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NEWS OF GANN'S.

Venable-Hennis Marriage—Public School Has a Pie Party and Voting Contest—Other Items.

Gann's Feb. 12.—We have been frozen up for quite a while and since the weather has moderated things do move.

Messrs. Harry Kallam and Russell Gann returned Saturday from a trip to Tenn., Mo., Kan., Ill. Ind., and Colo., reporting a pleasant trip, but it was quite cold out there.

Gann's public school had a pie party and voting contest Saturday evening. The pies sold for 15c to \$1.15, and the voting contest was spirited. Miss Josie Venable got the highest number of votes and was awarded the beautiful lamp.

Mr. Elisha Venable, son of Mr. S. L. Venable, led to the hymenal altar the beautiful daughter Pheby, of Mr. W. H. Hennis, yesterday at 11 o'clock, W. E. Willis, J. P., officiating. The following were the waiters: Messrs. Pete Vernon, Jesse Powers, W. M. Duggins, with Misses Alice Davidson, Bettie Shelton and Varina Gann. After the ceremony the bride and groom repaired to the home of Mr. S. L. Venable, where there was a sumptuous dinner spread and a large concourse of people partook and enjoyed hugely.

Miss Bessie Davidson, of Dillard, is visiting our village at present.

There is a strong sentiment in this district for a county high school. The people are working.

Lee Joyce has been confined for a few days to his room, but is improving, glad to note.

CITIZEN.

Buy a lot at King and watch it grow into money.

Mr. C. W. Hutchens, of King, was here a few hours Friday.

## SCOTT'S EMULSION

is the best and quickest way to perfect health. Women and girls who suffer are simply weak—weak all over.

Opiates and alcoholic mixtures are worse than worthless, they aggravate the trouble and lower the standard of health.

Scott's Emulsion restores the whole body, restores the appetite, builds up the system.

Follow the big brass hand on the label and get SCOTT'S EMULSION.

HOW I DID IT

"He Who Does the Best He Can Does Well," Says J. H. Byrd, a Member of the Boys' Corn Club—Tells of His Contest.

On the 12th of February, I began to prepare my land, and on the 13th day I broke it up. Then, the 13th day of March, I hauled out and composted my manure. On the 24th I rebroke it, and on the 27th I ran it off. The 3rd day of April I began to scatter out my compost, and then there came a small amount of rain on it. On the 6th day of April I put out two sacks of Bonanza guano, and wrapped it up. Then, on the 13th day of April I planted it.

The wind was blowing from the east, and was cold for that time of the year, but my land was in a very nice condition for planting. The weather stayed cold, and on the 8th of May I ran over it and replanted and chopped some in it.

After this we had a long dry spell. On the 12th day of May I plowed one side, the weather continuing dry. Then, on the 20th day of May I plowed the other side; after which I pulled off the suckers,—and we still had no rain.

On the 25th I sided and split the middles, and the next day went over and suckered it again. The 6th of June I plowed one side, and the ground was almost as dry as ashes. On the 10th of June I went over it again, pulling off the suckers. The wind was blowing hard, the sun shone hot, and it looked like everything would die. I had not had a season since I began to plow. The 14th day of June I began to plow one side for the last time, and put out a hundred pounds of soda. We yet had no rain and the corn was twisted so that it never got straight all night.

On the 19th we had a very nice rain, but it had stayed dry most too long. The corn had turned yellow. After the 24th, I finished plowing out the other side, and put out another 100 pounds of soda. The ground was yet dry, and we did not have any more rain until the 6th of July, and nothing like a season then. It continued dry until the 12th of July. We had a light season, and it stayed dry until the fourth of August. We had another light rain the 9th, but the ground had not been anything like wet since my corn was planted. A lot of the corn had fallen down from the dry weather.

But he who does the best he can does well.

I have complied with all the requirements of the contest.

J. H. BYRD.

Everything going at cost.

W. E. HUBBARD, KING'S CORNER.

GOOD VENTILATION.

An Inexpensive Means of Warding Disease.

Not one house in a hundred is properly heated and ventilated. This is one reason for our having twice or three times the amount of colds, headaches, pneumonia and catarrhal troubles and general inefficiency that we should have in the winter. We are so closely housed at this season of the year that in badly heated and ventilated rooms, churches, school-houses and public halls it is extremely easy to contract contagious disease and even consumption itself.

But you say, what is proper heating and ventilating? Proper heating and ventilating is supplying from 1,500 to 3,000 cubic feet of fresh air at a temperature of 70 degrees to each person every hour. In addition to this, the air should contain considerable moisture. Air that is so dry that it will shrink and draw furniture apart and kill flowers and plants in a room is at least unfit for human use.

In the average house using a fireplace or stove for heating it is difficult to properly heat or ventilate the house in cold weather, but even then much can be done to improve conditions.

In the first place, get the thermometer habit. Keep an easily read thermometer in the living room and the work room. Hang it in a place where it can be readily seen and a place having the average temperature. Next, keep this thermometer standing at as nearly 70 degrees as possible.

In ventilating don't be afraid of fresh air. Warm it up if possible, but have it in the room at all times regardless of its incoming temperature. Fireplaces are now so constructed that fresh air is admitted from below the floor and passes up behind and at the sides of the grate, where it is heated and then allowed to enter the room above the fireplace. Or this heated air may also be allowed to enter an adjoining room or into one or more rooms above. If stoves are used, by all means have them surrounded, at least part way, with some kind of japanned or galvanized iron shield; this shield should extend to the floor. Fresh air should be admitted through an opening in the floor beneath the stove, so that it may become heated by passing up between the stove and the shield.

While these are probably the best means of warming the air that comes into a room, a small amount of fresh air may be admitted by raising the lower sash of the window about 2 inches and placing a strip in the opening below the sash. This will permit a small quantity of air to enter near the middle of the win-

dow between the two sashes and will give it an upward motion as it enters the room, thus preventing "cold drafts." Better ventilation may be secured by raising the lower sash several inches and placing a shield opposite this opening to deflect the incoming current of air.

Another excellent practical means of ventilation is by thoroughly "airing" the rooms not less than three or four times a day. This is done by simply opening the windows and doors for a minute or two and allowing fresh air to flood the room. The feeling of exhilaration following these "airings" is well worth the trouble. Try it once. Fresh air is cheap and no trust controls it. Let us have our share of it.

This is the season of the year when mothers feel very much concerned over the frequent colds contracted by their children, and have abundant reason for it as every cold weakens the lungs, lowers the vitality and paves the way for the more serious disease that so often follow. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is famous for its cures, and is pleasant and safe to take. For sale by all druggists.

Valuable Property at Auction.

I will offer my house and lot in Pinnacle for sale to the highest bidder on Saturday, Feb. 24 at 1 o'clock, on the premises. The lot is 200 feet front by 346 feet back. A good 5-room cottage, barn, well, good garden and some fruit trees and grape vines.

This is one of the nicest sections in the town. A fine summer resort. Pinnacle has a graded school, 4 churches, plenty of fine mountain scenery and the pure health giving breeze right from the top of the mountains. Be sure to attend the sale and get you a pretty home that you will be proud of. For further information see or write me.

C. A. BUTNER, Pinnacle, N. C.

Rosenbacher's Store at Winston Destroyed by Fire.

Fire destroyed the large department store of Rosenbacher and Brother, corner of Fourth and Trade streets, at Winston-Salem, early Wednesday night. The loss to building and stock, while not definitely known, is estimated at upwards of \$80,000, which is practically covered by insurance. The entire stock of the company, which was valued at over \$80,000, is a total loss, but the walls of the building were saved and investigation may prove that they are but slightly damaged. By the excellent work of the firemen the loss to the buildings surrounding the large structure which was burned is very slight.

Forty-One Applicants Granted Law License — Stokes Man In the Bunch.

Forty-one applicants for license to practice law passed the State board successfully last week. Ten applicants failed to pass. Among the successful ones is Mr. Levi W. Ferguson, of Winston-Salem, who is a native Stokes citizen. Mr. Ferguson formerly held a position in the postoffice at Winston-Salem.

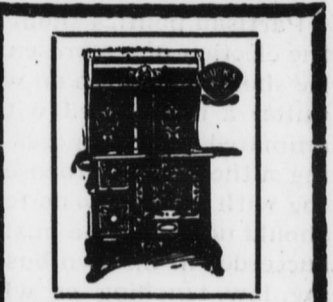
John G. Morefield For Register of Deeds.

Vade Mecum, N. C., Feb. 17, 1912.

To the Voters of Stokes County: I take this method of announcing to my friends that I am a candidate for the office of Register of Deeds of Stokes county on the Republican ticket in 1912, subject to the action of the Republican convention. I will appreciate the support of my friends.

JOHN G. MOREFIELD

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Only real satisfaction will come through the preparation of meals on a BUCK'S STOVE or RANGE. We have the agency for this line world's known Stoves and Ranges. We also carry a complete line of HOUSE FURNISHINGS. When you are in need of anything in this line it will be to your interest to call and see us.

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J. A. Neely Winston-Salem, N. C.

THOUGHT HER DEATH NEAR

What a Lady in Valley Fork Discovered in Regard to Cardui.

Valley Fork, W. Va.—"I was so weak," writes Mrs. W. A. Thomas, of Valley Fork, "that I could hardly get around in the house. I used Cardui, and now I feel better, and my friends say I look better, than I have for a long time."

I thought I would die, but Cardui brought me around all right. Cardui saved my life, and I do not want to be without it."

The strength-giving properties of this purely vegetable, tonic remedy, for women, are not the result of powerful drugs, but of gentle, natural building action on the womanly organs. As a general tonic for women, to improve the appetite and build up the system, Cardui is in a class by itself. It checks relief from all forms of womanly trouble, no medicine is so good as Cardui, the woman's tonic.

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