

DEVOUCES ACTION

J. A. Lockhart Assails Commission in Annville Depot Case.

CHARGES LACK OF ABILITY

Historical Attacks on the Case, Declaring that They are in the Hands of the State.

He charged that the commission holds that it has no power in the case and can do only what the railroad is willing to let be done.

RESIDENCE ENLARGED

The residence of Mr. E. E. Hodges on Market street, occupied by Mr. Thomas Lewis and family, is being enlarged and otherwise improved.

MAKING CONNECTIONS

The Washington Light and Water Company are engaged in making water and gas connections with all the residences on the streets where paving is to be done.

TOWN LIVELY

The present week has been a most strenuous one in Washington. The monotony of dull times was brushed aside for the time being by the carnival, the tent show and baseball games.

BRANCH STORE

The Union Grocery Company have opened a branch grocery store in the Rodman building on Market street.

TO BED PATIENT

Dr. Jack Nicholson was carried to Hounds Creek yesterday on the gasboat Red Wing to see a patient.

EARLY SHOPPERS

Tonight will get the plums of the special offerings. It is simply a matter of making money by saving it. Store closes promptly at 10:45 P. M. Come early and have a plenty of time. See the special offerings advertised in yesterday's paper.

James E. Clark & Co.

THE MIDDLE WEST

No Forest Fires, No Stumps, No Cuts, No One-House School Buildings.

In a recent article in the Progressive Farmer, Mr. Clarence Fox described a Western trip by mentioning some things which he did not see.

I said I saw no stumps in the fields. Having just made a trip through six Southern States this fact impressed me especially.

I said that I saw no farms on the prairie. With the increasing prosperity of the South there is no reason why we should not have the same beautiful farm homes one sees in Wisconsin and Illinois.

I said that I saw no one-room school houses. And when I say this I mean also that I saw nothing of that indifferent to public education of which the one-room school house is an index.

I said that I saw no farms without live stock. Dr. Butler has already pointed out that the average farm worker in Alabama, Louisiana and Mississippi gets only \$12 a year from the sale of live stock.

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humus and fertility there is in them. "The farmers around here say that it takes two or three years to recover from the loss of burning a crop of corn stalks," so a thoughtful citizen told me, and I could not but contrast the careful economy of these farmers with the wastefulness of the South.

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PATNETIC MISSION

Young Mother Kills Infant and Herself.

DON'T MOURN FOR ME

Mrs. Jennie Hodgson Killed Her Little One Dead in Her Arms.

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LOCAL TALENT

Will Assist Prof. Freeman at the Performing Organ Recital at the M. E. Church.

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BOTH MEN READY

Everything Arranged for Big Bout Monday.

HEAVY TRAINING CEASED

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INSTALLATION

The Newly Elected Officers of the Masonic Fraternity Installed Last Night.

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S. AND C. CLUB

The Female Fraternity of the City Are Making Their Mark.

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GAIETY TO REOPEN

The Gaiety to Open Monday—A. P. Barnes to be Manager and Piano Player.

Messrs. Aronson & Browne wish to announce that the Gaiety will open Monday with one of the best picture programs shown in Washington and will give an extra attraction as a Fourth of July offering.

The Gaiety will be in charge of Mr. A. P. Barnes, who is considered the best moving picture piano player in North Carolina.

Polley of the Gaiety will be strictly first-class pictures and illustrated songs, no vaudeville.

ORCHESTRA RETURNS. The Forbes orchestra returned yesterday from Hamilton, N. C., where they furnished the music for a dance at that place Thursday evening.

PUBLIC INVITED. The Street Commissioner invites the editor of the Daily News and the public to inspect the work he is doing.

RESOLUTION. RESOLVED, by the Democrats of Desford county in convention assembled, that in consideration of his faithful and untiring efforts in behalf of his constituents and of the First Congressional district, Hon. Jno. H. Small is endorsed for re-election as a member of Congress and the vote of this county shall be cast for his re-nomination.

HAS FEVER. The many friends of Pollockman J. A. Dudley will regret to learn that his little girl, Miss May, is very ill with epidemic fever.

The Democratic County Convention Largely Attended

The convention was called to order by W. C. Rodman, chairman, who in a few words explained why the convention was called on Saturday.

The convention meets on the same day in each county of the State, and it is done to save all candidates unnecessary expense and that one county may not be influenced by the vote of another.

Geo. L. Swindell was called to the chair as temporary chairman of the meeting. He was escorted to the chair by Messrs. Harry McMullan and Jao. H. Jonner.

W. K. Jacobson, J. L. Mayo and Harry McMullan were requested to act as temporary secretaries.

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BASEBALL TODAY

The Western Bloomer Girls baseball club have arrived in the city and are playing the Washington team.

There will be another game here Monday, July 4, between the Swan Quarter team and the Washington boys.

Maud Nelson, the famous lady pitcher, was in the box for the Bloomer Girls this afternoon and the Indian did the twirling for Washington.

Mr. M. M. Jones is erecting a neat and attractive residence on North Market street, Nicholsonville.

It is no exaggeration to say that Elektra, to be shown at the Gem tonight will give the patrons an opportunity to see the greatest motion picture ever exhibited here.

Volcanic Eruption of Mt. Aetna, a striking photographic film bringing the scenes of destruction and devastation very close.

The Rival Miner is a pretty love story by the Urban Pellips company.

HOTEL OPENED

The new and commodious hotel at Pamlico Beach opened today for the summer months.

Mr. J. B. Whitehurst, one of Aurora's best business men, has charge of this hotel, and he promises the people that they will get the best of service.

Dr. P. A. Nicholson has been making improvements to the interior of his office in the way of paint, etc.

There are quite a large number of citizens from different sections of the county in town today in attendance on the County Convention.

The ordinance forbidding the shooting of guns, cannon crackers, roman candles and other explosives, will be enforced.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS. J. K. Hoyt—Laws. Jas. E. Clark Co.—Special Sale. Wm. Bragaw & Co.—Accident Insurance. W. Credle & Co.—Pancake Flour. Pamlico Beach Hotel. Gem Theater. Bloodline. Doan's Kidney Pills. Cardul. Parisian Sage.

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NATIONAL EDUCATIONAL ASSOCIATION

Superintendent of City Schools N. C. Newbold, and County Superintendent W. L. Vaughan, left today for Boston, Mass., to attend a meeting of the National Educational Association.

Mr. W. A. G. Cahoon, manager of the hotel at Columbia, N. C., spent yesterday in the city and returned to his home today.

Rev. J. A. Sullivan, pastor Sunday school at 9:45 a. m., Mr. S. Willis, superintendent. Morning worship at 11 a. m., sermon subject "Faithful and Deceitful." Evening worship at 8 p. m., sermon subject "He Died for Me." Ladies' Aid Society meets on Tuesday afternoon at 5 o'clock.

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