

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Dr. Tilson was in town last Monday.

Good heavy Domestic 6 cts at Shelton's.

Mr. Adams of New York was in town last Monday.

Extra heavy overalls for men 75 cents, at Shelton's.

Read the extracts on Aycock and do something for this memorial.

I want to sell you goods and will save you money. F. Shelton.

Mrs. J. R. Swann returned home last Friday with her son Jack.

Mr. Dolman Bradburn is out after quite a severe spell with the measles.

For Sale—Plymouth Rock Eggs. 75c per 15. L. M. Bryan Marshall, R. 2.

This is the month for school census. Every one be prepared for the census taker.

Use Buquo's ground lime-stone for grass. See Morrow & McLendon about it.

Sheriff Robert Ramsey was in Asheville last Sunday where, his wife is in the hospital.

Dr. Frank Roberts left for Hickory on Monday for the Congressional Convention.

Mrs. Church who has been visiting her son for some time returned home last Monday.

Rev. J. N. Andre left Wednesday for Louisville where he will attend the General assembly.

All the primaries were in and the convention of republicans held its session on Monday.

Miss Francis Goodrich returned to Asheville from whence she will leave for the summer on May 20th.

Now that the republicans have filled their slate and are finished it is time for the democrats to get busy.

Mr. Sylvanus Chandley returned from Statesville last Monday. He reports his father much better.

The Dorland School at Hot Springs held its Commencement exercises this week quite a large class graduated.

Mr. Massey was brought back by Deputy Marshal Jarrett and placed in jail for thirty days with \$100.00 fine.

The Southern Baptist Convention is meeting in Oklahoma City this week, Asheville is trying to get its next meeting.

Mr. Coleman Ramsey left for Hickory on Monday to attend the Congressional Convention.

Miss Mary Johns who is so well known to many people of Marshall returned from Europe and is spending the summer at Brittan's Cove.

Miss Letitia Hendricks will go to Raleigh on next Saturday to attend the Commencement of St. Mary's School from which her sister Miss Nellie graduates.

We are informed that a certain person found in a box car a pocket book with \$25.00, a pipe and a fountain pen. Some one lost this and the finder is a lucky man (if he found it).

Quite a great deal of interest is being manifested in the race in the 10th congressional district between the present Congressman Hon. J. M. Gudger Jr. and Mr. R. R. Reynolds the solicitor for this judicial district.

The commencement exercises at Bell Institute was a great success. A very large class graduated and the exercises were replete with good things. Prof. Childs of Asheville delivered the address and the large audience was well pleased with it. Twenty one young girls and boys took their final degrees. The school year was a very successful one.

FOR SALE

House of six rooms. Good stable and chicken house. Cistern at the kitchen door. About two acres of ground, located at Walnut, N. C. Address, S. W. McClure, Walnut, N. C.

AN APPRECIATION OF AYCOCK

RARELY does a man's death fit his life so well as that of the late Charles B. Aycock, once Governor of North Carolina. No wonder the manner of his dying touched the dramatic sense of the people of his state, and indeed, of the whole South.

Aycock's life-work was a long and successful fight for more and better public schools for his people. He was a remarkable orator, and a public man of unusual parts and equipment, deeply interested in many public questions. But when, a decade or more ago, he was chosen governor of his state, he determined to devote himself to what he felt to be the supreme need of his people at that time.

It was a time when North Carolina, like the other Southern States, was at last emerging from the poverty and depression that followed the war—a period during which it had been simply impossible for the South to keep pace in educational progress with the rest of the country.

So the young and brilliant governor made education the constant theme of his oratory. He preached better schools from every platform in the state. He fought for them in political conventions. He became known far and wide as "the educational governor." And he won his fight. The people responded to his eloquence with an enthusiasm that to this day remains effective and undiminished.

He died as he had lived, for the end came while he was addressing a great audience at Birmingham Alabama. His subject was "Universal Education," and it is said that "education" was the very last word he spoke before he threw up his arms, reeled backward, and fell down dead before the thousands who had just been applauding him.

All parties and all races in North Carolina began at once to contribute to a marble monument to his memory.

But he has already monuments by the thousand; every school-house in the Old North State is one of them.—Youths. Companion.

TO SCHOOL COMMITTEEMEN OF MADISON COUNTY

The School Committeemen will take the census as required by law so he can swear to his list. I hope no committeeman will neglect this duty for he cannot draw pay for his services unless his census list is sworn to.

Respectfully
M. C. BUCKNER

Revival.

The series of meetings that have been in session at the Methodist church have been very well attended and quite a number have gone to the mourners bench. Rev. Mr. Green and Rev. Mr. Battle of Hot Springs have been helping Mr. Stabler and the meetings are replete with interest those who have attended. All the churches dismissed the services last Sunday and attended the services.

Afternoon prayer meetings are held every day and many houses are visited in this way. We trust much good may be done and that many souls may be saved. All the christians should pray that God may bless every effort made to bring people into his kingdom.

APPLICATION FOR PARDON

Riley Gunter and Elisha Gunter. Application will be made to the Governor of North Carolina for the pardon of Riley Gunter and Elisha Gunter convicted at September 1911, term of the Superior Court of Madison County of the crime of assault and sentenced to Buncombe county roads for a term of two years each.

All persons who oppose the granting of said pardon are invited to forward their protests to the Governor without delay.

This 17th day of May 1912.
R. G. GUNTER.

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Grand Army Post No 38.

The members will please call upon Comrade Anderson of Marshall for Decoration flags for the graves of the Old Soldiers.

Yours Respectfully,
S. M. DAVIS Com.

NOTICE OF SALE

North Carolina, Madison County. Under and by virtue of authority conferred by a certain deed in trust executed by Ella B. Wells to the undersigned trustee, bearing date March the 21st, 1900, and recorded in the office of Register of deeds for Madison County, in deed book no. 9 page 336, default being made in the payment of the indebtedness thereby secured, I will on Monday June the 17th, 1912, at 12 o'clock m. at the Court house door in the town of Marshall sell to the highest bidder for cash to satisfy said indebtedness, all right, title, and interest to which said Ella B. Wells have in the following described real estate, to-wit: Lying and being in Madison County, North Carolina, and on the waters of Big Pine Creek, beginning on a Ash in John Robert's line, and runs north, to Robert Price's line, thence east with his line to his corner, thence north with said Price's line to his other corner thence west with Price's land with his North west corner, thence north to the top of the Doe Branch divide to a stake on the north side of the road, known as the Misner road, thence an east course with said road and the top of the Doe branch divide to the William Robert's and the old Hall & Walton line, thence South, with said line to gutter Randall's line, thence west with his line to John Robert's line, thence to his line to the beginning, containing one hundred acres (100 acres) more or less and being the same tract of land conveyed by Dall Randall to James Plemons and Laurel Plemons.

This the 15th day of May 1912.
W. B. Ramsey.

FAIR.

It is about time for us to debate the advisability of a fair for our county. Every year for the last few the News-Record has been advocating this plan. Even if we don't have a very good one we should have some kind of an exhibition of the products of our county that may lead us.

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ROAD FUND--Continued.

6 Paid J. N. White, cash in C. C. Peck case no. 16 township,	2.75	Jan. 3 To amount on salary for December,	62.31
“ “ W. R. Carter, sup. no. 5,	33.00	Feb. 7 To amount on salary for January,	104.46
“ “ J. A. Martin, sup. no. 8,	21.65	Mar. 6 To amount on salary for February,	121.11
“ “ G. W. Bryan sup. no. 1,	67.90	Apr. 4 To amount on salary for March,	122.13
“ “ B. H. Case, surveying no. 6,	11.25	May 2 To Salary, April,	100.00
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“ “ J. K. Wilson, sup. no. 14,	54.41	Oct. 2 To salary September,	100.00
“ “ French Broad News, printing road board,	.50	Nov. 6 To salary October,	100.00
“ “ C. D. Lewis, sup. no. 16,	6.00	Dec. 5 To Clerk hire for year end Dec. 1, 1911	80.00
“ “ S. W. Brown, sup. no. 9,	8.00	Dec. 5 To Salary for November,	100.00
“ “ H. J. Jervis, to be applied on no. 4, road,	75.00	Dec. 5 To Balance, November, 30th.,	337.77
“ “ H. C. Buckner, sup. no. 15,	22.75		
“ “ J. R. Swann, print. road board,	1.00		
“ “ L. N. Odell, servloes as sup. no 1	6.75	Dec. 5 By Balance,	8167.77
“ “ S. V. Shelton, sup. no 2	30.50		337.77
“ “ L. B. Rice, sup no 10	4.50		
“ “ G. B. Brown, sup no 7	32.15		
“ “ J. W. Wild, servloes as road com	10.00		
“ “ J. A. Ramsey, servloes as road com	8.00		
“ “ A. E. Eryan, servloes as road com	6.00		
“ “ G. W. Bryan, money on Hays Run & Ivy Road (Gen'l road fund.)	177.71		
30 By Balance,	49.64		
	2057.11		
1 To Balance from last month,	493.64		
	\$1300.00		

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Feb. 7 To amount on salary for January,	41.90	Nov. 6 By fees for October,	115.95
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May 2 To amount on salary for March,	41.52		
May 2 To amount on salary for April,	28.60		
May 2 To Bal. on sal. in full to May 1, 1911,	335.32		
June 6 To amount on salary for May,	83.28		
July 4 To salary for June,	100.00		
Aug. 7 To salary for July,	100.00		
Oct. 3 To salary for August and September,	200.00		
Nov. 7 To salary for October,	100.00		
Dec. 5 To salary for November,	100.00		
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