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Salisbury Daily Sun.

Will Have Friday
A NICE LOT OF
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WEATHER FORECAST: Fair tonight; colder, with showers, Saturday.

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SALISBURY, N. C., FRIDAY EVENING, MAY 24, 1901.

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THE ELECTRIC LINE. PRESIDENT WRITES. COMMITTEES NAMED. F. W. BOST HAS FAILED. MRS. M'KINLEY'S TRIP. AMENDMENT CARRIES. TEMPORARY BRIDGES. A HORRIBLE CRIME.

PARTIES HERE TODAY LOOKING OVER LINE.

Mayor Boyden and Alderman Vanderford Show the Interested Parties over the Proposed Car Line.

Salisbury's electric car line is a thing of the very near future. The superior advantages offered by the construction of a line from Chestnut Hill to the Yadkin river at the Piedmont Toll Bridge have become more and more apparent each day until there are numerous parties interested in the construction of this line. According to the terms of the charter it is required that the work of construction shall begin in a few months now and what is to be done must be done shortly.

Two New York gentlemen who are interested in the line, arrived in the city this morning, and were shown over the city by Mayor Boyden and Alderman Vanderford. The latter gentlemen took the New Yorkers over the proposed route of the car line from Chestnut Hill to the Piedmont Toll Bridge, to which latter point it is proposed to run the car line. Both these gentlemen express themselves as highly pleased with the city and the feasibility of the car line proposition.

Card of Thanks.

Mr. and Mrs. John F. Eagle desire to extend their sincerest thanks to all who so kindly manifested sympathy for them during their bereavement at the loss of their son. They are especially grateful to the Spencer machinists and other railroad friends who endeavored by numerous kindnesses to assuage their grief and pay a fitting tribute to their deceased son.

To the Mascots

The special meeting of Fulton Lodge, No. 100, A. F. & A. M., which was called to be held tonight, has been postponed on account of the closing exercises of the Salisbury white graded school in the court house this evening.

Dr. Stagg Can't Come.

Rev. Dr. J. W. Stagg, of Charlotte, who was invited to deliver the address at the commencement exercises of the white graded school of this city, will not be able to be here.

Leaves Tomorrow

Prof. I. C. Griffin, of the Salisbury graded school, and family will leave tomorrow for Stevens, N. C., to spend a month. The Sun wishes them a pleasant trip.

Mr. Gallahorn a Candidate.

Mr. T. J. Gallahorn, a former resident of this city now of New London, was a candidate for mayor or of New London at the election last week. His opponent received a majority of fifteen votes.

Asheville Can be Reached

Travel to Asheville from Salisbury was resumed this morning. As a matter of course, the trouble on the Western division has not yet been remedied but trains are running by way of Spartanburg to Asheville.

Attention W. O. W.

A full meeting of the members of Hickory Camp No. 49, Woodmen of the World, is desired tonight at 8 o'clock in the hall over the Savings bank. Business of importance is to be transacted, among which is the election of a Consul commander to fill the place made vacant by the resignation of our former C. C. Several initiations also. Come out. W. H. HUFF, Clerk.

Special Cash Millinery Sale.

I have decided to conduct a special sale of millinery which includes all the new and popular Shirts, Waist hats, Sailors and children's goods. A few patterns left which go in this sale for a song. A beautiful line of flowers—in fact every thing kept in a first class millinery house. Everything goes in this sale. Go elsewhere, then come to me. You will appreciate the difference. MRS. W. R. BARKER.

PLASTERING! A. D. Leak will do your plastering and kalsomining right. Give him a trial. Leave orders at Kelsey's barber shop.

M'KINLEY TO THE SPENCER Y. M. C. A.

Encouraging Words For The Association at Spencer. Some Statistics With Reference to The Association.

The following letter was recently received from President McKinley and goes to show the broad scope of the work done by the Association. Many people think that the Y. M. C. A. is confined to one section and to one class of people but in this grand work there are thousands of men representing every class of business, trade and profession in the world. President McKinley was one of the first presidents of the Canton, Ohio, Y. M. C. A. and as Governor of Ohio and as President has maintained his interest in the organization. He says:

"I congratulate you on your splendid cause, the holiest cause in which man ever engaged, and also upon the progress you have made. I bid you God-speed. Your Association not only leads to Christian life but to good citizenship. I am glad to know of the efforts that are being made to bring this ennobling influence more and more within the reach of our country's workmen. What you have accomplished in so short a time should be an encouragement to all engaged in similar work. The great central truth in Association work has always stood for right living, and it is a pleasure for me to commend any extension of it and to wish it success."

There are many people in this section that do not realize that the Young Men's Christian Association is a World Wide Organization. It touches every country under the sun and its members number more than a half a million. In the United States it embraces over 32,000 students in our colleges, nearly 40,000 railroad men, 5,000 soldiers and sailors, nearly 2,000 Indians, over 1,000 miners, 5,000 colored men, 23,000 boys and the other 150,000 members in the United States in the large cities of the Union, the membership in the United States being about 255,000.

Shops Closed For The Day.

The Southern shops at Spencer are closed down today. The cause of the shut-down is due to the fact that the Southern's pump house at the Yadkin river is completely submerged by the water and there is a water drought at the shops. All the engines coming to Spencer for fuel and water are brought to Salisbury for their water supply.

The Yadkin Falling.

The fine weather of the past two days has had a salutary effect on the Yadkin river. Yesterday afternoon at 5 o'clock the river lacked about 2 feet being as high as during the freshest of four weeks ago. It is soon expected to reach the normal point. Mr. Phillip Sowers' wheat field on the Davidson side of the river was very materially damaged by the rise, the river breaking through a neck of his land. Travel was entirely obstructed across the Piedmont Toll Bridge yesterday.

Council Street Cleared.

Mayor Boyden has detailed an officer to keep guard on Council street from Main to the depot each night. He has determined to rid that section of the city of the loafers that have been accustomed to congregate there. This is a splendid move.

The Baggage Room Full.

The baggage room at the Southern depot resembles a wholesale trunk house. The baggage of passengers who have come here from a distance expecting to go up the Western road is stored away in this room and nearly all the available space is now occupied.

The Band Extends Thanks.

The Salisbury colored band desires to extend thanks to those who so kindly gave an entertainment helping to pay for instruments. A. H. McGEE, President.

FOR COTTAGE or Rent Cheap—A nice cottage at Spencer, near South switch. Apply to P. A. Cauble.

MAYOR BOYDEN ANNOUNCES HIS COMMITTEES.

An Important and Lengthy Meeting of the Aldermen Held Last Night. The Business Transacted.

Mayor Boyden is proving himself the veritable hustler that he has heretofore been in other capacities. Last night he had the aldermen in session for the third time this week and the session continued from 8 until after 11 o'clock. During that time a vast amount of business was transacted.

Finance: Mayor Boyden, W. C. Coughenour, W. L. Rankin and J. D. Heilig.

Streets and Sidewalks: T. H. Vanderford, Sr., chairman, J. P. Weber and J. D. Heilig.

Police: J. P. Weber, chairman, M. A. Shank, W. L. Rankin and Mayor Boyden.

Lights: W. L. Rankin, chairman, M. A. Shank and G. W. Wright.

Cemeteries: G. W. Wright, chairman, W. C. Coughenour and J. P. Weber.

Public Buildings: W. C. Coughenour, chairman, W. L. Rankin and T. H. Vanderford.

Sewer and Water: M. A. Shank, chairman, C. H. Swink and W. C. Coughenour.

Fire: C. H. Swink, chairman, J. P. Weber and T. H. Vanderford.

Health: J. D. Heilig, chairman, C. H. Swink and W. C. Coughenour.

Ordinances: T. H. Vanderford, chairman, G. W. Wright and M. A. Shank.

The question of leasing a market house came up and Mr. D. L. Gaskill presented a proposition to the city. No decision was reached, but a committee consisting of Messrs. W. L. Rankin and J. D. Heilig was appointed to visit Winston today and inspect the market house there. They will report on the operations of this market house at the next meeting of the board and the aldermen will take final action very shortly.

A petition with reference to the removal of the negroes near the second bridge on Fisher street as a nuisance was referred to Messrs. C. H. Swink and J. P. Weber, who will report at the next meeting of the board. If they recommend such action this settlement will be commenced.

Mr. M. F. Randle was given the contract to make and place the signs on the various streets of Salisbury.

J. P. Weber and J. D. Heilig were appointed a committee to purchase either a pair of horses or mules and a cart for the city. The cart will be used in hauling off the trash from the streets. The streets will be cleaned at least every Saturday afternoon.

The matter of the condemnation of certain properties was taken up and a committee appointed to institute condemnation proceedings. A resolution was passed expressing it as the sense of the board that the sewer system should be extended where needed and advertisements will be issued for bids as soon as the committee renders its report.

Mr. Simmons Goes To Charlotte.

Mr. R. J. Sigmund, who has served a shifting engineer in the yards of the Southern Railway Company, in this city, for many years, has been given an easier job. He has been assigned to the yards at Spencer, and will be inspector of engines and tools. The job is a much lighter one than he has held in Charlotte and is in the nature of a promotion, as well as recognition of long and valuable service performed by a faithful employe. Mr. Sigmund is succeeded in Charlotte by Mr. Q. E. Simmons, who is transferred from Spencer.—Charlotte Observer.

Street Cab.

Any one desiring a nice street cab phone Dixie Studio, No. 226, J. A. Ramsay, proprietor, conducted by his brother, Albert Ramsay.

Veterinary Surgeon.

Dr. R. H. Manogue, of New York, has located in Salisbury and has an office at Ludwick and Black's livery stable, Salisbury, N. C.

ORDER distilled water ICE of crystal clearness from the Salisbury Ice and Fuel Co., manufacturers.

FAILURE OF A LEADING CHINA GROVE MERCHANT.

The Liabilities are About \$6,000 With Assets Considerably More Than This Creditors Pressed Him.

Mr. F. W. Bost, one of China Grove's leading merchants and one of Rowan's most substantial citizens has made an assignment, with liabilities of \$6,000 and assets considerably in excess of this amount. The assignment was due to the institution of suits by a few creditors. Mr. Bost's failure is regrettable and we trust that he will be able shortly to resume business. R. Lee Wright, Esq., trustee, sent out the following letter today to the creditors:

DEAR SIR:—On yesterday Mr. F. W. Bost, of China Grove, N. C., was forced by several of his creditors to make an assignment for the benefit of all creditors. He made no preferences, and all share alike and come in on equal footing. His liabilities will aggregate about \$6,500 and his assets, not including his real estate, will aggregate about \$10,000, and I feel confident that by the present arrangement he can pay each and every claim in full, 100 cents on the dollar, and then have a competency in real estate and personally to live on.

If he is thrown into bankruptcy every creditor will lose, as you all know, proceedings in bankruptcy are very expensive, and are only schemes by which some lawyers resort to to make large fees, and all of these fees and costs come out in the long run, of the creditors.

I began taking stock today and give the above figures as my estimates. Mr. Bost could have easily pulled through by a little indulgence, but some creditors sued on their claims yesterday, and caused the collapse.

Every creditor shall be treated alike and I am satisfied will be well pleased with my administration, for none shall have any preference, but all alike. The only way you can cause a loss to all and delay matters is to attempt bankruptcy proceedings.

Let me hear. I will not open store for 10 days yet.

Very Truly,
R. LEE WRIGHT,
Trustee.

SCHOOL CLOSING.

The Closing of the White Graded School Tonight.

The pupils of the white graded school have been busy all day rehearsing the parts which they are to take tonight in closing exercises of the white graded school. The children marched in a body from the graded school this morning to the opera house and were assigned to the positions which they will occupy tonight. The exercises promise to be of a very interesting character and all the patrons of the school are invited to be present.

The members of the school committee are requested to be present in a body.

A JOINT MEETING.

The School Board and Aldermen to Meet Shortly.

Mayor Boyden stated at last night's meeting of the aldermen that he would call a joint meeting by not later than Monday, June 3rd, of the board of aldermen and school committeemen to take action on the proposed new school in the South or East ward. At this meeting it will probably be decided just what disposition shall be made of the \$10,000 of bonds issued.

Remember that 5c sale of finger-marked collars at Reid's.

Fine fat mutton at Jackson's market daily.

COW FOR SALE—Seven-eighths Jersey. 3 1/2 gallons.
D. M. PHILLIPS.

Keep Cool Tickets.

Lufsey's 5 and 10 cent store is giving "keep cool tickets" to their customers. These tickets are redeemable at Isenhour & Bean's soda fountain. There is a notable fact about the red nosed man: he always leads in novel advertising and low prices. In the latter he can't be beat. His place is No. 116 N. Main st.

Get a hair cut for 15 cents over Moyle's bar-room.
W. J. T. ROBINSON.

MAY LEAVE SAN FRANCISCO TOMORROW MORNING.

The Physicians' Consultation Will Decide Whether or Not she Will Leave.

San Francisco, May 24.—Secretary Cortelyou today made the following statement concerning the president's plans for his departure for Washington: "Saturday will depend on the conference of the physicians concerning Mrs. McKinley. If they decide that she is strong enough to stand the trip the start will be made as scheduled. No stop will be made until the train reaches Washington. Two trained nurses who have been in attendance on Mrs. McKinley will accompany her to Washington."

WILL MOVE TO SALISBURY.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Wyatt Will Reside Here.

Mrs. J. T. Wyatt, of Faith, was in Salisbury yesterday looking for a house. She was shown over several properties by Mr. T. H. Vanderford.

Mrs. Wyatt contemplates moving to Salisbury very shortly. Mr. Wyatt will not retire from the granite business but will make daily trips from Salisbury to his quarries.

SPENCER PRIMARY.

To be Held Tomorrow Afternoon to Select Postmaster.

A primary will be held at Spencer tomorrow afternoon commencing at 8 o'clock to determine who shall be appointed postmaster at that place.

None but Republicans will be permitted to participate in the primary.

There are at least four candidates for the place: Messrs. Smith the present incumbent, Frye, Armstrong and Foster.

A Six man visited Spencer yesterday afternoon and from what he could gather Mr. Smith was in the lead for the position.

THE MEMPHIS SCHEDULE.

All Southern Trains Will be Run via Atlanta.

Special low rate round trip tickets to Memphis Tenn., on sale today and tomorrow, Saturday, Sunday and Monday, fare \$13.80 and via Chattanooga as follows:

Leaves Salisbury at 8:12 a. m. Arrives Atlanta at 3:55 p. m. Leave " at 4:00 p. m. Arrive Chattanooga at 8:40 p. m. Leave " at 9:10 p. m. Arrive Memphis at 7:40 a. m.

There are other convenient schedules with through cars to Memphis without change.

See the great Mississippi river at its best view. This is an opportunity to pass through the States of North and South Carolina, Georgia and Tennessee at the lowest possible rate of one cent per mile.

Mr. Bryant Here

Mr. H. E. C. Bryant, the popular representative of the Charlotte Observer, was in the city this morning. He came here with the expectation of doing some business for the Observer but owing to the fact that No. 36, due here at 11:04 was delayed until 4:30, on which he was to receive his books, he returned to Charlotte this morning.

Honor Roll.

The High School honor roll for the month of May is as follows: Mildred Brown, Louise Abernethy, Mena Davis, Janet Merit, Sophie Klutz, Janet Crump, Thomas Murphy, Sadie Snider.

The Year's Merit Roll is as follows: Sadie Davis, Mena Davis, Mary Henderson, Janet Crump, Rosa Bernhardt, Mary Murphy, Sophie Klutz, Flora Thornton. Janet Crump has been present every day during the year.

Wheat

Chicago, May 24.—Wheat bids: May, 73 1/2; July, 73 1/2.

Ice Cream.

When you are hot send for a quart of Howard's crystal ice cream, which will be delivered at your house at any time. Special attention and special prices given church festivals and lawn parties. Crystal ice cream made in all flavors. Brick cream and hokey pokey. Corner Kerr and Lee streets. Phone 251.

VIRGINIA, TOO, WILL HAVE CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT.

The Illiterate Whites in the Mountain Sections of Virginia Were Opposed to the Amendment.

Richmond, Va., May 24.—Fuller returns from yesterday's election of members of the constitutional convention show that while the Democrats will have a strong majority in the convention, Democratic candidates were defeated in several of the white counties in the south western part of the State. These counties are in the mountains and populated almost exclusively by whites, average portion of whom are illiterates. In all parts of Virginia where there were illiterate whites a strong opposition to the convention was manifested. All the radical measures in the direction of wholesale disfranchisement either on educational or tax lines will be opposed by the poor whites.

ONE HUNDRED KILLED.

A COLLIERY EXPLOSION IN A PIT TO-DAY.

One Hundred Men Were in the Colliery and it is Not Believed That One Man is Saved.

London, May 24.—An explosion occurred this morning in the Universal Colliery at Sengenhyd. One hundred men were in the pit at the time. There is little hope of saving any.

SPARKS' SHOW.

What the Selma, Alabama, News says of it.

John H. Sparks' show comes to Salisbury tomorrow. The Selma, Alabama, News says of this show: Sparks' railroad shows came to town Sunday and pitched their tent on the old Donaldson lot in John street.

They were greeted by a good audience yesterday and it is not giving them undue praise to say that they gave an exhibition that is first class in every respect. It's a cheap show and a good show; a show that appeals to the impetuous man and compels the warmest encomiums from the gentlemen of larger incomes.

Sparks has the smallest baby elephant performer in the world and its intelligent actions delight the little folks and excite the wonder and admiration of those of taller stature.

The trapeze work and acrobatic feats would be hard to excel, while the other features of the performance are all deserving of special mention.

Mr. Morgan Honored.

Messrs. J. Thomas and John M. Morgan returned last night from Atlanta, where they have been attending the meeting of the South-eastern Bill Posters' Association. Mr. J. T. Morgan was honored by being elected a delegate to the United States and Canada Association, which meets in Buffalo on July 9th. Mr. Morgan will take in the meeting.

The Government Will Win.

Washington, May 24.—The basis of the report published this morning that the Supreme court will hand down a decision in the insular cases favorable to the government next Monday is the fact that Monday is the last decision day before the recess. The Chief Justice has been busy for some time on an opinion.

Against Revision.

Philadelphia, Pa., May 24.—Rev. Dr. David S. Kennedy, of Allegheny, today made a forceful plea against the revision of the creed at today's session of the Presbyterian General Assembly. He said the way to break down the confession is to go on making holes in it.

FOR RENT—Several nice cottages on north Main street. Apply to T. P. Johnston.

FOR RENT.—A nice 4-room cottage near graded school. Apply to D. M. MILLER.

Dr. W. H. Wakefield, of Charlotte, N. C. will be in Salisbury Central Hotel on Wednesday, June 5th, for one day only. His practice is limited to Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat.

Do You

Want to see the latest? Go to Buerbaum and examine the new style cooking vessels, made of fire clay, heavily glazed, with gold decorations under glaze. They are good for all household purposes.

The beautiful new style of Oriental Ware—Vases, etc. They are worth a visit to Buerbaum's.

Those elegant gold and ebony finished oval picture frames from the smallest to the largest sizes. Buerbaum makes the picture frames for the people.

CHATTANOOGA, TENN., MAY 24.—Officers of the Southern here announced today that they will be able to run trains through the flooded district to Bristol over temporary bridges by Monday and will reach Asheville tomorrow.

BRIEF ITEMS.

News Items of Interest too Short for a Head.

Moses Cohn, Esq., of Greensboro, was in the city this morning.

Mr. W. P. Campbell, who has had quite a severe attack of the grip, is able to be out again.

Miss Mary Monroe, of Lenoir, is water-bound here and is visiting at Mr. Edwin Shaver's.

A swell shoe is our guaranteed Patent Leathers in button and lace at \$4. Sold by Peterson & Rulfs, see window.

For babies—48 pairs Meade's soft-sole strap-sandals, tan and black, at 25c; (worth whole-sale 37 1/2c pair.) The Burt Shoe Store.

Mr. Burton Craig was called by telegram to Raleigh Sunday night, where he went on professional business. Mr. Craig returned to Salisbury yesterday.

25 styles misses' slippers, oxfords, sandals and fed rags, in tans, blacks, reds and patent leathers, at interesting prices. The Burt Shoe Store.

Wants a Situation.

Mr. Peter Muse, a capable and steady young man who has been setting type for years, is out of employment and desires a situation. He can give the best of references and is willing to undertake any character of work that he is able to perform. He has only one leg and is consequently debarred from many avenues of employment that would otherwise be open to him.

Lawn Party a Success.

The lawn party given by Class No. 3, of the Baptist Sunday school, last night was a grand success, the ladies realizing quite a neat sum. The proceeds go towards the new Baptist church, which is to be built soon. Another party will probably be given by the same class some time in the near future.

School Closes.

The Catholic parochial school, which has been so successfully conducted for the past year by Rev. Father Joseph, closed this morning. Miss Julia Snipes won the gold medal in the advanced department and little Miss Burnadette Roueche won the prize in the primary department.

Narrow Escape of 400.

Oregon, N. Y., May 24.—The steamer Empire State carrying four hundred passengers bound on an excursion to Kingston, Ont., reached here today to prevent her from sinking. All passengers were rescued.

A New Order.

Washington, May 24.—A general order issued by the war department amend to the army regulation so as to allow the procurement of supplies and engagement of services in oral agreement in the manner common among business men where there is no time for advertisement.

Mrs. Cuthbertson Very Low.

Mr. A. B. Carter, who is at home on a visit to his family, tells us that Editor Cuthbertson, of the Textile Excelsior, is very low at his home in Charlotte and is not expected to recover. Mr. Cuthbertson was at one time a resident of Salisbury and his many friends here will regret to hear of his extreme condition.

A Ministerial Crisis.

Madrid, May 24.—A ministerial crisis is imminent in consequence of election disturbances.

Salisbury High School Closes.

The Salisbury High School closed today to reopen Monday, September 2nd.

MISS ELEANOR WATSON, Prin. MISS ANNIE WILKY, Asst.

Roosevelt on a Vacation.

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