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A WISE PROGRAMME.

There is general approval of the solution the Legislature has made of the constitutional amendment question. It is a compromise between the two propositions; one to call a constitutional convention and the other for the Legislature to prepare and submit amendments to the voters at the next general election.

There are a number of amendments that are considered absolutely necessary, the most important one is to prepare the way for segregation of taxes. There is general agreement that this plan of dividing the subjects of taxation, leaving the property tax entirely for county, school and town purposes, is the most scientific and feasible way of meeting all the problems about schools, road improvement, State institutions, etc.

The revenue bill is expected to be laid before the House by chairman Williams this week. It will contain new features, aiming especially to insure the enlistment of stocks, notes, money and other intangible property that has dodged enlistment on account of the fact that they have to be listed at full value, while much other property is listed at a fourth or a third of the value.

THE Webb bill to prohibit the shipping of liquor into prohibition States for sale, passed the House last Saturday with a very large majority. Mr. Webb has been working on this bill for several years, and is receiving many congratulations on getting it to a vote and the large majority by which it passed.

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The Legislature.

The bill to increase the number of Judges from 16 to 20 has passed both houses, also the bill to put solicitors on salaries of \$2,000 each. Committees have been appointed to redistrict the State and prepare the schedule of the courts.

The Justice primary election bill met such strong opposition in the House that a committee of five has been appointed to prepare a less drastic but more elastic bill.

The divorce bill, granting divorce after five years desertion, failed in the Senate; also the bill to punish tipping of hotel waiters and porters on trains.

The bill to prevent the marriage of first cousins will go before the Senate from the committee without any recommendation.

The calendar was cleared of local bills Saturday. This Legislature is keeping right up to time and most of the important bills are about ready to be acted on.

The House Committee has made a favorable report on the bill to establish a new county to be named Aycock, from portions of Guilford, Davidson and Randolph, with High Point as the county seat. It will meet with stubborn opposition, and is not expected to pass the Senate.

The search and seizure bill has gone to the House on a favorable report from the committee and 500 copies of the bill ordered to be printed.

A resolution has passed the Senate calling on the heads of all State institutions to report in writing to the appropriation committee the least amounts they can get along with during the next two years.

A bill has passed both houses making it unlawful for parents or guardians to permit children under twelve years old to use any kind of firearms.

Mr. Gaither has introduced a resolution memorializing Congress to give independence to the Philippine Islands.

Killian: To allow Lincoln county to vote a special tax; to allow Commissioners of Lincoln to sell certain lands; to permit the Commissioners of Lincoln to transfer certain funds; relative to good roads in Lincoln county.

The House adopted a resolution Monday to appoint a committee of three to investigate the books of Clerks of the Court, as to the collection of inheritance tax. The new revenue bill will have machinery to insure the strict collection of this tax.

In the House Kellum of New Hanover county offered a bill allowing the people of Wilmington to vote on granting licenses for the sale of beer, each license to be \$2,000. This will bring up a prohibition fight.

Senator Council of the joint committee recommended that \$2,500 be appropriated for repairs and refurbishing of the Governor's mansion.

A bill was introduced to prohibit profane and vulgar talk over the telephone.

Notice.

I will be at the following named places on the dates named to collect the \$1.00 road exemption tax. Please see me and pay this or it will be taken for granted that you want to work the four days.

Claremont, February the 25th from 9 a. m. to 12 m.

John Holler's Store, February the 25th from 2 p. m. to 4 p. m.

Deal's store, March the 1st, from 9 a. m. to 12 m.

Smith's store, March the 1st, from 1 p. m. to 4 p. m.

W. L. Cline, Road Supt. Clines Township.

Mrs. Stamey Falls And Breaks Her Leg.

High Point, N. C., Feb. 5.—Mrs. H. F. Stamey had the misfortune to fall and break one of the large bones in her left limb, near the hip, the first of the week. The accident happened at the home of her daughter, Mrs. H. M. Hoffman, on South main street. The wound is quite a serious one, but at present the patient is doing very well.

Mrs. Stamey is past 70 years of age. She is the wife of the late Rev. P. F. W. Stamey, at one time presiding elder of the Greensboro District, the mother of U. B. Stamey, Editor of The Review, of this city, and sister-in-law of Dr. E. L. Stamey of Greensboro.

Mrs. Stamey at one time lived in Newton and is well known in that community, being a daughter of the late Capt. D. M. Wyant of Jughtown.

Claremont Items.

Here we are again with a few of the many happenings of our town.

We are beginning to have a little of the "Ground Hog" weather that is in store for us. We have had a beautiful winter so far but according to "Mr. Ground Hog" rough days are coming.

The health of the community is very good at present. Mrs. Delilah Deal is much improved, and we hope she will soon be able to be about.

Mr. Albert Isenhour came home last Wednesday and spent a few days with his parents.

Mr. Robert Setzer, one of the Southern railroad men is at home with his family for a few days.

Miss Bessie Lee Cloninger is visiting Miss Nancy Lee Bost.

Mr. Sid Bost of Newton made a flying trip to our city Sunday.

Miss Eula Sigmon spent Saturday night with Miss Willie May Holler.

Misses Neya Sigman and Grace Hoke spent last Thursday night with Miss Ollie Hoke.

Misses Lizzy and Dora Witherston of Hickory attended the funeral of the little child of Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Setzer Friday at Bethlehem.

Mr. Loy Yoder has moved near Raleigh where he intends to run a farm.

Mr. and Mrs. Emanuel Sigmon have been spending some few days with relatives in Newton.

Mr. John Epps and daughter of Lincoln spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Holler.

Mrs. Avery Deal is spending a few days with her mother Mrs. J. D. Kelley.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Huitt and little daughter spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Moser.

On last Wednesday night Rev. R. M. Carpenter preached a very interesting sermon. Rev. Carpenter will continue these services during Lent.

Mrs. Garland Sigmon is spending a few days with her mother Mrs. Mary Deal.

Mr. Lester Huitt and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Setzer.

Mr. Charles Bollinger has gone to Charlotte to take a course in Kings Business College.

We certainly did appreciate A. S. K's. letter last week, especially about those large strawberries. When they get ripe please hang the back of your gate on the outside, and we will visit the famous garden spot.

Best wishes to the Editor and the many readers of the Newton Enterprise.

Busy Bee's.

Mexican Army Rises in Revolt.

Mexico City, Feb. 9.—The army rose in revolt in Mexico City today, took possession of the public buildings, shot down federal adherents in the streets, released General Felix Diaz, leader of the Verr Cruz revolt, from prison, and, falling into line under his banner, practically captured the Mexican capital.

Francisco Madero, president of the republic, and members of his cabinet, took refuge in the national palace, where they were besieged, but, with some loyal troops at their backs, succeeded in defending the palace from the assaults of the revolutionists.

Madero's family has taken refuge in the Japanese legation and tonight the president is making a tight, desperate in its efforts, against what appears to be enormous odds for retention of his power.

Captain Scott and Four Companions Die in Antarctic.

London, February 10.—News reached the world today that Capt. Robert F. Scott, the British explorer, and four of his companions perished in the Antarctic while on their return journey from the South Pole.

The dead, in addition to Captain Scott, are Dr. E. A. Wilson, Lieut. H. R. Bowers, Capt. L. E. S. Oates and Petty Officer E. Evans.

They reached their goal on January 18, 1912, about a month after Capt. Roald Amundsen, the Norwegian, had planted the flag of his country there. They then turned back toward the bases they had formed on their outward journey, but were overtaken, overwhelmed and destroyed by a blizzard.

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Annual High School Declamation Contest to be Held at Lenoir College Friday Evening, April 4th, 1913.

It is said that oratory is becoming a lost art. A chief part of the explanation is found in the disappearance of the "Friday Evening Exercises" of the old academy and in the general neglect of declamation work.

For stimulation and right ideals, our youth must go back to the works of the masters, know them and live them again, and thus rekindle the flame of eloquence that blazed so splendidly in the past.

In order to encourage the practice of declamation in our High Schools as an exercise of high cultural value and as a necessary foundation for success in the study and practice of public speaking, and in order to bring the schools into closer touch with each other and thus aid in the cause of education in our section, Lenoir College has established an Annual Declamation Contest to be conducted in accordance with the following regulations:

1. State High Schools, City High Schools, or other schools of the same rank, in counties of North Carolina west of the Yadkin River, or in Davidson County, shall be entitled to one representative in the contest.

2. The name of each contestant, the subject of his declamation, and a statement from the principal of his school that he is a bona fide student, shall be in the hands of the secretary of the faculty of Lenoir College not later than March 15th.

3. The places of declaimers on the program in the contests shall be determined by lot.

4. The first contest shall be held in the Lenoir College auditorium, Friday evening, April 4, 1913.

5. In case there are more than eight contestants, a preliminary contest shall be held at the College, Friday afternoon, April 4, 1913.

6. No declamation shall contain more than 1000 words (600 to 1000 words is a good range).

7. A gold medal shall be awarded by a competent committee to that declaimer whom they shall judge to have won in the contest.

R. L. FRITZ, Lenoir College, Hickory, N. C.

Feb. 7th, 1913.

Normal Winter Weather.

Washington, Feb. 9.—Normal Winter temperatures in practically all parts of the country east of the Rocky Mountains and temperatures slightly above normal on the Pacific Slope are indicated for the coming week, according to the Weekly Bureau bulletin, issued today.

"The precipitation during the week," says the bulletin, "will be generally below normal, except in the Pacific States where rains will be frequent. The next disturbance of importance to cross the country will appear in the far West, about Wednesday, cross the middle West Thursday or Friday and the Eastern States at the end of the week, this disturbance will be preceded by rising temperature and be attended by general snows in Northern and rains in Southern States. It will be followed by decidedly colder weather which will make its appearance in the Northwest about Thursday."

Senate Substitutes Webb's For Kenyon's Anti Liquor Bill.

Washington, Feb. 10.—The senate tonight passed the Webb liquor bill already passed by the house as a substitute for the Kenyon-Sheppard bill.

The Webb bill would prohibit shipments of intoxicating liquors from one state to another when intended to be received or sold in violation of the law of the state to which the shipment is made.

Friends of the legislation now will seek to have the house concur in the senate bill, which differs from the bill passed by the house only in number. Should that be done the bills will not be considered in conference, but the measure passed by the senate will go to the President for his signature.

The substitution of the Webb bill for the Kenyon-Sheppard bill came at the close of prolonged debate and was by viva voce vote, no roll call being demanded.

Grow 1 1/2 Bales Cotton Where Only 1 Grew Before

One to one-and-a-half and even two bales of cotton, or 60 to 90 bushels of corn per acre, require little more labor than smaller yields. Simply use liberally the right fertilizer or plant food to the acreage you plant, and cultivate the crop more thoroughly and often.

Virginia-Carolina High-Grade Fertilizers

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North Newton Property For Sale.

5-Room house on about half acre land with good well and orchard on road to Conover, known as the Henderson Marlow place, price \$900.00.

3-Room house on good lot adjoining lot of Poly Deal, \$650.00.

3-Room house on small lot adjoining the first described lot, price \$550.00.

The three houses described above are owned by Mr. W. H. Marlow and listed with us for sale, we will sell the three together or each one separately as may be desired; this property is near the Ridgeview Hosiery Mill and is in a good neighborhood.

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We challenge anyone to produce a better value than the Norris & Hyde piano or player-piano. We do not claim to build the best piano, such a claim at the price of \$300 would be absurd, we do claim, and our pianos prove, that we lead the world in a \$500 value.

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The actions are of a high grade repeating type. I have used the Norris & Hyde piano, sold by Mr. John Barringer. I consider it a splendid instrument as it has given splendid satisfaction. Anyone thinking of purchasing a piano would do well to consult Mr. Barringer before buying. Mrs. Geo. E. Mennen, Catawba county, N. C.

John B. Barringer, Agent.

Phone lines from Newton and Claremont.

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Valuable Farm for Sale at AUCTION.

For division among the heirs of this part of the estate B. S. A. Aderholt, deceased, we will sell at public auction on the premises 1-14 miles South of Crouse Station in Gaston county, the home tract known as the John Aderholt place

Saturday, March 1st, 1913

at one o'clock p. m. The whole tract contains 123 9-10 acres. It has been subdivided into 4 tracts ranging from 23 3-4 acres to 39 acres which will be sold separately, and then as a whole and the sale will be left open 20 days for final bids to be bettered, and if bettered as much as 10 per cent on the whole, it will be readvertised and sold, the highest bid then will be final.

This farm is well located 1-14 miles from S. A. L. Railroad and high school at Crouse Station. Churches convenient. Best watered farm in the country anywhere, each tract as divided has fine spring and branch, plenty of timber. Tracts number 1 and 4 are nearly all timbered with fine oak and hickory timber, tracts number 2 and 3 are nearly level and free from rock, all the land is red subsoil and easily improved. It is considered the most ideal farm in this part of the country. If you are at all interested in farm lands be sure to attend this sale. Now is the time to buy real estate as it is going higher each year. Remember the date March 1st at 1 o'clock rain or shine. We offer terms that are in reach of all, as follows: 1-3 cash on day of sale, 1-3 in 12 months, 1-3 two years with interest at 6 per cent from date payable semi-annually deferred payments, secured by approved security and deed withheld until paid in full.

Prospective purchasers will be shown over the land by Ed Keep who lives on the farm or by M. L. or J. D. Rudisill who live on adjoining farms and above parties will show plats of the land. For further information address the undersigned at Henry River, North Carolina.

D. W. Aderholt M. E. Rudisill AGENTS.

Gardening Time

It is time to start gardening, and we have fresh seed of every vegetable that grows in this section. Our shelves are full of canned goods just received and candies right from the candy factories. For amounts under 11 pounds our country customers can write us or phone at any hour in the day and their goods delivered by Parcels Post the next morning. Town customers are supplied by our delivery wagons as soon as orders are received. Call on us for anything in the grocery line.

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I have decided since Jan. 1st 1913 to change the name of my business the Newton Grocery Co, and run it in the name of F. E. Yount (or better known as Bud Yount), and I take this opportunity to thank my customers for their past patronage and hope to continue same. And I'm sure there is no one who will appreciate your trade more than I. I will carry a full line of heavy and fancy groceries, fresh meats of all kinds, fresh fish and oysters. Our prices are always right. all and see us at phone 43 for quick service and prompt delivery.

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