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Miss Mary Rosborough has received her pattern hats for Easter. Come and see them.

Eggs for sale. S. C. Brown Leghorn. 75 cents for 15 eggs. Special prices on incubator lots. B. J. Temple R. F. D. 4.

C. T. Morrison has bought the Grand View property, with mortgages and notes, from S. D. Campbell & Co., and he becomes payee for the uncollected amounts due from the land sale.

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Dr. Taylor, Veterinary, will be at Newton court week and will render service for those that need him.

Miss Mamie Sue Johnson came home from Davenport College for Easter.

Local and Personal

Williams Gibson went to Lenoir Friday.

Miss Ida Pharr went to Newton Friday.

Mr. Geo. Moore of Lenoir was in town Monday.

Mr. D. H. Warlick, of Granite Falls was here Monday.

Mr. Mort Ervin of Morganton was in town Tuesday.

Miss Eva Moony spent the Easter holidays at home.

Mr. Herbert Yount of Newton was on our streets Monday.

Judge Council went to Lexington Monday to hold court.

C. T. Morrison spent Wednesday in Morganton on business.

Mr. Thos. Payne of Charlotte was here for his sister's marriage.

Mr. Carroll Bost student at Catawba college spent Easter at home.

Miss Edith Self, of Newton, visited Mrs. Lee Summerow this week.

Miss Mable Flannagan spent Easter in Statesville with her cousin.

Prof. Geo. W. Hahn is spending the week in Lenoir and Blowing Rock.

Mr. Arthur Ingold of Morganton spent Sunday with his mother.

Miss Maud Jarrett, of Newton, spent Monday with friends in Hickory.

Mrs. J. H. Pitts of Catawba came up for the Old Maids convention.

Prof. Lash, Catawba college, spent part of Easter Monday in Hickory.

Messrs. F. B. and Lewis Gwin are building additions to their residences.

Miss Mary Reitzel has gone to Charlotte to visit her sister Mrs. R. A. Taylor.

L. R. Whitener is in Statesville this week as a juror in the Federal court.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Link went to Fort Mill S. C. to spend Easter with Clarence Link.

Mr. E. Erricson, of Little Rock Ark., is in the city shaking hands with his many friends.

Mrs. Theodore Payne and sister, of Granite Falls, were in the city Wednesday shopping.

Mrs. E. E. May and children of Lenoir were here Monday on their way to Telford, Tenn.

Prof. and Mrs. W. E. Poovey of Rutherford college spent Easter with friends at Hickory.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Estes, of Blowing Rock, were here Friday on their way to Statesville.

Mr. Thomas Payne returned to his work in Charlotte after spending a week with home folks.

Mr. Kirk, of the Singer Sewing Machine Co., spent Monday and Tuesday in Old Fort on business.

Mrs. D. A. Pope and children, of Newton, who have been with relatives here, returned home Friday.

Miss Evangeline Shelley went to Statesville Friday to spend Easter with the family of Rev. W. A. Lutz.

Rev. Walter Rowé who has been holding services at the Reformed church returned to Rockwell Friday.

Mrs. Hal Latta, who has been with friends here, left Monday for Mr. Latta's headquarters at Abington Va.

Miss Miriam Shell, of Lenoir, spent Tuesday night with Miss Lela Wise, while enroute from a visit to Asheville.

Miss Rose Earnhardt of Lenoir, who was maid of honor at the Payne-Huffman marriage, returned home Friday.

Misses Louise Zeller, Anna McLaughlin and Bessie Grice, all of Catawba college, spent Easter with Miss Margaret Bost.

Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Gwin went to Statesville Saturday to spend Easter and meet Dr. S. W. Crowson and wife of Taylorsville.

Mrs. Mayo, who has been here for some time with her daughter, Mrs. R. B. Fry, left the first of the week for a visit to Knoxville.

A friend from Baltimore has sent Miss Alice Boyden a little Fox terrier pup, some of the boys say it's a very clever little canine.

An inter collegiate debate will be held at Rutherford college April 24th between representatives of that school and Mars Hill.

Mrs. A. B. Thomas who has been with Mrs. J. S. Moody left Monday going first to Boston, thence to Portland and Richland, Maine.

Mrs. M. S. Dixon and Mrs. N. N. Drum and infant, of Raleigh who have been visiting Mrs. Whisnant, in Lenoir were here Friday on their way home.

Rev. P. C. White who has been stationed in Indiana, conducted services at the Lutheran church Sunday for Dr. Moser. From Hickory Rev. White will go north to engage in work in East Canada.

The congregation of the First Methodist church held a special service of Easter music Sunday night. The male quartette, the solos, etc, were very fine and the large congregation enjoyed it.

Mr. Walter Sloane, of Statesville was talking business in Hickory this week. He wants good roads in Catawba too for his automobile was smashed on the roads over which he had to travel.

Rev. P. C. Wyke is here for a few days.

Editors Holbrook and Click, and Mrs. Holbrook are attending the meeting of Editorial Association in Charlotte.

J. Teles Miller has just returned from a trip to Canada and he tells us he experienced some very cold weather while gone.

Misses Precyous and myrtle Hahn went to Asheville Monday, where Miss Precyous will remain in the Stevens Sanitarium for treatment. Miss Myrtle returned Tuesday.

Z. B. Buchanan asked us to say that he and Mr. Campbell have dissolved partnership in the real estate business and that he will continue in this business with office over Menzies drug store.

People who were inclined to doubt that the Easter cold spell would get here on time just because we had enjoyed so many pleasant days are now respectfully advised to go away back and sit down.

Its astonishing, but true there are over three hundred in Hickory township that have not yet paid their poll tax. Boys you cant vote unless you pay before May 1st, don't disfranchise yourself by negligence.

Mrs. H. K. Goodson, of Richmond, who has been with Mrs. W. A. Rudisill for some time, will leave Saturday. Mrs. Rudisill and son go with her and expect to spend some time with relatives in Virginia.

W. G. Whisnant, of Granite Falls was in town Friday. Mr. Whisnant is a real live hero of the true or dime novel variety. He was the gentleman whom the burglars shut up in the vault at the time they robbed the bank.

Mrs. H. D. Abernethy entertained quite a number of little folks Monday afternoon with an egg hunt. The afternoon was spent in games and hunting eggs, and these, with delicious refreshments, made every little heart happy.

The marriage of Miss Payne and Mr. Huffman announced in the Democrat was duly solemnized and to judge by the looks of things at the station next morning, enough rice was thrown at the young couple to feed them during the honeymoon.

At the church of the Ascension and the Reformed church the program already announced in the Democrat was carried out. The congregation at all the services was good, the music unusually good and the preaching needless to say was the best.

Rev. J. C. Shirer who was to have preached to the Presbyterian congregation last Sunday did not come, as he has accepted a call to another church. Rev. Wharey preached a most acceptable sermon from the command of the most High to Moses that he order the children of Israel to "Go forward."

Mr. and Mrs. Rose, of Lenoir visited friends here on their way to Statesville Monday. Mrs. Rose was formerly Miss Georgia Monday, cashier at the C. & N. W. depot. The handsome young couple were married Tuesday of last week and it was a runaway marriage. Mr. and Mrs. Rose will make their home for the present with Major Clegg uncle of the groom.

Easter Monday was as bright and lovely a day ever blessed the old earth. Hickory was gay with the spring clothes and bright faces of her young folks. Many were home from school and those at work in the stores, offices etc, claimed a day off and enjoyed it. Picnics were the chief order of the day. At Baker's Mountain there was a string of 80 buggies at once and well loaded. There were probably, about 200 people there. At the Cliffs the various parties made an even larger total. The train coming down Monday afternoon brought in a lively crowd.

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Old Maid's Convention.
 The convention convened on a doubt of that, and Hickory turned out in all its glory to see it done. As to the entire performance it was all fine. Mrs. Clinard was a most winning president; the secretary and treasurer and all the sisterin were perfection in their various ways. The costumes—well, it would take something like five modern languages with a sprinkling of Hebrew and Sanscrit to do them anything like justice. The recitations of of Misses Helen Chadwick and Ruth Abernethy, the vocal solos of Misses Boyden and Warlick, the piano solo of Miss Rose Shuford were all well done. The elocutionists rendered their selections with spirit and fine diction, Miss Boyden's lovely voice and perfect expression have long been the admiration of Hickory. Miss Warlick possesses singularly clear, sweet voice and her excellent articulation adds much to the pleasure of her audiences. "Honey Boy" was too cute for anything. Miss Margaret Bost made a good old maid of 63.

The sympathy of the entire assembly went out to Arthur Moser in his wild flight for safety from overpowering devotion and our esteemed member of the honorable legislature as Prof. Pinkerton. But brethren and sisterin let us not undertake the impossible. To picture him in his difficult position and delicate circumstances. Our feelings are too much for us sometimes.

Letter to Henry Smathers.
 Hickory, N. C.
 Dear Sir: There are two sorts of paint: one to sell and make money, the othe to paint and save money.

Who gets the money? The maker, the seller, the painter.
 Where does it come-from? The painter, of course; he pays the painter for doing the work, and the dealer for gallons of paint; and he pays the paint-manufacturer, gallons again: more gallons, more money all round: for the owner to pay to the painter dealer and paint manufacturer.

What's the paint that saves money? Gallons again; less gallons, less money for paint, less money for wages; a gallon of paint is \$5 for wages and paint. Less gallon, less money to pay, \$9 for wages and paint. Less gallons, less money to pay, \$5 a gallon.
 Two sorts of paint: less gallons and more: less money and more: \$5 a gallon difference: two to one in gallons and money.
 It costs twice as much to paint the average more-gallons paint as to paint Dovee. When the people finds-out, it may not be quite so easy to sell extravagant paint by calling it "cheap."
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