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#### Sylvan Valley News

MINER & BREESE, Editors and Proprietors.

Friday Morning, June 5, 1903.

Town and County Items.

J. J. Heelan of Sapphire was in town on Tuesday.

Walter Wood is at home for the summer. He is a student at the University.

W. W. Harkins has accepted a position with the Laurel Valley Saloon in Asheville.

Be sure and attend the concert given to aid the Base Ball Club. It will be a treat and also help the club.

The gardeners who have been wanting rain should be satisfied for the present, as showers have been more than plentiful.

Miss May McMinn has returned home from Salem where she graduated from the Salem Female Academy with high honors.

Mrs. R. M. DeVane, mother of tinez Pure Paints whenever they Frank L. DeVane, returned from s lengthy trip to the eastern part of

The Methodist Sunday schools of paint if not satisfactory. The paint Brevard and Hendersonville will picnic together at Davidson River on Tuesday, June 9th. A general good time is anticipated.

> The visit of Sam L. Rogers here will be of great value to the tax assessors, and it is their duty to attend and learn what the law is on the subject of valuing property. This is a most important question and requires close attention and study.

> From the amount of energy displayed and interest taken we feel assured of a good base ball team for Brevard this summer. The park has been leased for five years and will be fenced in and a grand stand and other buildings erected at once.

The News welcomes to its columns this week a new contributor from Broad Valley. May the "snowball" which has started in June keep rolling throughout the year, It's refreshing te know that a writer could ball park will offer an opportuthink of so cool a pseudonym this nity for advertising signs which hot weather,

town marshal of Brevard, has been "Sunny Jim" and "Pettijohn" elected a policeman in Asheville. No better man could have been secured for the position, as Mr. Soirells possesses coolness and courage and made a model officer while he held the position here.

Our county commissioners are showing a commendable spirit of progression and a desire and intention to build up the county in many ways. The new iron bridge at Penrose is a needed improvement, as is also the water in the court house and watering trough at the jail.

This is one of the best sections of the country. The papers are always full of fires, flood or drought in other parts of the world, and we have none of them here. There may not be quite as much money here as in some other sections, but we have many other benefits which more than recompense us for its scarcity.

"The Architects of Fortune" will be the subject of the lecture to be delivered at the court house on Tuesday night, June 16th, by Rev. J. E. Abernethy, under the auspices of the Knights of King Arthur. Mr. Abernethy is one of the most gifted and eloquent young men in the Western North Carolina Conference, and his lecture will be both instructive and interesting.

John C. Deaver has commenced on the lands of T. T. Patton, near the plant of the Brevard Tannin Co. He expects to complete the work as rapidly as workmen can do it. When finished it will be filled with an up-to-date stock of goods, in the ownership of which young Ed Patton will be associated with him. These young men are well known in the Davidson river section and we ing trough can be found in the predict for them a large and growing jail lot where stock can be wabusiness.

#### BASE HITS.

Fred Miller, Walter Wood and Will Patton are home for vacation. They are all lovers of base ball and good players, too. Fred is in the pink of condition, having constant practice this spring.

It is up to our local players to get out at every opportunity for "limbering up" exercise. Most of the out of town men will be in training and fit to play a hard game the day after they arrive. It therefore behooves our local players to get into shape to keep their end up. We don't want to hear of a lame arm or a weak muscle after June 15th.

Walter Orr will use a bat specially made to suit his size and needs. It won't be necessary to have it six feet long nor big around as a barrel, either, to enable the big first baseman to "line 'em out." His improvement in this respect last season was remarkable, showing the good results which come from practice.

The Asheville boys are reported to be organizing a team for the special purpose of beating Brevard. Perhaps they can do it. but it's very doubtful. They won their games last season by a very narrow margin, and in view of the greatly strengthened and well organized team which Brevard will have this summer the score at the end of the ninth inning is likely to be the other

The directors of the Ball Club will be wise if they provide ample seating arrangements at the park for the excursionists who will probably come to Brevard with visiting teams. Also the fact that we have a good ball team here will influence many who enjoy the game to spend the summer here.

The big fence around the baseour wide:awake merchants will L. F. Sorrells, who was formerly be quick to take advantage of. will be there, we doubt not, with all the rest of the vast collection of breakfast foods.

> There is a strong possibility that a certain famous left handed college pitcher will wear a Brevard uniform this summer. Lefthanded pitching puzzles the batters quite as much as left-handed batting worries the pitchers.

Mack Rhodes has formally agreed to play with Brevard this season. Mack is a player of the first order, and at all times will be a tower of strength to the

#### County Commissioners.

The regular meeting of the was held on Monday. Considerable business was transacted. A finance committee was ap pointed consisting of W. P. Whitmire, J. A. Galloway and G. T. Lyday. H. P. Moore was appointed tax assessor in Little River township. On Thursday next the commissioners will meet at the site of the old Shuford bridge, near Penrose, to let the contract for the erection at that point of an iron bridge the erection of a new store building across the French Broad river. A petition was presented signed by most of the prominent people of the upper part of the county asking that some kind of bridge be built across Catheys creek. The commissioners also considered putting water into the court house at an early date. A water-

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#### SUMMER SCHEDULE

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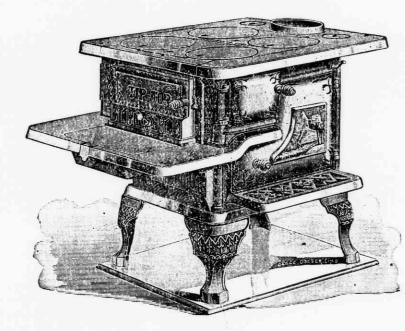
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