

SHORT LOCAL ITEMS.

Local Items Too Short for a Heart
Grouped Together.

Paints, oils, varnishes.—Tryon Supply co.

Mr. Louis Smally was in town on Tuesday.

Buggies, wagons, saddlery and harness.—Tryon Supply co.

Clerk Hampton spent Saturday night in Spartanburg.

Hardware, doors, windows, glass.—Tryon Supply co.

Coming! The Fourth of July and goods for the Tryon Supply company.

Fine season for sowing peas, and from what we can learn the farmers are taking advantage of it.

L. H. Cloud went over to Asheville yesterday. He will be gone several days visiting his brother there.

Terrel Greene, of Mill Spring, who is a fireman on the Southern, is at home this week nursing a mashed foot.

J. M. Turner, of Aboline, reported the first cotton bloom of the season this week. It made its appearance on the 23rd.

Robert Morris, a talented and promising young man of Rutherford, is reading law with his uncle Jas. Morris Esq.—Marion News.

Services will be held in the Silver creek Baptist church next Sabbath (5th Sunday of June), by T. C. Croker, of Columbus.

We are agents for the Deering Harvester machinery. Give us your orders for mowers, rakes, binders and shredders.—Tryon Supply co.

M. E. Miller, the clever mail carrier from here to Melvin Hill is off with the thresher for awhile. James Turner is filling his place on the route.

E. B. Cloud has recovered from his recent illness sufficient to visit his brother Virgil, of Asheville, who is now manager of an up-to-date cafe—(restaurant).

Mrs. Bushnell, who has been stopping at the hotel for some time, left on Monday. She was signally improved by her stay here. She said: "I feel that I am well."

The Melvin Hill Mfg. Co., is turning out a fine brand of flour. Mr. Lawhorn, the miller, knows his business, and is giving the best of satisfaction in every particular.

J. M. Putnam says the early cotton blooms are an indication of a poor cotton crop, and Mr. Putnam is a pretty close observer. Better not bank too much on present prospects for a crop.

Robt. Thorne, of Medina, N. D., writes us for the News. Ofcourse he will have "a thorne in the flesh" till he gets it. All his kindred from "generations to resolutions" take it easy they know a good thing when they see it.

W. M. Barnett, of Collinsville, has been suggested as a suitable man on the board of county commissioners. Mr. Barnett is an excellent citizen and has evinced the fact by the splendid improvements that he has made on his premises, that he is capable to fill the office.

G. F. Feagan writes from southeast Polk: "We people down here like the News all O. K. We are killing grass and weeds in a whiz this week. Cotton and corn is growing very well. Had a big freshet on Greens creek June 16th, which injured our corn and washed the land badly."

And great multitudes went up on the mountain on Sunday to pick huckleberries, and they opened their mouths and—filled them. And it came to pass that they took up 12 baskets full of the fragments. And there appeared unto them one, saying: "No harm, no sin to break the Sabbath day. Ye shall not attend Sabbath school, but ye shall pick huckleberries on the Sabbath."

It is in order again to mention the improvements now being made in the city. A. L. McMurray is having a nice fence placed around his lot, and Mr. Hughes is making quite an improvement on his nice residence on Peak street, by building a piazza across the east end of his house, which will connect the front and rear piazzas, making a most desirable and important ad-

dition, both to the appearance and convenience of the house.

North Pacolet was startled quite a little on last Sunday morning when the sad news of the death of Rev. A. T. Jones' wife was announced. Her death was a shock to the whole community as it was very unexpected. She had been sick only a short time. Mr. Jones is the faithful and beloved pastor of North Pacolet Baptist church, and he has the sympathy of a large circle of friends in this sore bereavement.

LYNN.

New faces are noticed in Lynn almost every day. Some are visitors, others are seeking employment.

Millsr McKinney left Tuesday evening for a few days visit to the old folks at home near cliffon.

Miss Johnson will open school the first of July. All the children that can are urgently requested to attend. No charge for tuition.

Swan & Westall made a flying trip to Spartanburg one day last week with a load of their early fruit. Its not necessary to say they swapped horses while gone.

The summer guests keep dropping in at the Mimosa, about 15 registered last Sunday.

J. W. Kennedy, of Columbia, passed through our burg last Saturday, on his way to his beautiful summer home at the old Dr. Brack place and returned Monday.

The ball game last Saturday resulted in a tie, so we have been informed. Those Kids got that hump didn't they?

The young people of the C. E., gave an entertainment in the way of a box supper last Saturday evening which resulted in collecting \$8, which will be appropriated to defray the expenses of a delegation to the state convention in Asheville.

A weekly prayer services are being held in the chapel every Wednesday evening.

Lafayette Newman is quite sick, suffering from a partial stroke of paralysis, and at this pencilling his son is reported as being sick also.

Mr. and Mrs. Constant have a very sick baby.

Miss Callie Walker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Walker died one day last week, and her remains were interred in the Tryon cemetery. Miss Callie was a good girl and loved by all who knew her. Mr. Walker and family have the sympathy of the community.

N. C. PRESS ASSOCIATION.

The North Carolina Press Association is in session today at Hendersonville. The Hustler this week came out with warm and cordial welcome, and says indications point to a very large attendance of the knights of the quill.

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NOTICE.

A township convention will be held in the court house on next Saturday evening at 3 o'clock, for the purpose of electing delegates to the county convention, which will be held on July 7th.

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MELVIN HILL.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Christner, of McKeesport, Pa., arrived in the village on Friday. They are to remain for some time, guests of Mr. and Mrs. N. B. Christner. We hope their visit here will be both pleasant and profitable.

Miss Josie Henderson, of Greens Creek, is visiting her sister Mrs. Thomas Cantrell at this writing.

We heard a man say, (who had been camping) "I slept on two sides

of meat at once last night." Can anyone tell us how it was done?

The new corn mill is now at work turning out beautiful meal. New for the mush and milk supper!

G. W. Berry, of Asheboro, was in the village the first of the week. He came to see the flour mill, as he is a miller.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. A. Branscom went to Rutherford county on Sabbath day. Mr. Branscom has an appointment to preach there every 4th Sabbath.

Blackberry picking is in order now. Lookout for snakes!

The recent rains have improved the looks of the gardens, crops, etc. Now comes the threshers, and oh! the cooking that must be done, for they always have good appetites. Threshing is hard work, ladies get them up something good to eat.

THE TRUSTEES MEET.

The board of trustees for the Westminster School, soon to be opened at Brittain, met in Rutherfordton yesterday. The object of the meeting was to elect a principal for the new institution. Prof. Joseph Sandifer, of Sandifer, N. C., was chosen.—Tribune.

AN INTERESTING GAME.

The "Kids" do Better Work Than in Former Game.

The third practice game of ball between Columbus and Tryon was played on the Lynn diamond Saturday evening. It was a very interesting game from start to finish. The "Kids" did much better work than in former games. Shipman did the twirling for them and gave the "Giants" some trouble in locating his balls. The "Giants," as a rule bat well, but some 12 or 15 of them failed to find the pig skin as it passed over the slab. The feature of the game was a running catch by Shipman. On leaving the diamond the scorer announced the result as being 19 to 20 in favor of Tryon, but after counting up again he found it to be a tie—20 to 20.

Score:
Columbus 2 1 0 1 1 1 3 11 0—20
Tryon 2 2 3 0 5 2 0 3 3—20
Batteries: Columbus, Shipman and Carnegie. Tryon, Engel and Engel. Umpire: Dr. Grady.

Unique.

Whenever Amos Owen, the modest proprietor of Cherry Mountain, walks the streets of this city he immediately becomes the object on which all eyes rest. He is the kind of a looking person that fought in the Mexican War. He wears a short homespun coat, an open work shirt, and a beaver with the fur always stroked the wrong way. The beaver sits on the corner of his head, pointing backward at an angle of 45 degrees. The pattern of the hat is more unique than many other relics of the last century. Mr. Owen is never frustrated. He is as quaint as an old spinning wheel—a rare simple old curio.—Charlotte Observer.

RAILROAD MATTERS.

The statement is now made that the Southern Railway will, July 1st, "take over" the South Carolina & Georgia Extension Railroad. Two railway people were talking a day or two ago. One said that this road had never, under its various names, done more than pay operating expenses. Another said that the reason the Southern was taking it was to prevent any other system from getting it. But the road has a large force of convicts, 450, at work building in Mitchel county, and is this week almost as near Bakersville as it will go.

The Observer correspondent is able to give a bit of interesting news regarding the proposed railway from Rutherfordton to Asheville and other points. For a month the reconnoissance has been in progress. R. J. Latta has been making it. He was for 18 years an engineer on the Atlantic Coast Line. In a course of a week or ten days, at most, the location of the line will begin. Mr. Latta is the chief of the locating party, which will report for duty this week. Preliminary lines will be run to Asheville and also to Columbus, in Polk county.—Raleigh Cor. of Charlotte Observer.

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ANNOUNCEMENT.

Submitting to the request of many of my friends, I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of Register of Deeds, subject to the Republican convention, which is to be held at Columbus in the near future.
Very Respectfully,
W. F. SWANN.

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