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## THE BEAUTIES OF OUR PASSENGER STATION.

Editor Harris Thinks Shelter of the Shed Preferable to the "Comforts" of the Depot.

Editor Wade H. Harris, of the Charlotte Chronicle, who was here Sunday, has this to say in his paper of Monday regarding the "comforts and conveniences" of our elegant passenger station:

Under certain circumstances, a stay of one hour and forty minutes in the elegant passenger station at Concord is a joy to be remembered. Especially if it is at night and the time marked up for the late train to come has passed and no sign of a headlight from up the track. One of the circumstances referred to is when the ears of the waiting travelers are tickled by the roar of a drought-breaking rain, one like that which prevailed last night during the entire wait.

From the comfortably appointed ladies' waiting room, the women came out under the train shed where the breeze was even fresher than that created by the electric fans in the depot. The polished hardwood seats in the general waiting room were also deserted. Everybody seemed to think the shelter of the shed preferable to the comforts and conveniences of the depot. The rain sounded more refreshing as it battered on the tin roof and the intermittent panorama of distant hills as revealed by occasional flashes of lightning gave cheering optical assurance as to the thoroughness of the rain. The section of Cabarrus immediately around Concord had been more greatly in need of rain than any other part of the State. The rain which last night cheered the waiting passengers, gave out at the Mecklenburg line, at least the train ran out of it there and Charlotte was found as dry as a dust pan. However, there is some moisture in the air, and the indications are that there will be no more serious suffering from dry weather. Cotton and corn is in fine condition. Even one rainy day this week will bring out these crops wonderfully.

## Young Tennessee Senator Gives Up

Washington, June 19.—United States Senator Luke Lea, of Tennessee, to save the life of his stricken wife, heroically sacrificed a quart of his blood at Georgetown hospital yesterday and tonight hope for Mrs. Lea's recovery, which had almost been abandoned, is practically assured the anxious youngest senator of the nation as he lies near the bedside of his wife recuperating his strength.

Mrs. Lea's condition, serious for some time, became alarming Sunday after an operation the day before. Her strength, because of lack of blood, was gone and vitality was fast ebbing away. Senator Lea, upon learning of her condition, demanded that a transfusion operation be performed and prepared at once to submit to the ordeal. Attending physicians and surgeons made arrangements immediately and the operation which followed was declared to have been very successful.

## Asheville Dogs Must be Muzzled with a Muzzle.

Asheville, June 19.—In the future all dogs in Asheville must be properly muzzled—not "halted." Judge Adams, of the municipal court, has informed the officers that the muzzling ordinance contemplated a safe and secure muzzle and that a leather halter is not a muzzle. Most of the dog owners of Asheville have attempted to comply with the law by simply placing a small leather halter over the heads of the canines, not unlike the mule halter. This method of muzzling has passed muster for two or three years, but under Judge Adams' ruling and instructions halter muzzles must be abandoned and proper muzzles used.

## North Carolina Doctors Meet.

Charlotte, N. C., June 20.—The medical profession of North Carolina is well represented at the 58th annual session of the Medical Society, of North Carolina, which opened here this morning to remain in session three days. Elaborate programs have been prepared for every one of the meetings and the papers, reports and addresses scheduled cover practically every phase of medicine and surgery. On Wednesday a special conference for the discussion of the Hookworm disease will be held after the regular session.

## HOME NEWS WHILE AWAY.

To keep in touch with home news Concordians leaving the city should not fail to have the Tribune mailed to them. It will be sent promptly and addresses may be changed as often as desired without interruption of service. Mail order or phone 78. Ten cents a week in advance.

## JAPANESE HORDES FACE RISING SUN.

Plans to Populate Philippines and South America Government Backs Project.

Washington, June 20.—As a result of unofficial information reaching Washington from Tokio in the last few days, the attention of the State Department has been turned on the activities of Japan in carrying out what seems to be a "divine policy" of expansion in the Philippines and South America.

It is learned from Tokio that the Japanese Government, which directs all emigration movements, has decided to pour her citizens in upon the Philippines. One hundred and fifty will be sent by each steamer to Manila, according to the present plan. In the past they have received a chilly reception, especially from the native Filipinos, who dislike them intensely. The word has gone forth in Tokio that passports will be freely issued to subjects of the Mikado desiring to try their fortune in South American countries.

In Brazil, it has been learned, permission has been granted by the Minister of Agriculture for the establishment of a Japanese colony at Munisipio, Campo, in the Amazon Valley. This colony will be founded by a Japanese syndicate which is known to have the support of the Tokio Government. Rice and sugar plantations will be developed. The colony is expected to prove but the first of a series.

## Talk of a Combine of Furniture Factories.

For several years rumors have been current of a movement to consolidate ten or more of the largest furniture manufacturing plants in the Piedmont section, the towns included being Winston-Salem, High Point and Mt. Airy. The High Point Enterprise has this story:

"The Enterprise never has any inclination to dip into private matters unless the public is concerned. We have known for some time that about ten furniture factories here and elsewhere were discussing the advisability of organizing a new company for the purpose of buying out these ten factories. In cotton mill circles they would call it a merger. Some time ago there was a preliminary meeting to talk over the matter and subsequently there was a signed agreement to have a future meeting to hear reports, discuss still further the plans suggested. This meeting will be held some time next week. This is all that has been done up to this time and it is best for all that a plain statement of facts be given.

"The Enterprise is not in possession of a complete list of the factories named in connection with the new plan but they embrace some of the largest furniture factories here and at Mt. Airy and Winston. This is practically the situation at this time."

## Teaching Monkeys to Pick Cotton.

An attempt is to be made in Fulton county, Ga., French cotton experts to teach monkeys to pick cotton. If the experiment succeeds a colony of monkeys will be imported and put to work.

The idea was suggested by the antics of a pet chimpanzee carried by a farmer boy into the fields. The little animal after frisking around for a time and watching the negroes at work, began of its own accord to pick the cotton with almost incredible rapidity.

Animal trainers find it very easy to teach monkeys to perform any manual trick or labor. By utilizing monkey labor the cost of cotton harvesting would be infinitely less than with human labor.

## Futile Strike at Spencer.

Spencer, June 19.—Because a demand for an increase of twenty-five cents a day in wages was refused, about one hundred truckmen employed by the Southern Railway Company at its big transfer sheds in Spencer went out on a strike today. Within about two hours the Southern shipped several car loads of men from Greensboro and other points to take the place of the strikers and the freight is being handled as usual. The strikebreakers are being cared for in camp cars provided by the Southern. The men had heretofore worked for \$1.25 a day for their work and demanded \$1.50. It is not believed that the strike will interfere in the least with freight traffic.

## Engraved Wedding Invitations and Announcements.

We hope our friends will not forget that we furnish the most elegant marriage invitations and announcements that can be obtained. We have a book showing a beautiful line of samples of the very latest styles, which will be sent to anyone on request. All orders are considered strictly confidential.



KING GEORGE AND QUEEN MARY IN THEIR MAGNIFICENT CORONATION ROBES.

## Landis News.

Yesterday afternoon lightning struck the barber shop here, a small building near the postoffice, knocking down the stove pipe, tearing a large place in the roof and ripping off part of the weather boarding and ceiling near the door. Fortunately no one was in the building at the time.

A four-year-old child of Mr. John Weaver, who lives about a mile from here fell from a swing a few days ago and sustained a broken leg.

Lumber is being placed on the ground for the new bank and hotel building.

Mr. J. A. Lipe, of Enochville, is building a nice residence here.

Mr. G. H. Corriher's new house is nearing completion.

The roller flour mill is now buying wheat and will start up in a few days.

We are having fine rains now.

Landis, June 20, 1911.

## The Lyceum Committee Organizes.

At a meeting of the Lyceum committee last night Dr. Chas. P. McLaughlin was elected Chairman, Mr. Chas. B. Wagoner, Treasurer, and A. S. Webb, Secretary. Publicity Committee, Messrs. Maness, Watson and Sherrill.

The committee has contracted with the Alkabet Bureau for six first class attractions at \$550.

Season tickets will be sold at two dollars for a single ticket and four dollars for a double ticket.

It is the sole purpose of this committee to furnish Concord with clean, first-class amusement and it bespeaks the hearty co-operation of all interested in this subject.

## Jail Birds Almost Cremated.

Spencer, N. C., June 19.—Tom Dean and A. V. White, employees of the Southern Railway Company at Spencer, set fire to the town jail yesterday afternoon and were for a time in danger of being burned to death. The men were locked up by Chief of police J. R. Cruse for disorderly conduct and soon after the official left the small wooden jail smoke was seen coming from the windows and cracks, and an alarm was given, but before relief was given the prisoners decided to put the fire out rather than take chances of burning to death.

## Party Friday Evening.

Invitations reading as follows were issued this morning:  
Miss Ruth Coltrane  
Miss Elizabeth Coltrane  
at home  
Friday evening, June twenty-third  
Nineteen hundred and eleven  
Miss Elliott  
Miss Franklin  
Miss Masten  
Miss Cannon

## Fighting the White Plague.

Denver, Colo., June 20.—The seventh annual convention of the National Association for the Study and Prevention of Tuberculosis began in this city today and will continue over tomorrow. Delegates from every section of the country, including many medical men of prominence, are in attendance.

## Public Debate at Gold Hill June 24.

A public debate will be given in Liberty school house at Gold Hill Saturday evening, June 24, beginning at 4 o'clock. The query: Resolved "That immigration into the United States should be prohibited." is one which has caused much interest to be manifested in our status of citizenship and is live and up-to-date. It never gets too old for colleges and secondary institutions, and especially finds place in our Congressional Hall. This question will be ably discussed by experienced debaters and speakers.

Messrs. B. L. Phillips and C. G. Frick will defend the affirmative, and Messrs. John L. Trexler and Paul L. Goodman will defend the negative. Everybody is cordially invited to be present and hear the discussions of these eloquent speakers.

## Modern Woodmen in Session.

Buffalo, N. Y., June 20.—With the opening session this morning began one of the greatest conventions of Modern Woodmen of America in the history of the order. It is estimated there are 10,000 Woodmen in the city and others are arriving on every train. A committee of several hundred is caring for the visitors, and the city is decorated in carnival fashion.

The opening session of the Head Camp in Convention Hall this morning was entirely routine and consisted of addresses of welcome by the mayor and others, a response by Head Consul A. R. Talbot of Nebraska, and the appointment of committees.

## Robert C. Ogden is 75.

New York, June 20.—Robert C. Ogden, the millionaire merchant and philanthropist, attained his seventy-fifth birthday today. Mr. Ogden was born in Philadelphia and started his career in that city as an errand boy at \$1.00 a week. In 1885 he became associated with John Wanamaker and later he made a large fortune as a partner in the Wanamaker stores. Of late years Mr. Ogden has been prominently identified with the movement for education in the South.

## Salisbury Man Knocked Unconscious.

Salisbury, June 19.—W. H. Masters, bookkeeper for Swift and company, in Salisbury, received a severe shock from lightning during a severe electric storm which passed over this section of the state last night. He was entering the front gate of his boarding house when he was knocked unconscious to the ground. He was attended by a physician and soon rallied and will recover.

## Nine Hours for Women Workers.

Jefferson City, Mo., June 20.—The women's nine-hour law recently enacted by the Missouri legislature becomes effective today. It provides that no woman or girl shall be required to work in any manufacturing, mechanical or merchandising establishment more than nine hours in any one day, or more than fifty hours in one week.

Misses Estelle Dick and Nannie and Catherine Crowell spent yesterday in Mount Pleasant with friends.

## PERSONAL MENTION.

Some of the People Here and Elsewhere Who Come and Go.

Mr. J. H. Moody, of Albemarle is a visitor in the city.

Mr. B. B. Flowe, of Raleigh, is a Concord visitor today.

Mr. G. F. Brown has gone to Asheville to spend ten days.

Dr. W. C. Houston spent yesterday at Stouts, on the Seaboard.

Mr. R. F. Pfifer has returned from a trip to Little Switzerland.

Mr. P. F. Stallings, of Harrisburg, has returned from a business trip to Tennessee.

Mr. John A. Barnhardt has gone to Davis Sulphur Springs, Hiddenite, to spend a fortnight.

Mrs. G. H. Ruedge and children, Reedy, Allan and John, will leave tomorrow for Stanly Creek to visit relatives.

Mrs. W. R. Harris will return to her home tomorrow, after visiting relatives and friends in the city for a week.

Mrs. E. J. Braswell has returned from Charlotte where she has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Johnson.

Dr. W. P. Spears, of Winston-Salem was a visitor in the city yesterday with a view to locating here for the practice of medicine.

Mrs. Bertha Moody and daughter, Miss Gene, of Richmond, are visiting Mrs. Moody's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Robinson.

Mr. and Mrs. David Caldwell have returned from Blacksburg, S. C., where Mr. Caldwell has completed a contract for building a house.

Mrs. J. W. Cannon and Miss Laura McGill Cannon returned yesterday from Winston-Salem. They were accompanied by Master J. B. Douglas, Jr.

Messrs. J. E. Davis and Lewis Hartsell have gone to Hendersonville to attend the convention of the North Carolina Retail Merchants Association.

Misses Ruby Elliot, of Durham; Juanita Masten, and Eugenia Franklin, of Winston-Salem, and Laura McGill Cannon will arrive Thursday to visit Miss Elizabeth Coltrane.

Prof. and Mrs. Taylor, who have been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. P. B. Fetzer, left this morning for Camp Cherokee, near Asheville. Mr. Robert Fetzer will go there tomorrow night.

Misses Mary Williamson, of Mooresville, Marion and Lora Little, of Wadesboro, and Mabel Trotter, of Charlotte, have returned to their respective homes, after visiting Miss Zeta Caldwell for several days.

Messrs. E. C. Barnhardt and Charles Cannon, of this city, Dr. and Mrs. Misenheimer, Dr. and Mrs. Erwin, of Charlotte; Mrs. King, of Albemarle, and Mrs. Ingram, of Wadesboro, have gone on a Western trip. They will visit Los Angeles, San Francisco, Yellowstone Park and other places on interest.

## Death of Mrs. B. E. Sergeant.

Mr. W. R. Odell and Mr. Arthur G. Odell are in Greensboro today attending the funeral of Mrs. B. E. Sergeant, who died there Monday morning. She was the mother of the late Mrs. W. R. Odell. She died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. E. M. Andrews, after an illness of some months. She was in her 84th year, and leaves her husband in his 85th year. She leaves three sons and two daughters. The funeral service was conducted this morning by Rev. E. K. McLarty.

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## REWARD.

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J. L. BOGER,  
Chief of Police.

## A DELIGHTFUL MEETING

Of the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society of Central Methodist Church.

A very delightful meeting of the Woman's Missionary Society of Central Methodist church was held Monday afternoon with Mrs. W. F. Goodman.

We were most fortunate in having present two charming visitors, Miss Edith Brittingham, of Norfolk, Va., who is preparing for work in the foreign field, and Mrs. W. R. Harris, our former district secretary and faithful co-worker. Devotional exercises were conducted by Mrs. Harris, followed by a short business session.

Touching resolutions in memory of two of our members who have recently passed away (Mrs. V. Y. Suther and Mrs. E. C. Wagoner) were read and adopted. Both interesting and instructive was the talk by Miss Brittingham in which she gave us a description of the life at the Seaboard Bible Training School. To come in touch with her beautiful young life, consecrated to her Master's work, was indeed an inspiration to all who were so fortunate as to hear her.

Another feature of the evening was the report from our recent annual meeting in Lexington. Mrs. D. B. Coltrane, who represented this society, Mrs. W. C. Houston, our president, and Mrs. W. R. Harris, all gave enthusiastic reports, causing us to feel that we had caught some of the spirit of the occasion.

After this, our hostess served delicious refreshments, which brought to a close a most enjoyable afternoon.

## Y. W. C. A. Conference.

Cascade, Colo., June 20.—The annual Western general conference of the Young Women's Christian Association assembled here today and will continue until June 30. Delegates from many of the Western States are in attendance.

Passengers on train No. 7 yesterday afternoon report a heavy rain in the section from China Grove to the county home.

## GENERAL NEWS.

News from Here, There and Everywhere.

As far as it can be ascertained up to the present by the authorities of the state prison the accident near Waterville Sunday morning in which four negro convicts lost their lives was unavoidable.

Senator F. M. Simmons has consented to deliver an address at the annual meeting of the North Carolina Rural Letter Carriers' Association, which convenes in Winston-Salem for a two-days' session on July 4th.

Two detectives employed by the city police department, having worked in Greensboro for the past few days, succeeded Saturday night in rounding up a large number of men and women of the city whom the accuse of retailing whiskey.

The Seaboard Air Line Railway company has a large force at work on the ballasting of the main line between Raleigh and Hamlet with very excellent ballast material that is being gotten out in very large quantities at Cameron.

An old time Fiddlers' Convention is to be a feature of July 4th at Spencer. It will take place at night at 8 o'clock in the graded school building, and it is planned that the entertainment shall excel in interest anything of the kind ever attempted at Spencer.

Fire is reported in Clinch mountain tunnel, north of Johnson City, on the Carolina, Clinchfield & Ohio Railroad. Traffic is stopped, and it may be several days before trains can be operated through the tunnel. The overhead staging caught fire. The tunnel is about one mile in length.

It will still be several days before the actual shortage of Cashier Hart and Assistant Cashier Hussey, of the Bank of Tarboro, is known. State Bank Examiner Doughton has been working steadily on the job since the exposure of Cashier Hart last Wednesday and he is still of the opinion that the shortage will run over \$100,000. He says it is the worst case that has come to light in ten years.

## GOOD BARGAINS

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ALL WEEK

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