

Town and County.

—State primary on next Saturday.

—The board of county commissioners will be in session next Monday.

—Mr. Tracy Council has returned from a few day's visit to friends in North Wilkesboro.

—Parson D. P. Waters was right severely pounded on last Friday night, very much to his delight.

—Miss Lucy Hardin entertained quite a number of her friends at a delightful rook party on last Monday night.

—Mrs. Edith Hayes Greene, of Upton, Caldwell county, is visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Hayes, who reside near town.

—Come to the Methodist church in Boone, June the 4th., one hour till noon. I've something I should like to say, to all the people on that day. D. P. Waters, Pastor.

—Prof. Will Scott, of the Jefferson School, is in town this week on business (?) we suppose somewhat foreign to the irksome duties of the school room.

—Their many friends in Watauga will be delighted to know that Dr. and Mrs. E. E. Randolph of Elon College, are in Boone for a few weeks, the Dr. having a position in the faculty of the A. T. S.

—Miss Bettie Stephenson, member of the faculty of the A. T. S., is entertaining for a few weeks, two of her sisters from Alabama. The town welcomes them and hopes their stay here will be most pleasant.

—Electrical Engineer David R. Shearer, who visited New York, Pittsburg and other centers last week in quest of electrical machinery for the Whiting peaplat Shulls Mills, returned to the village Monday afternoon.

—Messrs. Fred Farthing and Sam Horton, students at the University and Wake Forest College, respectively, are at their homes in Watauga, where they will spend a part, at least, of their vacation.

—As a result of the fearful hail storm on last Sunday, many of the farmers in the devastated territory have turned their fields into pasture lands; in some instances there being hardly a stalk of grain left in an entire boundary.

—The Judge Council old home, which has recently been thoroughly gone over and perfectly repaired, is now being painted by Messrs Foster & Lane, and when completed, will present a very pretty appearance as it is located one of the most ideal sites in the town.

—Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Cook, of Bluff City, Tenn., who have been visiting friends on Route 1 for the past two weeks, left for their home early in the week. This was Mrs. Cook's first visit to Watauga, and she was so delighted that they are now considering buying property in or near the village.

—A Mr. Parsons, of Alleghany county, passed through town Monday, after a wool-gathering tour in Watauga, the price paid being 36 cts. cash per pound and no questions asked. Wonderful, is it, that wool should take such a "bounce" under the Democratic tariff law? Oh, no, only a natural result.

—Among the many visitors in town the first of the week, were Mr. Robinson, of Burnesville, with Miss Alma Hodges, of Cranberry. Alma is a graduate of the A. T. S., and no young lady who has ever been here was more popular or won for herself more friends than she. and her visits are not only much enjoyed by the "young set" but by the older people as well.

—County Supt. Smith Hagan and wife, of Vilas, R. F. D., are in the village for a few weeks.

—Since the late refreshing rains the meadows have taken on new life, and now the prospects for a fairly good crop are right encouraging.

—Rev. M. A. Adams filled his regular appointments at the Baptist church in Boone on last Sunday, and, as usual, edified his hearers with a splendid sermon both morning and night.

—The Appalachian Training School had a very good opening on Tuesday morning. There are forty or more men at Newland Hall and a hundred women at the new Dormitory. The old faculty is increased by the following new teachers: Dr. E. E. Randolph and Miss Mamie Randolph of Elon College, Prof. Van Dusen of Carson-Newson College, Miss Okla Dees of Greensboro, and Miss Belle West of Banner Elk.

—The Savings Department of the Watauga County Bank was opened for business on Feb. 17, 1916, and today it has 78 depositors with a capital of \$2,521 38. To be sure this is a splendid showing, and fortunate are those who are laying up at least a small amount of their earnings for the "rainy day" which is sure to come in the lives of many of them. Better start an account now.

—On Sunday evening last the Bamboo and Cook's Gap sections of the county were visited by the most terrific rain and hail storm ever witnessed in that section, so say the oldest inhabitants there. Many of the farmers sustained great loss in their crops, either by being beaten down by the hail or washed away by the unprecedented down-pour of rain. Mr. W. H. Brown, carrier on Route 1, says that on Monday, he encountered drifts of hail, much of which was washed from the surrounding hills, that actually reached up to the bodies of his horses. The scope of country in the path of the hail only covered a few square miles, but a good rain was pretty general throughout the county.

Farmers' Union Rally.

A public rally of Mabel Local No. 1919 of the Farmers Educational and Cooperative Union, June 17, 1916, beginning at 1 p. m. All are invited. All paid-up and delinquent members in the county are urged to be present.

PROGRAM.

1. Song. 2. Prayer by the county chaplain, E. J. Norris.
3. Address of Welcome. 4. Address by President M. H. Norris.
5. Speech by James Jackson, Lecturer and organizer of Johnson county, Tenn., 6. Fifteen minutes social.
7. Lecture by President Rhodes of the Farmers Union of Tennessee.
8. Speech on education by Charles Culver.
9. Talks expected of J. J. T. Reese H. H. Greene, Newton Howell, T. P. Adams, Arlie G. Wilson.
10. Closing exercises by chaplain.

**WANTED** 200 white laborers for new aluminum plant. Wages \$1.70 per eight hour day seven days per week. Excellent chances for advancement to good men. Houses with electric light and bath at lowest rates. Pure filtered water. We can also use brick layers, carpenters and machinists. Apply at once to the Employment Bureau, Tallassee Power Company, Whitney, N. C.

SPECIAL NOTICE!!

The Registrars and voters of the county will please understand that no vote is required in the primary election Saturday only when there are two or more candidates for the same political party. I have supplied the different registrars with all necessary tickets.

J. M. MORETZ, Chm.,

—That dollar you owe would be very acceptable at this office just now.

Information for Women.

Housework is trying on health and strength. Women are inclined to kidney and bladder trouble as men. Aching back, stiff, sore joints and muscles, blurred vision, puffiness under eyes, should be given prompt attention. Foley Kidney Pills restore healthy action to irritated kidneys and bladder.

DON'T TAKE A CHANCE.

Boone People Should Act in Time.

If you suffer from backache; If you have headaches, dizzy spells;

If the kidney secretions are irregular, Don't delay—likely your kidneys are sick.

Thousands recommend Doan's Kidney Pills.

And hundreds reside right in this locality.

Read the statement of this nearby resident:

Mrs. L. M. Thomas, 729 Tenth Ave., Hickory, N. C., says: Some time ago I was down with backache, brought on, I believe by kidney trouble. The pain bothered me particularly in the morning. After I got up and around for awhile, the trouble wore off, but appeared again the next morning. My ankles also became swollen. I heard Doan's Kidney Pills highly spoken of and I got some. They gave me relief from the first and two boxes removed the trouble."

Price 50 cents at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mrs. Thomas had. Foster-Milburn Co. Props., Buffalo, New York.

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE.

By virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain trust deed, executed to the undersigned trustee by E. C. Greer on the 1st day of May 1911, and recorded in book R at Page 153 to secure the payment of \$250 to A. J. Moretz I will on

THE 3RD DAY OF JULY 1916 AT the court house door in Boone, N. C. at the hour of 1 o'clock p. m. sell to the highest bidder for cash the following described tracts of lands in the county of Watauga North Carolina and on the head waters of Yadkin Elk adjoining the lands of W. H. Blackburn, Filmore Watson, J. T. Clawson and others and bounded as follows, viz:

1st tract: Beginning on a Spanish oak on the top of Blue Ridge at the east margin of the Boone and Deep Gap road, and running with said road N 55 E 14 poles to a stake; then N 29 E 25 poles to a Spanish oak; then S 52 12 poles to a chestnut, Bartlett Brown's corner; then S. 85 E with said line 94 poles to a Spanish oak; then S 23 poles to a sugar tree, A. Wilson's corner; then S 45 W with said Wilson's line 11 poles to a Spanish oak on top of a ridge; then S 83 W 80 poles to a water oak in J. T. Clawson's line; then N 40 W with said line 20 poles to the beginning, containing 12 1/2 acres more or less.

2nd Tract: Beginning on a stake, L. W. Carroll's corner, and runs N 18 W 33 poles to a Spanish oak. Lot F Green's corner; then S 83 W with road and W. H. Blackburn's line 23 poles to a locust sprout in the old road; then a southeast course 14 poles to a dogwood on a rock cliff; then the same course down a hollow and branch 33 poles to a stake in L. W. Carroll's line; then N 18 E with his line to the beginning, containing 5 acres more or less. This May 30, 1916.

V. L. MORETZ, Trustee.

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Virginia & Carolina Railway Schedule—No. 56

Effective May 12, 1915

SOUTHBOUND		STATIONS		NORTHBOUND	
Daily Ex. Sunday First-Class		Eastern Standard Time.		Daily Ex. Sunday First-Class	
A. M. 7 20	Lv.	ABINGDON	Ar.	P. M. 5 15	
7 25	"	WATAUGA	"	5 00	
7 45	"	BARRON	"	4 45	
8 12	"	DAMASCUS	"	4 20	
8 39	"	TAYLOR'S VALLEY	"	4 02	
8 54	Ar.	CREEK JUNCTION	Lv.	3 45	
A. M. 9 27	Lv.	CREEK JUNCTION	Ar.	P. M. 3 15	
9 42	"	GREEN COVE	"	3 01	
10 27	"	TUCKERDALE	"	2 16	
11 03	"	WEST JEFFERSON	"	1 40	
11 39	"	BOWIE	"	1 10	
12 05	Ar.	ELKLAND	Lv.	12 40	
No. 5 [No. 2]		KONNAROCK BRANCH		No. 4 [No. 6]	
P. M. [A. M.] 3 17 [8 25]	Lv.	CREEK JUNCTION	Ar.	[P. M.] [A. M.] 3 47 [9 26]	
6 32 [9 10]	Ar.	KONNAROCK	Lv.	[3 33] [9 11]	

L. D. LOWE, President.

H. B. PERRY, Vice-President

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—Dr. Oscar L. Moore of Lenoir, will be in Blowing Rock on the 1, 2 and 3rd of June for the practice of dentistry. 2t.

FOR SALE! A good lot of shingles three miles from Boone and a short distance from Sam Austin's saw mill. See P. M. Winkler.

FOR SALE!—Thorough bred and registered Short Horn Durham bull. One year old and weighs 600 pounds. Price reasonable. G. C. Winkler, Boone, N. C.

FOR SALE.

Farm containing 80 acres in Carter county, saw and grist mill, good dwelling, good barn and all kinds of out buildings. Land is practically level creek bottom. Will sell for \$5,000, a part down and balance on easy terms. For further information call on or write

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Telegraph: Elk Park, N. C. Telephone: Banners Elk, N. C.

We especially solicit the commercial traveler's business.

New Cars Good Drivers Reasonable Rates

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