E. Hartman and P. W. Gunter have just returned from an extended trip through the sand hill section. They report fine crops and speak in high terms of the peach lands of the sand hill section.

Personal and News Items Of Madison R. 3

Madison Route 3, Aug. 13.—Everyone in this section is busy taking care of tobacco.

Alfred Newsum, of Winston-Salem, spent the week end with his sister, Mrs. Rufus Marshall.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Brown, of Walnut Cove, spent Sunday with W. C. Fagg's family.

Miss Grace Knight, who has been confined to her bed for several days, is out again, we are glad to note.

Among those who visited Misses Eva and Mamie Fagg Sunday were Misses Pearl Newsum, Ellen Brown, Evlin William and John Stultz, Clarence Knight, Ed Williams and David Brown.

W. E. Joyce, of Danbury, is painting the new M. E. church at Dais Chapel.

STATE ENGINEERS HERE THIS WEEK

Making New Survey On A Part Of Danbury-Clemmons' Ford Road—May Use Present Bridges Over Dan River.

A party of State highway engineers in charge of Mr. Helpburn, one of the State's efficient locating engineers, arrived at Piedmont Springs hotel Monday and yesterday started a new survey of a part of the proposed highway to connect Danbury with the State highway at Clemmons' Ford bridge. Only that part of the road between Clemmons' Ford bridge and Piedmont Springs will be surveyed. The former survey was by way of Moore's Springs, and it is now being surveyed straight through by way of Piney Grove and Buck Island bridge.

The lowest bid for the construction of this road and the bridges by way of Moore's Springs was about \$257,000 and the bid was turned down by the State as excessive. The commission is now seeking to secure a cheaper route.

It is very likely that if the road is built by way of Buck Island the two bridges across the river will be used for the present at least, saving the State a considerable outlay of money.

AUTO DRIVERS SHOULD GIVE BOND

Judge Hartman, Of Winston-Salem, Sees This As Only Solution Of The Big Question Of Safety Of Public.

Winston-Salem, Aug. 14.—"The one salvation, as I see it, for the safety of operating of automobiles and for the protection of lives of the public, is for every driver of an automobile to be required to stand a strict examination, and be required to give bond for the careful and efficient operation of his automobile," said Judge W. V. Hartman, of the municipal court, from the bench this morning, in disposing of a case in which the reckless operation of an automobile had resulted in a near serious accident.

"Every driver should be required to deposit a bond," continued the judge, "and of sufficient amount to assure that the driver will do all in his power to avoid unnecessary accidents. The public is entitled to safety, but with present conditions, as existing in some cases, those that don't want to be killed must stay off of the highway. Even then, sometimes those not on the immediate highway are in danger.

The remarks were made by Judge Hartman in making decision in a reckless driving case, which occurred last night. Son Frazier, colored, charged with reckless driving, was fined \$50 and the costs. "That is all I can give him, but I wish it were more."