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— LENOIR, N. C. — Will Practice Regularly in the Courts of Watauga. 7-6-'11

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BANNER ELK, N. C. Will practice in the courts of Watauga, Mitchell and adjoining counties. 7-6-'11

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— ATTORNEY AT LAW, —

BOONE, N. C. Will practice in the courts of the 18th Judicial District in all matters of a civil nature. 8-11-1911.

J. C. FLETCHER,

— Attorney At Law, —

BOONE, N. C. Careful attention given to all collections. W. R. Lovill.

Lovill & Lovill

— ATTORNEYS AT LAW —

BOONE, N. C. Special attention given to all business entrusted to their care. 7-9-'10.

Obituary of Mrs. Amanda Greene.

One of the saddest things in this world is that we never fully appreciate our friends until they are gone. No matter how much we love them, how much we try to honor them, we always realize after they are gone from us, that we never knew how good they were, how much they meant to our lives until the place close beside us is vacant.

We thought we knew sister Amanda Greene, as we had loved her so long; but when on that Sunday night they told us that God's angel had taken that pure soul to her Master, we felt that we had never rightly known or loved her before.

Sister Amanda Greene was born July the 5th, 1860, in Caldwell county, N. C., where she spent her childhood days. On July 31, 1892, she was happily married to Mr. H. H. Greene, of Leander, Watauga county, N. C., where she spent the remainder of her life. She was a faithful christian companion, a sweet and loving mother, a kind neighbor and friend. She was a tower of strength to her husband and a ministering angel in their home.

She joined the Baptist church at an early age at Sulphur Springs, in Alexander county, N. C., in the year 1876, but at the time of her death she was a member of Timpered Ridge Baptist church of Peoria, N. C. She always lived a faithful, exemplary, christian life, being in active service for her Master until her health began to fail. For several months she had been in declining health, and those who knew her best and loved her most, knew that the end was gradually approaching. Like a true soldier, she bore her affliction with patience and was never heard to complain. On April 13, 1913, the sleep of death kissed her brow and she entered her eternal home.

Her funeral was conducted by her pastor, Rev. John E. Eller, assisted by Rev. Wellington Swift and R. L. Palmer. She was laid to rest in the cemetery near her home. It was a rare thing for her to be absent from any church services, and then when only providentially hindered. The church she loved so well will seem lonely without her. There is the comforting assurance to those who loved her best that while to them comes the greatest sorrow, to them also comes the greatest joy when they think that she who was so dear to them has been ministered unto by the Great Physician whose touch banishes all suffering from the soul, and with whom to dwell eternally in the supreme rapture of all who put their trust in Him.

She leaves to mourn her loss a devoted christian husband, four children, three sisters and a host of relatives and friends. We bow in humble submission to the will of God, and pray His blessings to rest upon the bereaved ones.

W. H. ELLER,
J. L. GRYSER,
P. L. GRYSER,
W. L. GREENE,
CARRIE TESTER,
LAURETTA GRYSER } Com.

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Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

Congressman Doughton On Important Committees.

Congressman R. L. Doughton has been selected as Chairman of the Committee on Expenditures in the Department of Agriculture. This position carries with it great opportunities for being of service to the Agricultural interests of his District. He had served for two years on this committee, and his friends are more than pleased to see his untiring services as an individual member rewarded by the Chairmanship. He may be counted on to use the full power of his new position for the farmers of his District and others who are interested in the upbuilding of the Agricultural industry.

He has also been elected a member of the new Committee on Roads—a new Committee, but one possessing an unusual opportunity to be service to the people as a whole. This Committee will very probably have charge of the expenditure of vast sum of money in Federal aid to good roads construction, and membership on this body was eagerly sought after by many members of the older and supposedly more important committee.

Of scarcely less importance is his selection as a member of the Committee on Education. The work of this Committee bears a vital relation to the educational interests of the country, and through its efforts the country as a whole may expect beneficial results to follow along the line of Federal aid to local educational institutions or direct instruction to the people along various lines of practical education.

Agriculture, Roads and Education; improvement in each of those branches is what the Eighth District needs most, and it should be a source of pride to all in this District that their representative holds membership on three of the most important Committees of the House (the chairmanship of one,) which bear such a vital relation to their material welfare.

If you are a housewife you cannot reasonably hope to be healthy or beautiful by washing dishes, sweeping and doing house work all day, and crawling into bed tired at night. You must get out into the open air and sunlight. If you do this every day and keep your stomach and bowels in good order by taking Chamberlain's Tablets when needed, you should become both healthy and beautiful. For sale by all dealers.

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IN DEFENCE.

At the meeting here last Monday night held in the interest of the moral betterment of our town a new order was founded, to be known as "The 'tend to Your own Business Society." At this meeting the undersigned expressed the opinion that there was no especial need of such an organization here, believing that, the great majority of our citizens being church members, and, therefore, as Christians, already pledged to keep from tattling and gossiping should not be asked to sign a pledge to that effect.

Because of that statement, his private opinion publicly expressed, and the fact that he declined to join the society, it has been rumored that a "severe blow" had been given a sincere effort and "tattling licensed."

No one likes to have his own way more than the undersigned, but, no one dislikes a tattler more than he, yet he fails to understand why his failure to join should "bluff" or "block" any order which has for its object the good of the community, when, the very persons who would have him shoulder the responsibility of their failure to enroll at the start a big list of charter members, do little or anything to uphold, by attendance or other encouraging signs, the ministry of this town in their efforts toward the spiritual uplift of the community, when, in their hearts they must admit that if all christian work and influence were removed from the community, the best citizens would move out and the Devil would move in.

W. M. R. SAVAGE.

Blowing Rock, N. C.

Celebrates His 87th Birthday.

Mr. James H. Taylor, one of Watauga county's oldest and most substantial citizens, celebrated his eighty-seventh birthday Sunday, May 25th, at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Joseph Wardin, on the Stateville road, near the city. At the breakfast table he found a stack of letters and packages from his children, grand children and great grand children, coming from various points in North Carolina, West Virginia, Alabama, and Idaho. Although his long life he has sown good seed and now has the pleasure of seeing the fruits of it in the lives of his descendants, among whom are ministers, professors and one son a lawyer. He served in the Confederate army under Captain Owens of whom Charlotte is proud to boast.—The Charlotte News.

STATE AND GENERAL NEWS.

Alfred Austin, the British poet laureate, died on the 2nd, aged 77.

Davie county, N. C., has voted \$175,000 in bonds for good roads.

The wheat crop of the whole State is said to be looking promising.

Mecklenburg County has appointed Mrs. W. B. Blythe a member of the local school board at Huntersville.

Hugh Long, a South Carolina editor, is on trial for murder. He killed Pickens N. Gunter last fall, at Wagener. The killing followed a hot political campaign in that State.

Tram No. 10, of the Charlotte, Raleigh and Southern Railroad was wrecked near Cumlock on May 30. One person was killed and a dozen others injured.

Mrs. Laura Henkel, wife of D. H. Henkel, of Lexington, who was in bad health, suicided by hanging herself last week. She leaves a husband and six sons.

A dispatch to the Charlotte News says that during the past week, thirty different liners landed \$30,000 foreigners on Ellis Island, New York. It looks as if Uncle Sam will after a while have to move out and let foreigners have room.

Col. R. H. Jones, of Raleigh has just been appointed to a position in the United States Senate. He is to take charge of the stationery department. The position pays \$200 per month. He will take up his duties about the 15th inst.

The remains of Light Horse Harry Lee have been removed to Washington and Lee University and placed beside those of his illustrious son, Robert E. Lee. He died in 1818, at Cumberland Island, Ga., while visiting General Nathaniel Greene, and was buried there.

In memory of the 267 officers and men who were lost with the battleship Maine in Havana Harbor 15 years ago, a National Maine Monument was dedicated at New York on May 30. Many noted citizens were present and spoke words of praise for the gallant men who went down with the Maine.

Col. Theodore Roosevelt won his suit against Geo. A. Newett, who in an editorial, charged the Colonel with drunkenness. Roosevelt told the jury that he didn't want money but simply wanted vindication. Six cents damage was awarded by the jury. The Col. said that he wished once for all, during his life time to deal with those slanders, so that never again will it be possible for them to be repeated.

J. W. Nickolson of Statesville an aged and respected citizen died at Chattanooga while attending the Confederate reunion at that place. He became sick on Tuesday, was taken to the hospital and died there the day following. His remains, were brought to Statesville on last Sunday morning by friends who were with him when he died. He was 70 years old.

Young King Alfonso, of Spain, was recently traveling on the royal train, when one of the little girls was struck by the train and badly injured. The king alighted from the train and endeavored to stop the flow of blood, but she died in a few minutes. This was a tragic incident and shows the kind heart of the king.

On June 2 Edward M. Campbell, of Birmingham, Alabama, was sworn in as Chief Justice of the United States Court of claims.

In the office of the Secretary of State, William Jennings Bryan on last Saturday before a distinguished gathering of Statesmen the Constitution of the United States was amended for the 17th time. Mr. Bryan was the first advocate of the election of United States Senators by a direct vote of the people. He affixed his signature, and it became a law.

A news dispatch from Wilmington reports that "in a veritable grave on the premises of the city hall, 157 gallons, one quart and one pint of whiskey in containers ranging in size from a half-pint to one gallon, were interred by the police, while a large number of persons looked on. The whiskey had been seized at different times during the past two years. It is inferred from the above that the whiskey was buried for future use. There is no statement that it was poured out. "In a veritable grave" more than 157 gallons of whiskey, "in containers," "were interred." Years hence when the whiskey is mellow with age they will doubtless exhumite it—provided they can keep the thirsty away from the grave in the meantime.

It would seem from reading of the Confederate Veteran's Reunion at Chattanooga, Tenn., that the days of animosity and bitterness are about over between the north and south. One thousand gray haired veterans were mounted on the handsome horses furnished by the eleventh U. S. Cavalry tendered by Fort Oglethorpe's officials. This use of the Federal horses showed that there was no bitterness on either side. Thousands of the spectators who watched the impressive sight were moved to tears, as memory carried them back to the fierce struggle from '61 to '65. During the march many were forced to drop out. The weight of years is pressing sorely upon many of them, and the step that was elastic and firm 50 years ago, is feeble now, but we honor the ones who wore the gray. Their names will be green on memory's page, and the children's children for ages to come will be telling the story of the boys who followed Lee.

An Alexander Boy.

Mountain Scout. We clip the following from the Aloa Tribune, of Hopeton, Okla. which will be read with interest by the many friends of Dr. Linney:

"Dr. R. Z. Linney has an office in town although he resides on his farm one mile south of town. The doctor has a large practice and is counted as one of the wealthy men of the county. He is a strong Progressive, not only politically but he is a progressive in his practice of medicine and in the handling of his large land interests.

All in all, Hopeton is a nice little town, and with added prosperity with the surrounding farmers, the town is bound to grow and prosper as a trading point."

Ulcers and Skin Troubles.

If you are suffering with any old, running or feyer sores, ulcers, boils, eczema or other skin diseases, get a box of Bucklen's Arnica Salve and you will get relief promptly. Mrs. Bruce Jones, of Birmingham, Ala., suffered from an ugly ulcer for nine months and Bucklen's Arnica Salve cured her in two weeks. Will help you. Only 25c. Recommended by all dealers.

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