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SEEKS LOST RIGHT OF CITIZENSHIP

Joe Jarvis, Who Served Prison Term, Institutes Action in Court.

What is said to be a most unusual case, is that in which a petition has just been filed with the clerk of superior court in which a man seeks to have his rights of citizenship restored, which had been lost by reason of his having served a term in the state penitentiary. Joe Jarvis, formerly of this city, and now a resident of Madison county, who was convicted of forgery 11 years ago, is bringing the suit through his attorney, Judge H. B. Carter.

Jarvis was sentenced to the penitentiary for 12 years and after serving for seven years he was pardoned by Governor R. B. Glenn in 1908. Since that time he has been farming in Madison county, where he is very well connected, and where it is said that he has succeeded in regaining the confidence of some of the best people of the county, who will testify in his behalf.

The case will probably be heard at the July term of court. It has to be advertised for 90 days and five reputable men have to swear that they have known the petitioner for three years and that he has lived an upright life. It is thought that there will be no opposition to the petition. The pardon was unconditional.

MR. RANKIN TO RETIRE FROM THE ELECTRIC CO.

All is Mere Speculation as to Plans of the New Corporation.

That developments are to follow the reorganization of the Asheville Electric company, which was recently acquired by the Carolina Power and Light company, through the recently chartered Asheville Light and Power company is the feeling among the people of Asheville, although it seems impossible to learn anything definite as to the purpose of the reorganization, or as to who will have charge of the local company, except that Charles E. Johnson of the Carolina Power and Light company will probably be president and that J. E. Rankin, who is now president, will retire.

Mr. Rankin was seen this morning and said that he knew absolutely nothing as to the plans of the concern. He stated that he would retire and supposed that he would be succeeded by Mr. Johnson. Mr. Rankin said that there is to be a new organization to take charge of the Asheville Electric company, and that the old one is to go out of existence; that this organization would have to take place before anything definite could be said and that any statements as to possible developments at this time are mere speculation.

There has been considerable activity in this section in the last few months on the part of someone in the matter of making surveys; for this reason, there have been conjectures that interurban lines are to connect Asheville with other towns, and a line to Waynesville has been especially mentioned.

There is also talk of a line to Greenville and some believe that two giant organizations that are controlled by the same interests are working together in the scheme. As Mr. Rankin says, however, any statement would be mere speculation.

GOOD WORK DONE AT W. ASHEVILLE SCHOOL

Mark Brown Has Not Been Tardy or Absent for Five Years.

The spring term of the West Asheville Graded school closed yesterday. The exercises consisted in singing, presentation of report cards, certificates of attendance and diplomas to the graduates. The following have been neither absent nor tardy during the entire school year and were awarded certificates:

First grade—Dixie Cole, Jesse Cole and Jack Walsh.

Second grade—Ruth Jones, William Lashley, Laman Lance, Walter Lee McKensie and Mamie Wilson.

Third grade—Susie Moore, Cortieyou Roberts, Mabel Alexander and Florence Parris.

Fourth grade—Paul Phillo, Hubert Hayes, Lester Morrison, Evelyn Lashley, Thomas Cressman, Albert Hampton and Roy Pinner.

Sixth and seventh grades—Thelma Boyer, Cora Holcombe, Mary Reynolds, Jessie Davis, Allyn Blackwell, Mack Brown and Lowe Wright.

Ninth grade—Conly Rich, Texie Rich and Blanche Welch.

Mack Brown, a pupil in the seventh grade, has been neither absent nor tardy for five years. Lester Morrison, in the fourth grade, has the same record for three years. Many pupils during the past year have been absent and tardy but once or twice but could not be awarded certificates.

Supt. Reynolds presented handsome diplomas to the graduating class including Misses Clara Davis, Bessie Clancy and Lillian McCollum.

The school will have the largest class the coming year it has ever had. The total enrollment for the past year is 495, the largest in Buncombe county.

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CITY NEWS

Judge Jeter C. Pritchard will go to Clyde tomorrow, where he will deliver an address at the "closing exercises of the State High school."

Complaints in two divorce cases were filed today in the office of clerk of superior court: Bell C. Harville vs. J. W. Harville; Sarah Dalton vs. Gaston Dalton.

The regular weekly prayer meeting service will be held at Southside Baptist church tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock; subject, "City Missions." The leader will be E. N. Wright. The public invited.

W. S. Hyams has sold his residence on South French Broad avenue to A. A. Minnick. Mr. Hyams has bought from F. A. Sondley a lot on Liberty street, on which he intends to erect a handsome residence.

The first of the series of two games which was to have been played this afternoon at Riverside park by the baseball teams of Bingham and the Asheville High school was called off on account of rain. The game tomorrow will be played at 3:30 o'clock.

In the issue of the Engineering Record of March 15 there is a lengthy article on the Marshall hydro-electric plant which was recently finished and is located on the French Broad river. The article includes a cut showing the exterior of the plant besides drawings showing the construction and arrangement.

Yesterday afternoon at the grounds of the Asheville school, the Asheville school baseball team defeated the team of the Winn school by the score of 10 to 9. The game was evenly contested, and in fact, that Winn boys outplayed the home team but their base running was not effective when things counted.

The Y. M. C. A. bowling team will bowl tonight against Bristol in the second match of the tournament which started last week. The result of the first match was that the locals lost by 73 pins, but they hope to redeem themselves tonight. The match in duck pins against Bristol will be bowled Saturday night.

Herbert Hayes, the ten year old son of Julius Hayes of this city, is to be given a hearing before Magistrate D. H. Reagan at Weaverville this afternoon on the charge of drawing a pistol on young Hubert Shope of Weaverville a few days ago. It is said that the boy was at Weaverville with some friends and met the Shope boy and for some reason whipped out the pistol and pointed it at him.

Last night each committee in the senior membership campaign of the Y. M. C. A. reported that one member had been secured. They were only allowed to report one each but almost all of them had several members already secured. The men in the campaign have no doubt that a large number over that set for the campaign will be secured and no fears whatever are entertained that it will not be a success in every way.

TO DISTRIBUTE SHRUBS AMONG CITY SCHOOLS

Civic Betterment League Will Furnish Them to Plant on Arbor Day.

Tomorrow is Arbor day and the day will be celebrated by all the city schools with appropriate exercises. For the first grades the hour for these exercises has been set for 12 o'clock, and for all other grades the exercises will be held at 1 o'clock.

There will be delegations at all the schools from the Civic Betterment league and these will distribute shrubs to the children. These shrubs from the league have been donated by the Biltmore estate and number 1600. Each child will receive one and each is requested to have an old newspaper to wrap it in so that the roots will not dry out and kill the plant.

Besides the shrubs to be distributed by the Civic Betterment league the children of the schools have purchased 500. All these will be planted in the city, at the homes of the children, a few at the schools and some at other places where they are needed.

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