

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Mr. R. A. Grimes is building an elegant home on 13th ave.

Mr. Geo. S. Blackwelder, of Canton, is visiting his parents.

Miss Lillie Jones of Happy Valley is visiting Mrs. W. A. Hall.

Rev. J. A. Yount of Cenover R. F. D. No. 1. was in the city Monday.

Put the drag on the roads now and they will soon be in good shape.

Mr. Frank Wolfe of Spencer, spent Sunday in the city with relatives.

Miss Bessie Smith, of Catawba, was the guest of Miss Claudie Yount Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Groves of Lincolnton are spending several days with W. A. Hall.

Mr. A. B. Henderson has gone to Marion on business for Morrison and Smith.

Mr. J. P. Foster, of Lynchburg, Va., a representative of the International Correspondence School, was in the city his week.

For a mild easy action of the bowels a single dose of Doan's Regulets is enough. Treatment cures habitual constipation 25 cents a box Ask your druggist for them.

Messrs. Icenhour and Smith, proprietors of the Grand Theatre, are showing some splendid pictures. The Naval Review Monday night was enjoyed by large crowds. They will be over every a fortnight.

When given as soon as the croupy cough appears Chamberlain's Cough Remedy will ward off an attack of croup and prevent all danger and cause of anxiety. Thousands of mothers use it successfully. Sold by all dealers.

Hickory regrets to learn of the serious illness of the State Librarian M. O. Sherrill, of Newton, as a result of his serious fall on the ice in Raleigh. It is said he is growing weaker all the time.

Luda Leach, a negro girl, 10 years old, a twin, caught fire at a neighbor's house Monday afternoon and ran a long distance to her home, her clothes burning. She died later on, her entire body being cooked and her tongue parched.

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LOCAL

Borne to Mr. and Mrs. T. K. Walsh, a girl.

Mr. W. M. Thompson is spending several weeks on a visit to Florida, running away from the snow.

Mr. Q. E. Herman, who is doing building work for Mr. E. A. Clinard in the Happy Valley, ran down for a visit this week.

Squire S. E. Killian, one of the ablest justices of the peace in the State and an old Confederate soldier, is out for county treasurer to succeed Mr. J. U. Long, who has served two terms very respectably and will not run again. Squire Killian is one of the most popular men in C.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. I. Lanier, a girl.

By writing to Purcell in Charlotte you can get a reproduction of Mona Lisa, the great picture recently stolen from the art gallery.

After 32 years in Kansas, Mr. J. Deal has returned to Catawba county on a visit. Mr. Deal now owns 50 acres of fine paria land. He is in the interest of a patent clothes washer.

The Grand Theatre will be open every afternoon from 2:30 to 5:30 for the benefit of the ladies and children. The admission for the afternoon will be 5 cents to everybody.

Rev. D. H. Litaker preached his first regular sermon last Sunday and his congregation was most gratifying.

Mr. J. D. Elliott, Miss Hazel Elliott, and Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Elliott have gone to Florida and Cuba to spend a week or so.

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