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"Long May It Wave."

THE LYNN SCHOOL.

Lynn School broke all records the first week. The three teachers were so crowded that a fourth teacher has been employed. The enrollment for the first week was 133 and the average attendance for the week was 125 comparing this with the first week of last year shows an increase of about 300 per cent this is almost entirely of pupils under 17 years of age. Many of the older ones express the desire to attend but owing to circumstances are unable to do so. The teachers have agreed to open an evening school and have an enrollment of 20 who are on the school census. Prof. William Hume of Saluda, Polk County welfare officer was present and made an interesting talk to the pupils concerning the school and community spirit, he stated very clearly that he would enforce the attendance law. Mondays enrollment of the two schools which is only the 6th day of the school session reached a total of 156 and as we have 19 most of whom are on the skirts of the district 4 and 5 miles away who are attending school that are more, our real enrollment out of a census of 229 is 175, or 76 per cent. Is there any school in the county ahead of us? We are of the opinion there is not. We recall the fact that last spring we carried a local tax election by a unanimous vote. Mr. Sims had better dream his of last week over again and see if he can dream a little of what is happening at Lynn. He need not dream 20 years ahead to see results in Lynn, just dream about five years ahead and see what happens.

W. F. SWANN.

APPLICATION FOR PARDON.  
OF BILL NELON.

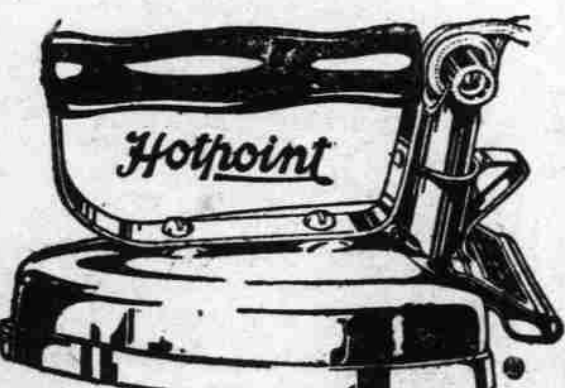
Application will be made to the Governor of North Carolina for the pardon of Bill Nelon, convicted at the September term, 1916, of the Superior Court of Polk county, for the crime of murder, and sentenced to penitentiary for a term of fifteen years. All persons who oppose the granting of said pardon are invited to forward their protest to the Governor without delay. This Sept. 26, 1919.

E. W. NELON.

"I Spend a \$1. on Rat-Snap, and Saved the Price of a Hog."

James McGuire, famous Hog raiser of New Jersey says, "I advise every farmer troubled with rats to use RAT-SNAP. Tried everything to get rid of rats. Spent \$1.00 on RAT-SNAP. Figured rats it killed saved the price of a hog." RAT-SNAP comes in cake form. No mixing with other food. Cats or dogs won't touch it. Three sizes, 25c 50c, \$1.00. Sold and guaranteed by The Ballenger Co., and Carolina Hardware Co.

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Report of the Condition of the  
PEOPLES BANK & TRUST CO.  
at Tryon, in the State of North Carolina,  
at the close of business Sept.  
12, 1919.

LIABILITIES table with columns for item and amount. Includes Loans and discounts, Demand loans, Overdrafts, United States bonds, Liberty Bonds, Liberty bonds deposited, Banking house furniture and fixtures, Cash in vault and net amount due from banks, bankers and trust companies.

LIABILITIES table with columns for item and amount. Includes Capital stock paid in, Surplus fund, Undivided profits less current expenses paid, Dividends unpaid, Bills payable, Liberty Bond collateral, Deposits subject to check, Time certificates of deposit, Savings deposits, Cashier's checks outstanding, Certificates of deposit for Liberty bonds.

State of North Carolina,  
County of Polk, Sept. 19, 1919.  
I, W. F. Little, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.  
W. F. LITTLE, Cashier.

Correct—Attest:  
Dr. H. H. Edwards,  
Walter Jones,  
G. H. Holmes.  
Directors.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 20th day of Sept, 1919.  
James Leonard, Notary Public.  
My commission expires Mar. 15, 1920.

Report of the Condition of the  
CAROLINA STATE BANK,  
at Saluda, in the State of North Carolina,  
at the close of business, Sep-  
tember 12, 1919.

RESOURCES table with columns for item and amount. Includes Loans and discounts, Overdrafts, United States Bonds and Liberty Bonds, Victory Bonds and War Savings Stamps, All other stocks, bonds and mortgages, Banking house furniture and fixtures, All other real estate owned, Cash in vault and net amounts due from banks, bankers and trust companies, Checks for clearing, Collections.

LIABILITIES table with columns for item and amount. Includes Capital stock, paid in, Surplus fund, Undivided profits, less current expenses and taxes paid, Dividends unpaid, Deposits subject to check, Time certificates of deposit, Cashier's checks outstanding.

State of North Carolina,  
County of Polk Sept. 20, 1919  
I, H. B. Lane, cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.  
H. B. LANE, Cashier.

Correct—Attest:  
M. A. Pace,  
Q. C. Sonner,  
W. C. Robertson.  
Directors.

Report of the Condition of the  
BANK OF TRYON  
at Tryon, in the State of North Carolina,  
at the close of business Sept.  
12, 1919.

RESOURCES table with columns for item and amount. Includes Loans and discounts, Overdrafts, United States bonds and Liberty bonds, All other stocks, bonds and mortgages, Banking house furniture and fixtures, Cash in vault and net amounts due from banks, bankers and trust companies.

LIABILITIES table with columns for item and amount. Includes Capital stock paid in, Surplus fund, Undivided profits less current expenses and taxes paid, Deposits subject to check, Time certificates of deposit, Savings deposits, Cashier's checks outstanding.

State of North Carolina,  
County of Polk. Sept. 19, 1919.  
I, J. B. Hester, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.  
J. B. HESTER, Cashier.

Correct—Attest:  
W. T. Lindsey,  
J. B. Hester,  
B. L. Ballenger.  
Directors.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19th day of September, 1919.  
Geo. A. Gash, Notary Public.

"It Must Have Been Dead at Least 6 Months But Didn't Smell."  
"Saw a big rat in our cellar last Fall." Writes Mrs. Joanny, "and bought a 25c cake of RAT-SNAP, broke it up into small pieces. Last week while moving we came across the dead rat. Must have been dead six months, didn't smell. RAT-25c, 50c, \$1.00. Sold and guaranteed by The Ballenger Co., and Carolina Hardware Co."

Good Chickens Are  
Profitable Investment

Washington, D. C.—The story of Reuben Lowe, of North Shapleigh, Me., illustrates the possible profits from poultry keeping where careful management is practiced. During 1913 this poultryman, who devotes only part of his time to chicken raising, kept 250 birds, which paid him a profit over feed cost of more than \$1,000, equivalent to \$4 a bird. Included in this amount are the sales of a few eggs for hatching, about 80 cockerels sold for breeding purposes at \$3.50 to \$5 each, as well as the market eggs, which were disposed of in large quantity. Mr. Lowe keeps White Wyandottes of a strain that wins in the show ring when judged according to either the standard of perfection or a utility standard.

One pen of 20 pullets owned by this Maine poultry raiser produced eggs as follows: November, 1918, 413; December, 1918, 418; January, 1919, 890; February, 1919, 320; March, 1919, 450; a total of 1,993 eggs, averaging 99.65 eggs per bird in five months.

It pays to keep poultry of this kind, and growers everywhere are coming to realize that there is more money in keeping better fowl and feeding them properly balanced rations than in wasting time with inferior birds.

Fir Turpentine.  
Copenhagen engineers are experimenting with the production of turpentine from fir trees, the roots and twigs being used as well as the trunks. —Pittsburgh Dispatch.

Read What U. S. Dept. of Agriculture Says About What Two Rats can Do.

According to the government figures, two rats breeding continually for three years produce 359,709,482 individual rats. Act when you see the first rat, don't wait. RAT-SNAP is the surest, cleanest, most convenient exterminator. No mixing with other foods. Dries up after killing—leaves no smell. Cats or dogs won't touch it. Sold and guaranteed by The Ballenger Co., and Carolina Hardware Co.

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The largest order of merit in the world is the French Legion of Honor, which has a trifle over 500,000 members.

A Word to the Wise

A wise man would not think of being without a bank account—large or small—any more than the wise little squirrel would think of going through the summer without storing up nuts for the winter. We should be wiser than the squirrel. Think it over—then ACT.

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