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LOCAL NEWS.

—R. S. McDade, the Druggist Mountain City Tenn. Phone No. 21

—October without frost. A little uncommon, eh?

—Pound calico, worsteds, blanket cloth, etc. at Green's.

—Dr. Little and family are visiting their old home in Taylorsville, N. C.

—The London Stoffel Hard ware Co. has a new ad in this issue.

—Andrew Holler died at his home on Brushy Fork on Sunday evening and was buried Tuesday.

—For undertaker's goods, see R. Ross Donnelly, Shouns X. Roads, Tenn.

—The sale of the Horton lands has been postponed until Saturday, Oct. 28th. See change in notice of sale.

—Presiding Elder Cook delivered a most excellent sermon at the Methodist church here last night.

—Mrs. W. T. Albright, with her little children, left Monday for a visit of weeks to her parents in Cabarrus county.

—The Board of Education was in session last Monday, but no work of much importance was brought before the body.

—20 cents in stamps will bring you a good photograph of the parade of the Confederate veteran in Boone last week, J. E. Hodges, Sands, N. C.

—The weather permitting, the plasterers on the Training School building hope to nearly complete the work this week.

—T. Adam Critcher of Bambo, has sold his mercantile business to D. J. Cottrell, and we learn that he is preparing to go west.

—A big line of men's and boy's suits and overcoats of the very latest styles in fabrics and make. Call and see us, Mountain City Clothing Co.

—A pretty sight was that last Friday—the students of the Training School marching to the court house, each grade under its respective teacher.

—Mrs. Boone Deal, of Amantha, is visiting her son, Attorney J. C. Fletcher. Glad to see the good lady out so soon after her sudden illness last week.

Wounds, Bruises and Burns.

By applying an antiseptic dressing to wounds, bruises and burn and like injuries before inflammation sets in, they may be healed without maturation and in about one third the time required by the old treatment. This is the greatest discovery and triumph of modern surgery. Chamberlain's Pain Balm acts on the same principle. It is an antiseptic and when applied to such injuries, causes them to heal very quickly. It also allays the pain and soreness and prevents any danger of blood poisoning. Keep a bottle of Pain Balm in your home and it will save you time and money, not to mention the inconvenience and suffering such injuries entail. For sale by J. M. Moretz.

—Glass ware still at low prices at Greene's.

—Mrs. Sarah Isaacs, one of the good old mothers of Israel, died at her home on Baird's creek, on Tuesday night.

—Just as we close our forms we learn with much regret that Mrs. Calvin Long, who lives one mile west of town is critically ill.

—Miss Ethel Critcher has been up from Collettsville several days. Sorry to know her mother is not improving as rapidly as was hoped.

—Rev. W. R. Savage will preach and hold services at the Episcopal church here on next Sunday at 11, a. m. The Lord's Supper will be administered, to which all christians are invited.

—A private letter from Miss Janie Thomas announces that she has resigned her position in Billingsly hospital, Statesville, N. C., and will leave for New York City in the near future.

—Prof. W. M. Francum will lecture at the following times and places: Valle Crucis Oct. 7; Three Fork church Thursday night, Oct. 12; For est, Friday night Oct. 13, and Saturday night, October 14, at Reese.

—It is urgently requested that all the members of Watauga Lodge, No. 273, A. F. and A. M., be present at the regular communication tomorrow night. Considerable business before the Lodge that demands your attention.

—Prof. J. S. Hill, who is teaching at Willowdale, was taken violently ill at the home of J. C. Mast on last Monday, and he was considered serious at that time, but we are glad to know that he is now much improved.

—The dry weather has been rather hard on small grain just coming up—in fact much of it is dying. A light shower Tuesday refreshed things some, but rain is still badly needed.

—Friend J. B. Johnson, who is still holding his position in South Carolina, with headquarters at Charlotte, N. C., has been spending a few weeks with his family at Foscoe. Always glad to see Burt and to know that he is succeeding well.

—Mr. Murry Critcher has rented the Coffey hotel, and took charge of it Oct. 1st. Mr. Critcher is a genial, attentive, pleasant gentleman, and we predict that the popularity of the house will still be maintained under his management.

—Eight new boarding pupils registered at the Appalachian Training School on Monday.

An Awful Cough Cured.

Two years ago our little girl had a touch of pneumonia which left her with an awful cough. She had spells of coughing just like one with the whooping cough and some thought she would not get well at all. We got a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, which acted like a charm. She stopped coughing and got about fat," writes Mrs. Ora Brubaker, Ill. The remedy is for sale by J. M. Moretz.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

I hereby notify all persons not to purchase those notes given by me to Arthur Mast. I do not owe anything on these notes and will not pay them. They were obtained by false representation and fraud. This Sept. 29, 1905. E. L. PRESNELL.

—Miss Lucretia Grubb, an aged and highly respected lady, was admitted to the county home on last Monday. She says she has labored hard during her long life and now only seeks a place where she can sweetly rest and read her Bible while before she dies, and she has found it.

—E. S. Coffey, Cashier of the Watauga County Bank, tells us that the deposits have reached the \$200,000 mark, and the indications are that they will easily go to a quarter of a million by Dec. 15th, which will close its first year's business.

—Dr. Jacob Hopkins, who is just up from a severe attack of fever, passed through town Sunday, with his family, en route to Washington, D. C. The Dr. told us that he would attend lectures this winter and probably make his future home in the Capitol city.

—Married on Tuesday at the home of the bride's father, Mr. Finley Mast, of Sugar Grove, Mr. Floyd McBride, an electrician from the city of New York, to Miss Lillie Mast. The couple left at once for the great metropolis where they will make their future home.

—Mrs. Cinda Hardin, returned to her home last Friday from a visit to her daughter at Shell Creek, Tennessee, in the best of health for one of her age. But on Saturday, unfortunately, she fell and was so badly hurt that she has since been confined to her bed.

—Just as the Confederate reunion adjourned on last Friday a Mr. Holler and a Miss Hayes, both of Blowing Rock, made their appearance on the scene, procured licenses and were married in the corridor of the court house; the ceremony being performed by one of the veterans, J. W. Holsclaw, Esq.

—Rev. J. J. L. Sherwood has bought property in Collettsville, Caldwell county, and moved there. It is hard for Watauga to lose such a splendid citizen and devout minister, but we are indeed glad that he will still retain the pastorate of the church at Boone. A great, good man and we all hope, as he would go, that the change will be a pleasant one for him.

—An election will be held at the court house in Boone on Saturday, the 4th day of November to determine whether or not the people of this district desire to vote upon themselves a special tax for school purposes. It does seem that we have been and are still, quite heavily taxed, but possibly we can stand a little more. So come to these catch boys. Nothing lost by voting a tax for such purposes.

Nothing to Fear,

Mothers need have no hesitancy in continuing to give Chamberlain's Cough Remedy to their little ones as it contains absolutely nothing injurious. The remedy is not only perfectly safe to give small children, but is a medicine of great worth and merit. It has a world wide reputation for its cures of coughs, colds and croup and can always be relied upon. For sale by J. M. Moretz.

NOTICE.

A half interest in the undersigned firm has this day been sold to J. F. Robbins and the firm hereafter will be known as Hall & Robbins. All indebtedness will be paid by W. G. Hall, and all accounts due firm should be paid to him. Thanking all our customers for favors shown, Truly, HALL & ROBBINS.

—Almost any kind of stationery you want can be found at Green's.

—Fascinators, knit shawls, etc., in great variety Holsclaw's.

—The report reaches us that a son of Dr. Bingham of Amantha, came home on Tuesday evening drunk and mad, and became so obstreperous that he was expelled from the house and the door closed against him. He commenced shooting through the windows of his home, slightly wounding his uncle, Harve Bingham, and Geo. Smith. We are indeed sorry to hear of this unfortunate affair, and trust it is not so serious as reported.

—Mr. Hill Cottrell, of Denver, Colorado, has been on a visit to his family and parents here for more than two weeks. He started on his return trip last Sunday. During his stay, there was a family reunion at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Cottrell. The occasion was a happy one, every member of the family being present. Hill expresses himself as being well satisfied in his new home, and we are glad to know he is succeeding well.

—A beautiful line of fall and winter dress goods just in at Holsclaw's.

A Word to the Teachers.

I desire that each teacher make out their school vouchers in two separate vouchers of about equal parts, so that I may be able to pay one voucher in each district out of the general school funds, and that one voucher in each district will have to wait until the State appropriation comes, which will be in the spring. I take this method of informing the teachers that I intend to pay each district its prorata part and will not discriminate any district. Respectfully, W. T. HAYES, Co. Treas.

Torments of Terror and Eczema Allayed.

The intense itching characteristic of eczema, tetter and like skin diseases is instantly allayed by applying Chamberlain's Salve and many severe cases have been permanently cured by its use. For sale by J. M. Moretz.



POINTS IN OUR FAVOR.

The system of selling a thoroughly reliable article at a small profit, in no circumstances do we depart from it. We do not make one purchase pay for concessions to another.

What you buy from us you can be as certain about as though you had seen an eye for intrinsic value as an expert. We are as scrupulous about big transactions as we are about little ones, and we are never without the latest designs in jewelry, etc.

ALFRED W. DULA.

Jeweler and Optician, LENOIR, N. C.

Thorough-bred Cattle.

I now have for sale on my New River Stock Farm 12 head of thorough bred cows, heifers and bull calves. Some of the cows are with calf, and some have young calves. I will sell for cash or good notes. No better cattle bred in the South.

G. C. WINKLER.

Boone, R. F. D. No. 1.

NOTICE.

All persons indebted to the old firm of T. J. Coffey & Brother or the firm of T. S. Coffey & Co., will at once make settlement with me. The notes and accounts have been placed in my hands for collection and I must have the money. Come on and save cost. J. C. FLETCHER.

Sept. 5, 1905.

Just a Moment, if You Please!

HOW ARE THESE PRICES?

Boy's knee pants, Extra good, 20 to 40c, per pair.

Men's fine shirts, 50c. each.

Ladies' hose 10 to 25 cts.

Linen towels 5 and 10c.

Hamburg, 10 inches wide, 10 cts.

Handkerchiefs, 3 to 5 cts.; 10 to 15c, elsewhere.

BOOKS? Yes, Religious—Dr. Talmage, Moody and others, only 5 cts. each, Regular price 25c.

The prettiest and best line of candies ever shown here—10 to 65c. per pound.

A nice line of Drugs: Turpentine and castor oil in cans and in 1/2 pint bottles. Syrup ipecac, laudanum, carbolic acid, indigo, balsam copaiba, paragonic, sweet oil, sewing machine oil, spirits and gum camphor, sweet spirits of nitre, etc., at 5 to 15cts. per bottle.

Give me a call and I will do the rest.

N. B.—Your chickens, eggs and other good produce taken in exchange for goods at the highest market prices.

BOONE CASH STORE.

R. M. GREEN, Manager.

FINE FARM FOR SALE.

Fine farm for sale containing 220 acres one mile from Riverside, Ashe county, 150 acres cleared land, smooth and in good condition; 7 room dwelling, two barns and other good out houses on farm. Large orchards, apples, peaches, pears, grapes, etc. An ideal farm. For full description address

ALEX BLACKBURN, Riverside, N. C.

NOTICE.

As Commissioner appointed by the Superior Court I will on the 29th day of Oct., 1905, proceed to sell to the highest bidder at the court house door in Boone in Watauga county, N. C., all the lands belonging to the estate of W. W. Sherrill deceased, and described as follows: One lot in the town of Blowing Rock, adjoining the lots of Emory Sherrill and Skyland Institute, containing at one fourth of an acre. One tract of land in Caldwell county, adjoining the lands of Elbert Hartley, Jessie Hartley, Abner Boyd and the Caldwell & Watauga Lumber Co's, and containing two hundred acres more or less. Said lands are sold for assets to pay the debts of the said intestate and charges of administration. Terms of sale one third cash on day of sale and the balance to be paid in three equal installments of 6, 12 and 18 months, with interest from day of sale. This is a second sale, on account of a 10 per cent raise on the former bid. This Sept. 26, 1905.

W. G. HALL, Commissioner.

First Call for Taxes.

I will be at the following places on the days named during the month of October for the purpose of collecting the taxes for the year 1905:

- Shawneehaw; L. M. Banner's store Oct. 3
- Beech Mt.; Loggy Gap, " 4
- Laurel Creek; voting place " 5
- Beaverdam; Farthing store " 6
- Cove Creek; Mast's store, " 7
- North Fork; Thomas store " 10
- Meat Camp; Vannoy store " 11
- Bald Mt.; voting place " 12
- Stony Fork; Hendrix store " 13
- Elk, Cox's store " 14
- Blue Ridge; Story's store " 16
- Blowing Rock, " 17
- Shull's Mills " 18
- Boone " 19

These taxes are now due; and I expect same paid not later than Jan. 6, 1906. So meet me and settle same at once.

Respectfully,

JOHN W. HODGES, Shf. This Sept. 19, 1905.

WHY NOT

BUY YOUR GOODS

Where you can get the MOST for the LEAST money? "Money saved is money made. I have just received a large assortment of

New Goods

Consisting of Canned Corn, Tomatoes California Peaches Meats, Lards, etc. Also nice line of new dress goods in the latest summer styles. A nice line of notions, Ladies' underverts cheap. Big line of white goods, hosiery, etc.

A big lot of jeans to exchange for wool, and the best lot of men's extra pants in the county—prices from \$1.25 to \$3.00 per pair. A beautiful lot of men's fancy..... WORSTED SUITS.

the best on the market. So, when in need of a nice suit, please call on me. I also carry boy's pants in stock. IS IT SHOES YOU WANT?

I carry a full assortment for men, women and children of the best makes—in fact I have them in all styles and prices.

Farmer's Friend Plow repairs always on hand. A big lot of bolts and shelf hardware of all kinds. Nails, mattocks, etc. Big lot of trunks and valises always on hand. Everybody cordially invited to give me a call when in need of goods.

Yours anxious to please,

Will W. Holsclaw,

Vilas, June 22.

New Goods!

Low Prices

I have on hand a pretty and up-to-date line of Ladies' Summer Dress Goods, consisting of

Lawns,

Voiles,

Crepes,

Worsted,

Brilliantines, etc. all at the right price. Write for sample of these goods, if interested, and they will be mailed to you at once. Calico & plaid 5 and 6 cts. per yard.

Also an attractive line of Ladies' and Misses trimmed hats at..... —BARGAIN PRICES.—

A big stock of shoes always on hand. I am carrying the celebrated Craddock-Terry line of goods and guarantee satisfaction.

Large stock of Men's and Boy's clothing on hand. Suits from \$8 to \$15 each.

Nice line of odd pants also in stock.

Complete line of groceries always on hand.

I will save you money on every purchase

Yours truly,

H. C. MILLER.

Blowing Rock, April 10.

R. Ross Donnelly.

UNDERTAKER & EMBALMER

SHOUN'S X ROADS, ... Tenn.

I have a nice line of Coffins, Caskets and Undertakers goods always in stock.

I also represent the Knoxville Monumental Works, manufacturers of Monuments and Tombstones and would be glad to furnish anything in either line.

R. ROSS DONNELLY.

E. M. MADISON, D. D. S.

---BOONE, N. C.---

I am now located here for the practice of Dentistry, and am making Bridge and Crown work, the most intricate work known to the profession, a specialty.

My work is all done under a positive guarantee—no satisfaction, no pay. Nothing but the best material used in the execution of any of my work.