

The sale of a splendid farm of 160 acres in lower Fort Mill township was effected a few days ago when J. B. Mills transferred to Monroe White a part of the old D. A. Lee place. The consideration is said to have been \$60 per acre. Mr. White is a progressive young farmer and plans to bring the place up to a high state of cultivation.

Revival services which will continue through the week and perhaps longer were begun Monday night at the Fort Mill Baptist church with the Rev. T. V. McCaul of Bennettsville conducting the services. Two services will be held each day, at 10 o'clock in the morning and 8:15 in the evening. An interesting feature of the meetings is the singing of Mr. McCaul, who possesses a splendid baritone voice.

J. F. Collins of the Belair section of Lancaster county has been appointed magistrate of Indianland township to succeed Magistrate D. K. Hall, who resigned recently on account of illness. No candidates have yet announced for the place in the August Democratic primary and there is very little interest in politics in the upper section of Lancaster county, yesterday said A. M. Blakeney of Belair.

There is considerable interest in Fort Mill in the auction sale today of the small farms into which the Cherry plantation, between Winthrop college and the Catawba river, has been cut and it is expected that a number of local men will be on hand to submit bids on some of the farms. The land which has been subdivided extends along the concrete and macadam road for a distance of about four miles and has been worked up to a high state of cultivation. It is understood that the entire tract was recently sold by J. M. Cherry and that the sale is being conducted by the new owners.

The first picnic and barbecue ever held in Fort Mill township occurred 75 years ago, on the 4th of July, 1849, according to J. H. Coltharp, one of the community's oldest citizens, who has a boy 11 years old at the time. "The picnic was held near the site of the Springs bridge, over the Southern railway, a few miles north of town," said Mr. Coltharp a day or two ago, "and was planned to work up sentiment for the proposed railroad between Charlotte and Columbia. A speech in behalf of the undertaking was made by Col. Jack Springs, grandfather of Col. Leroy Springs. There was a string band on hand to furnish music for the occasion and it was led by the late Burk Sutton."

An incident on Main street Saturday night illustrated the manner of

covering from a two-day spree which resulted from the wrecking, in the heart of the town, of two oil tank cars filled with California wine. Each car was marked filled to capacity, and each was filled to capacity. It was part of the government stock of port wine being moved from San Francisco to New York. Both cars were smashed so badly that they began leaking and the wine poured from half a dozen spread seams and broken rivet holes. The bucket brigade gathered and tin cups, dishpans and wash tubs were pressed into service. When the home supply of wine-holding utensils gave out, people rushed to the store to buy more, but the stores were closed. The clerks were at the wreck.

Tacks in Rock Hill Streets.

Rock Hill Herald.

Complaints are being heard on all sides in this city to the effect that somebody has been scattering tacks over the city streets and even in the roads in the country nearby, and these tacks are doing and have done already great damage to automobile tires. The number of tacks found in tires during the past week or two clearly indicates that the tacks have not been scattered by accident and most of those removed from tires have been new, indicating that they had been on the ground but a short time.



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