

FARM NEWS

By L. A. AMMON

Have you used the spike-tooth harrow on your corn this year? more and more of the farmers are following this practice. Shut your eyes the first time, and do not go back into the field for a few days, and you will not feel so bad about the deed. A very good way to kill early weeds. It keeps the surface loose and the air can get in and the corn, whether up or not up, enjoys the extra air for a few days. Lets make it more of a general practice.

Remember how that cheat in the rye hurt our seed rye last year. It is now ready to pull, and let's hope many will be at the game this year.

Heard to-day that Herman Kitchen has some pigs. Don't rush him too much as he only has thirty, and that will not begin to supply the shortage.

The next ten days is a good time to plant the soy beans, will do up to July Fourth for hay only. The acreage will not be cut as much as first thought, due to the high price of seed. Several new users this year.

Thirty-two people sprayed apples this year, as compared with eight last year. Too bad so much of the fruit was killed. One-fourth crop of apples left, it seems now.

The McCoy-O'Kelly poultry ranch lost fifty-two nice friers last week from eating rose bugs. Twelve of these bugs are supposed to kill a hen.

Several new parties are thinking of entering the poultry business next year in a commercial way.

Miss Gennette Talley tried out broilers for the market this year, and states there is more money in them than in cattle considering the amount invested. Do you keep books with your chickens, so you can give me some figures? Same would be appreciated.

Early potatoes are going to be late, and the camps had better look out for a supply of old ones. We have a few yet, and I would be glad to put the managers in touch with those having a surplus.

Poultry Market

The Federation truck took away 32 crates of chickens Friday, and for lack of coops had to leave some for next time. They paid \$438 for the load. This makes \$900 for the three trips.

Chicken market is dull from reports this week. Hens are down two cents and broilers down to thirty-two cents per pound.

Clover seed have dropped two cents more per pound, but are yet very high, at 32 cents wholesale.

The bean beetle has appeared at last, but not in as strong numbers as last year, considering the number last August. Hand picking of these first ones is your best go for control of the later ones. For those having a larger acreage, use calcium arsenate and lime as a dust or arsenate of lead as a wet spray. The big job or the rub, is in placing these on the underside of the leaves. I have the poisons for the fight at my office.

Remember that the way in which you handle your bean crop will help place a cannery here or turn it away, as beans are a base crop for a cannery.

With all the eggs that we will have for sale next year, why not someone strat a sure-to-goodness poultry store and handle things in a wholesale way. A good opening for the future it seems.

A REAL farmer from Henderson County is expected to buy a good farm in this County in the next few days. Eyes are turned our way now, so let's put more pride in keeping our farms clean, and presentable.

MRS. C. R. McNEELY DIES AT LAKE TOXAWAY

The many friends of Mrs. C. R. McNeely, of Lake Toxaway, will learn with sorrow of her death which occurred at her home, Saturday, May 16. The news of her death came as a great shock to relatives and friends, as she had been in ill health only a few days. Funeral services were held Sunday afternoon at the Lake Toxaway church, the Rev. W. H. Nicholson conducting the services. The body was laid to rest in the Lake Toxaway cemetery.

Mrs. McNeely is survived by a husband and five children; three sons, Fred, Walter and Robert, and two daughters, Carrie and Mrs. Wm. Croom.



J. H. (Joe) Tinsley, owner of the new Tinsley Building, who has contributed much to the progressiveness of Brevard.

Two New Building Projects on Maple Hart and Loftis Move Into Harris Building

L. A. Ammon is erecting a handsome new residence on Maple street, which is nearing completion and will be ready for occupancy within the month. It is a frame structure with ten rooms and bath, and thoroughly modern in every respect. The construction work is in charge of Herman Jordan.

J. W. Smith is making additions to his present residence on Maple street, and also erecting a small building adjacent to it. The dining room is being enlarged, having a glass-enclosed sun-parlor feature. A carport garage is also in the process of construction, with conveniently arranged sleeping quarters above consisting of four bed rooms and bath. Young and Miller have the construction work in charge.

SATURDAY, MAY 30, SET FOR RUMMAGE SALE

The ladies of the Betterment Association will conduct a rummage sale, Saturday, May 30, in the Directors' room of the old bank building, beginning at 9 o'clock a.m., and continuing through the day and evening. Those who have articles to donate for this sale are requested to have them ready for the day, Friday, May 29, on which date the dray will call for all articles.

Mrs. C. B. Deaver, Mrs. W. E. Breese, Advertising Committee.

Singing Convention To Be Held At Pisgah Forest-31

The fifth session of the Transylvania County Singing Convention will be held at the Pisgah Forest Baptist church, at 9:30 o'clock a.m. Sunday, May 31.

The president pro tem will call the session to order, followed by a song service led by W. C. McCall, using No. 84 Shining Way. Devotional exercises will be conducted by Rev. D. Tipton, pastor of the Pisgah Forest Baptist church, after which the election of officers for the ensuing year will be in order. This will be followed by singing led by Prof. Burns, using Shining way No. 109. From 11 o'clock to 12, singing and address by the pastor, Rev. Tipton. From 12:30 to 1:30, lunch. One-thirty o'clock, singing by W. C. McCall, Shining Way No. 163. Devotional exercises conducted by Rev. E. R. Welch, pastor of the Brevard Methodist church. Singing from 2 until 4 o'clock p.m., by the convention.

The general public is cordially invited to attend this singing convention. All are requested to bring their own dinner baskets and song books, The Shining Way.

Walter F. Hart and L. C. Loftis will, within a short time, move their respective places of business from their present locations into the new Harris Building on Main street.

Mr. Hart, owner and manager of the Brevard Battery Company, will occupy one-half of the building, and will thoroughly equip same as an office, show room, and with modern battery appliances. The basement will be used as a storage room and general repair shop. A convenient driveway straight through the building will be arranged, being, it is claimed, the only one in town of like nature so constructed.

Mr. Loftis, electrical contractor, will occupy the other half of said building, and will carry a complete line of up-to-date electrical appliances and be prepared to serve his customers with all kinds of necessary electrical equipment.

THREE WEEKS UNION REVIVAL WILL CLOSE ON THURSDAY NIGHT

The three weeks' union revival meetings will come to a successful close Thursday night of this week. The expenses of the meetings, amounting to \$700, were paid off the first week, and a purse of \$1,000 was presented Rev. Stanbury the past week in token of the appreciation of his services, and to aid in the furtherance of the cause he represents. The above mentioned \$1700 was contributed through pledges and plate collections taken at the evening services. This amount was in addition to the donation of \$105.00 made by the K. K. K. to Mr. Stanbury. The people of Brevard have opened their hearts and pocket-books as never before known for such a cause.

As a result of the meeting, approximately 300 souls have been saved, and many church members have re-consecrated themselves to God. Many claim this to be the greatest revival known in the history of Brevard. Quite a number of the converts united with the various churches Sunday. The entire community has been stirred, without regard to denominational lines, all working together for the salvation of the lost. Rev. Stanbury has brought messages of clear, powerful truths, without respect to anyone, and the power and demonstration of the Spirit have been in our midst. The evangelistic party accompanying Rev. Stanbury have given valuable assistance with the singing and personal work. May the Lord bless these good people and continue to use them, wherever they may be, for the advancement of His Kingdom.

B. H. S. Commencement Exercises May 24 to 27; Seventeen Graduates

COMMENCEMENT EXERCISES ROSMAN SCHOOL MAY 22-26

Commencement exercises of the Rosman High School will begin on Friday, May 22, at 8:00 p.m., with the presentation by the high school pupils of a play "The Average Man."

On Sunday morning at 11:15 o'clock, Rev. E. R. Welch, pastor of the Brevard Methodist church, will preach the baccalaureate sermon in the school auditorium.

Monday, May 24, at 8:00 p.m., the grammar grades will give a very interesting program. At this time the seventh grade certificates will be awarded to the pupils of the Quebec, Calvert and Rosman schools.

The graduating exercises will be held on Tuesday evening, at 8:00 o'clock.

HIGH SCHOOL PRESENTS SECOND PIANO RECITAL

On Friday evening of this week, May 22, beginning promptly at 8:00 o'clock, members of the Music Department of the Brevard High School will give a recital.

Also, at this time will be presented certificates for perfect attendance, diplomas to the seventh grade pupils who have passed the County Examinations and the medal given by the D. A. R. to the seventh grade pupil who makes the highest average in History.

Every body is most cordially invited to attend all these exercises.

REV. L. A. FALLS SUFFERS PARALYTIC STROKE

Th many friends of Rev. L. A. Falls, of Kernersville, N. C., and former pastor of Brevard Methodist church, will learn with deep regret of the paralytic stroke which he suffered at his home last Friday evening.

Following a consultation of physicians, little hope was held out for his recovery. This is the third stroke Rev. Falls has experienced.

The sympathy of the entire community is extended the family in this time of anxiety.

NEW JOE TINSLEY BUILDING OPENS FOR BUSINESS

The Joe Tinsley Building on Main street, adjoining the new bank building, is receiving the finishing touches and opened for business this week.

The building is a handsome structure of brick and concrete, one-half of which is occupied by C. Y. Patton as a Cash and Carry Grocery, and has been used as such for the past several weeks. A stairway between the two sections of the building leads to most desirable office rooms, of which there are ten in number. Several of the rooms are already rented as office space, and will be occupied by the respective parties at an early date.

The other half of the building, which opens for business this week, is divided into attractively appointed compartments, one section of which is used by Mr. Tinsley as a real estate and insurance office, and is most conveniently arranged as to equipment and location. The other section of this spacious room, which is a separate compartment of pleasing design, is occupied by B. F. Beasley as a jewelry repair shop. These sections both have front facings.

The interior of the room is effective with its hardwood floor, attractive blocked metal ceiling, stained oak woodwork, and novel compartment decorations. Mr. Tinsley, himself had charge of the construction work, and with his efficient corps of workers completed this commodious structure in the record breaking time of fourteen weeks.

THE PRAYER CORNER

FAITH AND SERVICE

One fundamental reason for the "Endless Revival of the Church" is that faith never is satisfied until it issues in work. It insists on our being Servants One to Another.

We speak of God's merciful acceptance of a man, when out of sin he turns his life by faith toward Christ, but to interpret this as the adequacy of faith without effective service, is to misread the Scripture and to demoralize life. Faith that does not lead to service is no real faith at all. But whenever men endeavor to express in work any faith which they may hold, they must come together.

As one writer says, "Service involves co-operation." A hermit may have faith, but his faith does not concern any ideal beyond himself; it has no outlook upon his own soul's condition in the world to come; it is a narrow, selfish, unoperative thing. As soon as men are equipped by some moving faith about what ought to be done for God's service and man's welfare, here and now, a hermit's solitude or any sort of unaffiliated life becomes impossible. They must combine in a fellowship of faith and of labor, to seek common ends. They begin to say with Edward Rowland Sill, "For my part, I long to fall in with somebody. This picket duty is monotonous. I hanker after a shoulder on this side and the other." And to fall in with other to serve Christian ends means some kind of church.

Let us pray today for a church more fit to express this passion to serve. To the Master, religion meant practicalness and magnanimity, self-forgetfulness and self denial, high purpose and deep joy in ministry, boundless brotherhood and a love lacking by no ingratitude or sin.

The heights of His faith in God conspired to send service pointing down to men in their day-to-day will. It was sure the good God will be content with nothing less than goodness in His children, and that the crown of goodness is a positive life of outgoing service to all mankind.

CAST OF CHARACTERS: Constance, brilliant young daughter of Harvey Darcy; Mary Johnson Celeste, a vivacious French Maid; Ruth Water; Ann Delavan, manager of Tuxedo-brook Club House; Pauline Sittou; Mildred Delavan, eighteen-year-old daughter of Ann Delavan; Mildred Clayton; Mrs. Blainwood, a society leader of Tuxedo-brook; Frances Wilson; Fay Blainwood, Mrs. Blainwood's debutante daughter, Virginia Mason; Alice Stanley, a graceful society girl; Yvonne Shuford; Freda Mason, a typical society girl; Nancy Macfie; Mrs. Herrick, a beautiful society matron; Lela Barnette; Susan Ruzgas, Mrs. Delavan's melancholy maid-servant, Annie Young; Cruger Blainwood, Mrs. Blainwood's son; Robert Plummer; Ralph Hastings, a young crowd; Guy Lowe; John, chauffeur to Constance; Carl McCrary; Jasper Delavan, an elderly scientist; Goodie Loftis; Sylvester Crane, a diffident chap; Branch Parker; Bert Shaffer, an awkward member of the younger society set; Eben Ames; Others for ensemble scene are: Margaret Lyerly, Lila Bracken, Joe Foole, James Waters, Edna King, Jack Trantham.

A PRAYER FOR FAITH AND SERVICE
God, we pray for Thy Church, which is set today amid the perplexities of a changing order; and face to face with a great new task. We remember with love, the nurture she gave to our spiritual life in its infancy, the tasks she set for our growing strength; the influence of the devoted hearts she gathers, the steadfast power for good she has exerted. When we compare her with all other human institutions, we rejoice, for there is none like her. But when we judge her by the mind of her Master; we bow in pity and contrition. Oh, baptize her afresh in the life-giving spirit of Jesus. Grant her a new birth, though it be with the travail of repentance and humiliation. Bestow upon her a more unobscured responsiveness to duty; a swifter compassion with suffering, and an utter loyalty to the will of God.

Put upon her lips the ancient Gospel of her Lord. Help her to proclaim boldly the coming of the Kingdom of God, and the doom of all that resist it. Fill her with the prophetic scorn of tyranny, and with a Christ-like tenderness for the heavy laden and down trodden. Give her faith to espouse the cause of the people, and in their hands that grope after freedom and light to recognize the bleeding Lands of the Christ. Bid her cease from seeking her own life, lest she lose it. Make her valiant to give up her life to humanity, that, like her crucified Lord, she may mount by the path of the cross to a higher glory, for His dear sake, who loved her and gave himself for her, Amen.

—C. D. C.

K. K. K. Gives Generous Donation To Rev. Stanbury

Eight men representing the Klux Klan of Brevard entered the tent, where the union revival services were being conducted, last Thursday evening and presented Rev. Stanbury with a note and packet containing the sum of \$105.00.

Just previous to the taking of the evening offering, these men, clad in their white robes, marched very quietly in single file down to the pulpit, where one of the number handed Rev. Stanbury the note and money. They then turned and faced the audience and remained so while the note was read aloud to the audience by Mr. Stanbury, after which he led in prayer, offering thanks to God for the generosity which prompted this gift. The note stated in effect that the K. K. K. as an organization was in sympathy with the evangelist and the good Cause he represented, and wished to express their appreciation of the good work he was doing in the community by presenting him with their free-will offering. The party then left the tent, slowly and quietly, as they had entered, and without uttering a word during the entire time.

TWO BREVARD GIRLS TO GRADUATE AT WEAVER

Misses Lillian King and Geneva Neill have issued invitations to the graduating exercises of Weaver College, which will be held on the evening of June 2nd, in the College auditorium, these two young ladies being members of the senior class.

Miss King has been elected to the faculty of Brevard Graded School for the coming year, and Miss Neill also intends to enter the teaching profession.