

Asheboro, N. C., Feb. 24, 1910.

Local and Personal.

Mr. H. M. Robbins returned from a trip to Charlotte last Monday.

Mr. R. C. Causey, of Level Cross, was in Asheboro on business last Friday.

Miss Ila Blue, one of the teachers in the graded school visited at Aberdeen last Saturday.

Rev. J. A. Sharpe, of Farmer, was in town Monday night, the guest of Rev. C. A. Wood.

Mrs. Herbert E. Moffitt and children are visiting the family of Dr. Moffitt at Elon College.

Miss Maggie Lee Erwin was the guest of Mrs. T. E. Marshall, of Randleman, Saturday.

Mr. Joe Brady, of this county, has moved his family to the Revolution cotton mills near Greensboro.

Mr. J. A. Holder and Mrs. Holder have been quite ill of pneumonia at their home on Sunsee Avenue.

Zeb Smith, the expert pipe fitter, who fell dead in a near beer saloon at Durham recently, was from Siler City.

A phone message to The Courier says that Mrs. Temperance Sags, who has been quite ill, does not improve.

Charles Finch, a prominent furniture man of Thomasville, was in Asheboro Tuesday.

Mr. Joe Deason has returned to his home in Ramseur after a visit to Greensboro.

Miss Mabel Blackberry returned to her home at Linberry last Friday after a week's visit to friends in Greensboro.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. M. Fox returned Sunday from Randleman, where they visited Mr. Fox's mother who is quite ill.

Washington's birthday was celebrated by the pupils of the six grade in the graded school auditorium Tuesday morning.

Rev. W. E. Swain, of Asheboro, president of the North M. P. Conference, preached at the M. P. church at Siler City last Tuesday night.

Dr. William Dicks died at his home in Walkerton, February 18th. Dr. Dicks was a son of Mr. James Dicks, of Randleman, and a brother of the late R. P. Dicks of Randleman.

Messlame H. M. Worth and Allie H. Worth, Misses Alice Atkinson, Nannie Bulla and Edwina Daniel, Mr. J. A. Spence and Alexander Worth were house guests of Mr. J. E. Williamson at Worthville, several days of last week.

Prof. E. J. Coltrane and Mr. Ferree Ross spent Saturday and Sunday at Why Not where they attended a teachers' meeting, and on Sunday presented the Laymen's movement to the congregation at Why Not.

Mrs. A. C. McAllister and Miss May McAllister went to Salisbury Saturday where they will remain with Mr. John McAllister, who on Monday underwent an operation for appendicitis, at the Whitehead Stokes Sanitarium.

Mr. W. C. Vestal, who has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Vestal near Asheboro, has returned to his run on the Seaboard Air Line. He has been located at Hamlet. He now goes to Raleigh where he will run as flagman from Raleigh to Monroe.

The Womens' Missionary Union of the Sandy Creek Association will meet at Siler City tomorrow and will remain in session three days. A program of great interest has been prepared, a special feature of which is an address by Rev. H. C. Moore, editor of the Biblical Recorder.

Messrs. Hendrix Skeen and H. C. Moffitt, who have been doing a mercantile business at Farmer, have decided to remove their stock of goods to Biscoe. Randolph regrets to lose them, as they are good citizens, but wishes for them an abundant measure of success in their new home.

The Trade Journal for February, a Lynchburg publication, has a picture of our old friend, June Stroud, in its last issue, and says some mighty nice things about him. Mr. Stroud is now with the Craddock-Terry Shoe Company, of Lynchburg, and according to the Journal sold nearly a quarter of a million dollars worth of shoes in 1909.

Mrs. Rachel Ingram, an aged widow lady living alone near Mr. W. A. Underwood's in the eastern part of town, was found unconscious in her home last Saturday morning and her condition has been critical since. Owing to her advanced age grave fears are entertained as to her recovery. As we go to press we learn Mrs. Ingram is very much improved.

Mr. H. E. Cover is in New York on a business trip.

Capt. Conroy made a trip to Thomasville Tuesday.

The infant of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Penn is recovering from pneumonia.

Mrs. Annie Robbins is visiting Mrs. B. Erank Page in Greensboro.

Mr. Elmer Byrd, of Kemps Mills, was a business visitor in Asheboro Saturday.

The Randolph Book Club will meet with Mrs. Thomas Redding Friday, February 25th.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Hammer in Asheboro February 22 an infant son.

Miss Ruby Cagle, of Why Not, has accepted a position as clerk for Mr. W. H. Presnell at Biscoe.

Miss Ila Brown, post mistress at Biscoe, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Hendrix Skeen at Farmer this week.

Mr. Smith, of Winston, was in Asheboro yesterday installing a business phonograph for The Courier.

Miss Stella Cagle, who has been in Asheboro for some time, has returned to her home at Sulphur Springs.

Mr. E. G. Morris, who has been ill and confined to his room for several days, is able to be out, looking after his business.

Mrs. E. E. Mendenhall, of Greensboro, arrived in Asheboro yesterday on a visit to her sister, Mrs. M. H. Allied, and other relatives.

Mr. Dock Frazer, who went to Hamlet some weeks ago to visit his daughter at that place, returned home Tuesday night.

Carson Boring and Jethro Amman, of the northern part of the county, are in Montgomery county engaged in getting out crickets.

Shirley McKinnis, of Troy, Rev. D. D. Baily, of Lenoirburg and Mr. T. N. Harris, of Troy, were guests at Hotel Armstrong Tuesday night.

The infant of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Johnson has recovered from an attack of pneumonia. Other members of the family are also recovering.

Miss Ila Brown was in town Saturday enroute to see her sister at Farmer. She will visit friends at Ramseur before resuming her work at Biscoe.

Mr. Kolah Dickens, who is with the Morris-Scarboro-Moffitt Co. will move his mother and sister here today. They will occupy a house in West Asheboro.

Mr. Walter F. Kanoy, of High Point, was married Tuesday afternoon to Miss Mona Davis at her home in Central Falls, Esq. James Neighbors performing the ceremony.

Maggie Lane a respectable colored woman living in South Asheboro with her brother, Charles Lane, died recently and was buried at the old home near Cedar Falls.

Mr. Stephen White, of Greensboro, had a slight stroke of paralysis last Sunday. Mr. White lived for a number of years at Trinity and has many friends in that section.

Messrs. W. J. Miller and W. J. Scarborough have returned from Broadway, Moore county, where they went to look after their lumber interests at that place.

Mrs. Shube Laughlin, who has been on an extended visit to her sister, Mrs. Seth Laughlin, and her father, Mr. Nathan Hinshaw, returned to her home at Broadway Tuesday.

The patrons of the rural routes should not only stamp their letters and packages, but they should also help the carriers and the public as well by filling up the mud holes and washouts and keep the roads in better condition.

The second quarterly conference for the Uwharrie circuit will be held at Lebanon Sunday and Monday, March 6th and 7th. The Rev. W. R. Ware, presiding elder, will preach Sunday at 3 p. m., and the conference will be held Monday at 11 a. m.

A letter from a correspondent whose name is not attached, living on Randleman R. F. D. No. 2, says that the public school at Cedar Falls closed two weeks earlier than was expected, and that Mr. Colbert Bonkemeyer has recovered from an attack of measles, and that Mr. J. M. Trogdon is improving from his recent illness.

A Greensboro dispatch says: Mrs. A. W. McAllister, who has been suffering for a week with appendicitis, was taken to Salisbury last night to undergo an operation in a hospital there. She was accompanied to Salisbury by Mr. McAllister, whose brother, Mr. T. Gilmer McAllister, of Asheboro, underwent an operation for appendicitis there yesterday and who is reported to be resting fairly well today. Mrs. McAllister underwent the operation last night and is reported to be resting easy today.

Dr. Hunter made a trip to Staley last week to investigate the reported smallpox cases there. He found the cases to be Chicken pox.

Miss Leonora Bray, a teacher in the Marlboro public school in New Market township, was a visitor at Sheriff Hayworth's last Saturday.

Mr. Elwood Rush has moved to Asheboro from Oklahama, and he and Mr. A. J. Thurber will develop the Rush mine in Union township.

Do not forget when in Asheboro, to call at the Courier business office, now moved up town next door west of the Law Building.

Mr. D. B. McCrary, W. C. Hammond and Wiley Ward are representing the Asheboro Junior Order at the State Council in Greensboro this week.

Rev. T. M. Johnson, pastor of the Asheboro M. P. church, and Rev. Mr. Hatley, pastor of Richland M. P. church, circuit are both confined with severe colds.

Mr. Percy Bostick, of Randleman, has a position at Cranford Bros. store. He takes the position made vacant by the resignation of Mr. E. B. Winslow, who has gone to Guilford College.

Miss Lizzie Bunch, who has been in school at the State Normal at Greensboro, came home Friday because of sickness. She expects to remain at home until her health improves when she will return.

Mrs. David Fogleman died at her home in New Salem last Monday night. Mr. Anderson Smith, who is a son-in-law of Mrs. Fogleman, and his family went up to the funeral Tuesday. The Courier is unable to learn where Mrs. Fogleman was buried.

Mrs. E. R. McClide, who was for so many years the efficient and popular postmistress at Asheboro, has for several months been in bad health at her home on Wannam avenue. Her many friends in Asheboro and elsewhere will be glad to learn that she has almost entirely recovered her usual good health.

Mr. W. C. Vestal, whose home is now in Raleigh, was married Sunday evening to Miss Lillie Buis at the home of the bride's parents in Franklinville. Mr. Vestal is a son of Mr. E. F. Vestal, and has many friends in Asheboro. Miss Buis is an accomplished young lady and, we believe, is a grand daughter of the late Sheriff Steed.

Mrs. Craven, wife of Jerry Craven, died at her home in Pleasant Grove township on February 18, aged 45 or 50 years. She died of paralysis. She was stricken only three days before her death. She was the second wife of Mr. Craven. Her maiden name was Miller and was a native of Montgomery county. She was a good woman and her many virtues were highly appreciated by those who knew her.

The Jackson Club. The Jackson club of Asheboro has been incorporated. The club will really be a Chamber of Commerce with social features. The membership is limited to one hundred. There is no capital stock. The funds to be used are to be raised by mutual agreement. A fee of ten dollars will be charged as a membership fee.

There is not a merchant, not a real estate dealer, not a manufacturer, nor a professional man who cannot afford to pay ten dollars to help maintain this organization to aid the town in its growth and prosperity, and give enough time and thought to it to see that it does business along practical lines. Every man who wants to see Asheboro have an organization to help it grow should think this matter over and give an encouragement to the enterprise.

The club will occupy the four rooms in the second story of the law building.

Change at the Laundry. Mr. Seth W. Laughlin has resigned as secretary and treasurer of the Asheboro Steam Laundry and Mr. J. A. Holder has been elected to succeed him. Mr. Holder will devote his entire time to the management of the business. Mr. L. E. Miller is to devote his entire time to the superintendency of the work in the laundry. Mr. Miller has been devoting a part of his time to the business on the outside.

This change will enable Mr. Miller to improve the quality of the work and give prompt and better service. The public will do well to patronize this new enterprise in Asheboro. It gives most satisfactory service.

\$100 Reward \$100. The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer one hundred dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Sent for by mail.

Write for Book of Testimonials. Ad dress: F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by Druggists. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Warning to Corporations.

Attention is called to the provisions of Section 38 of the Act of August 5, 1909, requiring corporations, joint stock companies, associations and insurance companies subject to the Special Excise Taxes therein imposed, to make returns to the Collector of their gross and net incomes for the Calendar Year 1909, on or before the 1st day of March, 1910; and to the penalties imposed by the 8th paragraph of said Section 38 for neglect or refusal to render such returns, or for rendering a false and fraudulent return. These returns but a few days in which to render the required returns in order to escape the penalty which is from one to ten thousand dollars fine, or one thousand dollars and one year imprisonment. It is not the desire of this department that any organization in the district shall be penalized for failure to comply with the Statute, and persistent efforts have been made to supply every incorporated concern with a copy of the law and one or more blank returns to fit the business carried on; and any who have failed to receive them will be supplied upon application to this office. Failure to receive the blanks will not justify a failure to make the return within the prescribed time, nor relieve the corporation or company from the penalties prescribed for such failure.

The first of March is near and after that date envelopes in which returns are transmitted are to be preserved as evidence.

WHEELER MARTIN, Collector.

Clark's Report.

The following report of the committee appointed by the board of commissioners should follow after the Clerk's report on another page: "We have had the within report examined and compared with the books in the Clerk's office and it is found to be correct, subject to the corrections endorsed thereon."

"This 8th day of February, 1910." Ordered to be published one time and recorded.

J. W. Cox, Chairman Board.

New Business Firm.

The McDowell Live Stock Company has purchased the harness business of S. C. Right and moved to upstairs in the rear part of the McDowell building on Trade street. The new firm has secured the services of Mr. J. A. Kirkman, an experienced harness maker to take charge of the making and repairing department. Mr. Right has returned to his former home at Winston.

Pay Your Taxes.

Sheriff Hayworth has decided to make another round to accommodate the people. He asks everyone to meet him promptly and pay his taxes. Read his notice elsewhere.

There is a deputy in his office every day, to whom taxes may be paid. When in town call where every one will receive polite and courteous treatment.

New Restaurant.

Mr. W. F. Wimpy, a son of Mrs. A. J. Thurber came to Asheboro from Indiana and has opened a restaurant and eating house on North Steet. Mr. Wimpy is most favorably impressed with Asheboro and likes the push and hustle of the town.

Chicken Pox in County.

The Courier saw Dr. J. V. Hunter, County Superintendent of Health yesterday. He says there is no smallpox in Randolph, but there are in Asheboro and elsewhere a number of cases of Chicken pox.

A Frightful Wreck.

of info, automobile or buggy may cause cuts, bruises, abrasions, sprains or wounds that demand Buckhorn's Antiseptic. It's worth the greatest healer. Quick relief and prompt cure results. For burns, boils, sores of all kinds, eczema, chapped hands and lips, sore eyes or corns, it's someone. Surest pain cure. 25c at J. T. Underwood's, next to Bank of Randolph.

Wood's Early Ohio Seed Potatoes

are being planted in increasing quantities each year by the largest and most successful market-growers. This variety makes uniformly large sized potatoes, of excellent shipping, market and table qualities, and is proving to be one of the most profitable and reliable of early-cropping potatoes.

We are headquarters for the best Maine-grown Seed Second Crop Northern-grown Potatoes

Wood's 30th Annual Seed Book gives full descriptions and information, with the highest testimonials from successful growers as to the superiority of Wood's Seed Potatoes. Write for prices and Wood's Seed Book, which will be mailed free on request. T. W. WOOD & SONS, Seedsmen, - Richmond, Va.

Ringling the Bell.

The most serious matter with most of us is the increased cost of living.

"Touching this matter the Raleigh News and Observer says: 'The vital and pressing question that touches us most nearly is the increased cost of living. It is generally supposed that the farmer is being in other respects of high price, but this is a mistake. He is better off than town people if he had produce to sell, but his money crops are not as high as the things he has to buy. Cotton is higher, but so are mules and all supplies. Tobacco is low, but what the tobacco farmer must buy is high.'

And of the various causes contributing to the increased cost of living the high tariff is the chief cause. Governor Kitchen in a recent interview rang true when he told a reporter there were other causes but the tariff was the principal reason for the high prices.

If You Are a Trifle Sensitive

About the size of your shoes, it's some satisfaction to know that many people can wear shoes a size smaller by shaking Allen's Foot-Ease, the antiseptic powder, into them. Just the thing for Itching Feet, Patent Leather Shoes, and for Breaking in New Shoes. When rubbers or oxfords become necessary and your shoes pinch, Allen's Foot-Ease gives instant relief. Sold everywhere, 25c. Sample FREE. Address, Allen S. Ginstel, Le Roy, N. Y. Don't accept any substitute.

DR. W. H. WAKEFIELD

of Charlotte, will be in Asheboro at Central Hotel Wednesday, March 16th, one day only. His practice is limited to the medical and surgical treatment of the Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat and Fitting Glasses.

Sale of Stock of Goods.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned will receive sealed bids for the stock of goods of Maness-Hix Company at Biscoe, N. C., until March 5, 1910. Certified check in the sum of \$100 must accompany each bid, and all bids will be received subject to confirmation by the court. Any person desiring further information or wishing to inspect this stock of goods will communicate with the undersigned.

JAMES T. WOOD, Receiver of Maness-Hix Co., Asheboro, N. C.

FOR SALE.

I have several bushels of the famous Bluff's seven ear seed corn for sale at \$2.50 per bushel. This is one of the biggest yielding varieties of corn known. I have also a few bushels of the famous Little King cotton seed at one dollar per bushel. These seeds are carefully selected. Address: E. S. Millaps, statesville, N. C. 2-16-10

\$200 REWARD.

I will pay the above reward for the return of my son, Martin Luther, who disappeared from his home on November 11, 1909. Described: 17 years old, height 5 feet, 1 or 2 inches, weight about 90 lbs., light red hair, brown eyes, freckled, wears No. 8 shoe, feet slightly deformed. Address: MRS. AMY LUTHER, Lenoir, N. C.

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To introduce our very complete Spring line of beautiful wool suitings, wash fabrics, fancy waistings, silks, etc., hdks, lace and petticoats. All up to date N. Y. City Patterns. Finest line on the market. Posting direct with the mill, our prices low. Profits, \$10.00 to \$20.00 weekly. Samples and full instructions packed in a neat sample case, shipped express prepaid. No money required. Exclusive territory. Write for particulars. Be first to apply. Standard Dress Goods Co., Dept. E. T. Binghamton, N. Y.

Sale of Mules, Wagons and Harness.

The mules, in number, and the wagons and harness now being used by the County Sheriff's Office, will be sold at public auction, at the Court House door in Asheboro, N. C., at 12 o'clock, noon, on the first Monday in March, 1910, the same being the 7th day of said month.

No notice could be given that there have been offered for sale in Randolph county, and all persons in need of fine mules will do well to attend this sale. By order of the Board: George T. Mordock, Register of Deeds. J. W. Cox, Chairman.

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Ask No. 44

CABBAGE PLANTS BY MAIL

What time will the clock stop? We pay postage on each plant returned by mail. We make a specialty of early maturing plants, and acclimated to North Carolina conditions. We have a large stock of plants in our greenhouse. Low prices. Write for particulars. UNION PLANT CO., - - Marshall, N. C.