

# NOTICE!

## Just Received

A fresh lot of groceries of all kinds which we are selling as low as any First class Grocery-man in Town.

A big lot of FIRST GRADE Flour which we guarantee to give our customers satisfaction. Try some of it and be convinced. We can sell you as cheap as any one.

We also have a nice line of Canned goods of all kinds just received which are all fresh and good—Tomatoes, Corn, Peaches, Syrup, Jellies, Jams etc.

### We ALSO KEEP

Sugar, Coffee, Meat, Lard and

Anything Else you need, so give us a call. We only want a PART of your trade and we feel you will give us our part of it.

REMEMBER we are your friend and promise to do all in our power to please and satisfy you.

A Big Lot of home-made Molasses just in.

We deliver goods to all.

We want your Butter, Eggs and Chickens at HIGHEST Market price.

Yours for honest Dealings,

# WARD BROS

Phone to us at 84.

We are also special authorized Local, advertising and subscription agents for this paper.

Don't go to sleep when you are so near a fortune—keep on trading with Ward Bros. and you will soon save many a dollar. See announcement on last page.

## FLOWER Seeds

200 varieties.

2 packages for 5c.

Some men are wise and do great deeds,  
But none are so wise as the man who reads—

**This, That and the Other**

For the Anxious Reader, when The Mind Invites Itself.

Chicago Glee Club in New Era Hall to-night. Don't forget—Bring your best girl with you.

Rev. W. R. Bradshaw will preach at the County Home on the fourth Sunday at 3 o'clock, P. M. Every body is invited to attend this service.

Mrs. Rev. J. F. Fletcher of Jefferson, N. C., is visiting her sister, Mrs. W. R. Absher, of this place.

Mr. J. C. Parsons, Stanton, N. C. was in town Saturday. He attended the Teachers' meeting Saturday.

Don't forget the commencement day of the Blue Ridge Institute, May 22, 23. A nice program is being arranged.

Mr. L. B. Pierce of Millers Creek gave us a pleasant call last Monday. Bro. Pierce is working for some premiums offered for subscribers.

Mr. A. T. Lee of Summit, N. C. is sticking type in the Baptist office.

Mrs. Dr. L. A. Hauser and children spent Sunday at their old home at Donnaha, returning Monday.

Mr. Jeff McNeil, lumber inspector for the Church Lumber Co., Roaring River, N. C., gave us a pleasant call last Monday.

Miss Ada Nicholson, Stenographer for the Spray Cotton Mills, Spray, N. C., says: "The Baptist is a good little paper and I enjoy reading it so much."

Mr. D. F. Shepherd, of Ready Branch, gave us a pleasant call Wednesday. Mr. Shepherd is a reader of the Baptist and ordered it continued to his address.

Mr. C. M. Carlton, of Goshen, N. C., was in town yesterday on business.

Thanks to Bro. R. M. Phillips, of Riverside, N. C., for a club of subscribers to the Baptist.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Ward returned yesterday from a week's visit to Mr. Ward's parents at Donnaha.

The Children's Day exercises at the Baptist Church last Sunday was excellent. The mite box offerings and general collection amounted to \$68.05. A few dollars advance over last year.

Bro. Reader, why not put in a few hours each week soliciting subscribers for the Baptist? By so doing you can obtain a valuable premium and be aiding in a good work.

The class collections in the Sunday School at the Baptist church last Sunday amounted to more than \$7.00 we are impressed that our people are a liberal people after all.

All the members of the Wilkes County Anti Liquor League are requested to be present next Friday night. Election of officers and other special business to be attended to. Don't forget—Friday night.

Ice cream will be served after League closes.

Some articles reach us a little too late for this issue. They will appear in next. Just send along your articles and we will gladly publish same at first opportunity.

Miss Cora McNeil of Millers Creek, who has been visiting at Rev. W. R. Bradshaw's, returned home last Saturday accompanied by her sister, Miss Minnie. They also attended the Teachers' meeting at Wilkesboro, Saturday. The Misses McNeils are good scholars and worthy teachers in the county.

With this issue Rev. W. H. Eller, of Greensboro, N. C., begins the History of the Lewis Fork Association. Subscribe now and get the benefit of all the History. It will be interesting from start to finish.

Mr. Thomas Spears, of Summit, N. C., passed away last Wednesday, and was buried Thursday. The funeral services were conducted from the Big Ivy church by Rev. W. M. Lee. Bro. Spears was an honest, hard working citizen, beloved by all who knew him.

Rev. J. N. Brooks, Sup't, of the County Home, called in Saturday and gave us the following report as to the inmates of the County Home: There are 17 inmates. Four of these have to be kept under lock or confined all the time. One is confined to room by ill health. Eight are past 80 years old. But few are able to do any work to advantage. The health of all is fairly good.

Fancy California Oranges and Lemons at the Henry Terry Co.

Candies, Raisins, and figs at the usual prices. Nice Eastern N. C. Cabbage just received at Henry Terry Co.

Ceresco Flour—the best made. 65c. per quarter bag.—J. L. Hobbs.

Meat, Chickens, eggs and all kinds of produce. I are leaf lard. —J. L. Hobbs.

Fresh Roe Shad and other fish on ice every Saturday.—Henry Terry Co.

Mayberry and Myers has nice Spring goods. Umbrellas, all kinds, Straw hats, Shirts and ties, Shoes etc. Best values in clothing ever carried.

Horton's Drug Store is talking Ice Cream and Cold Drinks in this issue. See change in ad.

## YOU KNOW

NOTHING IS MORE DELIGHTFUL than a Clean Shave by a first class Barber.

All up-to-date hair cuts done neatly and quickly.

Why not PATRONIZE ME?

I'll do my Best to PLEASE You.

Yours to serve, U. G. Russel.

At Doughton's Drug Store.

## RESERVED FOR

# SMOAK BROS.

Buggies, Surries, Wagons, Harness, Etc.

North Wilkesboro, N. C.

Mayberry & Myers has a lot of clothing they will sell 25 per ct. less than first cost.

If you have not done so, you should visit Doughton's Fountain for cold drinks and ice cream; If you have already done so, you should not give up a good thing.

\$1.50 and \$2.00 Ladies and Misses shoes at Mayberry & Myers marked down to 50 and 76cts.

Anything in the Grocery, Dry Goods or Hardware line can be bought at the lowest prices at A. M. McGee's.

Croout! Croout!! Croout!!! Special croout day on Sat. call now as we are closing out what we have at a low price, W. A. McLean.

Go to J. L. Marlow's for good groceries.

See the New ad of J. L. Hobbs, which appears on third page. Mr. Hobbs will treat you right and wants a reasonable amount of your trade.

For the best brands of Fertilizer go to J. L. Sydner.

Feed Stuffs of all kinds at J. L. Sydner's

If you have produce to sell, take it to A. B. Williams and Co.—See their ad in this issue.

## MARKET REPORT.

—CORRECTED WEEKLY BY—

### W. A. McLEAN

North Wilkesboro, N. C.

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Meal	70 to 80c	bu
Corn	45 to 70c	bu
Oats	50 to 60c	bu
Sweet Potatoes, dull	60c	bu
Irish Potatoes	50 to 60c	bu
Onions	60 to 70c	du
Wheat	90 to 95c	bu
Rye	80 to 85c	bu
Lard, home made	12 1/2c	lb
Lard, shipped	10 to 11c	lb
Tallow	4 to 5c	lb
Beeswax	22 to 25c	lb
Chickens	8 to 8 1/2c	lb
Chickens, Spring growth	20c	lb
Butter	12 to 15c	lb
Honey, strained	9 to 10c	lb
Honey, sourwood comb	11 to 12 1/2c	lb
Eggs	10 1/2 to 12c	doz
Feathers, new	35 to 40c	lb
Hides, dry	11 to 12c	lb
Hides, green	6c	lb
Wool, washed	20 to 25c	lb
Apples, dry	3 to 4c	lb
Croout	1 1/2c	lb

### LUMBER

Poplar 1 & 2	\$18 to \$20	M
Commons, clear saps	10 to \$11	M
Walnut, 1 & 2	\$35 to \$40	M
Cherry, 1 & 2	\$30 to \$35	M
Rejects	\$15 to \$20	M

Good Oak and Chestnut in demand. Prices according grade. Prices good for all kinds of good lumber.

## Deposit & Savings

### BANK

Next Door to Post Office  
North Wilkesboro, N. C.

W. F. TROGDON, Pres.  
W. M. ABSHER, Vice Pres.  
H. O. ABSHER, Cashier.  
F. D. HACKETT, Sec. & Atty.

CAPITAL STOCK PAID IN \$10,000.00

## General Banking Department

Lends money on good security, pays out money on checks or drafts and does a general banking business the same as any other bank. Receives money on deposit subject to check, and asks business men and others for a share of their deposits and business.

### Savings Bank Department.

This department of the Deposit and Savings Bank provides a safe and profitable place for the earnings and savings of all persons in either small or large amounts, and money will be received at the Bank from 9 o'clock a. m. to 12 o'clock noon and from 1 o'clock p. m. to 3 o'clock p. m. daily and on Saturdays from six to seven o'clock p. m.

Men, women and children may make deposits for themselves or others.

Married women and children have absolute control of their deposits and no one can get their money without their consent.

Which will you adopt and teach your children to adopt the habit of spending or the habit of saving. Every boy and girl, every man and woman is today forming a habit of either spending or saving. The spending habit leads to momentary pleasure, lasting regrets and to an old age embittered by the pangs of poverty. The saving habit gives assurance for the present and the promise of future prosperity a comfort in sickness and old age.

The first dollar saved is but an incident. The second dollar saved starts a habit that will lead to wealth. Each dollar you put at interest helps to earn the next dollar.

Bring your savings to the Deposit and Savings Bank—it will safely lend your money and pay you four per cent compound interest on every nickel you save.

Ever boy or girl who habitually saves five cents a day will have several hundred dollars to start him or her in life when of age.

The savings fund department of the Deposit and Savings Bank, North Wilkesboro, N. C., receives deposits in very small amounts and pays four per cent compound interest. Interest compounded every four months.

### The Child

Who receives an early training in saving small amounts will acquire a habit that will make it natural and easy to save larger amounts in later years.

### The Clerk

Who saves 50 cents a week will soon have him a fund that will start him a business of his own. The clerk who saves nothing will always be a clerk.

### The Mechanic

Who saves one dollar a week can become his own boss in a few years.

### The Business Man

Who keeps a savings account separate from his business bank account and deposits \$2.00 a week in the savings fund department of the Deposit and Savings Bank will be amazed to see how quickly he will have a good sized balance against a rainy day.

## The Deposit and Savings Bank

Has your money insured against loss, guarded day and night, pays interest and pays you back your money any day you want it. If you leave it about your house it may be stolen or burned.