

Sylvan Valley News

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Town and County Items.

No one who receives this paper need refuse to take it from the office—it is paid for. There will be no bills for subscriptions sent out until the time paid for has expired, and the time to which you are paid is marked on the label.

Mrs. T. S. Wood is rapidly regaining her health and will be up in a few days.

Democrats, do not forget to attend your township primaries on Saturday, June 4th, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon.

Mrs. A. J. McDevitt of Walnut was called to the bedside of her son who is very sick of pneumonia at the residence of J. M. Kilpatrick.

The many friends of Miss Alice Spratt will regret to learn that she left for her home last week and will not return to Brevard for many months.

A general clean-up at Oak Grove cemetery will occur tomorrow, Saturday, May 28: All who have friends buried there are requested to come out and give their assistance.

Several members of the Brevard Fishing Club left on Wednesday for Canada to take a week's fish. Among the number were Lloyd Allen, Van Whitmire, Joe Clayton and John Duckworth.

We are requested to announce that all who have friends and relatives buried at Davidson River cemetery are urged to meet there on Saturday, June 4, to help in clearing up the premises. "Many hands make light work," and it is hoped that all will respond.

Miss Mattie Neill has secured a free trip to the St. Louis exposition by getting subscribers for a magazine. She has been a persistent worker for several weeks, and has added nearly 300 names to the subscription list of the magazine. The News extends congratulations for her good fortune.

The Rev. Mr. Chapman will officiate at St. Philips on Sunday next, the 29th, Trinity Sunday. Litany and holy communion with sermon at 11. Subject, "The Holy Trinity." It is earnestly requested that all envelopes for district missions be brought in next Sunday so that a full report can be sent to the treasurer next week. Sunday school at 4. Evensong on Friday at 5.

We had intended to call the attention of the taxpayers of Brevard to the town statement last week, but owing to stress of business had to postpone it until this week. We notice that every cent of last year's taxes have been collected by our efficient tax collector, J. A. Bryson, with one exception, and that one is insolvent. This is a condition that has never existed here before, as our taxes have always dragged over for several months after the fiscal year had expired. Then the general condition of the town has improved—there has been less rowdiness, less drunkenness than for years past, and the deterrent effect of a good wide awake officer is clearly felt. It is impossible, however, for any one to detect and find out all the crimes that are being committed unless the law-abiding citizens assist him; and sometimes men are heard condemning an officer for not stopping a certain nuisance, then when those making the complaint refuse to give the officer information that would lead to the arrest and conviction of the guilty parties. It is an officer's duty to ferret out all crimes and to prosecute all offenders, but it is also the duty of good citizens to assist in upholding the law and to aid the peace officers in every possible manner. In one more year's work like the past we predict that Brevard will be the banner town in the state for full and prompt tax collection and also for being a peaceable and law-abiding town.

Business Locals.

Notices in this column will be inserted at the price of cents per line.

Breakfast strips at 15 cts per lb at Cox & Osteen's.

Don't fail to read the ad of Carmichael & Osborne this week.

Chickens and eggs most always on hand. Carmichael & Osborne.

Go to Hawkins the jeweler for China-ware, Cut Glass, Watches, etc.

Wanted—To rent a piano for the summer. Leave information at the News office.

Everybody supplied with ice this summer. Get in your orders early. Jim Aiken. 5-13 3t

If you haven't one of our Stamp books it will pay you to call for it. Carmichael & Osborne.

For Sale—An up-to-date baby's go-cart; almost new; one-half cost. Enquire at this office. 5-20-2t

Look out for T. W. Whitmire's ad next week. There is going to be something doing "in the good old summer time."

Go to Weill's Cash Store if you want to see the largest stock of fine vici kid or patent leather shoes and oxfords just received. You can get them, too, without paying two or three profits.

Special sale of ready-made clothing at Whitmire's Saturday. I want to sell more than I did last Saturday, and that was a plenty. Listen, \$18 suits, Saturday only at \$16; \$16.50, \$14.75 and \$15 suits at \$12.75, \$12.50, \$10.75, \$10 and \$8.75. Come a-running.

A Free Round Trip Ticket to the World's Fair is being offered by C. H. Robinson & Co., 8 West Fifth st., Charlotte, N. C., to their agents. We will run a special car from Charlotte to St. Louis. We want 25 more new agents to join us in our work and secure this free trip. Write to-day.

Family Reunion.

The descendants of John and Jane Orr will hold a family reunion and basket picnic July 4th, at the old John Orr place, at the bend of the river near Bowman's Bluff, one mile from Etowah station. John and Jane Orr were among the earliest settlers, coming to this country in the days when the red man was troublesome. There were born to them 13 children, four of them are still living—Samuel, Joshua, Jason and Gideon, the youngest being now 75 years of age. All their descendants and the public generally are invited to come, bring their baskets and have a joyous time and a happy reunion. There will be the old-fashioned singing, for which the Orr family is noted. Many relics will be on exhibition, among them the old pioneer's wedding suit, which at this day and time is a veritable curiosity. Bring your Christian and southern harmonies with you and join in the singing.

(Hendersonville papers please copy.)

Mr. Bryan asks, "What is a dollar good for?" Perhaps his wicked partner who is running for the presidency could tell him.

The widow of General Logan has succeeded Miss Clara Barton as president of the Red Cross society. She will now probably profit by Miss Barton's experience and chalk it up on the door or somewhere else whenever she receives or pays out money.

It is reported that the residence of the late William C. Whitney in New York City has been sold for \$2,000,000—the highest price ever paid for a private dwelling in this country. The single taxers think it would be equitable and just that such a residence as this should be entirely untaxed!

Y. M. C. A. Excursion.

On last Friday the Asheville Y. M. C. A. ran an excursion from Asheville to Lake Toxaway and about 450 persons accompanied them. We have never seen any excursion that had a nicer class of people than this one. It was a representative gathering of Asheville's best citizens, and they were delighted with the trip. The lake was a revelation to most of them, as they had no idea that there was such a body of water within easy reach of Asheville.

The day was a typical Transylvania day—fair, clear and cool, with just enough breeze blowing to give the waters of the Lake a gentle swell. Not only was the crowd an exceptionally good one, but the refreshments were way above the average excursion grade; in fact it was the best excursion ever seen here, and the place was in fit keeping with the people.

There is no more pleasant and entertaining spot in Western North Carolina to have an excursion than to Lake Toxaway. It is the only place where one can get the happy combination of mountain and water, and the Lake, with its many boats and launches, offers a never-tiring source of amusement and pleasure to the excursionist.

The Toxaway Company had spared no trouble to make the visitors comfortable. A beautiful site overlooking the Lake had been built and boys furnished to supply the crowd with fresh spring water from a nearby spring.

The excursion was a complete success, and no accident or confusion of any kind arose during the entire trip to mar or spoil the pleasure, and we heard many express themselves as thinking it was the best excursion ever run out of Asheville in every respect.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Short announcements will be published under this heading until the conventions for '04.

SENATE—The many friends of W. E. Breeze, jr., desire to announce that his name will be presented to the Democratic Senatorial District convention as a candidate for the State Senate. No man in either county of the district is more competent to fill the office or will bring greater personal strength to the ticket.

MANY DEMOCRATS.

REPRESENTATIVE—The many friends of Hon. Thos. S. Wood will present his name to the Democratic county convention for nomination to the office of Representative in the State Legislature. He is familiar with the duties of the office, having served the county with ability and honor.

MANY VOTERS.

SHERIFF—I announce myself as a candidate for re-election to the office of Sheriff, subject to the action of the Democratic county convention to be called hereafter. If nominated I will do all in my power for the success of the entire ticket. J. C. KING.

SHERIFF—The friends of W. L. Aiken announce him as a candidate for Sheriff, subject to the Democratic nominating convention.

MANY VOTERS.

SHERIFF—At the request of many Democratic friends I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of Sheriff, subject to the Democratic convention to be held hereafter. This May 6th, 1904. Respectfully, C. C. KILPATRICK.

REGISTER OF DEEDS—I hereby announce myself as a candidate for Register of Deeds subject to the action of the Democratic county conventions to be called hereafter. FRED E. SHUFORD.

REGISTER OF DEEDS—I wish to say to the voters of Transylvania county that I am a candidate on the Democratic ticket for the office of Register of Deeds, subject to the action of the county convention. Respectfully, WALLACE GALLOWAY.

John D. Rockefeller is right in saying that the dollar should be made a slave; but if most of them are working for one man, he should not forget the duty and pleasure of emancipation.

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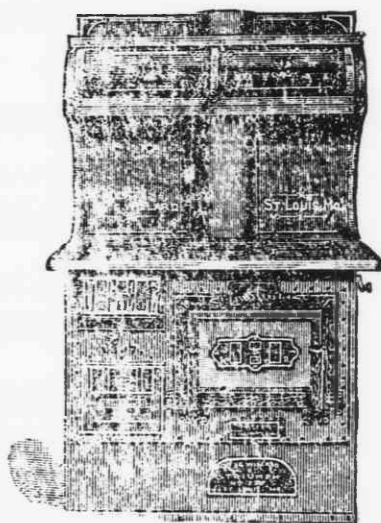
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A PAGE FROM HISTORY

AND IT CAME TO PASS that the people cried out in a loud voice, and the burden of their cry was "sore feet." The rulers and the rich men heeded not their cry, and because of the burden of their cry they did wax wroth and threaten the very existence of them who did fill the high places. That it might be fulfilled which was spoken by the prophet, saying: "The people will rise in their might against the men who shall cause corns and bunions to grow upon the feet of the multitude." Then arose a champion of the down-trodden; and he gathered in under his mighty influence those who had long suffered under the oppression of their masters, and he said unto them: "Behold, I bring you good tidings. What you have looked for, and what has been denied to you through the ignorance of those who have called themselves rulers and dictators of your comfort, I give unto you." And he did show them Horne's Gaiter. Whereupon they all did marvel and say, "Wonderful, wonderful. Thus are we delivered from our bondage." And they did agree among themselves, one with the other, that no other foot covering should be theirs, from that time henceforth and forever. For it is written "A man shall come among you who shall deliver you from pain in your feet and from those who would obtain a patent and control of your footsteps. He shall lead you from the land of suffering into the land of comfort; he shall bestow upon you convenience where you have had worry and vexation, and provide you with safety against surrounding danger. The name of Horne's Gaiter shall be known in the land, and the people shall call it blessed."

For Sale by JIM AIKEN.