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LET THE NEWS FOLLOW.

Parties leaving town should not fail to let the news follow them daily with the news of Washington fresh and crisp.

MUST BE SIGNED.

All articles sent to the News for publication must be signed by the writer, otherwise they will not be published.

A DAY SERVICE.

The city fathers will meet in regular monthly session next Monday evening, and they could have no better opportunity to discuss a day electric current for the city.

The News does not desire to be continually dwelling on city affairs, but it respectfully submits this is a question that should have some consideration of the hands of those in authority.

DOES NOT APPLY HERE.

It seems that our contemporaries, the Washington Star, the New York Sun, the Boston Globe, the Times, and the Greenville Leader are having troubles of their own.

The question of a day current for Washington should be the paramount issue before the Board of Aldermen at their next meeting.

WHEN TO STOP ADVERTISING.

When a merchant who is wise ever ceases to advertise? Yes—when the trees grow upside down.

When the hen lays a golden egg? When the sparrow weighs a ton? When gold dollars get too cheap?

When women secrets keep? When a fish forgets to swim? When Satan sings a hymn?

When the small boy hates a drum? When no politician schemes? When mince pie makes pleasant dreams?

When it's fun to break a tooth? When all lawyers tell the truth? When cold water makes you drunk?

When your love to smelt a skank? When the drummer has no brass? When these things all come to pass?

Then man that's wise will neglect to advertise.

CATCHY ADVERTISEMENTS.

The following was clipped from the classified ad. column of an exchange which comes to our office regularly.

For sale—Baby carriage slightly used. Going out of business. Just received a lot of live Ostend rabbits. Persons purchasing same will be skinned and cleaned while they wait.

No persons having once tried these collars will ever use any other.

Wanted—A furnished room for single gentleman looking both ways and well ventilated.

Wanted—A good girl to cook and one who will make a good roast or broil and stew well.

Wanted—A young man to take care of a pair of mice of a Christian disposition.

LATE NEWS TO PUBLIC PLACES.

One thing the people of Greenville should learn is to go to public entertainments on time.

They have fallen into the very bad habit of going late, and it is a fault that ought to be corrected, out of respect for others, if not for their own sakes.

Monday night, for instance, though the curtain was fully ten minutes late in rising, hardly more than half the audience were in their seats when it went up.

Items of Interest From Everywhere

Spokane, Wash., Sept. 2.—Fredrick H. Newell, chief of the Irrigation Service, who was in Spokane with the United States Senate Committee on Irrigation, headed by Senator Garter of Montana, now touring the Northwest, declared in an interview that he and Richard A. Ballinger, secretary of the interior, are "on the best of terms, so far as I know."

He said also he knew nothing of any trouble between Foster Pinchot and Mr. Ballinger, except what he had read in the newspapers.

"If there is any trouble I do not believe it is of a serious character," he added "and can be adjusted very easily. At the close of the irrigation congress in Spokane Mr. Pinchot and I went East together, as far as Montana, while Mr. Ballinger went to his home in Seattle. United States Senator Chamberlain of Oregon, also a member of the party, said among other things that he is ready to retire from public life at the end of his present term, adding, "When I look back over the length of time I have followed a public career it seems like an age."

Spokane, Wash., Sept. 2.—Sixteen thousand school children of Spokane and as many as 100,000 from the tributary districts, will be among the thousands to welcome President Taft when he comes to Spokane on his transcontinental trip the morning of September 28.

Mayor Nelson S. Pratt plans to include in the "Seeing Spokane" automobile tour for the President a route in part of the public and parochial schools in the city.

At points where the schools are off the route, the children will be mobilized with those at the building nearest to it, and in this way all will have an opportunity to see the chief executive.

Mayor Pratt believes this innovation would be enjoyed by President Taft, while it will mark a milestone in the lives of the children and one which they will remember the rest of their lives.

With the beginning of September all trade prospects will brighten, and every indication points to a prosperous season in all lines of business.

Now Mr. Hardman's illness is said by his family to be indigestion. Some may regard this a light ailment, but the indigestion of a financial magnate has been known to produce heart failure in the market all along the line.

The Board of Health in Mexico leaves me appalled, and yet have the natural accidents beyond the forethought and power of man only to occur, the world would be very much better off, and healthier, if that and property for more secure.

A bill is talked of for the next session of the British Parliament, regarding the hours of the servant girl and making domestic service an eight-hour day. The movement for women's rights is beginning to take a serious turn.

Dr. Hazlet Taylor says that the political party is certain to split. We believe him; otherwise we should despair of the Republic.

Washington, Sept. 2.—John C. Capers of South Carolina, who has been commissioner of internal revenue since June, 1907, retired today on account of ill health and was succeeded by Royal E. Cappel, former postmaster of Richmond, Va., and a prominent Republican worker of the Old Dominion. He is a graduate of Princeton and of the law department of the University of Virginia, and is about 34 years of age.

The resignation of Col. B. D. Crocker as collector of internal revenue for the district of Puget Sound and Alaska, with headquarters in Tacoma, also became effective today. He is succeeded by M. T. Hartson, of Spokane.

A correspondent of a Tennessee paper, writing of a hunting trip, says: "I forgot to mention the squirrels and doves we got; they were out of sight."

NOTICE.

I beg to announce that there is at present a vacancy from the First Congressional district at the U. S. Military Academy at West Point. The examination will occur at Fort Slocum, New York, on the second Tuesday in January, 1910.

I am also authorized to announce that there is a vacancy at the U. S. Naval Academy, at Annapolis, from the First Congressional district, the examination for which will occur in April, 1910, at a point to be subsequently announced.

It is desirable that all who contemplate applying for either of these appointments should do so on or before September 15. The physical and mental examinations are both quite rigid, and thorough prior preparation is necessary. To those who seriously wish to make application, I will endeavor to forward a pamphlet giving general information as to the qualifications necessary for entrance to either academy.

Respectfully, J. H. SMALL, Washington, D. C.

Wanted—A 140078 and a 2071.

It makes you dull, stupid, peevish, sickly, this dust, 'tis terrible.

Better build in Washington Park, where 'tis different.

LOOK OUT! LOOK OUT! LOOK OUT!

The entire wharf property between the Buoy-yard and the extreme East end of town is owned by 14 people or companies, and excepting that I have for sale you can't buy an inch of it.

This I have to sell is in the center of business, its most desirably located, it's very valuable and you in any business, who in any way can utilize this property should grasp and grasp quick. If you don't you will have to every few years pay more rent, or look out for another property.

Look to the future. If you enjoy you will double the free inland water route will be granted us, and 'twill make every piece of water-front property in Washington worth double and triple the price of today.

Fortune goes to the man who invests in real estate for its future. See me at once and secure a piece of this valuable water front. Will sell from 20 to 50 feet fronting on Water street.

Come, get a piece now while you can, or later you'll regret. Only a little cash and long time notes required.

EASTERN CAROLINA REAL ESTATE EXCHANGE, A. C. HATHAWAY, 110 Market St.

You May Be Called Upon Any Day

To face a fire at your place. The wise man provides for such an emergency by insurance.

The wiser he is, the more certain he is to procure a policy from WM. BRAGAW & CO., EXPERIENCED INSURANCE AGENTS, WASHINGTON, N. C.

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There Are Continuous "WANT AD. HAPPENINGS" Right in Your Neighborhood!

Every week, in your block, or near you, something happens which would not have happened but for a want ad. Something is accomplished for the betterment of the neighborhood—some idle "head of the house" finds work—some worried property owner finds a tenant—some new boarders and roomers move in—some property changes owners, and will be improved—an unattractive vacant lot is sold to a builder—some overworked housewives secure servants—a used piano is sold—in short life is kept interesting, people are kept interested in living, things move and change and improve.

ROYAL Baking Powder Absolutely Pure

The only baking powder made from Royal Grape Cream of Tartar.

There's work for a want ad—when there's urgent need to "raise some money," and the life must be sold.

SCHEDULE GAS BOAT VICTOR, Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday. Leave Hunter's Bridge 6 a. m., arrive at Bath, 6.30. Washington, B. Leave Washington 2.30 p. m., arrive Bath 5 p. m., Hunter's Bridge 5.30. Fare the round trip, 85c. See way.

WILLIAM BOYD, Master.

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RATE, 1 cent per word.

Estimate six words to the line, and include payment with copy. Answers to ads, may be received at this office.

To insure proper attention all advertisements should be to business office by 12.45 m. Ads. by messenger, telephone or mail given careful attention.

FOR SALE—TWO POOL TABLES, good condition; terms to suit purchaser; cash, carry safe, \$90 pounds. A. B. Draughon.

FRESH FALL SEED—CLOVER, Rye, Rape, Vetch, Cabbage and Turnip. Dr. Hardy's Drug Store.

25 CANARY BIRDS FOR SALE—have on hand 25 fine canary birds, good songsters, beautiful plumage, guaranteed to sing. Price per pair, \$5; single birds, \$2.50. Guaranteed safe delivery anywhere in the State. Address W. H. Gaskins, AURORA, N. C.

FOR SALE—A FINE LARGE VELVET Brussels carpet, 20ft x 14.00 per yard, will sell for 50c; beautiful design. E. H. Hyman, Chamber of Commerce.

LOST AND FOUND, LOST—LADY'S GOLD WATCH; IN Disk Theater or between Brown's Drug Store, Main street or Gladden street. Finder return to this office.

MISCELLANEOUS, DO YOU WANT TO BECOME A stenographer? Take the Business Course in the Public School. Tuition, \$5 a month, in advance. This course is open to any one, whether you attend the Public School or not. See the Superintendent and arrange to take the course.

PUBLIC STENOGRAPHER, AF 115 Market street. Charges moderate.

THE APOSTLE OF SINGLE TAX

The Author of "Progress and Poverty" Honored Tonight.

Springfield, Ill., Sept. 2.—Henry George, Jr., of New York, son of the author of "Progress and Poverty" and the immortal apostle of the single tax, will be the principal speaker at a banquet to be held here tonight to commemorate the birthday anniversary of Henry George. The famous son of a famous father has only recently returned from a tour abroad, in which he investigated economic and sociological conditions in many nations, and in his speech tonight he will tell of the great progress that is being made by the single tax movement in other lands.

Washington, Sept. 2.—More than \$300,000 will be added to Uncle Sam's annual income by the collection of the tariff on foreign-built yachts, which became effective today. The customs division of the Treasury Department will collect the tax.

An annual tax of \$7 a ton is assessed by the Payne law on all pleasure craft built abroad and chartered or owned by Americans for a period of six months or more. As an alternative, the owners of such yachts may pay an ad valorem duty of 25 per cent, for which they will be entitled to all of the privileges of American entry for their yachts.

According to the figures supplied to the customs officers, there are between seventy and eighty foreign built yachts now owned by Americans. The aggregate tonnage is in the neighborhood of 45,000 tons, which would yield a revenue in excess of \$200,000. More than forty of these yachts claim New York as their home port.

Customs officials believe that many owners of foreign built pleasure boats will pay the ad valorem duty in preference to the tonnage tax, as in the course of a number of years an annual tonnage tax of \$7 for each ton would exceed the duty based upon the value of the craft after allowance for depreciation.

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Business Cards

R. L. STEWART, PRACTICAL WATCHMAKER and JEWELER, Corner Main and Market Streets. Just received a large assortment of the latest designs in Jewelry. Repairing a specialty.

H. B. Goldstein, Washington's Only Tailor, We are still doing business at our old stand. In this period between seasons we are still satisfying customers. Our fall samples are already in and we can take your order now for immediate or future delivery. Yours for business, H. B. Goldstein.

T. DOUGHTY, HARNESS-MAKER, For repairs of any kind see me. 113 MARKET STREET.

For FIRE INSURANCE, see J. and P. B. MYERS

The J. H. Simmons Marble and Granite Co., MONUMENTS, Prices and Work Right, WASHINGTON, N. C.

WHITE - BARBER - SHOP

The only first-class white shop in city. A trial will convince anyone of reasonable judgment. We have 3 chairs, 1 first-class white barber, selection assured. Opposite Postoffice, A. B. DRAUGHON, Prop.

PEOPLE who are troubled with stiffness and poor circulation should use Sloan's Liniment. It penetrates and acts like massage, but does not require rubbing.

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