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## LOCAL INTELLIGENCE

### Latest Happenings In and Around Monroe.

The Womans' Missionary Society of the First Baptist church meets Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

Mrs. S. L. Laney and children from Akron, Ohio, are the guests of Mrs. Henry King this week.

Rev. E. C. Snyder will preach at the Methodist Union church Saturday night at eight o'clock and at Antioch at three o'clock Sunday evening.

Practically all of the cotton planted prior to April 25 will have to be replanted, according to Mr. T. J. W. Broom, the county farm demonstrator.

"The Funeral Director as Seen by the Minister," was the subject of an address by Rev. J. E. Abernethy, former pastor of the Central Methodist church here, before the thirty second annual meeting of the state funeral directors, held Wednesday in Salisbury, his present home.

Mrs. Nancy Dunn Downs, aged 73, last surviving child of the late Col. James A. Dunn, who represented Mecklenburg county in the state legislature when Union was set apart from Mecklenburg, and who continued as Union county's representative until his death in 1860, died Tuesday at the home of her son, near Pineville. Mrs. Downs was a life-long member of the old Providence church, one of the seven Revolutionary churches (all Presbyterian.)

The first meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary of the American Legion will be held next Wednesday at 4:30 in the Legion club rooms. The organization began with 22 members, now has 33 and it is hoped many will join at this meeting. All members are urged to be present, and all wives, mothers, sisters and daughters of ex-service men are cordially invited to attend. Applications for membership and membership cards are ready, waiting to be signed. Plans for work in the Auxiliary are most interesting and especially will the care for disabled soldiers appeal to all. A full attendance is desired, as there will be several topics for discussion and matters to be voted on.

Mr. Lee Griffin attended the meeting of the Grand Commandery of Knights Templar in Asheville this week.

The reception announced for next week at Central Methodist church has been postponed until the following week.

Messrs. J. Frank Williams and R. C. Griffin are in Wilmington on business for a few days.

Mr. B. Frank Harris and Miss Ruth Beatrice Noles, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Noles of Stallings were married here yesterday at the Presbyterian manse by Dr. H. E. Gurney. The wedding was a quiet affair, but few friends and relatives of the young people being present. Following the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Harris left in their automobile for a trip through South Carolina. They will be gone about a week. Mrs. Harris is an accomplished young woman, and is very popular, while Mr. Harris, who is an ex-service man, is a fine young citizen. He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Harris of Monroe, and is a member of the well-known firm of H. G. Nash & Co.

Quite a number of beautiful flowers were sent yesterday to the sick ex-service men of ward three at Oteen, the government hospital, by Mrs. Randolph Redfearn and Misses Lura Heath and Annie Lee.

"I made a 'run' last night," succinctly remarked Esq. Henry McWhorter of Jackson township, while in town today, "and I got a quart." Then he went on to explain that he had been boiling tar out of old-field pine, and that a quart represented the fruits of his labor.

Our number nine went down the line  
And killed your hog we know  
But Razor Backs on railroad tracks  
Quite often meet with woe;  
Therefore my friend  
We cannot pin the check  
For which you pine;  
Just plant the dead  
And put right over his head,  
'Here lies a foolish swine.'

**"The Inside of the Cup"**  
By Winston Churchill  
STRAND THEATRE  
MONDAY and TUESDAY.

Mrs. E. E. Rushing of New Salem township died Wednesday morning, May 4, and was buried the following Thursday afternoon at Antioch church in Goose Creek township, Rev. Lum Hunnicutt conducting the funeral services. Mrs. Hunnicutt would have been forty years of age had she lived until the 28th of this month. Her husband and twelve children survive, the youngest being only three months old. The sons are Carl, Bryce, Boyce, Brack, Roscoe, Eliza Ellis, Earl and Ware, and the daughters are Gladys Julie, Hattie and Alice. On last Saturday about thirty-five of Mr. Rushing's neighbors and friends gathered with their teams at his home and planted his crop for which Mr. Rushing feels very grateful, also for the kindness shown him and his family during the illness and death of his wife.

"Wise men change their minds, but fools never," and it was very commendable in Messrs. Joseph Hinson, T. B. Liles, and J. J. Hill to acknowledge to the court here this week that they had made an error in their decision in the matter of W. N. Edwards' claim against the estate of J. Calvin Edwards, deceased, which was submitted to them for arbitration. Following the death of Mr. Edwards, a claim for \$6500, purporting to be for services, such as caring for the deceased and looking after his property, was presented to the executors of the estate, Messrs. W. C. Edwards and J. S. Edwards, by Mr. W. M. Edwards. They, however, believing this amount to be unreasonable, refused payment, and as required in such cases, the controversy was submitted to an arbitration committee composed of the above-named gentlemen. The committee, after an investigation, awarded Mr. Edwards \$500; but later, discovering that they had overlooked important improvements made on the property of the deceased by the claimant, decided that he was entitled to \$2500. But to make the award binding, they had to acknowledge their error to the court, which they unhesitatingly did. Judge Ray then ordered that the \$2500 award be paid.

Mr. L. W. Mullis, a well-to-do and influential citizen of Goose Creek township, was host to a number of his neighbors and relatives at a "fish fry" at his home Thursday, those present being Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Sell, Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Sell, and the following children: Mr. and Mrs. Charles Mullis, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Mullis and Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Mullis, and several grand-children. Shortly after arrival the women folks began the preparation of dinner while the men started for the fish pond. Two drags, over about one-fourth of the pond were made, resulting in a haul of twenty-one fish on the first and thirty-two on the second, making a total of about eighty pounds of the finest fresh water fish. The average length of the fish was between 12 and 18 inches. The day was greatly enjoyed by all present.

There will be preaching at Pleasant View, North Monroe, next Saturday at 12 o'clock, Sunday at 11, and Sacred Harp singing at ten o'clock Sunday.

"HERE LIES A FOOLISH SWINE"

Subscription Notice Recalls to Mr. H. W. B. Whitley a Boyhood Rhyme.

The Journal is in receipt of the following letter from Mr. H. W. B. Whitley, a prominent attorney of Raeford, who is a son of Mr. Phillip Whitley of this county:

"I enclose check for my subscription to your valuable paper. I believe my time has expired, and of course I must have the paper. In paying bills these days I think of an old rhyme I read when I was a school boy. It follows:

"My razorback went down your track  
A week ago today;  
Your number nine came down the line  
And took his life away;  
'Twas not my fault,  
The hog you see  
Broke through a cattle gate;  
So kindly pin a check for ten  
This debt to liquidate.

Our number nine went down the line  
And killed your hog we know  
But Razor Backs on railroad tracks  
Quite often meet with woe;  
Therefore my friend  
We cannot pin the check  
For which you pine;  
Just plant the dead  
And put right over his head,  
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A Coincidence.  
A little girl ran over to the neighbor's house calling. "I've got a new baby brother and, he came on his birthday."—Exchange.

## TREE IS SAID TO KILL FLIES

Agricultural Department to Experiment on Virginia Sapling.

Swatters and screens will be relegated to the junk pile if the Department of Agriculture finds merit in the fly-killing properties claimed for a sapling grown from the seed of a Kentucky coffee tree by the late Prof. George F. Holmes, of the University of Virginia.

Prof. Holmes asserted the tree gave off a peculiar poison fatal to flies and therefore was a boon to humanity. He planted it in his garden and requested that it be dedicated as his only memorial.

The sapling has been sent here by the university with the request that it tests prove its deadliness to flies the seed be distributed throughout the country to exterminate the pest.

## Pot of Gold Plowed Up.

Albert Dameron, 25, descendant of pioneer Virginian settlers, who works on his uncle's mountain side farm near Salem, Va., from sun up to sun down at \$10 a month, often dreamed, he said, of finding a treasure and buying a farm of his own.

On the afternoon of April 9, when plowing near the foot of Brush's mountain his plow unearthed a peculiar looking object which attracted his attention. Investigation revealed that he had found a small metal pot wrapped in buckskin containing gold and silver coins valued at \$14,903. About \$13,000 was in gold, \$600 in silver, and the balance in paper money so badly disintegrated that the denominations could not be distinguished. The latest date on any of the coins was 1823.

Young Dameron, first bewildered, was fearful that his fortune might be taken from him and kept his discovery a secret until last Wednesday when he told his mother.

"Albert dreamed for a week that he was going to find a treasure," declared Mrs. Dameron, a hardy mountain woman, "and now he's gone and done it."

The fortune was still in Dameron's keeping with no intention on his part, he said, of depositing it in a bank.

## Hold 'Em

"You say you were graduated from a barber college. What's your college yell?"  
"Slice his lip! Cut his jaw! Take his face off, raw raw, raw!"

# CENTRAL METHODIST CHURCH

MAY 15, 1921.

PREACHING AT 8:00 P. M. BY PASTOR.

NO PREACHING AT MORNING HOUR AS PASTOR WILL BE AT WEDDINGTON.

SUNDAY SCHOOL STILL GROWING. LARGEST ATTENDANCE IN HISTORY OF SCHOOL LAST SUNDAY.

ON MAY 22nd, WE WILL MOVE INTO OUR NEW BUILDING. WE HOPE EVERY CHURCH MEMBER WILL BE ENROLLED IN SOME CLASS BY THAT TIME.

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## SOCIAL

Mrs. D.L. Middleton was a charming hostess to the Pleasure club Monday afternoon at Hotel Joffre. Quantities of daisies were attractively arranged on the tables arranged for rook and bridge. Misses Ruth Russell and Mollie Freeman served delicious punch to the guests as they entered and at the conclusion of the games the hostess served angel cake with whipped cream and strawberries. Fifteen special guests were present.

Hotel Joffre was the scene of another delightful party Tuesday afternoon when Mesdames I. H. Brown and Bruce Redmond entertained at seven tables of rook and bridge. Masses of pink roses in baskets were tastefully placed. The score cards were drawn from an immense and beautiful pink hand box. The attractive favors were ladies' bonnets in miniature, filled with delicious creamed mints. The hostesses served a salad with sandwiches, and iced tea followed by an ice course.

Mrs. Louis Couch and son have returned to their home in Raleigh after a visit to relatives.

Miss Lillian Stack is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Stack in Lumberton.

Miss Mabel Cooper, rural supervisor of the county schools, is spending a month's vacation at her home in Taylorsville.

Mrs. J. F. Laney left yesterday for Wilmington where she will visit Mr. and Mrs. Heath Lee.

Mrs. Clyde Hunter and little daughter of Raleigh are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Johnson.

Mrs. Allen Heath delightfully entertained the bridge club Wednesday afternoon. Sweet peas were used in profusion for decoration. Several invited guests were present. The hostess served a delicious salad course and home-made candles.

Miss Mary Benton has returned from Red Oak where she has been teaching domestic science.

Mr. Foster Starnes went to Greensboro Wednesday to arrange the schedule for the final game of the eliminating series to determine the baseball champions of the west. By the arrangements made Monroe plays Star Town here Saturday and the winner of that game will play Winston-Salem on Tuesday.

The Wesleyan Philathea class of Central Methodist church held a delightful social meeting Tuesday evening with Mesdames E. C. Ingram and M. K. Lee as hostesses at the lovely suburban home of the latter. After a splendid musical program a salad course with hot chocolate and strawberry shortcake were served.

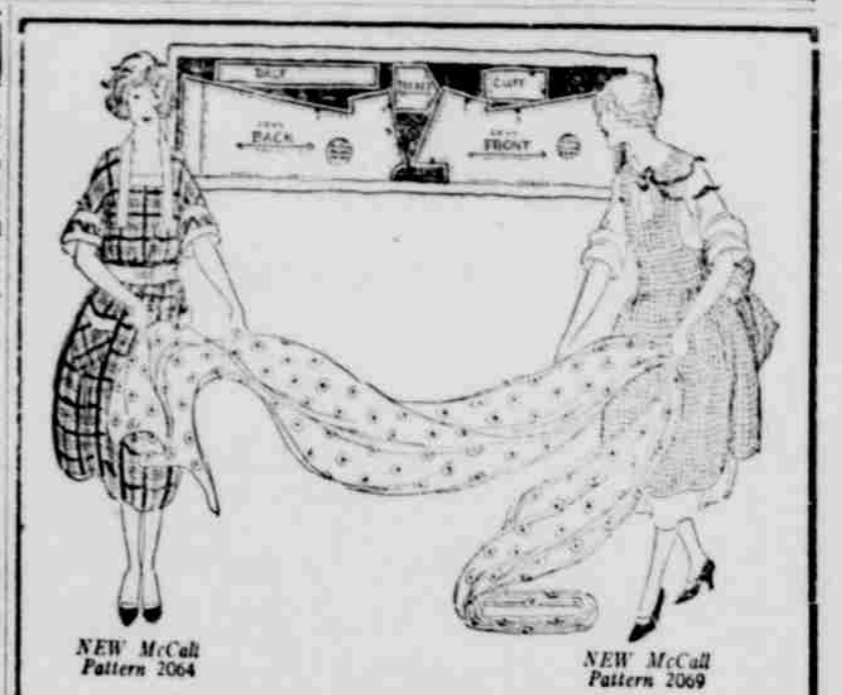
Miss Annie Green left this morning for her home in Louisville after a visit to her brother, Dr. E. S. Greene. Miss Greene had the misfortune to break her foot last week.

Chautauqua circle met yesterday afternoon with Mrs. E. C. Winchester. The program on creative chemistry was a most instructive one. The various members joined in the discussion about the rubber, celluloid and coal tar preparations, how they are formed, created and their advantages. The last meeting will be held next week with Mrs. W. B. Love. Sandwiches and tea were served.

The Van Dyke book club held the last meeting of the season yesterday afternoon with Mrs. V. D. Sikes. The following officers were elected for next year: President—Mrs. John Fairley, Jr., vice-president—Mrs. V. C. Austin, secretary—Mrs. W. C. Crowell, treasurer—Mrs. J. T. Griffith. Following the business session a program on the Indians of the west was given. Mrs. John Sikes' paper was on "The Cliff Dwellers of Arizona," and Miss Pat Adams gave an interesting sketch of "Indians of the Rockies." The program was concluded by a delightful reading by Mrs. N. M. Redfern. The hostess served frozen salad, olives, sandwiches, iced tea and mints. Beautiful pink rambler roses and sweet peas were used as decorations.

The senior class of the Monroe high school, as part of their graduation exercises will present "All of a Sudden Peggy" at the Strand Theatre Monday afternoon and night, May 23rd.

Miss Virginia Lee, the beautiful and accomplished daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Lee, Sr., and Mr. W. P. McRae, a prominent business man of Rockingham, were married yesterday in Baltimore at the Grace Methodist church, Rev. Mr. Mills officiating.



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Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. Lee, parents of the bride; Mr. Mial McRae of Rockingham, a brother of the groom; and Dr. A. C. Everett, also of Rockingham. The ceremony was beautiful but simple. Mr. and Mrs. McRae left for an extended trip to the New England states and Canada after the ceremony, but announcements received here this morning state that they will be at home at Rockingham after June 1. Wednesday evening before the ceremony, the young couple were guests at a dinner given in their honor by some of their friends at the Emerson hotel. Mrs. McRae is one of the most popular young women of Monroe, and she is greatly admired for her charming personality and friendly ways. Mr. McRae, who is one of the State's largest lumber operators, is numbered among the most promising of Rockingham's young business men.

**Mineral Springs Happenings.**  
Mineral Springs, May 12.—Mrs. Oscar Porter and son, Gilbert, of Rockingham, are spending the week here with Mrs. John Gordon.

Misses Kathleen Winchester, Viola Polk and Mr. William Howie attended the Wingate commencement Friday and Saturday.

Miss Eva Mae Sullivan of Oryville, Ala., is the guest of Miss Kathleen Winchester. Tuesday evening Miss Winchester entertained in honor of her attractive guest at a six o'clock luncheon, the other guests being: Misses Bessie Howie, Viola Polk and Mr. Amos Helms, of Charleston, S. C. Miss Bessie Howie also entertained at a dance in honor of Miss Sullivan. Many interesting games added to the pleasure of the evening, after which an ice course was served.

The many friends of Mrs. M. M. Winchester are glad to learn that she is much improved.

Mrs. Baxter Howie, who underwent an operation Tuesday night at a Raleigh hospital, is improving according to word received here.

"The Inside of the Cup" Coming  
"The Inside of the Cup," a superb Paramount pieturization of Winston Churchill's celebrated novel, will be the feature attraction at the Strand Theatre next Monday and Tuesday. It is said to be one of the most massive photoplays produced by Cosmopolitan this season.

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**First Baptist Church**  
Sunday, May 15  
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Dean of Coker College  
will  
Lecture at 11 a.m.

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