

Concord Daily Tribune

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LOCAL MENTION

Marriage license was issued Saturday to William J. Furr and Miss Myrtle Marlow, both of Kannapolis.

Marion Cochrane, of West Palm Beach, Fla., has moved to Concord, where he will make his home in the future.

The Parent-Teachers Association of the high school will meet Wednesday afternoon at 3:30. All members are urged to attend.

The American Legion Auxiliary will hold its regular meeting this evening at 8 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Robert E. Jones on North Union Street.

G. S. Klutz has returned from Mt. Tabor, where he spent several days with his son, Adam Klutz, who has been confined to his home there with mumps.

The White Hall Health Club will meet Wednesday afternoon at three o'clock at the home of Mrs. J. T. White on the Rocky River Church road.

Representatives of the federal government will be at Concord February 25th and 26th and March 4th, 5th and 6th, and at Kannapolis March 3rd to receive income tax returns.

S. W. Preslar and family will move tomorrow from their present location on North Church street to their new home on the Kannapolis highway.

Dr. S. E. Buchanan, county health officer, has agreed to show his health pictures at the Wincoff school tonight and at the White Hall school tomorrow night.

Members of the Y. M. C. A. basketball team will go to Hickory tomorrow for a game with the team of Leitchville College.

Reports from the State University indicate that Don Miller and Harry Stuhldreher, former Notre Dame football stars, will not be signed as football coaches.

Primary teachers of the county will meet in the court house here Saturday morning at 10:30.

Plasterers will begin work on the new hotel job this week.

Reserved seats for the Joan R. Arnam Minstrels, to be at the Concord Theatre Wednesday night, are now on sale at the box office.

The health pictures which have been shown at various places in the county will be shown at the White Hall school house Tuesday night at 7 o'clock.

Seven defendants are to be tried in recorder's court this afternoon, police report.

J. E. Davis, who returned to Concord Sunday from Goldsboro, reports a damaging hail storm between Durham and Burlington Sunday afternoon.

Freckish weather was Concord's portion Saturday night and Sunday.

Rev. R. M. Courtney and Rev. T. F. Higgins address meeting at Y. M. C. A. yesterday afternoon.

The largest single delegation present was from McKinnon Presbyterian Church.

After the general meeting members of the jury and council held an executive session.

A group picture of the youngsters present was made on the Y lawn before the meeting started.

Good Roads and Public Education Are The Basis of Economic Progress in North Carolina

Atlanta, Feb. 13.—(AP)—An article by Governor Angus W. McLean, of North Carolina, on "Good Roads and Public Education as the Basis of Economic Progress in North Carolina" will appear tomorrow morning in the Atlanta Constitution.

"The article follows: "North Carolina has justly been advertised throughout the country as one of the states whose recent progress in wealth, industry, education and social advancement has been relatively so great as not only to prove attractive to investors from abroad but to present a subject of study for other commonwealths."

"There has been so evidently in evidence a new spirit of energy and initiative, there has been such a willingness manifested to build and plan for the future, there has been such a virile confidence in popular ability to achieve prosperity and support new demands of a greatly elevated and expanded scheme of living, that the search for the causes of the change has a particular fascination."

"Abroad, the first and most potent explanations of this new era has been the activity in road building. As the tide of motor travel has increased, the fame of North Carolina highways has spread throughout the land. Business men, commercial travelers, tourists have for several years had our state under inspection under the most favorable circumstances. They have witnessed a well-planned system of inter-communication between the people of a state that from the seashore on the east to the mountains of the west, western North Carolina covers over 600 miles. They have seen everywhere thriving small cities, moderately equipped towns, a population which carries with it an unmistakable assurance of success and independence. They have seen along these highways mile after mile of concentrated industries whose power comes from electricity generated by North Carolina streams. They have seen great resort areas on the coast, in the piedmont and in the mountains, to which these roads are the key. Seeing what has been done, the visitor to North Carolina is apt to say: "See what good roads can do!"

"Good roads are in fact an achievement of which the state is proud. Our highway system now includes 4,448 miles of completed road, on which there has been expended in four years a total of \$82,200,053. During the year 1925 there was new road construction of 1,544 miles at a cost, with bridges, of \$27,327,046. There is at present under construction an additional mileage of 816, to cost \$14,659,532, and this will be greatly increased during the year 1926 by the expenditure of from ten to twelve million dollars loaned by various countries to the highway commission."

"Whatever the influence of good roads in case of communication, interchange of products, inter-relations of business, and a widening together of ideas in terms of the state as a whole, it follows, of course, that such a program could not have been conceived or realized without a previous accumulation of wealth and power incident to the employment of natural resources and the activities of business, industry and commerce."

"Back of the highway system so essential to the unity of an active state, therefore, we must look to the advancement in material prosperity on which it rests. A few figures will show what that progress has been in the last quarter of a century in preparation:

"In 1900 the true valuation of property in the state was \$682,000,000; by 1924 it had increased to \$4,500,000,000.

"In 1900 the value of manufactures was \$85,000; in 1925 they exceeded \$700,000,000.

"In 1900 bank resources were \$15,362,182; in 1925 they were in excess of \$500,000,000.

"In 1900 the value of farm crops was \$80,000,000; in 1925 it was \$318,661,000.

"These are high points of the values created by thrift, energy and business and industrial imagination, and it is these values which have made possible the great asset of good roads as a means to stimulated prosperity. To them should be added a vital contributing factor the investment of more than \$100,000,000 in developing for the use of industry 600,000 of primary horsepower for hydro-electric energy, which, with steam auxiliary, deliver annually more than a billion and a half kilowatt hours of electric power.

"These figures illustrate a marvelous and inspiring record of achievement, being about 1900 and never halted except momentarily, and then only to be renewed more vigorously. It is even more inspiring to follow this era to its beginning and find it bottomed on a crusade of a few men whose idealism took small account of the practical results which have flowed from it.

"This crusade was one for popular education. Its active evangelists were Charles Brantley Aycock, governor of North Carolina, 1900 to 1905; Edwin A. Alderman, now president of the University of Virginia, and Chas. D. McIver, founder and president of the state's first venture in the education of women. Elected governor in 1900, Aycock declared as his central policy the equality of educational opportunity for all children of the state, regardless of color, age or sex. It was revolutionary politics, calling for the massing of zeal and courage. Yet in twenty-five years, the figures of school expenditures, the increase in school attendance, the multiplication of school houses, have been so many indices pointing to greater wealth, larger production, more factories, better homes.

"In 1900, when Aycock was elected governor, total public school expenditures were \$1,062,503. They have increased under the policy he followed to over \$30,000,000 in 1925. If the whole period is considered, it means that the state has steadily increased its expenditures for schools approximately a million and a half a

year. The facts are that the bulk of this money spent on education has been expended since 1919, amounting to the great total for these six years of approximately \$53,000,000.

"In addition to this expenditure on public schools, the State of North Carolina has spent millions in permanent improvements on the University, State College of agriculture and engineering, the North Carolina College for Women, Teachers' Training College, the college for agricultural and vocational training for negroes, etc. Its expenditures for these institutions of higher and special education were last year \$2,015,500.

"In 1900 the total school enrollment in the State was 400,452; in 1925 it was 809,834.

"In 1900 there were thirty high schools, enrolling 2,000 students. In 1924, 738 high schools had an enrollment of 63,375 and 6,900 graduates.

The more closely one looks at the figures which mark this state's progress in the material values which make possible the social advances incident to a higher standard of living and a more diffused prosperity, the more strikingly is borne upon the mind the synchronism between the tides of education and wealth, of popular enlightenment and of practically universal employment for returns sufficient to provide a hopeful livelihood.

"This has been no matter of chance. During the federal government taxes on income and industry which totaled over one hundred and eighty million dollars taxes, greater than any other state with four exceptions.

"There is no estimating the amount in values to support taxes with which our roads should be credited.

"Still less possible to estimate, but even more necessary to consider, is the degree to which these material values were made possible by a generation of emphasis on educational equipment for our children of school age."

Why He Quit. A janitor of a new school threw up his job the other day. When asked the trouble he said: "I'm honest and I won't stand being fussed. If I find a pencil or eraser in my pocket, I hang or put it up. Every little while the teacher or some one that is too cowardly to face me will give me a slur. A little while ago I seen wrote on the board, 'Find the least common multiple.' Well, I looked from cellar to garret for that thing and wouldn't know the thing if I met it on the street. Last night, in big writing on the blackboard, it said, 'Find the greatest common divisor.' Well, I says to myself, 'both of them things are lost now, and I'll be accused of talking them, so I'll quit.'"

An early instance of a strike occurred in England in 1679 when a company of framework knitters and makers of silk stockings agreed not to work for a month in order to keep up their prices.

CONCORD PRODUCE MARKET (Corrected Weekly by Cline & Moose) Figures named represent prices paid for produce on the market:

Table with 2 columns: Item and Price. Includes Eggs, Corn, Sweet potatoes, Turkeys, Onions, Peas, Butter, Country Ham, Country Shoulder, Country Sides, Young Chickens, Hens, Irish Potatoes.

LOYAL ORDER OF MOOSE Regular meeting of Concord Lodge No. 404 Loyal Order of Moose Monday evening at 7:30 o'clock. All members requested to be present. W. J. HETHCOX, Sec.

TOM SIMS Says

Every man hopes his radiator won't freeze until it finally does. Old friends are the best, because new ones make you think.

If you are wearing your bathing suit for underwear a little talcum powder will keep it from scratching. Won't be long now before the weather will be warm enough to leave off a couple of pairs of socks.

So live that the sound of the postman's whistle brings joy instead of the dread of bills.

Work hard and save your money so there will be a long line of high-priced autos at your funeral. (Copyright, 1926, NEA Service, Inc.)

Following Instructions. A man arrested for murder bribed an Irishman of the jury with a hundred dollars to hang out for a verdict of manslaughter.

The jury was out for a long time but finally came in with the desired verdict. The man rushed up to the Irish juror and said:

"I'm much obliged to you, my man. Did you have a had time?" "Yes," said the Irishman, "a devil of a time. All the rest wanted to acquit you."

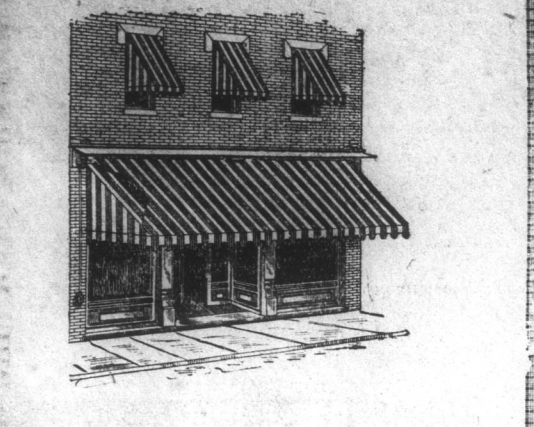
BOILER MAKER HITS A HARD BLOW NOW

Says HERB JUICE Put Him in Such Splendid Condition He Feels Like a New Man; Recommends It to Every One.

"The best medicine I have ever used is what I think of HERB JUICE. I am enjoying better health today than I have enjoyed for years and I gladly give the great herb remedy credit for it." Such was part of the gratifying statement received by the HERB JUICE man a few days ago from S. O. Wyrick, well known boiler maker, Salisbury, N. C.

"Several weeks ago," continued Mr. Wyrick, "I began using HERB JUICE for my ailments, and to say that it has helped me wonderfully, is expressing it very mildly, for I never got the great relief and splendid results from any other medicine that I have gotten from HERB JUICE. My stomach was in such bad condition that I had to be very careful about what I ate, for gas would form, causing me to bloat very badly and at times the gas pains in my stomach were almost unbearable. So on account of my restricted diet I was losing in weight and strength and was not equal to my task as boiler maker, but since I have taken HERB JUICE for several weeks' time I can hit a hard blow now. I feel more like doing a real day's work than I have in years. It is the most effective and most pleasant of any medicine I have ever found. Now for the first time in months I can eat and enjoy three good meals a day and I get so much more nourishment from my food now that I have increased in weight until I feel like a new man. Today my stomach is in excellent working condition. I have also found HERB JUICE to be a wonderful laxative and through its mild yet very effective action I have been entirely relieved of constipation, liver and bowels are functioning splendidly and I am in better health generally than I have been in a long time. I feel sure that any medicine that would make the HERB JUICE has, will help others in the same way, so I have no hesitancy whatsoever in recommending it to everyone as a most effective laxative and system regulator."

For Sale by Gibson Drug Store. Also sold in Kannapolis by F. L. Smith Drug Co.



New Awnings For Spring Delivery

Our 1926 samples have been received and show a big improvement in Quality, Design and Beauty. Many changes have been made with reference to construction, and best of all, there is no advance in prices on orders placed before our spring delivery date. We are now taking orders for March and April delivery, at last year's prices, and giving our customers advantage of the new 1926 patterns and designs. Place your orders now. Get your awnings when you need them, and enjoy them before you have to pay. Phone 347 for Samples and prices. No obligation to buy. Remember we are the Awning people, and will give you the best money can buy.

Concord Furniture Co. THE RELIABLE FURNITURE STORE

1926 SOMETHING TO REMEMBER

No Dealer in Concord Sells Coal for Less than I do. Best Furnace Coal \$8.00 to \$11.00. Best Grate and Stove Coal \$8.00 to \$9.00. Best Steam Coal \$4.00 to \$7.50. Best Gas House Coke—Made in Concord \$8.50. Start the New Year Right by Purchasing Your Coal where you can get QUALITY and SERVICE.

A. B. POUNDS

NEW IVEY'S \$3.95 to \$9 THE HOME OF GOOD SHOES. For tomorrow and next week several new early Spring Models. Among the lot is the above style in the popular Sauterne Kid, a new spring color. This pump is exactly like cut and is an unusually pretty style. This and lots of other new ones on sale now.

CONCORD THEATRE One Night Only—Wednesday, Feb. 17

JOHN R. VAN ARNAM'S MINSTRELS. 35—All White Stars—35

Traveling in Their Own 82-Foot Private Pullman Dining and Sleeping Car. PRICES 50c, 75c, \$1.00 Plus Tax. Reserved Now at Box Office. Phone 871. Big Free Street Parade at Noon. They Are Going Fast—You Will Have to Hurry.

OUR PENNY ADS. ALWAYS GET RESULTS

We took a lesson from Lincoln—a long time ago. "Think of the man and the dollar—but consider the man before the dollar." A saying of Lincoln—A statute of ours—If a man buys a \$35 suit and wears a size 36—we pay a lot more attention to the 36 than we do to the 35! Schloss Suits in the First Spring Models shown in Concord \$35 TO \$50. HOOVER'S, Inc. "THE YOUNG MAN'S STORE"

This Coupon Is Worth 25c. Take this Coupon and 75c and get a \$1.00 Bottle of SMI-LAX, the New and Wonderful TONIC and LAXATIVE COMPOUND. We have only a few bottles to sell at this price as an introductory offer. After this is gone it will cost you \$1.00 a bottle which is the regular price. This medicine is carefully and properly made from the preparations and compounds of Biotin, Bark and Minerals that have been used for generations as a TONIC and LAXATIVE. Recommended as an aid in the treatment of the following complaints: Loss of Appetite, Weak and Run-Down Condition of the System, Indigestion, Constipation, Stomach and Liver. FOR SALE BY LEADING DRUG STORES.

Just Received Two Big Shipments of Melrose Flour and Liberty Self-Rising Flour. Melrose Flour leads all. This big lot was bought cheaper, therefore we sell cheap now. Use Melrose. Buy it before it goes higher. Liberty Self-Rising is "Melrose" in high grade quality. Buy your flour from Cline & Moose. P. S.—Clever deliverymen go quickly everywhere.

ITCH! Money back without question if HUNT'S GUARANTEED SKIN DISEASE REMEDY (Hunt's Salve and Soap) fails in the treatment of Itch, Eczema, Ringworm, Tetter or other itching skin diseases. Try this treatment at our risk. ECZEMA! Money back without question if HUNT'S GUARANTEED SKIN DISEASE REMEDY (Hunt's Salve and Soap) fails in the treatment of Itch, Eczema, Ringworm, Tetter or other itching skin diseases. Try this treatment at our risk. PEARL DRUG CO.

CONCORD COTTON MARKET MONDAY, FEBRUARY 15, 1926 Cotton seed 19 and 19 1-2 Cotton seed 52 1-2

Buy Our Trade Cards from Contestants Price \$1.25—Worth \$1.50 Contestants get 625 votes for every card sold. Save 25c and help contestant Cards Good in trade at our Shop During California Tours Campaign. The best sympathy. IT is only human for a funeral director to feel sympathetic in the presence of bereaved patrons. But it is real sympathy when he recognizes an obligation to see to it that the highest character of burial equipment is furnished at honest prices. Such a policy has been responsible for the success of this concern. Typical of the burial equipment furnished by us is the Clark Grave Vault, recognized as a leader in the vault industry, because it gives positive and permanent protection. WILKINSON'S FUN. REAL HOME. Call 9—Day or Night. CLARK GRAVE VAULT. Bob's DRY CLEANING CO. "MASTER" Cleaners and Dyers. Office 25-27 W. Depot St.

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