

Wonderful Moving Picture Shows

The GEM and WONDERLAND

ON JULY FOURTH

The people of Catawba and surrounding counties will have a rare chance to see and hear the best MOVING PICTURE SHOWS EVER SEEN IN THIS PART OF THE STATE. These wonderful entertainments, which are highly amusing and instructive, have been pronounced SUPERIOR to entertainments given in halls and opera houses, where much higher admission prices are charged.

Over a Million of People Have Seen and Applauded These Wonderful Pictures.

It is worth coming a long ways to see. Everybody; men, women and children, are invited to see these great sights on JULY 4th.

These great shows will be located at each end of the main square, and will be made conspicuous by the playing of electric pianos.

The Wonderland and The Gem

HICKORY, N. C.

Peace and Good Will.

Did you ever stop to think that our city is a city that enjoys many natural and acquired resources—a city that needs but the skillful manipulation of man to make them yield bountifully of their rich treasure—a substantial city whose foundations are laid upon a soil that cannot be surpassed for productiveness—a city supplied with the very best and purest of water—a city whose educational advantages have reached a standard through the skillful direction of competent officials, second to that of no other place of its size anywhere—a city where harmony among the communicants of the different churches is in perfect accord with the object sought by our forefathers of the "Mayflower" and all doctrines are ably expanded with untrammelled freedom from the pulpits of our different churches—a city whose social advantages are equal to those afforded by places many times its size and age—a city where the rich enjoy every luxury desired and the poor are not allowed to suffer—a city where peace and good will towards all men is exemplified.

Speak Out.

Don't be afraid to speak a word for the newspaper and your town. If you have made up your mind to live in town, then stand up for it, and if you know positively no good, the silence is golden. Do all you can to help along every man who is engaged in legitimate business. Do not send away for everything nice you want and still expect the home men to keep a stock to suit the whim of one or two customers. The success of your fellow townsman will be your success. No man liveth to himself and no man does business independently of his fellow business men. Take your home paper. Do not imagine the big dailies fill up all this space. There are many little crevices of a good cheer, social sunshine, personal mention, in the home paper that the big dailies do not print. Then do not abuse your neighbor. The main difference in the number of his faults and your own is that you see through a magnifying glass as a critic. The ill omened, the croaker, can do a town more harm in a minute than two good citizens can repair in a month.

The Democrat is \$1 a year.

Patronize Home.

A perfect town is that in which you see the farmer patronizing the home merchants, the laborers spending the money they earn with their own tradesmen, and all animated by a spirit that will not purchase articles abroad if they can be bought at home. The spirit of reciprocity between man and the mechanic, tradesman and laborer, farmer and manufacturer, results every time in making the town a perfect one to do business in. "Perfection" should always be desired, even where attainment is barely possible, we presume, but a perfect town must be denominated a great rarity until we reach a more advanced stage toward the millennium than has yet been gained.

Hospitality.

Our town is noted far and wide for its hospitality and cordiality. Man meets his fellows here with a "Good morning James; how are you feeling this morning?" While the answer is wafted back on the morning breeze: "Quite well, I thank you!" The good women, as they toil during the greater part of the day in looking after the domestic duties, hum a merry tune the while, because "love lightens labor." And over their teacups at an afternoon function or around some family circle, banded together as a club, they discuss topics alone intended to elevate their race.

I. N. Ebbs Disbarred.

The I. N. Ebbs disbarment hearing was resumed before Judge Peebles in Superior Court at Asheville, last Thursday at 3 o'clock, when Judge Thomas A. Jones, representing the persecution, was heard in reply to the argument of Joseph S. Adams, of counsel for the defense. After hearing Judge Jones, who cited numerous authorities, Judge Peebles made an order disbaring Mr. Ebbs under the statute from the practice of law in the courts of North Carolina.

BORN IN IOWA.

Our family were all born and raised in Iowa, and have used Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy (made at Des Moines) for years. We know how good it is from long experience in the use of it. In fact, when in El Paso, Texas the writer's life was saved by the prompt use of this remedy. We are now engaged in the mercantile business at Narcoossee Fla., and have introduced the remedy here. It has proven very successful and is constantly growing in favor.—Ennis Bros. this remedy is for sale by W. S. Martin & Co.

For County Treasurer

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the office of County Treasurer having been a lifelong Democrat and a confederate veteran and have served as a magistrate for 26 years at a sacrifice to myself, therefore I asked for a unanimous support however subject to the Democratic primaries and County Convention. If elected I will be found at my post of duty at all times. Yours Respectfully
S. E. KILLIAN.

Announcement for Treasurer.

As to office of County Treasurer will be open for a new man this year, the present incumbent W. A. Day. Assuring us that he will not be a candidate for re-nomination, I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of County Treasurer, subject however to the action of the Democratic primaries and county convention soon to be held. If nominated and elected to that responsible position I will endeavor to discharge the duties of said office faithfully and impartially. Asking the patronage of every voter in the county who can conscientiously do so, and assuring everyone of my appreciation of same. I am fraturnally yours.
GEORGE P. DRUM.

Announcement.

Not because there are not already enough, and good enough men whose services have been offered to the County as Treasurer, but because, I believe I can serve the people of Catawba County, in that capacity as well as they, and thereby be able to make a living from same; since I have been disabled to continue serving as pastor and preacher. I therefore, present myself to the voters of Catawba County for the office of County Treasurer, subject of course to the action of the county convention.
J. Allen Arndt.

Announcement.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of Register of Deeds of Catawba county, for a second term, subject to the Democratic primaries and County convention. Respectfully,
Jacob E. Setzer.

Announcement.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for re-election to the office of Sheriff of Catawba County, subject to the Democratic primaries and county convention. Respectfully,
D. M. Boyd.

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Foley's Honey and Tar, has cured many cases of incipient consumption and even in the advanced stages affords comfort and relief. Refused any but the genuine Foley's Honey and Tar. Sold by W. S. Martin & Co.

For The Legislature.

To the voters of Catawba county, I hereby announce myself a candidate for the Legislature subject to the action of the Democratic primaries and county convention.

Respectfully,
M. H. YOUNT.

Announcement.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the House of Representatives to the next General Assembly of North Carolina subject however to the action of the Democratic primaries and county convention.
D. L. RUSSEL.

Announcement.

—I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of County Treasurer subject to action of the Democratic primaries and County convention.
April 15, 1908
J. U. LONG.

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The Merry Widow Circular-Saw.

The man who had the seat next hers—
Why when she moved her head
She sawed along his shaven cheek
A scratch that showed blood red.
The woman on the other side,
With anger she turned pale
When she perceived her neighbor had
Made tatters of a veil.
She left the car, that girl, and scratched
The varnish off the door,
And lace cravats and frilly-dalls
On every side she tore.
But naught cared she. Why should she stop
For little things like that?
She tripped off, smiling gaily in
Her Merry Widow Hat.

THINKS IT SAVED HIS LIFE.

Lester M. Nelson, of Naples Maine, says in a recent letter: "I have used Dr. King's New Discovery many years, for coughs and colds, and I think it saved my life. I have found it a reliable remedy for throat and lung complaints, and would no more be without a bottle than I would be without food." For nearly forty years New Discovery has stood at the head of throat and lung remedies. As a preventive of pneumonia, and a healer of weak lungs it has no equal. Sold under guarantee at C. M. Shuford & W. S. Martin DRUG Co.
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