WATAUGA DEMOCRAT.

R. C. Ricers, Proprietor.

THURSDAY, June 3, 1909.

The Senate by a vote of 40 ayes to thirty-two has postponed further consideration of the Bailey income tax amendment, says our Washington correspondent, until June 10, while Senator Aldrich has given notice that if the time is not then opportune he will move for a further postponement. Opinion is divided as to the wisdom of Mr. Bailey's course in pressing his amendment at this time. The Republicans and vocates of an income tax headed by Senator Cummins, of Iowa, are unequivocally opposed to forcing a test vote at this time, being convinced that to do so would bring out a showing against the income tax proposition wholly disproportionate to the opposition to that tax per se. They realized the force of the argument put forth by Mr. Aldrich and his associates, that it was distinctly irregular to interrupt the consideration of the tariff schedules to vote on an excise tax. Mr. Bailey on the other hand maintained that if a vote on his amendment were postponed until all the schedules has been adjusted the rates of duty would have been placed so high that the revenue to be produced by an income tax would seem superfluous, and that, therefore, its rejection would be insured by postponement. The result of the vote demonstrated the correctness of Mr. Cummins's contention. By forcing a vote on the question, Mr. Bailey alienated practically all of his Republican support.

Those close to President Taft on the reviewing stand had a good opportunity to observe how closely the President is guarded. His aide, Mayor Butt, [illegible] stantly at his back. [illegible] two men of the secret service [illegible] were never three feet [illegible] Inconspicuous men they were, and never were two men more alert. They saw and took a mental photograph of everybody who entered the presidential box: they were alert to every unusual movement of the crowd. Ba man stood with hands in his pockets anywhere in the vicinity of the president, they would brush against him and knock his hands free. Silent men they were, too, intent upon one thing only—the outlook for any sign or manifestation of trouble for the President. And each of them carried a gun 18 inches long under the tail of his frock coat.—Lenoir News.

The work of restoring the name of former Secretary of War Jefferson Davis to the tablet on Cabin John Bridge had been completed. The restoration of the name of the first and only President of the Confederacy marks the triumph of the presistant efforts of the people of the South to remedy what they considered a blot on the memory of President Davis. No ceremonies marked either the beginning of the work of restoration on April 17 or its conclusion. It is expected, however that the G. A. R. organizations of Washington will, at a suggestion from the office of the Secretary of War, arrange for some ceremony to be held at the bridge on Democratic Day.—Anderson, S. C., Mail.

On the 28th ult. The Chatham Manufacturing Company of Elkin, N. C. shipped 18 solid car loads of Blankets to different parts of the United States, half of them going to Chicago and St. Louis, from which places they will be distributed, to different places on the Pacific slope. The other half goes to Baltimore New York, and Philadelphia. There were 19,800 pairs and at $4.00 per pair it means $79,200 to the company for one shipment alone.

It is reported that $50,000 worth of jewels belonging to the Queen of Siam, have been stolen.

That Railroad Prospect.

Having noticed a few words in your valuable paper relative to the railroad prospects, I draw on its interest and the interest of all our people to say a few words.

Our people generally, in this part of the county, are against voting any bonds to help make up the proposition in fair chance of going through the county. There would be considerably opposition, at least 50 per cent of our people against it, but if it could be so fixed that the road is certain, according to the proposition, to go through, then be close and hard work to carry the bonds, it might find a way.

But, as Mr. Prof. E. C. Moore's opinion about our people, most of Boone being united and solid for the road, even if we should fail to get it through the county, is altogether a mistake, as will be seen at the polls if it stops short of a through line.

I only write this so that all interested, as we all are, may be informed about the situation before the proposition is submitted.

A. J. CAMPBELL.

Mable, N. C.

To the Baptist Churches of Watauga.

At the recent session of the Watauga Sunday School Convention, some of the churches went in statistics and some money to pay for printing minutes of the Convention while others did not.

Now I ask each church that did not send in report and contribution, to please send in at once so we may have a full minute printed.

Please report number of quarterlies and papers used, amount paid for them, contributions for orphanage, missions, etc., giving name of superintendent and secretary, number of enrollment, average attendance, etc., with 20 to 30 cents to pay for minutes.

Please do not fail to do this, so that we may have it in time to complete minutes. Pastors, please help us. Mail your report and minutes [illegible]

July 1, 19[illegible]

G. [illegible] TOG, Sec.,

Rutherwood, N. C.

A Shelby special of the 28th to the Charlotte Observer, says that Rev. Baylus Cade, well known throughout the State and now located at Boiling Springs, this county, claims to have solved the typesetting problem for the country weekly. He has secured a patent on a typesetting machine, modeled somewhat after the style of the regular linotype which he claims will revolutionize typesetting and greatly reduce the cost thereof. He leaves this week for Philadelphia, having received several offers from parties North build his machines. When complete these machines will be sold at $500. The inventor is a practical newspaper man with a decisive inventive turn of mind.

Says the Lenoir News: Sheriff Smith received a telegram Saturday that Robert Pritchard has been arrested in Lowden county, Tennessee. The Sheriff left Monday and will return about Wednesday with Pritchard. Bob and Keith Pritchard are the men who are charged with killing their brother-in-law, Honeycutt, and wounding Deputy Sheriff Garland several months ago near Mortimer.

Bradley Parker, a merchant of Parkersburg, Sampson county was recently shot and instantly killed by rural mail Carrier, Bass because he refused to sell a box of cartridges to Bass, who said he intended to kill another man. Parker tried to disuade him and refused to open the store to get the cartridges, where upon Bass drew a revolver and shot him down Bass was arrested and jailed.

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ONLY 50 CENTS
to make your baby strong and well. A fifty-cent bottle of
SCOTT'S EMULSION
will change a sickly baby to a plump, rosy-cheeked, well child in a few weeks. Refuse all substitutes. All druggists.
Get a bottle to-day. All druggists.

[illegible] of Penny [illegible] and [illegible] in adjacent Earlys [illegible] Dr. Price's cream, dandy and [illegible] child of Mr. Amos Penny. [illegible] very healthy, possessing many of the qualities necessary to make a fine [illegible]. This is Penny Brothers' [illegible] time spent trying the advantages of any individual.

Lung troubles leading to [illegible] may be avoided by the application of [illegible] which yields quickly to the free application of Chamberlain's Liniment. This liniment is [illegible] prompt and effectual, handy to use and pleasant to use. Sold by J. M. Hodges.

In Memory of Mrs. Emma Miller.

Mrs. Miller, the daughter of Nelson Adams, a Watauga Veteran who gave his life in the great civil war, was born June 10th, 1861, and died May 13th, 1909.

She was married early in life to Mr. W. H. Miller. She professed faith in Christ more than twenty-five years ago and united with the M. E. Church and live a devoted christian, a kind, loving companion and mother.

She leaves a husband, eight children and a host of friends to mourn her departure. Her body rests in the little church yard on Cedar creek, near Roaring Fork Tenn., to await the trumpet call at the coming of Him who said: "I go to prepare a place for you, and I will come and prepare a place for you. I will come again and receive you unto myself, that where I am there you may be also."

R. F. MARSHALL.

Hiwassville, Tenn.

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is sold on a guarantee that if you are not satisfied after using two-thirds of a bottle according to directions, your money will be refunded. Is it not to you to try. Sold by J. M. Hodges.

Geo. J. McCall gives notice that a certain transfer the cases [illegible] of Memphis, Chattanooga, Chattanooga and Atlanta, will leave Raleigh [illegible] miles, after [illegible] The fare for the round trip from Hickory is $19.90, [illegible] $17.60. Salisbury [illegible].

If you want a good [illegible] go to Chamberlin's Summit and have Pearle do your work. The [illegible] Gravely and get [illegible] Sold by J. M. Hodges.

NOTICE.

N. L. Mast vs. Cowhan Valley Oil and Gas Co.

Pursuant to the terms of an order rendered in a judgment obtained at the spring term of Watauga Superior Court, in the above entitled cause I will expose to public sale for cash at the court house door in Boone, N. C., on the first Monday in June, the same being the 7th day of June, between the hours of 10 o'clock, a. m., and 4 o'clock, p. m., the following described personal property of the defendants, viz:

One oil derrick, one large engine and boiler—25 or 30 horse power—one large drive pulley, all cables and ropes, sand and bailing lines, tools, blocks, drills, bits, fishing tools, bailers and elevators, three stoves, pumps and jets, blacksmith and carpenter tools, lathe tools, pipe and elevator hooks, two pairs of tongs, twenty sacks of coke, approximately 10 cords of wood and all other property of whatever nature or kind belonging to the said defendants. Said sale will be made to satisfy said judgment, interest and costs. All parties desiring to see said property may do so by calling on N. L. Mast, near where being the property is located. This May 20, 1909.

E. S. COFFEY, Commissioner.

IF IS WELL WITH YOU.

If you have a watch that needs repairing or any little job you wish done bring or send it to me at my office at Silverstone and I will give you a first class job.

I also keep a nice line of groceries and other goods that I will sell you real cheap for cash or good produce.

Thanking you for the nice patronage you have given me and hope for a continuance of the same. I am,

Yours Very Truly,

S. M. GREENE, Jeweler.

We are glad indeed to note the fact that R. A. Deal, editor of the Wilkesboro Chronicle, who has for quite a while been very sick, is gradually improving, and we hope he will very soon be restored to his former health.

CASTORIA
For Infants and Children.
The Kind You Have Always Bought
Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher

WATCH THIS SPACE!

The undersigned having bought this space for the mutual benefit of both myself and customers, I desire that you watch it closely, and when in town give me a call. I can show you the largest and best selected stock of general merchandise ever exhibited in Boone.

IN DRESS GOODS:—I have all kinds, qualities and prices, from a 10c. lawn to $1.50 silk.

IN NOTIONS:—I have a stock that is unserpassed.

MY STOCK OF SHOES is complete in every detail. I have the greatest stock to select from I ever exhibited. I am expecting daily a big line of of Oxfords for men and ladies in all kinds of leather styles, colors and prices.

Spring and Summer Clothing.

I make a specialty in this line. I have the latest New York styles, with prices unsurpassed considering the quality of the fabric. Have them in all sizes childrens to mens.

Hats for all Sized Heads.

I carry the famous John B. Stetson hats in different styles and prices, also a great many other makes of hats at prices to suit.

I am doing my utmost to keep in stock the needs of my customers of all articles usually kept in an up to date line of general Merchandise. My limited space forbids me quoting prices but I assure you *Prices are Right* considering the quality of the goods I offer you.

Thanking you for the patronage in the past you have so generously given me and hoping to merit it in the future.

Most Respectfully,

M. B. BLACKBURN.

March 17th 1909.

TENNESSEE FARMS FOR SALE.

If you will write the East Tennessee Real Estate Co., Morristown Tenn, they will send you free of charge a booklet on farming and a full description of the Valley of East Tennesser, and a complete price list of various farms of all sizes and prices. This booklet will be of value to you, and it's free; just write a postal card for it. Address,

EAST TENN. REAL ESTATE COMPANY,

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A. P. BRINKLEY, Pres. W. H. STAPP, Cashier.

THE CITIZENS BANK

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We are prepared to handle your banking business of every description, be it large or small, and will be glad to have you avail yourselves of our services at all times. We are open from 9, a. m., until 4, p. m., but if you want any banking business done before or after those hours, you will find one of our officers around town. He will be glad to accommodate you in any way you may desire. The best service is none too good for our friends.

Don't forget, keep it before you, 4 per cent. interest compounded semi-annually on savings Deposits when we issue certificates of Deposit.

N. L. MAST, Pres. W. C. COFFEY, V. P. G. P. HAGAMAN, Cash.

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BOONE, N. C.

We are in position to give our customers every convenience and accommodation consistent with safe banking.

Accounts of any size accepted. 4 per. cent interest paid on time deposits. Even if you use your money from week to week, pay it through *This* Bank. The returned checks are legal receipts for all bills paid.

As a County Institution we solicit the patronage of our County people.

When you visit the county seat we shall be glad to have you call on us at the Bank.

We have just received a big stock of the celebrated Craddock-Terry shoes known over the entire country as one of the best lines of goods manufactured. These goods are made in the South by its largest manufacturers and are not only sold here but are being bought in the large cities of the north in competition with Northern made goods. This line of shoes received two medals at the Worlds Exposition the only, manufacturers to receive but one. Be sure to try a pair of these goods and you will use no other. "The best is the cheapest."

Your attention is also again called to my splendid line of clothing for men, youths and boys. They are of the best material, the best make, and are being sold at the best prices to be found in this section of the county. If you have not bought your summer suit, be sure and investigate my stock, at least, before purchasing. Dry Goods, Notions, Hardware, Groceries, etc., always in stock and at bargain prices. Bring me your trade, and I will save you money.

Very respectfully,

H. C. MILLER, Blowing Rock, N. C.

New Years Greetings to All!

The holidays are now over; the New Year is with us; and I am pleased to say that I am still prepared to furnish my trade with fresh staple drugs, standard patent medicines, confections and, I believe I will say, the prettiest line of Toilet Articles to be found in the county.

I also still have on hand, left from the holiday trade, a small stock of handsome jewelry, suited for both gentlemen and ladies, that will be sold under a positive GUARANTEE. If you need anything in this line be sure to give me a call.

I always have on hand a nice little stock of well-selected groceries, sugar, coffee, rice, tce., that should be tested by every one in reach of my store. My goods are fine; my prices are right. Give me a part of your trade.

Boone, N. C., Jan. 1. *J. M. HODGES, M. D.*

Offices in Blackburn Hotel.

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