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## John E. Brandon Killed by Lightning Sunday at Enon

John E. Brandon, aged 69, of Winston-Salem, was killed by lightning at the home of Lee Kiger at Enon, this county, Sunday afternoon.

Mr. Brandon was visiting Mr. Kiger, who was sick in bed, and was standing with his hand on a metal bedstead and was relating to Mrs. Kiger that he had twice been struck by lightning, when a bolt struck a telephone post nearby and running into the room, killed Mr. Brandon instantly.

No one else in the room were seriously injured.

Mr. Brandon was to have been baptized Sunday evening.

## Singers Convention; Other Jonesville News

Jonesville, Route 1, June 29.—Rev. M. A. Lindley filled his regular appointment at Swaim's church Sunday, preaching an able sermon.

The Knobs Township Singers Convention met at Swaim's church Sunday afternoon. Three choirs were present, viz: Fall Creek, Forbush and Swaim's, and all did fine singing which consisted of duets and quartets by the different choirs, also Messrs. Masten Nance and Wagoner sang many beautiful songs. The next convention will meet with Fall Creek the fourth Sunday in September.

Mrs. Jacob Brendle has entered a Winston-Salem hospital where she expects to undergo a serious operation.

The condition of Mrs. D. G. Wagoner is slightly improved, she being able to sit up a little.

A two week's singing school, Prof. M. R. Masten in charge, will begin at Swaim's church the second Sunday night in July.

We had a nice rain Sunday afternoon.

Wheat threshing is in full blast

## Fall Creek Township S. S. Convention Sat., July 25

The annual Fall Creek Township Sunday School Convention will be held at Prospect Methodist Church, Saturday, July 25, 1925. Following is the program:

**SATURDAY MORNING, 10:00 O'CLOCK**  
Devotional Exercises.  
Exercises of Prospect Sunday School.  
Election of Officers.  
Committee on Time and Place.  
Exercises of New Home Sunday School.  
Exercises of Friendship Sunday School.  
Noon Recess.

**SATURDAY AFTERNOON, 1:30 O'CLOCK**  
Devotional Exercises.  
Reading of Reports  
Exercises of Mount Pleasant Sunday School.  
Exercises of Union Hill Sunday School.  
Report of the Committee.  
Exercises of Union Cross Sunday School.  
Exercises of Pilot View Sunday School.  
Adjournment.

**SATURDAY NIGHT, 7:45 O'CLOCK**  
Devotional Exercises.  
Exercises of Forbush Sunday School.  
Exercises of Richmond Hill Sunday School.  
Exercises of Union Cross Sunday School.  
Exercises of Deep Creek Sunday School.  
Adjournment.

J. A. WISEMAN, Chairman.  
P. R. MATTHEWS, Secretary.

## Greensboro Man Ran Off With Step-Sister

Claude Meeks, formerly of Greensboro, but late of Birmingham, Ala., has got himself into a peck of trouble.

Meeks deserted his wife and three children a year ago and ran off with his 13 year old step sister, Myrtle Plowman, of Winston-Salem and, their whereabouts had been a complete secret until last week when Meeks accompanied the corpse of the Plowman girl to Winston-Salem for burial, she having given birth to a baby of which Meeks was the father.

When Meeks stepped off the train he was met by his wife and officers and placed under arrest. He was taken to Greensboro and tried for abandonment and sentenced to the roads for two years.

He must yet face the Federal courts for violating the Mann act, and probably other charges.

## Durham is Branded As "Dope Capital"

Four of Durham's leading physicians were tried in Federal court at Raleigh last week and convicted and heavily fined by Judge Meekins for violating the narcotic laws—selling morphine. Two more of the city's leading doctors are yet to be tried.

The licenses of the physicians convicted may be revoked.

Judge Meekins, in the course of the hearing, referred to Durham as the "dope capital" of the United States.

Two men were killed and six others badly injured when a boiler of a threshing machine burst last Saturday in the southern part of Rowan county.

## Rev. Z. Hinohara To Speak in County Sun.

Mr. Zensky Hinohara, of Kobe Japan, will speak next Sunday at three points in Yadkin county. At 11 o'clock at Center Methodist church; at 3 p. m. at Branon Friend's church and at 8 p. m. at Bethel Baptist church.

It is a rare privilege for the public to have the opportunity of hearing a distinguished Japanese preacher and statesman and it is expected that large crowds will hear him at all these points.

Mr. Hinohara took his A. B. and A. M. degrees at Trinity College several years ago and after much service in his native country, came back and spent two years, studying Union Theological Seminary, New York City; following which he went back to Japan where he has given ten successive years as teacher and preacher in Kobe, a city of 700,000 people. He is now in America to rest from his labors in part and to study further the things that make for progress in this country.

While in this county Mr. Hinohara will make headquarters with Rev. J. W. Long, of Greensboro, at his country home out on Yadkinville, Route 1, where he will do most of his actual lecturing and study tours.

## Two Men Arrested Here Tuesday Night

Benny Rowe and Roscoe Sprinkle, two young white men of Elkin, were arrested here and placed in jail Tuesday night.

Spencer is charged with giving a worthless check here recently and also other charges pending against him.

Rowe is charged with operating an automobile without license.

The two men were given a hearing before Squire Gabard yesterday afternoon but our forms closed before the trial was completed.

## Notice of Re-Sale of Real Estate

Pursuant to an order of the Superior Court of Yadkin County made on the 1st day of June, 1925, in a special proceeding entitled F. M. Haire, Administrator of D. T. Groce against Viola Bianche Groce and others I will re-sell at public auction at the Court House door in Yadkinville on the 6th day of July, 1925, at or about the hour of 1 o'clock, the following real estate, to-wit:

Beginning at a stone, M. M. Wagoner's corner, runs north with his line 46 poles to a stone, his corner; then with said Wagoner line 35 poles to a black gum Wagoner's corner; then North 80 poles to a sassafras, Deborah Bryant's corner in L. B. Swaim's line; then East 18 poles to a stone on the East bank of Crutchfield Ford Road, D. C. Swaim's corner; then South with his line 30 poles to a stone in the old field, D. C. Swaim's corner; then nearly East with his line crossing the branch 37 poles to a stone, said Swaim's corner, just below his vineyard; then South crossing the same branch 100 poles to a dogwood sprout in C. L. Groce's line; then west along his line 18 poles to the beginning, containing 24 acres more or less.

This June 20, 1925  
S. Carter Williams,  
Commissioner

## Aged Man Attacks An 11-Year-Old Girl

Jim Calloway, a white man about 55 or 60 years of age, has been arrested charged with attempting criminal assault on an eleven year old girl, the daughter of a Mr. and Mrs. Cook with whom Calloway made his home, in Knobs township, the alleged attack occurring in the woods near the girl's home last Thursday.

Calloway was given a hearing before Squire T. B. Haynes and probable cause for simple assault found. He was placed in jail here, being released Tuesday under \$500 bond, the bond being signed by D. B. Wagoner.

The case will be tried at the August term of Yadkin court.

Calloway is unmarried and has made his home with the girl's parents for some time. He has been active in church work in his section and was highly esteemed by his neighbors until the alleged crime was committed.

## Union Cross Will Have Home Coming

There will be a church Home-Coming and Reunion at Union Cross Friends church on Sunday July 12th.

All persons who have been members of that church or who have ever attended there and all those who have an interest in the church are invited to be present on that day.

There will be a sermon at 11 and an address in the afternoon. Dinner on the grounds. Everybody requested to bring full baskets.

## Negro Draws Two Years for Love Note

In Davidson court last week Gus Lasane, colored, married man 30 years old, drew a sentence of two years on the roads for writing a love note to a white girl, a clerk in a Lexington store, recently.

The negro had made a purchase at the store and when he handed her the pay he handed her the note, at the same time pressing her hand.

## Col. Coolidge Ill

Col. John Coolidge, father of President Coolidge, is reported to be seriously ill at his home at Plymouth, Vermont.

## Trustee's Notice of Sale of Real Estate

By virtue of a deed of trust, executed by Frank Eddleman and wife, Mary Eddleman, on the 7th day of August, 1923, and recorded in book 33, page 34, of mortgages in the office of Register of Deeds for Yadkin county, North Carolina, I will sell for cash, at public auction, at the court house door in Yadkinville, North Carolina, on the 22nd day of July, 1925, the following real estate, to-wit:

Lying and being in Forbush township, Yadkin county, North Carolina, bounded on the north by Cyrus Bruce; on the east by C. Allgood; on the south by D. F. Hobson; on the west by A. R. Lakey lands, containing 110 acres, more or less, and known as the Lakey place.

This June 20, 1925.  
S. Carter Williams, Trustee

## Santa Barbara, California, Destroyed by Earthquake

### Forsyth Sends Three Negroes To The Chair

In Forsyth court last week John Dawkins and Ernest Key, both colored, were sentenced to be electrocuted on August 4 for the murder of J. H. Vaughn, a merchant, in Winston-Salem last year. Both negroes are from South Carolina.

At the same court Fred Jones also colored, was sentenced to be electrocuted on September 4 for the murder of James Monroe King recently when the negro held up the office force at the Winston Steam Laundry.

Several other murder cases are pending in Forsyth court

### Re-Sale of Valuable Farming And Timber Lands

By virtue of an order of the Superior Court of Yadkin County made on the 15th day of June, 1925, in an action therein pending wherein Lon C. Fleming et al are petitioners, and M. B. Mills et al are defendants, the undersigned commissioner will sell for cash to the highest bidder, at public auction, at the court house door in Yadkinville, N. C., on

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sale to begin at about 1 o'clock P. M., the following described lands:

TRACT ONE: Lying on the waters of North Hunting Creek in the County of Yadkin, and in state of North Carolina, bounded as follows: Beginning at a chestnut on a branch below the school house spring, corner of the Lindsey tract; thence with the Lindsey's old line S 30 degrees E 52 poles to a pine, Fleming corner; with said line S 38 degrees E on Flemings line 98 poles to a post oak, Flemings corner; then E 80 poles to a post oak; thence N 75 degrees W 186 poles to a post oak the old beginning corner of the tract; thence westwardly to the beginning, containing 100 acres more or less.

TRACT TWO: Adjoining the lands of William S. Gough, James Dickerson and others, and bounded as follows: Beginning at a hickory on the bank of Hunting creek, runs N 5 degrees E 53 poles to a maple; then N 25 degrees E 21 poles to a ——— in Cowles and Gough's line; then S 60 degrees E 64 poles to a pine; then E 56 poles to a poplar then E 1 degree S 14 poles to a white oak; thence E 14 degrees N 79 poles to a post oak; thence S 39 poles to a branch (the corner white oak on the south side of branch); then S about 50 degrees west 200 poles down the meanders of said branch to Hunting creek; then N about 80 degrees W up the meanders of said creek 158 poles to the beginning, containing and including 150 acres more or less.

TRACT THREE: Lying on the waters of north Hunting creek in the county of Yadkin, and in state of N. C., and bounded as follows: Beginning at a hickory on the red bank, Flemings corner; thence N 5 degrees West to Thomas Lindsey's or Cowles corner; thence with his line westward to the creek thence southwardly down the creek with its meanders to the beginning, containing by estimation 45 acres more or less.

The above tracts of land con-

Santa Barbara, Cal. June 29.—The business district of this city was practically destroyed by an earthquake early today.

The damage to property is estimated at \$25,000,000. The loss of life is not large, only twelve persons being reported dead. This is due to the fact that a slight tremor earlier in the day frightened people from the buildings, and most of them were in the open when buildings crumbled.

A large hotel was demolished without the loss of a soul.

Santa Barbara is one of the oldest cities in California with a population of 30,000.

### Other States Shaken

The state of Montana and parts of California and other western states were shaken by earthquakes Saturday.

Six large towns in Montana suffered from the tremors, three in number, which shook and cracked buildings. Near Lombard a mountain slid down on railroad tracks, blocking traffic. No deaths from the quakes were reported in Montana.

In northern California a mountain side slid down in a pass, killing three persons, members of a fishing party.

### Re-Sale of Land

By virtue of an order of the superior court of Yadkin county, made in a special proceeding, entitled B. C. Shore, administrator of S. M. Ashley, deceased vs Margaret Ashley et al, the undersigned commissioner will sell to the highest bidder, at public auction at the court house door in Yadkinville on Monday, July 6th, 1925, at 1 o'clock p. m., the following described real estate: Adjoining the lands of P. M. Nicks, A. J. Reinhardt and bounded as follows: Beginning at a stone in the middle of the branch being the northwest corner, runs south 17.35 chs to a stone at a pine, Nicks' corner thence east with Nicks' line 17.77 chs to a stone; thence north 2.50 chs to a stone in the swamp thence east 75 links to the middle of the branch; thence north 15 degrees west with said branch as it meanders 6 chains to a crook in the branch; then north 20 degrees east 1 chain with said branch; then north 30 degrees west with said branch 5 chains to Mathis' line; the nearly west with said branch as it meanders 30.30 chs; then north about 10 degrees west with said branch 12 chs to the beginning containing 25 acres more or less.

Terms of sale one-half cash on confirmation of sale, remainder on credit of six months with bond and approved security, This June 13, 1925.

B. C. Shore, Commissioner.

stitute the real estate of the late S. F. Fleming, deceased, and is sold for partition. Tracts will be offered separately and as a whole, or in any combination for the best price. There is perhaps more valuable timber of oak, pine, and forest pine on these lands than on any other similar lands in this section of the state.

Terms of sale cash on confirmation of sale. This June 15, 1925.

Wade Reavis,  
Commissioner