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THURSDAY, SEPT. 17 1908

Prof. Posey's Family Moves to Columbus.

Prof. T. H. Posey's family moved here Monday and are now at the dormitory, where a number of the boarding students are staying. The many friends of Prof. Posey will learn with extreme pleasure that Mrs. Posey's health is greatly improved and that she is on the road to safe recovery.

DR. EARLE GRADY SICK

The friends of Dr. Earle Grady will learn with regret of his illness at his home in Tryon with typhoid fever. We hope for the doctor a speedy recovery.

Fine Stalk of Corn.

Mr. Vance Tallant, one of the county's best farmers brought a stalk of corn to our office with eight fine ears on it. This shows what Polk county farmers can produce.

Negro Discharged.

Bud Taylor who was lodged in jail last week for carrying a concealed weapon and also for a peace bond was released today. Taylor gave bond for carrying a concealed weapon and came clear under the peace bond.

Mr. McFarland Hurt

Mr. LeRoy McFarland, while practicing riding on his horse, had the misfortune to knock his ankle out of place.

At first it was thought his ankle was broken, but Dr. McLaughlin says it was only dislocated and that he will be able to soon be out again.

NOTICE.

North Carolina, In the Superior Court Polk County Before the Clerk.

J. C. Powell, admr. of Melissa Thompson vs Margaret E. Ponder, et al.

NOTICE OF SALE

In pursuance of an order of the Court in the above entitled cause, dated the 11th day of September, A D 1908, I will offer for sale, in order to pay the debts of the late Melissa Thompson, at the court house in the county Polk on the 12th day of October 1908, within the legal hours of sale, to the highest bidder at public auction, the following described property, to-wit: That body of land situated in the State of North Carolina, County of Polk, adjoining the lands of J. T. Waldrop, D. V. Rhodes, and others, and known as the Melissa Taylor place. Terms one-half cash, balance in six months with interest at 6 per cent. This the 11th day of September 1908. J. C. POWELL, Admr. of Melissa Thompson.

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New Store At Tryon

A new store for Tryon will open up this week under the management of Messrs. F. S. Jackson and A. H. Williams, two of Tryon's most promising young business men.

This new store, which is in the room recently occupied by the Thermal Belt Publishing Company, next door to the Supply Company, will be a dry goods and shoe store.

The young men have had the building handsomely repaired and are this week receiving their goods.

It is to be regretted that Mr. Jackson will not be able to stay in the store this winter, as his health is greatly impaired and he contemplates going to Beaufort, S. C., to engage in truck farming. We hope this deserving young man will soon be restored to his former health and return to Tryon where he, no doubt, will succeed in his newly launched business.

Mrs. Jno. Hutcherson in Rutherfordton Hospital.

The many friends of Mrs. John Hutcherson will learn with deep regret that she has been exceedingly ill of late. So serious has been her illness that she was taken to the Rutherfordton hospital. Later news states that Mrs. Hutcherson's condition is greatly improved and that she will be able to return home soon.

News From Dennis.

Dennis, Sept. 15—The people of this section are all about through focdering and will begin making molasses in a few days.

A great many of our people attended the baptizing at Knights Creek Sunday.

N. C. Burgess made a business trip to Spartanburg last week.

Pink Halford being indisposed, could not go on his mail route Saturday.

Miss Mollie Corn visited Mrs. N. C. Burgess, Sunday afternoon.

Miss Mau Early of this section visited her grandparents on Bright's Creek Sunday.

Mrs. Cebron Mitchell is seriously ill at this writing.

B. R. Ledbetter, our former teacher of Bryantre visited friends in this section last Sunday.

Rev. W. H. Wall is visiting friends and relatives in Rutherford county this week.

Mrs. F. G. DeVeaux and daughter Miss Helen, after spending a few weeks at the Columbus Hotel, left Monday for their home in Jacksonville, Fla.

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W. W. KITCHIN AND B. F. AYCOCK DELIVER BIG SPEECHES TUESDAY

Large Crowd Hear Democratic Speakers Discuss Issues of Political Interest.

Tuesday afternoon one of the largest crowds that has gathered in Columbus in many years assembled to hear Hon. W. W. Kitchin, Democratic Candidate for Governor and Hon. B. F. Aycock, Democratic Candidate for Railroad Commissioner.

Under the supervision of Mrs. M. R. Hooker, of Jacksonville, Fla., the court-house was beautifully and tastefully decorated for the distinguished guests, national flags, bunting and ever greens being the decorations.

The speakers intended at first to come from Tryon as was announced in last week's News, but owing to the late trains they were compelled to come from Rutherfordton. The hearing of this last plan the persons in the parade, determined not to be outdone, met them between Columbus and Mill Spring. The Hendersonville band was here and furnished the music for the parade.

As soon as the speakers arrived, the speaking began. Senator T. T. Ballenger introduced Hon. B. F. Aycock, who is also a member of the senate in a neat speech.

Mr. Aycock's speech was rather short, not being over 30 minutes in length.

After Aycock's speech J. E. Shipman in an eloquent speech introduced Mr. Kitchin.

Mr. Kitchin sustained his reputation as an eloquent speaker. From the beginning of his speech to the end he held his audience almost breathless, unless at times when they would be convulsed almost by his jokes and sarcasm.

The band played a number of pieces between the speeches and everyone enjoyed the day fully.

E. B. CLOUD

Attorney At Law
COLUMBUS, N. C.

LIST OF JURORS DRAWN

The following is the list of jurors for the fall term of the Superior Court.

FIRST WEEK.

J. H. Norvil, D. A. Goodman, J. B. Panther, Geo. A. Gash, Jno. Orr, W. C. Rhodes, C. J. Reich, J. C. Powell, S. A. Price, Joe R. Price, C. W. Wilson, V. G. Rhodes, Leroy Newman, J. G. Edwards, T. N. Wilson, W. E. Jones, J. H. Ford, Geo. E. Morton, R. L. Newman, R. F. F. Fowler, T. M. Fisher, Otis Feagans, W. J. Ford, W. E. Mills, W. F. Greenway, B. E. Green, W. E. Hill, J. E. Morgan, J. F. Ridings, W. F. Fowler, C. C. Bridges, H. K. Jones, J. S. Thompson, C. C. Hampton, J. T. W. Iheira, C. W. Davis.

SECOND WEEK

F. P. Wamack, L. W. Wilhelm, Z. V. Thompson, Jerry Laughter, S. A. Summey, R. P. Pitman, W. S. Corn, A. A. Edwards, G. W. Edwards, C. H. Wilson, R. M. Foster, W. G. Greenway, W. A. Newman, G. A. Painter, L. W. Morgan, J. A. Ruppe, T. M. Ruppe, J. A. Laughter.

EXAMINATION FOR TEACHERS.

Examination for teachers certificates will be held in Columbus on the 11th and 12th days of Oct. 1908.

This will be the last public examination for this year. All teachers having attended the teachers institute will take notice and all who did not attend are debarred from teaching for a term of one year unless they can furnish a satisfactory excuse.

J. R. Foster
Co. Supt.

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Notice of Democratic County Convention

Notice is hereby given that a Democratic convention for the county of Polk is hereby called to meet at the court-house in Columbus, on Monday, September 21, 1908, at 12 o'clock m. for the purpose of nominating a candidate for the Legislature and candidates for the various county offices. The Chairmen of the various Township committees are instructed to call meetings for their townships to be held on Saturday Sept. 19th for the purpose of electing delegates to the county convention. There will also be a meeting of the Democratic Executive Committee immediately after the adjournment of the county convention for the purpose of electing a chairman of said committee, and for the transaction of such other business as may come before said Committee.

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