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OFFICIALS BONDED

NEW OFFICERS SWORN IN

Meeting of County Commissioners Attended by Small Crowd—Surgeon-Elect L. L. Lowe Declines to Accept and R. P. Glidewell Is Appointed in His Stead.

A small crowd attended the meeting of the county commissioners here Monday. The farmers were taking advantage of the season to strip tobacco.

The principal business before the Board was the swearing in of the new officers and the bonding of the old officers.

All the officials filed their bonds with the exception of L. Lowe, the newly elected mayor, who declined to accept the office, whereupon the commissioners appointed R. P. Glidewell to fill the vacancy.

Ham Mitchell, of Beaver Island, and J. D. Cardwell, of Danbury, were qualified as constables.

The Register of Deeds, the Clerk and Sheriff made their annual report, which were examined and approved.

The petitions in the matter of the Yadkin township road were deferred until a later meeting. The Board was in session two days, adjourning on Tuesday.

Sugar Trust Loses.

NEW YORK, Nov. 22.—The Sugar Trust lost its fight to restrain the city from cutting off its water supply because \$525,000 in taxes were unpaid. Judge Brien, in a long report, decided in favor of the city, and it is expected that the trust will be compelled to pay more than \$500,000 in settlement.

The suit grew out of the charge made by the municipality that there were no meters in the sugar refinery in Williamsburg and that the trust was getting water for which it did not pay. The trust's claim that it was entitled to special privileges because of the fact that it paid water-front charges was not upheld.

Napier-Stone.

Roanoke Times. Friday evening at 430 Church avenue, Mr. James Monroe Napier and Ora Stone were married by the Rev. W. F. Powell in the presence of attendants, relatives and friends.

The popular young people are from Stokes County, North Carolina, but will locate here. They will make their home at 1219 Third avenue, northwest.

The groom has a position with the Norfolk & Western Railway.

Big Cost Sale On December 22nd and 23rd

On Thursday and Friday, Dec. 22nd and 23rd, I will offer for sale anything in my store at cost. The stock consists of dry goods of all kinds, shoes, groceries of all kinds, notions etc. If you are looking for bargains it will pay you to attend this sale.

Remember the dates, Thursday and Friday, Dec. 22nd and 23rd, and be sure to come.

LEE SMITH.

Danbury, N. C., Route 1.

Dr. R. A. Fry, dentist, will be located at Pilot Nov. 22 to December 22.

P. L. Culler, the painter, paper-hanger and decorator, King, N. C. exfebr28

Wire stretchers. Boyles Mercantile Co.

\$2.50 per bushel, colored beans. Boyles Mercantile Co.

COSTLY POSTOFFICE EVIL.

Irregularities Found In Weighing Second Class Matter.

Washington, Nov. 24.—Striking at an evil which has cost the United States government thousands of dollars, Postmaster General Hitchcock has started a far-reaching investigation to uncover irregularities in the weighing of mail matter for the railroads, and as a result of discoveries already made has ordered a shake-up of the service in the south.

The investigation is being conducted in various parts of the country, but is being directed from Washington by Mr. Hitchcock himself.

These changes are the fore-runners of others that will alter the whole system of weighing mail for shipment on the railroads. The discoveries that have been made so far are the direct result of an investigation that Mr. Hitchcock has undertaken in order to find out whether the railroads are charging the government excessive rates for handling the mail.

There was no idea that frauds would be uncovered when the investigation was started. It was supposed merely that the system was wrong. Now, in connection with the effort to find out how much it costs the railroads to handle the mail, a general investigation will be made regarding the methods of weighing second-class matter.

The evidence obtained in the investigation at Atlanta has been submitted by the postmaster general to the department of justice for the purpose of determining whether or not prosecution shall be begun.

Notice.

King, Nov. 2. All students above the 7th grade, of Stokes County, who are thinking of entering school for this year, should give special attention to the unexcelled opportunities offered by the State High School at King.

The enrollment at present is 148 in all departments. High School 30.

Board, offered by the best families at \$8 per month. For particulars address principal High School.

J. R. CAUDLE, Sec't. State High School.

Stock of Goods, Mill, Engine, Etc For Sale.

After Nov. 21, 1910, I will offer my entire stock of goods at cost. Also my store house, gasoline engine and corn mill. I have about \$5,000 worth of goods. They must go regardless of cost, as I aim to move my business to Greensboro. Everybody that runs an account with me must come and settle their accounts at once.

Your friend,

J. E. HUTCHENS,

exdec21 Peter's Creek, Va.

NOTICE!

To Whom It May Concern :

Notice is hereby given to all persons concerned, that application will be made to the next session of the General Assembly of North Carolina, for the passage of an act amending the Charter of the town of Walnut Cove, Stokes County, N. C., by extending the corporate limits thereof, and also amending said Charter in other respects.

This the 7th day of Dec., 1910.

J. WILL EAST.

ORGANIZED MONDAY

MANY STORE-KEEPERS HERE

Formation of the Stokes County Retail Merchants Association—Officers Elected.

A good number of the merchants of the county were in town Monday, and organized the Stokes County Retail Merchants Association. Officers were elected as follows: N. A. Martin, President; E. C. Sheppard, Vice-President; W. E. Hartman, Secretary and Treasurer. Messrs. W. M. Mabe, G. W. Neal and E. C. Sheppard were named a committee on by-laws, with instructions to report at the next meeting, which is called for the first Monday in January. All merchants of the county who desire to become members of the Association are invited to attend the next meeting.

Silver Dollar Coined In 1798 Found At Rockford

The Shelby Highlander gives an account of the finding of an old coin at Rockford, Surry county. That paper says: "An American silver dollar, coined in 1798, was shown us by Rev. D. W. Lowman, pastor of the South Shelby M. E. church. It is said by the history of the mint to be one of the first dollar pieces ever coined, called the Martha Washington design and there had been only 20 dollars coined when its coinage was discontinued on account of imperfection of the design. This is the only one of the original 20 that is known to be in existence. The coin was said to have been found in the old Rockford court house, in Surry county, behind the sheriff's desk, some years ago, when the building was overhauled and made into a dwelling. On one side is engraved the likeness of Martha Washington and on the other the American eagle with the thirteen stars. On the perimeter are the words, 'Unit or Hundred Cents or One Dollar.'" It is in a good state of preservation and is valued highly."

ENDS WINTER'S TROUBLES.

To many, winter is a season of trouble. The frost bitten toes and fingers, chapped hands and lips, chilblains, cold sores, red and rough skins, prove this. But such troubles fly before Buecklen's Arnica Salve. A trial convinces. Greatest healer of Burns, Boils, Piles, Cuts, Sores, Eczema and Sprains. Only 25c at all Druggists.

Mr. J. E. Moore, of Patrick Springs, Va., spent last night here selling some of our merchants their spring shoes. Mr. Moore is one of the most wholesomely and popular "Knights of the Grip" who visit this county, and has many friends in the county who are always glad to shake his fat hand.

BANKS ON SURE THING NOW

"I'll never be without Dr. King's New Life Pills again," writes A. Schingeeck, 647 Elm St., Buffalo, N. Y. "They cured me of chronic constipation when all others failed." Unequaled for Biliousness, Jaundice, Indigestion, Headache, Chills, Malaria and Debility. 25c at all Druggists.

Notice!

The person who recently sent the Reporter an order for post cards and failed to sign any name to the letter can get money or cards by furnishing us his or her name.

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Steel traps. Boyles Mercantile Co.

WEDDED AT WINSTON

W. P. NELSON TO SADIE YOUNG

The Reporter Office Loses A Faithful and Valuable Composer and A Danbury Route 1 Merchant Wins a Blushing Bride.

Mr. W. P. Nelson, a merchant of Danbury Route 1, and Miss Sadie Young, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Young, of Danbury, were united in marriage in Winston-Salem yesterday morning. After the wedding, the happy couple left on a bridal tour for Cincinnati, Ohio, to be gone two weeks.

The affair was very much a surprise to the friends and relatives of both parties. Notwithstanding Mr. Nelson had been paying assiduous attention to Miss Young for one or two years, it was not known that marriage was contemplated very soon.

Mr. Nelson accompanied Miss Young to Winston-Salem Monday, ostensibly for a shopping trip. After the ceremony, the bride notified her people here by letter.

Miss Young has been a compositor in the Reporter office for several years, and was a valued employe.

The Reporter tenders its most cordial congratulations and good wishes to both parties.

Flynt-Foust.

On Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock, Mr. James D. Flynt and Mrs. Louise J. Foust were united by the holy bonds of matrimony by Rev. D. E. Bowers, pastor of Bethel Reformed Church.

Mr. Flynt is a man of upright character, and a valuable employee of the Union Furniture Company. Mrs. Foust is a pleasant Christian lady. She has a splendid home in the Southern part of the city, which will be the future home of the happy couple.

Post Cards of Local Scenery Now Ready At the Reporter Office.

There is no prettier scenery in the world than the hill country of Stokes county. A number of excellent views have recently been made on post cards at the Reporter office, including pictures of Moore's Knob, Cascade, Pilot Mt., Bridge Across the Dan and Landscape, Dodd's Mill at Danbury, Stokes County Court House and Piedmont Springs Hotel.

Price postpaid to any address, 3 for 5 cents. Same price at the office.

REPORTER, Danbury, N. C.

Blanks For Sale.

Blank Land Deeds 25c. dozen, Deeds in Trust 25c. dozen, Chattel Mortgages 0c. dozen, Land Posters 0c. dozen. Postage paid by us. Address DANBURY REPORTER, DANBURY, N. C.

To my friends in Stokes county: When you are in Winston and need anything to eat come to corner of 5th and Trade streets, No. 501, and see your old Stokes friend, John R. Smith.

We buy butter. Boyles Mercantile Co.

We buy tallow. Boyles Mercantile Co.

Hens 10c. pound.

L. R. COE.

Bureaus and Washstands. Boyles Mercantile Co.

Center tables and Rockers. Boyles Mercantile Co.

ROCKINGHAM'S DRY PRIZERY.

Will Shut Down For this Season Unless the Farmers Store 200,000 Pounds of Tobacco With It By Dec. 17th.

The last issue of the Reidsville Review contains the following: Unless the farmers agree to store tobacco with the Reidsville Co-Operative Tobacco Co. to the amount of 200,000 pounds between this and December 17 the storage plant will not be in operation in Reidsville this season. This was the decision reached here Tuesday at a meeting of the stockholders and directors at the city hall. Canvassers will within the prescribed time give the farmers an opportunity to sign pledges to store a part of their crop. The directors and stockholders in the enterprise are unwilling to take all the risk in keeping open the storage plant, and the manifesto amounts to an invitation to the tobacco grower to show his faith in the Co-Operative Tobacco Co. or refuse and, presto, the Co-Operative Tobacco Co. will close up shop for the time being and cut off expenses.

The meeting Tuesday was attended by farmers from all sections of Rockingham and a part of Caswell. The stock in the enterprise is well distributed among the farmers in the two counties and among the business people of Reidsville. On account of the high prices of tobacco as compared with the past few years farmers are selling their first offerings on the warehouse floors. The stockholders and directors felt that it would be unnecessary to keep expensive employes at the storage plant during this tobacco season if farmers did not desire to store and dry prize a sufficient per cent of their crops to justify the expense. It would be the part of wisdom in such an event to close the enterprise for this tobacco year.

The Farmers' Union held a meeting here Tuesday morning and those who came had the pleasure of hearing splendid speeches by Dr. H. Q. Alexander, of Mecklenburg county, State head of the Union and Mr. J. Z. Green, State organizer and editor of the Carolina Union farmer.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years doctors pronounced it a local disease and prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Science has proven catarrh to be a constitutional disease and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only constitutional cure on the market. It is taken internally in doses from 10 drops to a teaspoonful. It acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. They offer one hundred dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials. Address: F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio.

Sold by Druggists, 75c. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Mr. C. W. Owens, of Pine Bluff, was a Danbury visitor Monday. Mr. Owens is interested in a movement to get a graded school at Brim Grove, near his home, and was here looking into the matter.

If you contemplate the purchase of a diamond it will pay you to see A. J. Essex, Madison's up-to-date Jeweler.

Center tables and Rockers. Boyles Mercantile Co.

THE FARMERS' UNION

COUNTY MEETING THURSDAY

R. L. Nunn Elected President, W. E. Hartman, Secretary and Treasurer—Gathering of Importance.

The meeting of the Stokes County Farmers' Union here Thursday night and Friday, for the purpose of electing officers for another year and transacting other important business, was attended by many of the leading farmers of the county. Mr. R. L. Nunn, of Westfield, was elected President and Mr. W. E. Hartman, of Hartman, Secretary and Treasurer.

A number of prominent members of the Union spent Tuesday night here, as follows: Rev. C. W. Glidewell, L. A. Amos, D. F. Tillitson, Geo. W. Smith, J. A. Lawson, and others.

At Friday's meeting, besides the election of officers, much business of vital interest to the Union was transacted. Many outstanding notes of stockholders in the dry drizery were collected.

The Union in the county appears to be in flourishing condition, and the prospects for progress for another year are bright.

Death of Miss Sarah Hutchens.

Mr. C. D. Smith, of Campbell Route 1, was in town Monday, and while here told the Reporter of the death of Miss Sarah Hutchens, who passed away at her home in the Sandy Ridge neighborhood Sunday afternoon about 5 o'clock. Miss Hutchens was aged about 65 or 70, and was a daughter of the late Tandy Hutchens. The cause of her death was rheumatism and complications. She was a member of no church, but was a good woman and will be missed by her relatives and friends.

The interment was made Monday afternoon at the Stone Chimney burial place.

Dillard.

Dillard, Dec. 6.—Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Mitchell returned home Thursday after a week's visit to relatives in Winston and Walnut Cove.

Mrs. W. W. Mitchell continues right feeble.

Mr. J. Ham Mitchell went to Danbury yesterday to file his bond as constable.

The four-year-old child of Mr. Jim Davis is right sick at present.

WANTS TO HELP SOME ONE.

For thirty years J. F. Boyer, of Fertile, Mo., needed help and couldn't find it. That's why he wants to help some one now. Suffering so long himself he feels for all distress from Backache, Nervousness, Loss of Appetite, Lassitude and Kidney disorders. He shows that Electric-Bitters work wonders for such troubles. "Five bottles," he writes, "wholly cured me and now I am well and hearty." It's also positively guaranteed for Liver Trouble, Dyspepsia, Blood Disorders, Female Complaints and Malaria. Try them. 50c at all Druggists.

FOR SALE At a bargain, one 8-room residence, several nice vacant lots in Rural Hall, one second-hand boiler and engine, one short log sawmill, all in good running order.

A. M. GUNN, Rural Hall, N. C.