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THE COURIER CHANGES HANDS

C. E. and J. C. Alcock, of Ken- The Noted Evangelist Coming to Courier and Come Here to Re-

Howard C. Hull on Dec. 29 where- The Carolina, Clinchfield and Ohio by the Forest City Courie be- Railway has promised a rate of came the property of Messrs. C. one and one-half fare for the E. and J. C. Alcock, of Kenucky, round trip to parties of 125 on who are now in active charge of account of the Billy Sunday meeton Monday, Jan. 1st.

cock manager. The editor has merce, who is chairman of the butlined the policies of the Cour-Billy Sunday transportation comier in an editorial, and in the mitte, has received official notice article we will deal principal y from the C., C. & O. that the with the organization of the plan; rate and a half fare will be grantand the plans of the new men who ed o ly in case parties number have come here to build a home 125, and the railroad officials must in beautiful Forest City.

words of encouragement extended state Commerce Commission. to us. We can readily see that The Billy Sunday taberancle Forest City is worthy of a good has been completed and turned newspaper to help carry forward over to the building committee. the development of the city and Fred W. Rapp, Mr. Sunday's mancounty, and from the very first ager, is here organizing and rebest effort to the service that is to sing during the meetings. needed. The business men are progressive and know the value of a newspaper to the upbuilding of the town and county, and with prove of a real benefit and help. lina Cafe from Mr. G. W. Edwards, sketch of the Courier force, upon will continue to run the business whom we rely to carry out our in the same excellent manner in plans of making the Courier one which it had heretofore been conof the best county papers in the ducted. Mr. Magness was former-

The Editor

and we append wife the as introductory written by ot hands than our own:

and several papers in other cities For the last three years Mr. Al-efficientwork. cock has been advertising manager of the Daily Messenger at Danville. Mr. Alcock was born in Glasgow, Ky., and attended the Glasgow graded schools, graduating from the old Glasgow Normal under Prof. R. M. Shipp. His Courie Taylorsville. He was for a num paper that vill prove a credit to ber of years with the Courie the city and county. Journal Job Printing Company Louisville, and was foreman the Masonic Home Journal three Mr. Carswell, well-known and

The Manager

Mr. J. C. Alcock, of Louis Ky, oldest son of the edits an expert printer and linotype erator. He has had a varied perience and will prove of value in the upbuilding of the Courier. He is married and is coming to build a home in our charming little city. He is ev pected to arrive here just as soon as he can close his affairs Louisville.

The Society Editor

The most gratifying thing connection with our assuming th management of the Courier, was when Mrs. S. N. Watson, wife of City Baptist Church, consented to the many charming attributes of paper.

BLLY SUNDAY IN SPARTANBURG

tucky, Purchase The Forest City Our Neighboring City Jan. 7th Reduced Rates.

A deal was closed with Mr. Spartanburg, S. C., Jan. 4 .the paper, having taken possession ings to be held in Spartanburg from January 7th to February Mr. C. E. Alcock will be ditor 15th, inclusive. E. B. Walker secof the paper and Mr. J. C. Al- retary of the Chamber of Comhave notice in advance of the We are charmed and very grate- movement of such parties in order ful indeed for the warm reception that special dariff may be prewe have received and for the pared and filed with the Inter-

issue we shall strive to give our hearsing the big choir which is

BUYS INTEREST IN CAFE

their help we propose to give For-ess City a newspaper that will chased an interest in the Caro-Below we will give a belef and these two clever gentlemen

this met excellent lady and pondent at Danville for The Les service she has rendered to the called a ville Times, The Courier-Journal paper uder the efficient manage- Green has gone to Forest City, N. C., to quite see that every reader of

with much pleasure that y mounce that Mr. J. L. on, former editor of the nd who remained with first newspaper experience was on Mr. Helduring his term as edithe Glasgow papers. Later he was tor of the paper, is to continue foreman of the Spencer Courier with us. Mr. Thompson is an at Taylorsville, and later news experience newspaper man and a editor and manager of the Cour- printer of pronounced ability. He ier, also The Courier-Journal knows all he "ins and outs" of had an interest in the Bardstown mestimality value to us in our Standard following the work at effort to live to Forest City a

Mr. Earl Carswell

years, and also was foreman of popular young High School stuthe job printing department of dent, is also connected with the of great promise and will also prove of immense value to the managent. He is an expert linotypist and does yoeman service for us after school hours.

Mr. Joel M. Bird

Mr. Bird is an accomplished MISS BLAKEY WILL printer and operator, who came here recently from Charlotte. He has kindly consented to stay with the management, at least during the formative period of the organization of our working force. He may be at liberty shortly to accept another position and we most heartily recommend him to the teacher and has become popular

It is with this splendid organization that we begin our earnest are working every effort to secure the beloved pastor of the Forest efforts to give to you a good a good teacher to fill the vacancy county paper. And we will ever caused by the resignation of Miss continue her duties as Society be ready to spare no expense in Blakey. Editor of the paper. No words adding to the personnel and to the frem a new comer need be said equipment of the plant to further in her praise. The good people our plans for a continued growth Her work will begin at that time. of Forest City are well aware of in the usefulness of your county

Cleaning Off the Slate



WITH THE SCHOOL

Is Question to Be Settled at Spe-Many New Names Added to Our him. cial Session of Green River Association.

the Courier heretofore. Mr. "There is a debt of several thou-list:

"Mr. Clarence E. Alcock con know fill well of the splendid the Green River Association have ment o Editor Hull. We are vene with the Round Hill church purchase the Forest City Courier the pape will rejoice with us over uary 2.0 1222. At the churches a weekly newspaper of that city her deciion to continue her most here requested to send the usual number of delegates to this meeting. All pasters and ordained ministers are delegates and are requested to come to this meeting. Let's have a large number of churches represented.

"What Shall We Do With the Round Hill School?" is the question to be passed upon,

"The State will buy if we desire to sell. The trustees are planning to sell. The property belongs to the Association. The Associacorrespondent at Taylorsville. He the busines and will prove of tion elects a board of trustees and authorizes them to run a school in Christ's name and for the advancement and upbuilding of his kingdom. The Association has never authorized the trustees to sell the property. "Should the dog wag the tail or should the tail wag the dog?"

"Are the churches the servants of the board of trustees or is the The Independent at St. Peters- Courier force. He is a young man board of trustees the servant of the churches? Something somewhere is radically wrong.

"Let us come together in this meeting with open minds and prayerful loving hearts, find and follow the Holy Spirit."

NOT RETURN HERE

On account of sickness Miss Letitia Blakey, one of the high school teachers, will be unable to return this spring. Miss Blakey has proved herself a very capable with the student body and faculty. Her place will be hard to fill.

Capt. Smith and the School Board

Miss Zola Parler, music teacher, will not be back till Monday.

Boost Your Home Town

SUBSCRIPTIONS ARE COMING FAST

List in Past Three Days.

The Rev. A. P. Sorrels, of Gil- That the good people are going key, Clerk of the Green River to stand by the new management Association, has sent out the fol- in our effort to make a good home lowing notice for a special ses- paper, is well attested by the sion to be held at Round Hill manner in which subscriptions connected with the City Meat church or Jan. 20th to take ac- have been coming in during the whet. Several changes have been tion in regard to the school and three days we have been in charge. de in the City Meat Market, it is said there is a debt of sev- Since Monday the following new

of which has been made eral thousand dollars. He says: names have been added to our

est City.

folk for their subscriptions, and expert. He has an ad in this ishope to have an even better sue of the Courier and has sub-"honor roll" next week.

We want 2,000 subscriptions to the Courier, and if the citizens of Forest City and Rutherford county will respond as they should, we shall soon reach our goal.

NEW BUILDINGS

ing operations were brisk in Forest City in 1921 and bid to be even better in the coming year. Several handsome new residences have just recently been completed and two handsome bungalows are now under construction on Broadway by Messrs. W. E. Lynch and John Smith. Work on the two story brick veneer building of Mr. Joe Reinhardt on East Main street is progressing rapidly, and when completed will be one of the handsomest homes in that vicinity,

The Peoples Electric Co. has recently secured the contract to do the electrical work on the Horn residence on West Main street, and report that this is one of the handsomest additions to our growing little city that has gone up for some time.

The Forest City Building & Loan Association is moving into the new office building just completed on Depot street by the Farmers Bank & Trust Co., where they will have elegant and most commodious quarters and be the better equipped to take care of their fast growing business.

Every new building is an asset to the community and every one should get behind the movement to promote the growth of Forest City, the best little town in the

FORMER EDITOR **GOES TO FLORIDA**

Mr. H. C. Hull Will Seek Salt North Carolina's Greatness Should Air Climate For Benefit of Health.

tor of the Courier, is closing up ness too much as a matter of his business here preparatory to course. When reports from Ralremoving to his home in Florida. eigh a few days ago showed how He has a nice home there and the state's illiteracy was going expects to raise chickens and down in leaps and bounds, we fruit. Mr. Hull is an expert in heard no expressions of delighted both lines and we feel that his surprise. It was what was to success is assured. He came to have been expected in North Gar-Forest City in July of last year olina! Bigness is North Carolina's from near St. Augustine. It was daily record. Every day she plant at the solicitation of friends that her banners higher on the heights he was induced to take over the The rush of progress pounds Courier, and that he has made our ears, the panorama of improvwonderful improvement on the ement always before our eyes. paper and made quite a succes of Western North Carolina has the the venture is well known. Mr. biggest paper pulp mill in the Hull had had considerable exper- world. Western North Carolia is ience in the printing industry but the finest apple-growing region in had not previously edited a news- America. The best and highestpaper, and his success here well priced hardwoods of the United attests his ability.

praise of Mr. Hull and his excel- Our fields and forests, threaded lent wife and it is with regret with good roads and dotted with that their friends learn of their the hotels, are the country's loveintention of leaving Forest City. liest playground. In our mount-We have found Mr. Hull to be a ains are 184 native minerals and straight forward, courteous gen- in our forests 118 species of trees tleman in our dealings with him, and 147 kinds of shrubs.

wish of all.

BUYS JONES CAFE

Het every church elect delegates McMurry, B. L. McBrayer, Dan S. took possession on Dec. 20th. Mr. Last year we turned out manufac-Hardin, Dr. Chas. D. McCall, For- White moved his family here and tured goods worth over a billion est City; C. M. Young, Union Mrs. White will have active charge dollars. Springs, Ala., J. W. Silvers, Hick- of the business. Mr. White is an special session of the ory Grove, S. C., Mrs. J. B. Smart, expert bricklayer and comes to in your mind! Think them over Raleigh; Mrs. W. H. Mills, Alex- our little city with splended re- Profit by the power of this sug-Andria, Va., J. T. Currie, Hickory; commendations from the Fiske- gestion. Cash in on their inspira-Paul Barrick, Glasgow Junction, Carter Construction Co., of Green- tion. You live in the most won-Ky.; J. V. Harlan, Louisville, Ky.; ville. Mr. White says he will derful state in the Union. With Harry Camnitz, Bishopville, S. C., offer first-class service and make H. R. Camnitz, Louisville, Ky .; a specialty of short orders, carry- hope to equal us strenghten your Mrs. J. R. White, Slick Rock, Ky.; ing a full line of goods in his determination to outstrip them Mrs. F. A. Sandgren, Louisville, line. After he gets the business still more. Live in terms of what Ky .: J. R. McDaniel, route 2, For- in good working order Mr. White is to be. What we have accompsays he will take up his trade as lished is nothing compared to the We are grateful to these good a bricklayer, at which he is an possibilities wrapped up in the scribed for his home paper.

MR. THOMAS ILL

Mr. E. O. Thomas, of the Forest City Motor Co., who has been suffering for a time with an inflamed and swollen hand, is now confined to his room with grippe. From what we can learn, build- His many friends hope that he may have a rapid recovery.

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Mr. Howard C. Hull, former edi- We take North Carolina's great-

States, attain their maximum de-We have heard nothing but velopment in our mountain coves.

and can most highly recommend One of North Carolina's cities manufactures more tobacco than Mrs. Hull's health is better in any other city in the world. One the lower altitude and the Florida of her smaller towns contains the climate is better for Mr. Hull's largest towel plant in the world. throat trouble and nervous con- Another has the largest hosiery dition and these reasons alone have industry in the world. Another is influenced them in leaving our the home of the biggest denim beautiful little Forest City. That mill on the globe. Still another success may attend them is the contains a factory that turns out more union suits than any other place in the world. High Point produces more furniture than any other city in the world except Mr. R. L. White, of Spartanburg, Grand Rapids. On the Yadkin tivities in the newspaper field litter has, says he is charmed the Robert L. This meeting is important L. White Charling Cofe I I with the Robert L. The winter of Spartanburg, or and Rapids. On the Yadkin and we append the Robert L. This meeting is important L. White Charling Cofe I I leave the Robert L. This meeting is important.

Keep these Tar Heel triumphs the realization that other states riches of our soils, our mines our forests and our water power. The bigness of today is but the purple shadow with which our coming greatness adorns today, a pale reflection of the brilliance of our

bejewelled future. Get into the procession! In 1910 we had on deposit in our banks \$66,000,000; in 1920 that sum had risen to \$259,000,000. This sort of growth means that each day is to springboard to lift you to the golden heights of tomorro Carolina is on her way. take you with her! The Asheville Citizen.

PLEASANT GROVE CHRISTMAS PROGRAM

Sunday night, December 25, the following Christmas program wa given at Pleasant Grove Church: Song the children. Recitation James V Play: Tim's Christmas Hilda McDonald and Pi Recitation Song