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THURSDAY, MAY 14, 1908.

Will you vote for law and order or for crime and disorder? Its up to you.

Where would you rather see your boy in the school-room or the bar-room?

No law was ever passed that absolutely prohibited that which it was intended to prohibit.

If we are to have no laws that are ever violated let us burn the constitution, destroy the statute books and let might be right.

If the majority for prohibition is small, you will be sorry you did not devote part of your time the last two weeks to doing all you could. It is better to be safe than to be sorry.

Mr. Cilley Loses His Case.

At this term of court the case of C. A. Spencer against the town of Hickory and ex-mayor J. H. P. Cilley was tried before Judge Ferguson.

It will be remembered that several months ago, about the 3rd of September, 1907 the track of the C. & N. W. Railroad was torn up near the freight depot by some unknown parties at night.

Spencer remained in the lock-up for about an hour when he was released on bond.

Afterwards Spencer sued Cilley and the town for damages, the town being joined with the idea that as Cilley was acting in his official capacity the town would probably bear the burden.

Elliott a Winner.

We are pleased to learn that J. D. Elliott's campaign for the State Senate is meeting with a very enthusiastic reception from the Democrats of Catawba.

Claremont Commencement.

The closing exercises of Claremont college were held on Tuesday morning, May 12th in the presence of a number of invited friends.

The essays by the two graduates were very fine. Miss Iona William's subject was "Ideals," and Miss Laura McKeown's was "The education of Woman, for Woman's Work."

Catawba Items.

Nat Reid of the Southern is spending a few days at home.

Mrs. James Gilleland went to Terrill Sunday to be with her mother, Mrs. Isaac Jones who is dangerously ill.

Dr. Ralph Little and Mr. Will Coulter, of Newton were in town Sunday.

Dr. Youny, of Newton spent Monday and Tuesday here on professional business.

Master Carlos and Miss Gladys Lowrance attended the commencement of the Newton graded school last week.

Mrs. Miller spent several days in Newton last week.

Jake Bowman, of Charlotte was a guest in town Sunday and Monday.

Glenn Long who has been attending the North Carolina medical college in Charlotte is at home for the summer.

Misses Idella and Rozella Leonard, of Monbo visited their uncle Z. V. Leonard Saturday and Sunday.

James Gilleland of the Southern spent Sunday at home.

Nemo.

Absurd Reasoning.

We have met with some prohibitionists in Catawba county recently who claim to be advocates of liquor. They will doubtless deny the charge that they are prohibitionists, but from their own arguments they prove themselves to be so.

Attention, Voters.

The registration books will close Saturday May 16th. Those who have registered for the city election cannot vote in the prohibition election May 26th unless you are registered for the county and State.

Horne's Vote.

Your Uncle Ashley's vote so far may not be as big as the others, but it is big enough to make him master of the situation and he is the man who knows how to use that situation to the best advantage.

Subscribe for the Democrat.

Illegal Registration.

The man who registers in the Prohibition election will be registered in the November election. In some places the news comes that anti-prohibition registrars are putting unqualified negroes on the book in order to vote them against prohibition.

BE CAREFUL MR. REGISTRAR.

Eight years ago this State passed through a great campaign the object of which was to remove for all time the vicious and venal element of the electorate. By a majority of 50,000 the voters said in no uncertain tone that this must be done.

The people in every precinct where the registrar is thus violating his oath should demand of the Board of Elections that he be removed and a fair minded man be named in his place.

Registration closes on the 16th of May. If you are not registered be certain to register by that date or you cannot vote.

Mr. W. A. Self Coming.

Mr. W. A. Self, of Hickory, has an appointment to speak in this city Wednesday of next week in opposition to the proposed State prohibition bill which is to be voted on Tuesday, May 26th.

Play at Lenoir College.

Saturday evening 8:30 May, 16th the "Elopement of Ellen" by Marie Warren, will be presented by the Department of Expression in the college auditorium.

A most pleasant evening will be enjoyed by all who see this play. Admission 15 and 25 cents. The proceeds to be used purchasing scenery for the new auditorium stage. Come!

Prohibition Rally.

Judge Robinson will speak on prohibition in the Academy of Music Monday May 18th 8: p. m. In Newton 8: p. m.

Lenoir College Commencement.

The Democrat is in receipt of the following invitation: The Faculty and Lenoir Class of Lenoir College request the honor of your presence at their Commencement Exercises May seventeenth to twentieth Nineteen hundred eight Hickory N. C.

PROGRAM

Baccalaureate sermon May 17th 11: a. m., by Rev. J. E. Shenk, Concord, N. C. Annual address before students missionary society 17th 7:30 p. m., by Rev. John Hall, Gastonia, N. C.

Charles Webster Cromer, Saluda Millian Derrick, Jacob Devi Kiser, Roscoe Frederick Mouser, Clarence Adolphus Pence, Annie Eunice Plonk, Henry Lee Seay, John Lewis Smith, Art Desola Price.

Vote As You Pray.

If this world is ever taken for Christ, and it certainly will be, it will not be in the days and years of the saloons. Christianity and saloons do not go together any more than oil and water will mix.

The Safety Fire Escape.

C. T. Morrison has bought out the Flowers Fire escape Co. and will now proceed to place this great invention in every State in the Union.

Mr. Morrison is prepared to manufacture the entire outfit here at home and will soon begin making them in large quantities.

This little machine is a perfect life saver and it should be placed in every room of every hotel in the United States. The name of the company will hereafter be, The Safety Fire Escape Co.

Died Thursday Morning.

The Death of Mrs. W. P. Whitener occurred here at 5 o'clock this a. m. after an illness of some weeks. She leaves a husband and several children. The funeral will take place tomorrow a. m. from the residence of her son-in-law J. F. Abernethy.

The death of Mrs. Kate Bost occurred at her home in East Hickory this a. m. at 7 o'clock. More will be said next week.

Mrs Lee Kanipe Dead.

The death of Mrs. Kanipe occurred at her home in the country last Saturday and the burial took place Sunday in the cemetery at St. Stephens church, where she has been a member for a number of years. She leaves a husband and seven small children. A number of people from Hickory attended the funeral. Rev. J. L. Murphy conducted the service.

A night or two ago a barn belonging to Mrs. Rufus Nelson, who lives two and a half miles south of Lenoir, was totally destroyed by fire. In the barn was a fine horse and a large supply of meat, corn, roughness, farming tools and about 7,000 shingles all of which was lost. The loss is estimated at \$500.00. It is not known how the fire originated.

AUCTION SALE

A Big Lot of Ladies' Hats and Trimmings

Show Cases and a lot of Household and Kitchen Furniture, will be sold at public auction, in the Huffman building, on

Saturday, May 15th.

Sale beginning at 10 a. m. and continuing until everything is sold.

The goods named in the above must be sold regardless of cost.

Don't Forget the Date!

Z. B. Buchanan.

Notice of Bond Election.

Notice is hereby given that an election is ordered to be held at the several polling-places in Hickory Township, Catawba County, North Carolina, on the 26th day of May, 1908, at which election shall be submitted, to the qualified voters of Hickory Township, a proposition to issue bonds for road improvements, in the sum of Seventy-five Thousand (\$75,000.00) Dollars, said bonds to bear interest at Five (5) per cent per annum, payable semi-annually, and to run for a period of Thirty Years, in accordance with Chapter 114, Public Laws of 1907.

JACOB E. SETZER, Clerk of Board.

THE MOST COMMON CAUSE OF SUFFERING.

Rheumatism causes more pain and suffering than any other disease, for the reason that it is the most common of all ills, and it is certainly gratifying to sufferers to know that Chamberlain's Liniment will afford relief, and make rest and sleep possible.

For The Legislature.

To the voters of Catawba county, I hereby announce myself a candidate for the Legislature subject to the action of the Democratic primaries and county convention.

M. H. Yount.

Announcement.

Not because there are not already enough, and good enough men whose services have been offered to the County as Treasurer, but because, I believe I can serve the people of Catawba County, in that capacity as well as they, and thereby be able to make a living from same; since I have been disable to continue serving as pastor and preacher.

J. Allen Arndt.

Kodol For Indigestion.

Relieves sour stomach, palpitation of the heart. Digests what you eat.

NOTICE.

A. N. Aberholt hereby enters the following desirable tract of land in Catawba county, and State of North Carolina, Hickory township, adjoining the lands of Evans, Wisnant and Aderholt.

A. N. ADERHOLT, Thos. M. Huffman, Att'y,

Announcement.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of County Treasurer subject to action of the Democratic primaries and County convention. April 15, 1908

J. U. LONG.

For County Treasurer

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the office of County Treasurer having been a lifelong Democrat and a confederate veteran and have served as a magistrate for 26 years at a sacrifice to myself, therefore I asked for a unanimous support however subject to the Democratic primaries and County Convention. If elected I will be found at my post of duty at all times.

S. E. KILLIAN.

A Card.

It is with pleasure that S. E. Killian's name is presented to the people of Catawba county for the office of County Treasurer subject to the action of the convention. Mr. Killian is fully competent to fill this important office and has always been an unwavering Democrat and is a deserving Confederate soldier.

Announcement.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the House of Representatives to the next General Assembly of North Carolina subject however to the action of the Democratic primaries and county convention.

D. L. RUSSEL.

A Card.

TO THE DEMOCRATIC VOTERS OF CATAWBA COUNTY:

At the urgent solicitation of his many friends, Mr. J. U. Long has consented to become a candidate for the office of county treasurer of Catawba county, subject to the action of the Democratic county convention. Mr. Long is an old soldier, a life long Democrat and a man of highest character and in every way a most available man for this office.

J. H. YOUNT.

SALE OF PROPERTY.

75 acre Farm, one mile from Hickory. One four room cottage in Horseford Heights, \$650.00 Three vacant lots in Horseford Heights, \$100.00 each. One vacant lot on Eight Avenue, \$350.00. One house and lot in Long View \$500.00. One vacant lot, adjoining W. A. Abbee's land, \$125.00. Three vacant lots in Long View 100.00. One vacant lot in Washington street, \$475.00. 50 lots in grand View at reasonable prices.

Very respectfully, C. I. Morrison, Hickory, N. C.

Announcement for Treasurer.

As to office of County Treasurer will be open for a new man this year, the present incumbent W. A. Day. Assuring us that he will not be a candidate for re-nomination, I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of County Treasurer, subject however to the action of the Democratic primaries and county convention soon to be held. If nominated and elected to that responsible position I will endeavor to discharge the duties of said office faithfully and impartially. Asking the patronage of every voter in the county who can conscientiously do so, and assuring everyone of my appreciation of same. I am fraternally yours.

GEORGE F. DRUM.

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