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The Republicans and Prohibition.

Those who expect the Republican Party in North Carolina to take a stand against prohibition or indeed, to take any positive stand whatever will be woefully disappointed. Some of the strongest Republican counties in the state are among the strongest prohibition, counties, notably Mitchell and Madison. The Republican party will not dare to offend their voters in the few sections of the State where they have a large white following.

"On the side," wherever their political leaders can find a dissatisfied Democrat they will preach to him that the Republican party opposes prohibition and then go off and laugh in their sleeves about how they "fooled that guy." Everything will be grist that comes to their mill.

In one sense of the term they fully understand how to be "all things to all men."

Mr. Kitchin Coming.

Hon. W. W. Kitchin, candidate for the Democratic nomination for governor, will be in Hickory on Tuesday Mar. 17th and will address the people that night. Mr. Kitchin will receive of course a warm welcome from our people, regardless of their preferences for governor. Hickory's hospitality is well known and in the case of a distinguished visitor like Mr. Kitchin, who is recognized among the ablest men in congress, this town may be expected to "put the best foot foremost." Those who hear Kitchin will hear a public speaker of convincing force and power and will have no occasion to regret being present.

Rutherford College Note.

The Newtonian Literary society held its eighth annual Debate in the college auditorium Friday evening Mar. 6th. The following program was rendered:

PROGRAM.
Address of Welcome President Oration—"Let there be light"
J. H. Howard
First Declaimer—The Veterans of Battle of Bunker Hill
T. B. Banner
Second Declaimer—Success How obtained
W. B. Davis
Debate—Query: Resolved that the Child Labor Law should be abolished in North Carolina
Affirmative Negative
M. A. Osborne H. A. Jonas
J. F. Moser C. C. Beam
Each number was well delivered but the debate was especially interesting. The speakers proved themselves masters of their art. The affirmative won the decision.

On the 13th the Victorian society will give its annual meeting. Of course the young ladies will acquit themselves with credit to themselves, their society and the college. A large crowd attended last Friday night and a larger crowd is expected next Friday.

A meeting of all the Temperance people in Catawba County is called to meet in the Court house at Newton, on Saturday, March 21, at 12 o'clock for the purpose of organizing the Temperance forces in the county for the coming prohibition election to be held May 26, 1908.

The State Democratic Convention will be held in Charlotte June 24th, the vote of the election being 49 for Charlotte and 29 for Greensboro.

Important.

We must on April the first cut off all names of subscribers from our list who are in arrears more than one year. This is a ruling of the Postoffice Department and we have no choice in the matter. However, when we are forced to the necessity of cutting your name from our list, we shall, at once, where it is possible to do so, take steps to collect what you are due us. Surely "the laborer is worthy of his hire."

During the past two months many statements have been sent out from this office. Some have responded readily, while a goodly number remain silent as a graveyard on the subject, but thanks to our books, we still have their addresses. There are many, very many, of our friends, who, though they are behind on the Democrat, only need a gentle reminder, and they will come to our relief. Others need more, and they are sure to get it if they do not settle by April 1st. To ALL we say, settle by that time, and thereby save yourselves annoyance and expense. This is no idle talk or foolishness on our part, cool business; that's all.

Don't fail to attend the Gem to night program "A Brother's Sacrifice."

Boone Items.

Correspondent to the Democrat.
Quite a demand comes from the lower counties for the small New River corn raised in this county. Few now raise this corn altogether so the supply is rather limited.

Very few field peas have ever been planted in this county. The farmer on the school farm here will sow some in the orchard as an experiment.

The prospect for a large fruit crop is shown in the great number of buds on the trees.

The principal of the Appalachian Training school is endeavoring to find some fine Holstein cows for sale.

Watauga Superior court convenes on the 23rd. There will be two murder cases. Alex. Harmon for killing Ben Guy and L. M. Banner for killing A. H. Cline.

A. J. Green a prominent young teacher and Miss Parlee Warren were married at Mobil on Sunday. Mr. Green has just returned from Wake Forest college.

The robbers have come and we hope winter is over.

Program.

"A brother's sacrifice."
Poaching
A noble brother
Jim reforms and joins the police.
His character lost
Jack seeks in vain for work
The open window.
Temptation
The brothers meet.
Reconciliation
The Bricond's daughter.

Hickory and the Orphanage.

Hickory has done "herself proud" on the orphanage proposition and we sincerely hope that the committee will see fit to place that institution here.

The site suggested by our people is as desirable as could be found and the large and liberal contribution now offered by our people should, it seems to us, command the attention and the favorable consideration of those who have this matter in hand.

In natural advantages we think that this town has superior claims to all others and now that our people have shown themselves willing to "put up the price" we say bring the orphanage to Hickory.

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Society News.

Tuesday the 3rd Mrs. Edwina Chadwick entertained eight tables of Bridge in honor of her sister-in-law Mrs. Charles Chadwick of Ashland, Ky., The house was decorated with ivy and daffodils. Mrs. Winter who had the largest score ever made in Hickory 1845, gained the prize. Refreshments with their good cheer increased the gentility of the evening.

Thursday evening the 5th the Misses Shuford entertained the Five Hundred club at its second meeting. There were three tables Mr. Julius Ramsay won the prize Miss Alice Boyden and Miss Helen Chadwick drew for the booby gained by Miss Boylen.

Thursday Mar. 5th, the Traveler's Club met with Mrs. Aull and there was a good attendance in spite of the weather. Mrs. and Miss Kirkpatrick were visitors. The quotations on "Irish Bulls" caused much amusement. Mrs. Aull read the topic: Downpatrick the legendary burial place of St. Patrick in county Down. A conversation ensued for all to take part in, on the "Character of the Irish, their manners and customs," in which the account of the keening or wail was of interest. Mrs. Murphy's unglory on the Irish by Taylor was fine and Mrs. Bost read about the "Friars Sewart Jiri" who has become a synonym for those who are just about to do a thing which they never do.

The evening was especially enjoyable as it was given up to reading of legends and stories illustrative of Irish wit and humor. Mrs. Whitener read "A Blast" by Julia Crafty a good picture of the absurdities of Irish character. In it the heroine whose diet is not suitable is said to be digging her grave with her teeth." Mrs. J. H. Shuford read, "The Lazy Beauty and her Aunts," by Kennedy. Mrs. Whitener then read in closing "The Boy who was long on his mother" translated from the Gaelic by Hyde. These last two are fine examples of old folk lore with the characteristic exaggeration of the fairy tale. Current events and dainty refreshments concluded a very pleasant evening.

One of the most enjoyable events of the season was that of a social entertainment given by Mrs. S. F. Watson and Mrs. F. B. Gwyn at the home of Mrs. Watson on eighth avenue, Tuesday evening March the third. Given in honor of Misses Beulah and Duck Crowson, of Statesville, sisters of Mrs. Gwyn.

The rooms were beautifully decorated and lighted with pink and yellow candles. A number of Hickory's most popular young people were present and royally entertained. After much persuasion Mrs. Watson was prevailed upon to recite and the "Setting hen" was rendered in a manner highly

pleasing and afforded much amusement for all present.

Miss Duck Crowson sang several popular songs, her singing proved that of a highly cultivated voice, which held her auditors in ecstasy throughout her rendition.

Dainty refreshments were served at a late hour.

Mrs. Watson proved a charming hostess and was ably assisted by Mrs. Gwyn. All agreed that it was a most enjoyable occasion.

New Train.

Beginning yesterday a new mixed train, carrying mail and passengers, was put on the C. & N. W. Ry. between Lenoir and Hickory. The train leaves Lenoir daily at 6.30 a. m. and returning will leave Hickory about 11 p. m., after the arrival of 35 on the Southern. This will be a great convenience as it will give us two daily mails and enable persons to get in and out of Lenoir more promptly.—Lenoir News.

The true prohibitionist is not thrown off the track by the sophistry and deception of the liquor fellow.

Letter to Prof. D. K. McArae.

Hickory, N. C.

Dear Sir: Here's another problem of those arithmetic and algebra scholars: If Dovec is worth \$1.75 a gallon, and spreads a half further than average paint, and wears twice as long, what is average paint worth a gallon put-on painters' wages being \$3.50 a day and a day's work a gallon of paint. The answer is minus \$1.75 a gallon. That is: you could afford to paint with average paint if somebody gives it to you and pays half the painters' wages.

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Notice.

Under and by virtue of a decree rendered in the case of Mrs. E. H. Settlemyre versus James F. Peterson and wife, at the Spring term of Superior court, the undersigned will offer for sale for cash, on the first Monday of April, it being the

6th DAY OF APRIL, 1908, as Commissioner appointed by the court, at the Court House door of Catawba county, N. C., at 12 o'clock M., the following described lot or parcel of land, lying and being in the city of Hickory, N. C., on the W. H. Robinson plat, being lot No. 58 of said plat, and bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at the north-west corner of lot No. 57, owned by the heirs of J. L. Lyerly, and runs south 300 feet to a stake, thence west 100 feet to Geitner street, thence north 300 feet to a stake on the south side of Morganton street; thence east 100 feet to the beginning. It being known as the H. S. Settlemyre home place, and being lot on which said Settlemyre lived at the date of his death.

Sale is made for cash and no conveyance of the title will be made until the purchase-price is paid.

This the 2nd day of March, 1908.
C. A. SPENCER,
Commissioner.

R. Z. Linney,
R. L. Huffman,
Attorneys.

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Nobody is trying to make potatoes out of this situation but the liquor man. You can see through his thin veil, of course. He is trying to muddy the waters so that the fearfulness of the liquor business may not be seen.

A healthy man is a king in his own right; an unhealthy man is an unhappy slave. Burdock Blood Bitters builds up sound health—keeps you well.

The exercises of the seventeenth anniversary of the European Philalethian Literary Societies of Lenoir college will be held in the college auditorium Monday Mar. 16th at 8 p. m. The program is as follows: Address of Welcome J. L. Kiser Music

Debate of Question, Resolved: That the railroad companies should be required to incorporate under the Federal Government.

Affirmative Negative
J. L. Smith A. C. Lineberger
R. Isenhour R. F. Mouser
Music

Drill—The Indian Huntresses.
At the church of The Ascension (Episcopal) services for Sundays and during Lent as follows: Every Sunday 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Wednesday Evening 7:30 p. m. Lectures on the Ten Commandments, Thursday 4 p. m. for young people and parents. Addresses on the apostles creed.

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City Meat Market

I will open, on Friday of this week, a Meat Market in the Sharp building, using one-half of the store room now occupied by A. H. Parker. Will carry

A Full Line of Fresh Meats,

also a line of dried meats, hams, breakfast strip, etc.

I am going to give my customers the very best that can be had in my line, and will serve you promptly. Don't fail to call on me at the City Meat Market.

L. W. POOVY,
Proprietor.

NOTICE.

A. N. Aberholt hereby enters the following desirable tract of land in Catawba county, and State of North Carolina, Hickory township, adjoining the lands of Evans, Wisnant and Aderholt. Beginning at a stone in Aderholt and Wisnant's line; runs N. 87 1/2 270 poles to a stake; then S. 12 poles to a stake, thence E. 260 poles to the beginning, containing 9 3-4 acres more or less. This land is situated near Henry's river watercourse.

A. N. ADERHOLT.
Thos. M. Huffam, Att'y,

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