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A Full County Ticket Nominated.

Democratic convention in Morganton last Saturday nominated a county ticket as follows:

For House of Representatives—

I. T. Avery.

For Clerk Superior Court—

Oliver L. Hoffman.

For Sheriff—Forest C. Berry.

For Register of Deeds—J. B. Holloway.

For Treasurer—Ab N. Dale.

For Surveyor—Doc F. Denton.

For Coroner—J. L. Nelson.

For Commissioners—W. B. Berry, D. B. Mull, J. M. Brinkley.

Every township in the county was represented.

Conover News.

The fall term of Concordia College opened Sept. 12th, with twenty-five students. Seven of these are young ladies, while most are preparing for the office of the ministry.

After a short time shut down, the handle factory of Mr. J. Hunsucker is running as usual.

On last Saturday there was a gathering of the Hunsucker families and connections, held in the grove at Jonas Hunsucker's residence. Addresses were made by the Revs. J. M. Smith, Dr. J. C. Clapp and C. E. Wehler. Hon. M. H. Yount also addressed the assembly. Members of the Freundschaft were here from various parts of the county. All seemed to enjoy the occasion.

We have recently had six cases of fever in our village, but none thus far of a serious nature.

Miss Christiana Wagner is suffering from eczema, an old affliction. Most of us are well and at work.

Little is said among us on political subjects. Capt. Philip W. Carpenter is our Democratic chairman. He can tell a good reason for voting with the Democrats, if any one chooses to ask him.

We hope the city of Hickory will gain just rights as to the location of the railway depots. The railways are useful, as the horse is a useful animal. But we do not want the horse in the parlor, nor the railway where it will hinder business, comfort and safety. The railroad comes by permission through the country and the town. It should not be like the camel which the man in compassion permitted to put his nose in at his shop door.

A small Kansas boy was once called in to view his new born baby brother. He looked it over with dissatisfaction, and finally asked: "Mamma, where did this thing come from?" "and angel brought it Jimmie." "Wus you awake when he came?" "Certainly, Jimmie." "Well then, mamma, all that I have got to say, is that you are dead easy. I'd like to see any old angel put off such a looking thing on me. But I reckon we are stuck unless I kin work Johnny C. e-n to trade it sight-unseen for o.e of his spotted pups."

LOCAL MATTERS.

Governor Glenn will speak in Hickory October 23rd.

The home paper is the mirror in which there at a distance see us.

When you help your home paper you help your town and indirectly help yourself.

Misses Mary Shuford and Frankie Self left last week for St. Marys School in Raleigh.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. McCarley who have been at Georgetown, S.C. for some months spent Sunday in Hickory.

Every one is interested in an item of local news. If you know of any local happening that is not generally known communicate the fact to this office.

The Thornton Light and Power Co. has a work shop under the Martin Drug Store in the A. P. Whitner building and Col. Thornton has moved his office up stairs on the second floor.

We are pleased to note an increasing desire on the part of our readers, to secure at the first possible moment a copy of this paper and some call at the office and get a copy as it falls fresh from the press. The reason is we publish all the news all the time. We want you to help us make it still better by notifying us of the death, marriage or important transactions in which any one from this county is concerned.

When the sun shine and the streets become dusty, you wish it would rain; when it rains and the streets become muddy you wish the sun would shine. After you are married you wish you was single, and if you get a new dress you wish you had a new hat to match it; if it is a boy you wish it was a girl, and if it is a girl you wish it was a boy—was human nature ever satisfied? Guess not, and glad of it, for then there would be nothing to "kick" about.

We will offer a little free advice to the young men and young ladies who read this paper. Never marry until you are certain that single life is a failure and under no circumstances marry until you find someone who will have you. Be sure you are right, then go ahead. Boys remember that a girl rigged in ribbons and paint may look good enough to eat; but that smile however, may be made to order and come off with her best clothes.

Democratic dissatisfaction with Mr. Bryan's government ownership proposition is not abating. Republican politicians and Republican newspapers all over the country have taken the ground that, as the prospective candidate of his party for the Presidency, endorsed in advance by numerous conventions, Mr. Bryan has committed his party to the government ownership doctrine and it is being treated by them in the present Congressional campaign as though it had been accepted by a Democratic Convention. Many Democrats regard this as unfortunate and they believe that the effect of this misrepresentation has already been shown by the Maine election where, according to the Chairman of the Democratic State Committee victory for the State ticket and the election of one or two Democratic Congressmen were assured until Mr. Bryan made his speech in Madison Square Garden.

A newspaper is in no sense a child of charity. It earns twice over every dollar it receives, and it is second to no enterprise in contributing to the up-building of a community. Its patrons reap far more benefits from its pages than its publishers, and in calling for the support of the community in which it is published, it asks for no more than in all fairness belongs to it, though generally it receives less. Patronize and help your paper as you would any other enterprise because it helps you, and not as an act of charity.

Mr. Q. E. Bowman who lived on South Fork river, died Friday and was buried Saturday at Zion. Mr. Bowman had a stroke of paralysis.

Mr. J. C. Fry went to Charlotte Monday on business.

A Judge's Decision On Tobacco.

A Judge of the Carolina Courts, who is evidently a good judge of tobacco as well as law, wrote recently that he had been using sun cured tobacco for forty years, but in all his experience had found none so good as REYNOLDS', which was first offered to the trade four years ago. Previous to that time chewer after chewer of tobaccos made too sweet, took to Schnapps and other brands of flue-cured (which required and had less sweetening than any other class of tobacco produced,) until there were ten times more pounds chewed of Schnapps and other brands of flue-cured tobaccos than the entire production of sun cured. Soon after its introduction, REYNOLDS' SUN CURED grew so big in sales on quality that R. J. Reynolds Tobacco Company for the last two or three years has purchased not less than one-half of the entire amount of the farmers' production of sun cured tobacco and their purchases in the sections or territory where the best sun cured tobacco grows have stimulated the farmers to increase the production of sun cured tobacco.

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