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ITEMS OF LOCAL INTEREST.

Mrs. Caleb Kincaid, of Bridge-water, was taken to Dr. Long's Sanatorium about a week ago and underwent a successful operation for appendicitis.

The small child of Mr. Will Shaping, of Drexel, died of meningitis last Wednesday and was buried Thursday at Zion church, Rev. A. C. Swafford conducting the burial services.

A large number of the schools of the county which began work in July took two weeks in September, for the most part the last two weeks, for "fodder pulling." The majority of the schools will open early in October to run each for a full six months term.

A most successful revival meeting has been in progress at Zion Methodist church near Drexel since Sunday, the 20th of September. Rev. A. C. Swafford, the circuit pastor, is a preacher of earnestness and force, and the meeting has resulted in many conversions and additions to the church.

A clipping from the Newton Enterprise elsewhere in this issue tells of the bountiful crop of apples in Catawba county. The same is true in Burke, and the problem to our county friends now as well as has been during the summer is how to take care of the great abundance of fruit with which this section has been blessed this season, and preserve it for winter use.

A special from Rutherford College to the Charlotte Observer of the 25th says: "Rutherford College authorities have taken up with Lenoir College a plan to make the athletics of the colleges of this section of the State help the social side of the schools. The advocates of the movement hope to have a meeting soon at which time to take definite steps in the matter."

Major Graham to Wed Miss Sallie Clark.

An engagement announcement of State-wide social interest is that of Miss Sallie Clark and Major William A. Graham. The wedding will take place early in November. Miss Clark is a daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. David Clark of Littleton, and a sister of Chief Justice Walter Clark, of Raleigh, with whom she makes her home. She is a woman of rare culture and charm.
Major Graham is one of the State's best known men. He is prominent socially and politically. For the past six years Major Graham has held the office of State Commissioner of Agriculture, a position he fills most acceptably. He is a man of wide information. The summer residence, Forest Home, of Major Graham and family, in Lincoln county, is one of the most hospitable in this section of the State.
(Miss Clark is an aunt of Mrs. J. Ernest Erwin, of Morganton.)

As Expressed by a Japanese.

Charity and Children.
Mrs. C. T. Willingham of Kokura, Japan, encloses a postcard from a young Japanese who attends Mr. Willingham's Church. The card is well written and is so unique in expression we are sure our readers will enjoy it:
Dear Master and Madam:
It is reported by the news which I have received to-day that Mrs. Wilson, the wife of Mr. Wilson, who is the President of your country, has died away into the unseen world by a heavy disease on the 15th inst.
According to the news, Mrs. Wilson seem very strict on who was most womanlike among the modern women. I regret, and sympathize with you both and all other American peoples, for this unfortunate event.
Very truly yours,
KATSUSABURO ABE.

YOUR FALL COUGH NEEDS ATTENTION.

No use to fuss an try to wear it out. It will wear you out instead. Take Dr. King's New Discovery, relief follows quickly. It checks your Cold and Soothers your Cough away. Pleasant, Antiseptic, Healing. Children like it. Get a 50c. bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery and keep it in the house. "Our family Cough and Cold Doctor," writes Lewis Chamberlain, Manchester, Ohio. Money back if not satisfied, but it nearly always helps.

Notice of Application for Pardon.

Notice is hereby given that application will be made to His Excellency, the Governor of North Carolina, for a pardon for Charlie Blue, convicted at March term, 1913, of Burke Superior Court upon the charge of burning a barn, the property of Jno. M. Clark. All persons who oppose the granting of said pardon are invited to forward their protests to the Governor at once.
This Sept. 15th, 1914.
W. J. BLUE.

Pickpocket at Show in Lenoir.

Lenoir Correspondence Charlotte Observer, Sept. 28th.
John Love, a negro, who gives his home as Savannah, Ga., was arrested here yesterday on the charge of attempting to pick the pocket of a farmer from the country, who was on the circus grounds attending Sparks' circus. He had been following the show for the last four or five days and was under surveillance of the management. Yesterday afternoon just about the time the office opened for the sale of tickets, the negro was spotted by Manager Sparks who saw him run his hand into the pocket of a farmer, who was standing in the thickly crowded line awaiting his turn to get his ticket. Mr. Sparks slipped in behind the negro, seized him and pinned his arms behind him and called for an officer. He was taken charge of at once and landed in jail.

Later in the afternoon, the negro was given a hearing before Mayor B. F. Williams and was bound over to the next term of the Superior Court. In default of bail he was sent to jail. He is said to have had at least one accomplice along with him, but he made his escape when his partner was arrested.

Read, Listen, Learn.

Youth's Companion.
As the terrible picture of war unrolls itself, we still discuss the immediate causes of the horror, and who was to blame; whether anybody meant to have a war; whether Austria brought it about; whether the Czar deceived the Kaiser of Austria; whether the three countries of the Entente had a secret understanding with Belgium, and various other such questions. The answers to them may, and should be left to historians of the future. The great fact is that Europe was a loaded bomb, waiting to be touched off. Who touched it off does not so much matter, but to know how it came to be in a state awaiting explosion is better worth while.

Catawba Has the Best Crop of Fall Apples Ever Grown in the County.

They are free from the usual tendency to decay on the trees and fall off before maturity. If they continue to stick on the trees another month, hundreds of barrels of apples can be put away for winter use.—Newton Enterprise.

The Sisters of Mercy, a Catholic institution, announce that work begins at an early date on an addition to St. Joseph's Hospital, at Asheville, which will cost \$100,000.

A feature of the new institution will be an immense charity ward for the accommodation of patients who are unable to pay hospital expenses.
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The Southern Railway and the "Buy a Bale of Cotton" Movement.

Washington Dispatch, Sept. 24th.
The management of Southern Railway Company is actively encouraging the "Buy a Bale of Cotton" movement throughout the South. President Harrison has bought a bale in each cotton producing state traversed by the Southern Railway lines and has addressed the following letter to the principal officers of the Southern Railway and allied lines, suggesting that they join the movement.
"I commend to your personal consideration the Buy a Bale of Cotton movement now active throughout the South. While this is a movement of sentiment, it is wholesome sentiment as expressing a determination

Items of Interest.

Wilmington has 407 automobiles in actual operation.
Mrs. George W. Vanderbilt and daughter returned to Biltmore last week from Paris and will spend the winter there.

Col. Roosevelt has been invited by the management of the State Fair to visit Raleigh on Thursday of State Fair week (October 19th-24th).
Congressman E. Y. Webb recently joined the buy-a-bale of cotton movement. He purchased a bale from Mr. Dixon Smith, of Shelby.—Shelby Star.

The Master Printers' Association was reorganized in Raleigh last week by the election of J. J. Stone of Greensboro president and Geo. B. Justice of Raleigh secretary.

The North Carolina apple crop this year is placed at 7,600,000 bushels. This is against 3,000,000 bushels last year. The production for the United States is figured at 220,000,000 bushels, against a crop of 145,400,000 in 1913.

It is said that of the 945 students of the University that nearly half are "self help," which is one of the proudest boasts of the institution, and what is more, the working young men are held in higher esteem here than at any university in this country.—Chapel Hill News.

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RHEUMATISM ARRESTED

Many people suffer the tortures of lame muscles and stiffened joints because of impurities in the blood, and each succeeding attack seems more acute until rheumatism has invaded the whole system. To arrest rheumatism it is quite as important to improve your general health as to purify your blood, and the cod liver oil in Scott's Emulsion is nature's great blood-maker, while its medicinal apparatus strengthens the organs to expel the impurities and rebuild your strength. Scott's Emulsion is helping thousands every day who could not find other relief. Refuse the alcoholic substitutes.

of the southern people to help themselves in time of emergency, rather than depend on help from outside or from the government, Federal or State. If this movement results in marketing 500,000 bales at 10 cents a pound, as is believed to be possible, it will have a profound effect in encouraging the small farmers and those who give them credit to hold for a stable price.
"All of us derive our livelihood and that of our families in some measure from cotton, and so, apart from any interest of the Company, every one of us has a personal interest in the cotton market.
"I have myself bought a bale of cotton in each of the cotton producing States. If you feel that you can afford it, I recommend that you buy at least one bale for personal account and induce as many as possible of your friends to do likewise. It will be a safe investment of the money and a patriotic act in a vital emergency."
Speaking of the cotton situation to-day, President Harrison said:

"There are, in my opinion, good reasons for believing that the market for cotton will improve. While there has been a temporary letting up in manufacturing I think that, so far as this has affected mills in the United States and England and possibly France, it has been due, in large measure, to the disturbed financial situation and to some extent to the difficulty in getting dye stuffs. I am encouraged to believe that, as soon as the financial difficulties have been straightened out, there will be an increased demand not only from the mills in the United States, but also, from those in all parts in Europe in which the war has not shut off the access to the sea. Already there are reports of increasing shipments of cotton both to England and to the Continent and it should be borne in mind that the war itself will give rise to an increasing demand for certain lines of cotton goods. There has been evidence of this already in orders for cotton duck for army uses and enquiries for large supplies of cotton underwear for the armies.

The "Buy a Bale of Cotton" movement will help materially to bring about better conditions. It will encourage farmers to hold for better prices and will tend to take off the market cotton that must be sold. Every one who participates in this movement is performing a patriotic act in a vital emergency which will be of great value to the entire South."

The Line Between North Carolina and Tennessee.

Washington Dispatch.
A trail of blazed hemlocks, hickories and oaks, declared to have been made nearly a century ago, is cited by the State of North Carolina to prove to the Supreme Court its claim to a large section of disputed timber and along the Tennessee line. The State's claim was set forth in a brief filed by Attorney General Thomas W. Bickett. The case will be argued orally in October.
When North Carolina ceded the territory now embraced in Tennessee to the United States in 1790, a commission was authorized to mark the boundary line. This it did in 1821, but a disagreement recently arose as to the line in the so-called "Slick Rock basin" and the "Tellico basin."
Attorney General Bickett, in his brief, asserts that S. S. Gannott, of the United States geological survey, and A. D. Burns of Knoxville, Tenn., recently traced the old boundary laid by the surveyors by "three hacks over a blaze on each fore and aft tree and with three hacks each side line tree." The line thus established, he says, substantiates North Carolina's claim to the disputed timber land.
Should Go One Step Further.
Gastonia Gazette.
Editor-G. E. Morton, of the Tryon Bee, a live weekly published at Tryon, announced last week that, beginning January 1st, the subscription price of his paper will be \$1.50 instead of \$1, as heretofore. In making this move Brother Morton is merely keeping in line with all the more progressive newspapers publishers of the State. If he will go a step further and say the subscription price will be \$1.50, cash in advance, he will have gone a long way shot ahead in the race for journalistic existence. The Gazette extends congratulations and would advise every editor in the \$1 class to follow his example.

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IMPORTANCE OF THE VITAL STATISTICS LAW.

Letter From State Board of Health to Mr. T. W. Drury.
Mr. Thos. W. Drury, Local Registrar of Vital Statistics, Morganton, N. C.

Dear Sir:—We note from your monthly report the failure of certain doctors, undertakers and midwives to report to you promptly all births and deaths occurring in your district. It is to point out the value, need and importance of this new law that we are sending you under separate cover explanatory posters which we trust you will post in conspicuous places.

No less than six indictments and convictions have been secured within the last two weeks under the new law requiring the registration of births and deaths. All these prosecutions were made against doctors who for one cause or another had failed to register births. In most cases, the doctors acknowledged that it was a matter of negligence on their part, pure and simple, and expressed an appreciation of the value and importance of the law and promised not to be delinquent in such matters hereafter.
The State Board of Health is charged with the enforcement of this law and if unenforced the results obtained would be misleading and worse than useless and the money appropriated for this work would be wasted. Thus far the State Board of Health has tried to deal leniently with physicians, undertakers and midwives and others having to do with the enforcement of the new law, but it is believed that ample time has been allowed for everyone to become acquainted with its provisions and that hereafter vigorous action should be taken with offenders, particularly malicious offenders. In other words, there is a limit at which "Patience ceases to be a virtue." In the opinion of this department this limit has been reached and if a number of persons do not comply with this law, prosecution will follow.
It is desired that you give this communication publicity in your section, so that there will be no excuse for negligence on the part of those concerned, and with best wishes, we are,
Yours very truly,
BUREAU OF VITAL STATISTICS.

Badin.

The engineers on the works at the aluminum plant at Badin went to France at the outbreak of the trouble. The Albemarle Enterprise reports the return of one of them and gives encouraging statements as to the future prosecution of the work of construction. If work has been suspended there, no mention has been made of it, but what we are to infer, probably, is that all time has been restored. That the European war would in some degree interfere with the operations of this company, which is composed of French people with French capital, was to have been expected, but that the plant is to be carried to completion without delay. The old Whitney Company was caught by the panic of 1907, after having expended \$6,000,000 on the plant, all of which will be covered under backwater from the new dam. The French company will put \$12,000,000 in its project. That the war is not going to stop that is a fact of much consequence to this part of the South.

Will There Be Another Great War?

Regarding the question that has often been asked since the titanic struggle which is going on in Europe began, "Will this be the last great war?" ex-President Taft has the following to say in a late issue of the Independent: "One thing I think we can reasonably count on is that with the prostration of industry, with the blows to prosperity, with the state of flux that is likely to follow the titanic struggle, there will be every opportunity for common sense to resume its sway; and after the horrible expenditure of the blood of the best and the savings of the rich and the poor, the opportunity and the motive for a reduction of armament and the taking away of a temptation to further the war will be greatly enhanced. It is an awful remedy, but in the end it may be worth what it costs, if it makes this the last great war. The influence of America can be thrown most effectively for peace when peace is possible and for minimum armaments when disaster and exhaustion shall make the contending people and the rulers see things as they are."

AGENTS WANTED—With farmer acquaintance.

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Hickory's Street Fair.

Times Mercury, 23rd.
This fair will be held here Oct. 14th, 15th and 16th under the auspices of the Catawba Fair Association. The officers are: J. W. Robinson, President; Geo. E. Bisenar, Vice-President; A. C. Henderson, Secretary; A. K. Joy, Treasurer.

The first day will be known as Everybody's Day; the second as Educational Day; the third as Live Stock Day. Also on the last day will be live stock parade and prize winners announced. Everything will be free and the railroads will give reduced fares.
There will be near 300 premiums given in cash and deplomas. The exhibits will be classified into twelve departments as follows: (a) Field and Garden crops. (b) Women's department of Farm and Dairy work. (c) Horses and mules. (d) Cattle, classified. (e) Horticulture. (g) Poultry Supplies. (h) Needle and Fanny Work. (i) Children's Department. (j) Educational. (k) Poultry. (l) Manufacturer's Display. In addition, there will be a baby show, with first and second prizes.

The premiums offered will aggregate \$1,200 or \$1,500. There will be competent judges. Each department will be presided over by judicious directors.

Anniversary Exercises at A. & M. College Oct. 1-3.

Correspondence of The News-Herald.
One of the most interesting features of the Twenty-fifth A. & M. College, October 1-3, will be the "General Reunion" at 8 p. m. on Friday, October 2nd. At this meeting there will be a reunion of former professors and trustees, who will meet their younger brethren and successors. Among those who will speak at this meeting are Prof. J. R. Chamberlain and Ex-President George T. Winston.
It is interesting to note that the presiding officer at this reunion will be W. J. Peele, Esq., of Raleigh, author of a standard textbook on civics, encourager of literary and historical work in North Carolina, and friend of every movement for education and improvement in the State. Mr. Peele's name is held in special honor at the A. & M. College because he was a member of the historic Watauga Club, which suggested and popularized the movement which resulted in the establishment of the college.
Secretary Daniels Among the Speakers.

Among the speakers at the A. & M. College on October 3rd, the closing day of the Twenty-fifth Anniversary exercises, will be the "People's Navy Secretary," Hon. Josephus Daniels As teacher of the A. & M. Sunday school at one of the Methodist churches, and as a personal and editorial friend of the students, Mr. Daniels was always a loyal and useful friend of the college. He will be a most welcome guest of the campus.

"What Hemisphere is Rutherford College In?"

Arthur T. Abernethy in Greensboro News.
Your Hendersonville correspondent says that the Carnegie library has been opened there and adds: "This is the only Carnegie library in Western North Carolina."
How come, Pauline? In the beautiful year 1907, I wrote a letter to my friend, James Bertman, private secretary to Andrew Carnegie, and raised the money for the people of the town of Rutherford College, and during that year they built of native Burke county brick, and cement, one of the prettiest and most ornate little buildings in the section, and it is the first Carnegie library west of Salisbury that has been constructed in what, up to the time your Hendersonville correspondent wrote, I thought was Western North Carolina. Mr. Bertman also promised me to build a Carnegie library for Morganton, but the people of that town were not ready to boost Mr. Scotch Andy's monument idea and declined. Now, if Rutherford College isn't in Western North Carolina, is it on the North Pole or where in the Sam Hill is it?

APPLY SLOAN'S FREELY FOR LUMBAGO.

Your attacks of Lumbago are not nearly so hopeless as they seem. You can relieve them almost instantly by simple application of Sloan's Liniment on the back and loins. Lumbago is a form of rheumatism, and yields perfectly to Sloan's, which penetrates quickly all in through the sore, tender muscles, limbers up the back and makes it feel fine. Get a bottle of Sloan's Liniment for 25c. of any drugstore and have it in the house—against colds, sore and swollen joints, rheumatism, neuralgia, sciatica and like ailments. Your money back if not satisfied, but it does give almost instant relief.

All kinds of Legal Blanks at The News-Herald office.

The Morganton Baptists.

Rev. E. N. Johnson, formerly pastor of the First Baptist church here, now pastor at Reidsville, writing to the Biblical Recorder in the issue of Sept. 23rd, says:
I left Morganton the first of September to become pastor at Reidsville. I want to say a word regarding the Morganton Baptists.

They are a loyal set. They love the Lord and delight to serve Him. They love their pastor; and in a thousand ways manifest it. Their loyalty makes the pastorate one of most delightful in the State.
They are united. There is evidence of harmony on every hand. Not one discordant note is heard.
There are all sorts of good Baptists in Morganton. Robert Logan Patton is one of the Baptists in Morganton. Robert Logan Patton is one of the ripe kind. This pious man of God has been a real pastor to me. There is something of the Elijah about him. Like Elijah, he has done a pioneer's work. Heaven's fire has burned no less fervently in his than in that ancient prophet's heart. With his face turned homeward he is waiting for the chariot of God.
The Morganton Baptists united and loyal are ready for a great work. It may be safely predicted that this people, with a wise leader, will equip themselves for, and enter into a larger service.

ELBERT N. JOHNSON,

Reidsville, N. C., Sept. 4th, 1914.

Test Applied to Determine the Ownership of a Dog.

Magistrate Ray, of Salisbury, had a puzzling case in his court last week, involving the ownership of a dog. Two men claimed the dog and each had half a dozen witnesses, according to the Post, to swear to the ownership of the dog. One side swore the dog was a possum dog, the others swore he was not. The puzzled magistrate seized on this and rendered a judgment that would do credit to Solomon. Here it is as recorded by the Post:
"The plaintiff shall name a friend and the defendant a friend and they are to hunt this dog until Saturday and then they are to make a report to the trial magistrate, and then relying on this test the ownership of the dog will be established."

HEARD IN MORGANTON.

How Bad Backs Have Been Made Strong—Kidney Pills Corrected.

All over Morganton you hear it. Doan's Kidney Pills are keeping up the good work. Morganton people are telling about it—telling of bad backs made sound again. You can believe the testimony of your own townspeople. They tell it for the benefit of you who are suffering. If your back aches, if you feel lame, sore or miserable, if the kidneys act too frequently and passages are painful, scanty and off color, use Doan's Kidney Pills, the remedy that has helped so many of your friends and neighbors. Follow this Morganton citizen's advice and give Doan's a chance to do the same for you.
J. M. McCalliard, Green St., Morganton, N. C., says: "My kidneys were weak and the kidney secretions were irregular in passage. I suffered from backache and when I stooped, I had trouble in straightening. Doan's Kidney Pills, procured at the Burke Drug Co., relieved me of the trouble."
Price 50c. at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mr. McCalliard had. Foster-Milburn Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y.

Farm For Sale.

I will sell 70 acres of land in McDowell county, N. C. near Southern R. R., 1 1/4 miles east of Nebo, N. C. A five-room house, barn and other out buildings, a good garden, well, and orchard of over 100 fruit trees, peach, apple, pears. One and one fourth miles from Nebo High School and churches, a good road. Terms—eleven hundred dollars—one half down, balance on twelve months time.
W. A. GIBBS,
Nebo, N. C.

Sealed Bids For New School Houses.

The County Board of Education will receive sealed bids until the first Monday in October, (when awards will be made), for the building of school houses as follows: One in Quaker Meadows township, district No. 3; one in Lower Creek township, north of Chesterfield. Dimensions and specifications with contract to be signed, can be found at the office of the Board of Education after Sept. 15th. The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.
J. H. GILES,
Chairman.
T. L. SIGMON, Superintendent.