

DIRECTORS CLOSED BY LOCAL REALTY COMPANY

Directors Will Meet This Afternoon and Choose Other Officers of New Company.

The first meeting of the stockholders of the Concord Realty Company, which was organized here last week, was held at the Merchants and Manufacturers Club Tuesday afternoon.

A Good Thing—Don't Miss It.

Send your name and address plainly written together with 5 cents (and this slip) to Chamberlain Medicine Co., Des Moines, Iowa, and receive in return a trial package containing Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for coughs, colds, croup, bronchitis, "flu" and whooping cough, and itching throat; Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets for stomach troubles, indigestion, gassy pains that crowd the heart, biliousness and constipation; Chamberlain's Salve, needed in every family for burns, scalds, wounds, piles, and skin affections; these valued family medicines for only 5 cents. Don't miss it—Advertisement.

House Furnishings at Parks-Belk Company.

It is not, too early now to begin about Spring cleaning. Spring is almost here, and housewives will soon want to make many changes in the homes.

When you get ready to make the changes go to the House Furnishings and Floor Covering Department of the Parks-Belk Company and select the latest goods in the latest designs and materials.

Chamberlain's Tablets for Indigestion and Constipation.

"The nicest and pleasantest medicine I have used for indigestion and constipation is Chamberlain's Tablets," writes Melard F. Craig, Middle Grove, N. Y. They work like a charm and do not gripe or leave any unpleasant effect.—Advertisement.

THAT MORNING LAMENESS

If you are lame every morning, and suffer urinary ills, there must be a cause. Often it's weak kidneys. To strengthen the weakened kidneys and avert more serious troubles, use Doan's Kidney Pills. You can rely on Concord testimony.

Mrs. J. M. Goodnight, 45 N. Crowell St., Concord, says: "My kidneys were weak and I suffered at night, as I couldn't rest well. Mornings I got up feeling tired and languid. Frequent headaches annoyed me and I had spells of dizziness and spots came before my eyes. My feet and ankles became swollen and my kidneys acted irregularly. I used Doan's Kidney Pills, getting them at Gibson's Drug Store. They were the right remedy for me and soon gave me relief from the backaches and other signs of kidney trouble."

Free Flower Seeds

You will be glad to know that Hastings, "The South's Seedman," will give away about 2,000,000 packets of seed of the South's most popular flowers this spring.

There is nothing in the home that can compare with rich colored flowers. They brighten us all up and make any house attractive. You can't plant too many flowers and this opportunity to get Shirley Poppies, Everlasting Flowers, Zinnias, Cosmos and Mexican Burning Bush absolutely free, is certainly to be welcomed by all readers of this paper.

You can get them! Just write to Hastings for the new 1923 Catalog. It tells you how to get flower seeds free. It has 100 pages of beautiful photographic pictures and correct descriptions of garden flowers and field seeds, bulbs and plants, and also is full of helpful information that is needed almost daily in every Southern home. It's the most valuable seed book ever published and you will be mighty glad you've got it. Just write and ask for the new Catalog.

H. G. HASTINGS CO., Atlanta, Ga.

Catarrh? - breathe Hyomei. It kills catarrh germs. Prevents formation of crusts in nose, phlegm in throat. Soothes inflamed membranes, relieves stuffed up feeling in two minutes. No stomach dosing—just breathe medicated air.

Gibson Drug Store

LOCAL AND OTHERWISE.

Cotton on the local market today is quoted at 20 cents per pound; cotton seed at 72 cents per bushel.

Cotton on the local market today is quoted at 30 cents per pound; cotton seed at 72 cents per bushel.

Mr. E. C. Barnhardt is able to be out again, after being confined to his home for several days on account of illness.

E. J. Roseman, Deputy Commissioner of Revenue for the state, will be in Concord on March 3 and in Concord on March 5 and 6th.

The only new case of illness reported to the county health department Tuesday was a case of whooping cough, according to the last report from the department.

A charter has been received by the Concord Realty Company and the first stockholders' meeting was held in the Merchants and Manufacturers club Tuesday at 5 o'clock.

According to a report made by the county health department eight new cases of measles and twelve new cases of whooping cough were reported to the department Monday.

Mr. G. M. Lore has been confined to his home on Depot Street for several days on account of illness. Several cases which were scheduled to be tried before him Tuesday had to be continued.

Women who want to get the right thing in a Spring hat should visit Fisher's store Friday and see the 12 leading hats of the season, selected by 12 great Paris designers. New ad. today gives full particulars.

The condition of Mrs. John M. Young, who has been confined to her home on West Depot Street following a slight stroke of paralysis, is very much improved. Mrs. Young was able to be on her front porch Tuesday for a short time.

A meeting of the County Christian Endeavor Union will be held at the Methodist Protestant Church Saturday night at 7:30 o'clock. A program is being arranged, and it is hoped to have a full representation from all the unions of the county.

Mr. Clifford Hahn, manager of the local branch of the Metropolitan Life Insurance Co., returned Tuesday from Spartanburg, where he attended a convention of representatives of the company. The meeting was a most successful one in every way. Mr. Hahn declared.

The March meeting of the City Aldermen will be held at the city hall on Thursday night of this week. So far as is known now, there will be no unusual business to be presented to the board, though several matters of general interest are expected to be presented.

Much of the material to be used in the construction of the new high school building has been placed on the site of the structure, and preliminary work is being carried forward with good results. The foundation for the building has been definitely decided upon and most of the excavation work completed.

Mr. B. H. Wallace, federal income tax deputy, will be back in Concord again on March 5th and 6th, at the court house, for the purpose of giving information relative to the preparation of income tax returns. This will be his final visit to Concord before the returns have to be mailed in on March 15th.

Farmers who wish to purchase cotton seed for planting are advised to confer with the county agent, who is in position now to furnish some fine seed. Mr. Goodman declares in an ad. which appeared in this paper that the seed he is offering are sold at unusually low prices for the quality of the goods offered.

Unless there is too much rain this week, the golf course at the Cabarrus County Country Club probably will be in playing shape by Saturday. The fairway for four holes has been completed, and the work of laying out and shaping up four greens has been under way this week. The work will be completed by Saturday, it is believed, unless the weather makes the work impossible.

Mrs. Vera Lindsay, young Statesville woman who received injuries when she jumped from a car here Sunday night while being taken to police headquarters, died in the Concord Hospital Tuesday afternoon about 3 o'clock. The body was sent to Statesville yesterday for burial. Mrs. Lindsay suffered a fractured skull when she leaped from the car and her death had been expected hourly.

The City of Concord has purchased an Austin street sweeper. The order for the sweeper was signed Monday by a committee representing the city, and the machine was ordered immediately, and has been shipped. The machine was purchased from the Austin-Western Road Machinery Co., of Chicago, and the sale was made by D. B. Long. The machine cost \$6,700, and will sweep 25 miles of street during one night. It is hoped to have the sweeper here within ten days.

The town clock here has pulled some particular stuff during its long service to the public, but at present it is offering something entirely new. There are four faces to the clock, and at present two of them are offering correct time while the others are three hours ahead. Persons looking at the clock on the south face and then walking a few feet and seeing three hours difference on the west face, may wonder if Volsteadism is so prevalent here after all.

Dr. Spruill, who conducted two tuberculosis clinics in this county, and who will come back in May for another one, spent Monday afternoon here. Dr. Spruill is conducting a clinic at Davidson College now. In speaking of the health work in this county Dr. Spruill declared that Dr. Buchanan has one of the best county health departments in North Carolina, and he added that he always looked forward with pleasure to a clinic here, where everyone is exceedingly kind to him.

A large number of defendants faced Judge Furr in recorder's court Monday. Nine negroes were fined \$10 each

for gambling; two others were fined \$12.50 each for being intoxicated; two others were fined \$20 each for an fray with a deadly weapon; one was fined \$5 for violating an ordinance; another was fined \$10 for intoxication and disorderly conduct; and the case against two others charged with fornication and adultery, was continued. Court was in session for several hours.

O. V. Wooley in N. C. Christian Advocate: At the request of Rev. W. A. Jenkins, pastor, Mr. M. W. Brahm and I ran over to Concord from Charlotte and met with the building committee of Central Methodist Church to discuss plans for the new Sunday school building that is going to be erected there at once. We found Jenkins surrounded with good, open minded men. The Sunday school plant at Central is going to be well adapted to the religious, educational needs of a whole generation.

Miss Cathleen Wilson county home demonstration agent, states that she has everything in readiness for the "Better Kitchen" campaign which will start throughout the county on Thursday, March 1st. Though the campaign will be the first of its kind ever held in this county, Miss Wilson believes it will be very successful, judging by the interest already manifested by housewives all over the county. Miss Wilson will conduct the campaign among school children in certain parts of the county, also.

Dr. Buchanan, county health officer, and Dr. Foster, who is conducting the dental school clinic in the county, are delighted with the manner in which Dr. Foster has been received in the county schools, where he is now making an examination of the children. It is reported that parents of the children who need dental treatment on a larger scale than Dr. Foster can give at the clinic, are showing a fine spirit of co-operation and many of the children are being examined by dentists here at the suggestion of Dr. Foster.

LOCAL BOY MAKES SPLENDID ADDRESS IN HI-Y CAMPAIGN

Bill Barnhardt Makes an Appeal For Clean Scholarship in Win My Chum Week.

William Barnhardt, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Barnhardt on West Corbin street, yesterday delivered the fourth talk to the schools in the Win My Chum Campaign, being conducted by the Boys' Division of the Y. M. C. A. Bill spoke on Clean Scholarship and minced no words in denouncing the fellow who stooped so low as to cheat in his classroom work and examinations.

The speaker is a Senior at State College and spoke out of his own experiences as a student, giving examples and incidents out of college life. The fellow who cheats, according to him, is a thief, a liar, a robber, and about the laziest person in existence. He who cheats steals not only something that does not belong to him, but his honor also, until he comes to the place that he has no respect for himself.

The campaign is going along very smoothly and is having some marked effects upon the spirit and conditions of the school.

MINING VILLAGE IS DAMAGED BY EXPLOSION

Powder Magazine in Pennsylvania Mine Explodes, Causing Much Damage.

Pittsburgh, Pa., Feb. 27.—The mining village of Ruselton, about 25 miles from Pittsburgh, was rocked by a terrific explosion early today when a powder magazine at Superior Mine No. 1 of the Superior Fuel Co. blew up. The magazine was destroyed and more than one hundred houses were damaged. Two men were injured. First reports were that the explosion occurred in the mine.

"I Lost My Best Customers Thru Rats," Writes J. Adams.

"Used to have the busiest Restaurant in town until news spread that the kitchen was infested with rats; lost a lot of my best customers until I tried RAT-SNAP. Haven't a pest in the place now. Restaurants should use RAT-SNAP." Three sizes, 35c, 65c, \$1.25. Sold and guaranteed by Ritchie Hardware Co., Cline's Pharmacy.

Visitors Make Fine Impression. Echoes from all parts of the county into which we sent men to represent the Near East Relief Sunday indicate clearly that the visitors made a profound impression.

The reports are coming in slowly but we believe that some fine responses were made to this call. However, it would not be safe to say that we have reached our goal.

In order to raise our full quota it may be necessary for all the Sunday schools and public schools of the county to make some pledge.

A large number of Sunday schools agreed to take up the matter next Sunday. Mr. Superintendent, please do not fail us. May I urge, too, that every class in the city schools and every public school in the county make a pledge to run until the close of the school term or take a cash offering, designating one day this week for this object.

We hope to carry a complete report for the county early next week. Will your school appear in the list? If not can you tell us why? J. FRANK ARMSTRONG, Chairman.

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy Aids Nature.

Medicines that aid nature are always most effective. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy acts on this plan. It allays the cough, relieves the lungs, aids expectoration, opens the secretions and aids nature in restoring the system to a healthy condition. Thousands have testified to its good qualities. Try it when you have a cough or cold.—Advertisement.

Admiral Sims Kaps Ku Klux Klan. St. Louis, Mo., Feb. 23.—Rear Admiral William S. Sims, retired, in an address here this afternoon attacked the Ku Klux Klan, and said that if legislation would not prove effective against the wearing of masks, an open session might be declared for the Klan, and a bounty offered for their cars. He spoke before the local chamber of commerce.

ROTARY MEETING

Routine Business, Solos by Miss MacLaughlin and Stuart Led by Tom Lawrence Features.

Several solos by Miss Mary MacLaughlin, attention to routine matters and the building of a modern village by club members, under the supervision of Tom Lawrence featured the weekly meeting of the Rotary Club at 7:30 Tuesday night. Every member of the club with the exception of Hal Jarrett and Martin Cadden was present, and these were expected to attend meetings in the cities where they are spending the week, thus giving the club a 100 per cent meeting.

The meeting brought to a close the contest with the Salisbury Club for attendance during January and February. During January the Concord Club had a slight margin, but no figures are available now on the standing of the clubs for the last month of the contest.

The meeting also brought to a close the automobile contest conducted within the club. At the first meeting in January the club members were assigned to various cars, which were to make a trip to Raleigh and back before the contest closed, each meeting to advance the cars a certain distance. The final report showed that the Studbaker of Charley Ivey, the Essex of Arthur Odell and Packard of Lester Coltrane were the three to have 100 per cent records for the two months and were the cars to complete the round trip.

The club decided to send the next President, to be elected next month, to the International Convention in St. Louis. On motion of Bill Sherrill, Tom Webb and Gus Hartsell were chosen delegates to the district convention in Charleston next month. The alternates are Tom Lawrence and Charley Ivey.

President Richmond, at the request of members of the Woman's Club, read a letter asking the club's support of a proposition to get a trained welfare worker for the county. The club took no action, as its policy does not allow it to take action on subjects affecting politics or political offices, and the office of welfare officer is considered as such.

At the conclusion of the lunch Miss MacLaughlin beautifully rendered three solos with piano accompaniment by Miss Margaret Hartsell, the club pianist.

Tom Lawrence introduced something new with the building of the village. He started with the barren land and asked the different club members to contribute something toward the erection of a village, each member giving to the village that commodity or service included in his classification. Before all members had been called upon Tom had completed a village that would be a credit to any builder.

Mr. J. A. White Says "If You Have An Automobile Keep Rat-Snap."

"If I knew about RAT-SNAP last winter, would have saved \$120. My car was in the garage for a few weeks during bad weather; when I went to take it out, found that rats had eaten great holes in two new tires. Got them later with RAT-SNAP." Three sizes, 35c, 65c, \$1.25. Sold and guaranteed by Ritchie Hardware Company, Cline's Pharmacy.

Bethpage Community Club. The junior program of Bethpage Community Club for meeting of March 2 is as follows:

Song—America. Prayer—Rev. Mr. Pullen. Recitation—Carl Overcash and Estelle Sims. Solo—Lorene Winecoff. Recitation—Arlene Sims. Jokes—Mable Sims. Duet—Johnnie McKinley and Evelyn Rumble. Recitation—Mary Ellen Petrea. Recitation—Raymond Winecoff. Song—School. Recitation—Lawrence Hardwick. Following is senior program:

Talk—President. Talk—Mrs. John Fisher. Talk—M. N. Petrea on "Sub-Opportunity." Talk—W. C. McKinley. Address—R. D. Goodman. Address and plans of the "Better Kitchen Campaign"—Miss Wilson. Business.

They Appeal to Our Sympathies. The bilious and dyspeptic are constant sufferers and appeal to our sympathies. Many such, however, have been completely restored to health by the use of Chamberlain's Tablets. These tablets strengthen the stomach, invigorate the liver and improve the digestion. They also cause a gentle movement of the bowels. When you have any trouble with your stomach, give them a trial.—Advertisement.

"Old Folks" Day at Lutheran Chapel. "Old Folks Day" was observed at Lutheran Chapel, China Grove, on Sunday, February 25, 1923. The service was the conclusion of the "Week of Prayer Service" and was splendidly rendered, consisting of music that was sung in the days when they were young people. There were also some splendid readings. The service did credit to all who participated and was enjoyed by a large audience. The thank offering amounted to about \$27.

What Mrs. Brenninger, of New York, Says About Rat Poison.

"Tried preparations that kill rats, but RAT-SNAP is the only one that prevents disagreeable odors after killing. Also like RAT-SNAP because it comes in handy cakes, no mixing with other food. You don't have to dirty your hands, it's the best for household use." Try RAT-SNAP. Three sizes, 35c, 65c, \$1.25. Sold and guaranteed by Ritchie Hardware Co., Cline's Pharmacy.

Reformed Synod in Hickory. Hickory, Feb. 26.—The consistency of the Reformed Church is making preparations for the general synod which convenes here May 23 with approximately 300 delegates in attendance. Representatives from many states will be present.

Looks as if Charley White made a record forfeit payment when he was set back \$250.00 for being 12 ounces overweight in his recent bout with Rocky Katsas.

PRaises North Carolina

Father of Mr. G. B. Lewis Wants Virginians to "Become North Carolinians in Spirit."

Mr. H. I. Lewis, father of Mr. G. B. Lewis, of this city, recently spent some time here with his son. Upon his return to his home in West Point, Va., he spoke at the Kiwanis Club meeting there on his experiences in this State and Mississippi. The West Point News has the following to say about Mr. Lewis' speech:

"H. I. Lewis, one of West Point's enthusiastic Kiwanians, has lately returned from Mississippi and spent some time looking over North Carolina as he came through the state."

"At Tuesday night's supper he told of the marvelous advances made throughout the state and especially in the towns which five or six years ago were as small as West Point, but by the push and energy of the citizens had in these few years become bustling, thriving cities with paved streets and good hotels."

"He said that some people stay at home and remain in ignorance of what other people are doing and that we Virginians have done this so long that we actually believe we are sitting on the top of the world."

"In closing his talk he exclaimed: 'Let us become North Carolinians in spirit!'"

When Your Farm Stock is Sick, Look For Rats.

Disease among farm animals don't just happen. Rats are carriers of dangerous month disease and that terrible of all scourges—Bubonic plague. Farmers should throw around premises RAT-SNAP. Its sure and safe. Three sizes, 35c, 65c, \$1.25. Sold and guaranteed by Ritchie Hardware Company, Cline's Pharmacy.

Want Constitutional Amendment. Washington, Feb. 26.—A resolution providing for submission of another constitutional amendment to provide for a popular referendum on future constitutional changes was reported out today by the Senate Judiciary Committee.

SOUR STOMACH INDIGESTION

Theodor's Black-Draught Highly Recommended by a Tennessee Grocer for Troubles Resulting from Torpid Liver.

East Nashville, Tenn.—The efficiency of Theodor's Black-Draught, the genuine, herb, liver medicine, is vouched for by Mr. W. N. Parsons, a grocer of this city. "It is without doubt the best liver medicine, and I don't believe I could get along without it. I take it for sour stomach, headache, bad liver, indigestion, and all other troubles that are the result of a torpid liver."

"I have known and used it for years, and can do highly recommend it to every one. I won't go to bed without it in the house. It will do all it claims to do. I can't say enough for it."

Many other men and women throughout the country have found Black-Draught just as Mr. Parsons describes—valuable in regulating the liver to its normal functions, and in cleansing the bowels of impurities. Theodor's Black-Draught liver medicine is the original and only genuine. Accept no imitations or substitutes. Always ask for Theodor's. E. S.

We will Welcome Your Account. Cabarrus Savings BANK

Plants and Trees

We have a full and complete stock of Fruit Trees, Vines, Plants, etc., to offer the planters of Concord and Cabarrus county.

Year old peach trees \$12.50 hundred. We have apple, pear, plum, damson and other kinds of trees and plants at minimum prices. Norway maples, Texas Umbrellas, rose bushes, budded pecans, evergreens, etc. Plant now. The best season of the entire year.

CROWELL'S PLANT FARM 159 E. Corbin St.

Seed for Spring Sowing. Big shipment of the following Standard High Grade Seeds. Red Clover, Sapling Clover, Alsylke Clover, Sweet Clover, Japan Clover. Orchard Grass, Tall Meadow Oat Grass, Blue Grass, Red Top Grass, Timothy. Fulgum Oats, Red Oats, Appler Oats, Reed Ry. Seed onions, D. M. Ferry & Co., and Lake Shore Garden Seeds. We have the best line, and prices lower than you can order.

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Your Own County Semi-Weekly THE CONCORD TIMES AND THE PROGRESSIVE FARMER Each for One Year for only \$2.50. Fill in the Coupon below and enclose \$2.50 check or money order.

The Concord Times, Concord, N. C., Enclosed find \$2.50, for which send me for a full year each of The Concord Times and The Progressive Farmer. Name _____ P. O. _____ Route _____ Box _____ State _____

COOK STOVES

\$9.75 \$12.75 \$14.75 and \$19.75. Perfectly Good Cook Stoves! Slightly used, but in perfect condition. Some time ago when we put on our big range sale, we traded in several good stoves, among these are some well known makes, that have been sold here for years. Some of these stoves are good as new. Customers wanted a Buck's Range, and we traded in their stoves. These stoves have all been worked over and some of them look good as new. We are selling them out at above prices, on our regular Money Back Guarantee. Terms, if you like.

Concord Furniture Co. SOUTHERN RAILWAY SYSTEM Passenger Train Schedules. Arrival and Departure of Passenger Trains, Concord, N. C.

Table with columns: LV. NO., ARR. NO., and destinations: New York-Birmingham, Birmingham-New York, Washington-Atlanta, Atlanta-New York, Atlanta-New York, Charlotte-Norfolk-Richmond, New York-Birmingham-New Orleans, Norfolk-Richmond-Atlanta, Washington-Charlotte, Charlotte-Danville, New York-Augusta, Birmingham-New Orleans-New York, New York-Atlanta, Washington-Pittsburgh, Richmond-Norfolk, Norfolk-Richmond, Mobile-New Orleans. Schedules published as information and are not guaranteed. R. H. GRAHAM, D. P. A., M. E. WOODY, Ticket Agent, Concord, N. C.