

MRS. L. C. NANNEY PASSES SUDDENLY

Well Known Lady Buried at
Round Hill Baptist
Church

Union Mills, Aug. 21.—Mrs. Lawson C. Nanney died suddenly Monday morning, August 13, at her home near here. She had been in ill health for some time but was able to be up. Her death was a shock to the entire community about Union Mills.

Funeral services were held at Round Hill Baptist church Tuesday afternoon, August 14, with Revs. W. B. Craig, pastor, in charge, assisted by M. L. Buchanan, A. A. Walker, of Marion; D. J. Hunt of Nealsville and R. C. Smith of Cliffside. A large crowd attended. The pall-bearers were: Messrs. F. M. Nanney, A. D. Nanney, Hal Sherrill, J. B. Ketter, J. L. Koon, J. W. Bartles, G. W. Morgan and Howard Sherrill. The floral offerings were large and attractive.

Mrs. Nanney is survived by her husband, four children, Adam B. Nanney, Claude Y. Nanney, Mrs. Flay Hill and Miss Minnie Sue Nanney, all of Union Mills and two sisters, Mrs. M. V. Bartles of Union Mills and Mrs. Vance Johnson of Ruth. She was 59 years of age and was a devoted Christian, kind mother and a good neighbor. She was Miss Ella Keeter before her marriage.

CONTRACT LET FOR BUILDING SUNSHINE SCHOOL

Rutherfordton, Aug. 20.—The contract for the erection of the new Sunshine school building was let to Shytle and Barnes, of this place, at the meeting of the County Board of Education held here August 9. Their bid for the construction of the building was \$17,579.92. The plans call for five class rooms, auditorium with stage, library and office for superintendent.

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Bounties on Wild Animals

The recent news dispatches from Raleigh, announcing that the State Department of Conservation will shortly pay bounties for death of certain wild animals, recalls to mind the following law, passed by the General Assembly at Newbern in 1785. The law is interesting because of its odd provision for paying the bounties named. This law proved to be very unpopular, however, and was repealed January 6, 1787, while the assembly was in session in Tarboro: An Act for Destroying Wolves, Wildcats, Panthers, Bears, Crows, and Squirrels in the Several Counties Therein Mentioned.

Whereas the great increase of Wolves, wildcats, panthers, bears, crows and squirrels, in the counties herein mentioned, is found to be injurious and prejudicial to the inhabitants thereof:

1. Be it therefore enacted by the General Assembly of the State of North Carolina, and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same, that the several county courts of Carteret, Rutherford, New Hanover, Brunswick, Bladen, Rowan, Tyrrell, Rockingham, Wilkes, Hyde, Moore, Caswell, Onslow, Duplin, Sampson, Burke, Wake, Lincoln, Randolph, Mecklenburg, Surry and Davidson, in this State, are hereby authorised and respectively empowered when they may judge the same necessary, after the year one thousand seven hundred and eighty-five, to lay a tax on the inhabitants and taxable property of their said counties, to be collected by the public collectors and accounted for as the county tax, for the purpose of granting bounties to persons who shall kill or otherwise destroy any wolves, bears, panthers or wildcats in such counties, in such manner and in such proportion as by order of court shall be directed. Provided the bounty to be given for killing each

wolf shall not exceed twenty shillings, and for killing each wildcat shall not exceed three shillings. Provided such tax shall not exceed one shilling on each poll, and four pence on every hundred acres of land in one year.

II. And be it further Enacted by the authority aforesaid, That the several county courts before mentioned, shall have full power to apply the monies arising from said tax, for the purpose before mentioned, as they by order may direct; and that the surplus, if any, shall be applied towards defraying the contingent charges of the said county.

III. And be it further Enacted by the authority aforesaid, That every master or Mistress of a family, and overseer of a plantation when the master or mistress of a family does not reside in the same county, in the counties Montgomery, Burke, Warren, Franklin, Wake, Jones, Dobbs, New Hanover, Wilkes, Granville, Onslow, Caswell, Lincoln, Rutherford, Duplin, Sampson, Brunswick, Rowan, Mecklenburg, Tyrrell, Bladen, Richmond, and Surry, shall kill, or cause to be killed in every year, seven crows, or squirrels, for each taxable he or she shall inlist, under the penalty of forfeiting and paying four pence for every crow or squirrel, he or she shall neglect to kill or cause to be killed, to be recovered and applied as herein after directed. Provided always, That no constant residents in any of the towns in the counties in this act mentioned, shall be included in this act for their taxables in such town.

IV. And be it further Enacted by the authority aforesaid, That every master or mistress of a family, or overseer as aforesaid, on killing any crow or crows, squirrel or squirrels as aforesaid, shall produce the head of such crow or crows, and also the scalp or scalps of such squirrel or squirrels, to some justice of the peace, who whereupon shall give a certificate to such person or persons, mentioning the number of crows heads and squirrel scalps so produced, who on giving such certificates shall destroy or cause to be destroyed such heads or scalps in his presence.

And for the more effectually recovering the penalties as aforesaid: V. Be it Enacted by the authority aforesaid, That each and every of the collectors of the respective counties herein before mentioned, at the time of receiving the county taxes, shall demand of each and every person chargeable with taxes, such certificate for that year; and on neglect or refusal to produce the same or pay the penalties aforesaid, the collector shall and he is hereby empowered and directed to make distress in the State of such person or persons for penalties aforesaid, in the same manner as by law he is empowered to make distress for public taxes; and shall account for and pay the same in the same manner and under the same restrictions, and have the same allowances as for receiving county taxes; which penalties shall be applied towards defraying the county charges. (Passed December 29, 1785.)

MONTFORD COVE

Nealsville, R-1, Aug. 18.—The farmers are glad the rains and high waters have ceased. The crops are very much damaged and in places washed away.

Mr. J. P. Williams was carried to the Rutherford Hospital for an operation yesterday. His friends hope he may get well soon.

Mr. and Mrs. John Smith and Robert Wilkerson are attending Memorial service at Cherry Spring church today.

Miss Gertrude Hemphill and friend Miss Vera Hughes of Union, S. C., spent Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Norris Hemphill.

Misses Glenn and Nelle Harris, of Forest City, are spending the week end with home folks.

The Cuba Boys are expected to play the Cove Boys in a ball game this afternoon.

Miss Angeline Wilkerson is right sick her friends wish for her better health soon.

DAVIS WAIVES HEARING

Attorneys Clyde R. Hoey and C. O. Ridings had Martin Davis before Recorder John P. Bean Monday morning August 13. They waived hearing and did not ask for bond. Davis is charged with killing his son, Leland on July 29th in a quarrel. He is here in jail.

A lady brought her little boy to school on opening day and said to the teacher:

"Little Bernie is so delicate. If he is bad—and sometimes he is—just whip the boy next to him; that will frighten him and make him behave."

COOL SPRINGS BOOK LIST

List of Text Books That Will be Used in the Schools This Year

The following is a list of the text-books that will be used this year in the Cool Spring Township schools, from the first to seventh grades, together with the price of the same:

All children in the elementary schools are required to study for the year, five readers.

First Grade: Child's World, Primer, 40c; The Mastery of Words, Book 1, 35c; Palmer Method of Business Writing, Book 1, 12c; Practical Drawing, Book 1, 14c; Reading Literature Primer.

1A Grade: Same as first grade except Child's World first reader instead of Primer.

Second Grade: Child's World, Second Reader, 50c; First Journeys in Numberland, 45c; The Mastery of Words, continued, 35c; Palmer Method of Business Writing, Book 1, 12c; Progressive Music Series, Book 1, 59c.

2A Grade: Same as Second Grade except reading literature, second reader instead of Child's World Second reader.

Third Grade: Child's World, Third Reader, 55c; School Arithmetic, Book 1, 56c; The Mastery of Words, Book 1, continued, 35c; Palmer Method of Business Writing, Book 1, 12c; Practical Drawing, Book 2, 19c; Progressive Music Series, Book 1, 59c.

3A Grade: Same as third grade except reading literature is used instead of Child's World.

Fourth Grade: Studies in Reading, Book 4, 67c; Open Door Language, Fourth Grade, 41c; School Arithmetic, Book 1, continued, 56c; The Mastery of Words, Book 1, continued, 35c; Essentials of Geography, Book 1, \$1.21; Boys and Girls of Wake Up Town, 66c; Palmer Method of Business Writing, Book 2, 19c; Practical Drawing, Book 3, 19c; Progressive Music Series, Book 2, 63c.

4A Grade: Same as Fourth grade.

Fifth Grade: Studies in Reading, Book 4, 70c; Open Door Language, Fifth Grade, 41c; School Arithmetic, Book 2, 69c; Essentials of Geography, Book 1, continued, \$1.21; First Book in United States History, 74c; The Mastery of Words, Book 1, continued, 35c; Health, 63c; Palmer Method of Business Writing, Book 2, 19c; Practical Drawing, Book 4, 23c; Progressive Music Series, Book 2, continued, 63c.

5A Grade: Same as fifth grade.

Sixth Grade: Studies in Reading, Book 4, 70c; Open Door Language, Sixth Grade, 41c; School Arithmetic, Book 2, continued, 69c; Essentials of Geography, Book 2, \$1.69; A Young People's History of North Carolina, 75c; Cleanliness and Health, 69c; The Mastery of Words, Book 2, 30c; Palmer Method of Business Writing, Book 2, continued, 19c; Practical Drawing, Book 5, 23c; Progressive Music Series, Book 3, 66c.

6A Grade: Same as sixth grade.

Seventh Grade: Studies in Reading, Book 4, 74c; Open Door Language, Seventh Grade, 46c; School Arithmetic, Book 2, continued, 69c; Essentials of Geography, Book 2, continued, \$1.69; A History of the People of the United States, \$1.05; Building Strong Bodies, 68c; The Mastery of Words, Book 2, continued, 30c; Palmer Method of Business Writing, Book 2, continued, 19c; Practical Drawing, Book 6, 23c; Progressive Music Series, Book 4, 94c.

FARMERS MEETING AUGUST 31 NEAR OAKLAND

There will be a meeting at the farm of Mr. B. G. Moore, near Oakland school house, on the Sulphur Springs road, Friday August 31st at 9 a. m.

Mr. B. G. Moore and Henry Moore are conducting a fertilizer demonstration on a five acre cotton plot in co-operation with the County Farm Agent and the Chilean Nitrate of Soda Educational Bureau. The Moores have a very interesting demonstration showing the results of fertilizers and it will pay any farmer that is interested in growing and fertilizing cotton to come and see this test. They also have variety tests that is very important.

Mr. Boyd, a noted agriculturist and Homer H. B. Mask, agent for the Nitrate Soda Company will be present and make talks. Mr. Moore will serve refreshments.

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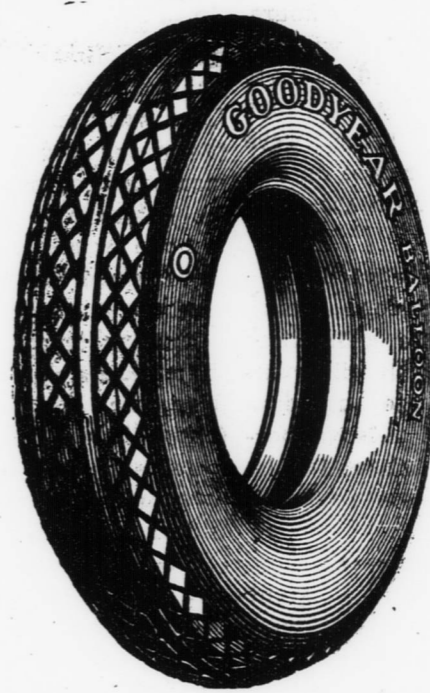
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