

### Gunpowder Items

Gunpowder, N. C., Apr. 10.—Rev. J. W. Kennedy filled his regular monthly appointment at Rocky Mount Sunday morning at 11 o'clock. Prior to this a neat little Easter program was rendered by the children. Sunday school was organized to meet at 10 o'clock.

Mr. J. W. Clay, of Hickory, accompanied by his wife and child, was present and presented the object and workings of the Laymen's Missionary movement. He made quite an interesting and enthusiastic speech which was well received. He also extended an urgent invitation to all to attend the great Laymen's Convention to be held in Hickory April 17th and 18th. Messrs. J. H. and G. W. Sherrill were elected delegates to the convention.

Mrs. F. T. Sherrill and babe, of Lenoir, spent several days last week visiting relatives.

Mr. Azor Woods, of Hickory, spent Easter with Master Ralph Sherrill.

There was a box supper at the Sherrill school house Saturday night, the object being to raise funds to buy bells for the Methodist and Lutheran churches. The proceeds were not very flattering.

Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Yount and little daughter, of Hickory, spent Easter with Mrs. Yount's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Babel Sherrill.

Mr. John Hallman, who had been in Canton, N. C., for several months, came home a few days ago to rest up awhile.

Mrs. Fannie Smathers and her little child, of Canton, N. C., are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Hallman.

The farmers are very much behind with their work on account of the rainy weather this spring.

Heavy, impure blood makes a muddy, pimply complexion, headaches, nausea, indigestion. Thin blood makes you weak, pale and sickly. For pure blood, sound digestion, use Burdock Blood Bitters, \$1.00 at all stores.

### Holy Trinity Lutheran Church

Rev. J. H. Wannemacher Pastor,

Sunday School	-	-	9:45 a. m.
Chief Service	-	-	11 a. m.
Junior League	-	-	2:30 p. m.
Evening Service	-	-	7:30 p. m.

### The Danger After Grip

lies often in a run down system, weakness, nervousness, lack of appetite, energy and ambition, while disordered liver and kidneys often follow an attack of this wretched disease. The greatest need then is Electric Bitters, the glorious tonic, blood purifier and regulator of stomach Liver and kidneys. Thousands have proved that they wonderfully strengthen the nerves, build up the system and restore to health and good spirits after an attack of Grip. If suffering try them. Only 50c. Sold and perfect satisfaction guaranteed by C. M. Shuford, Moser & Lutz, Grimes Drug Co.

### A Deputation at Palm Tree

Palm Tree Methodist church, in Lincoln county, near Henry, will send delegates to the Laymen's Missionary Convention in Hickory April 17th and 18th. They are: Squire John J. Johnson and Mr. C. L. Heavner, principals, and Messrs. W. O. Houser and S. M. Linn, alternates.

Messrs. A. A. Whitener and Howard A. Banks visited this church Sunday, driving 15 miles through the rain. The Quarterly Conference was in progress and Presiding Elder S. B. Turrentine preached a splendid sermon in the morning on the relation of the Sunday school to the church. A fine dinner was served in the grove, after which the Hickory laymen spoke and invited the church to send delegates. Mr. Whitener made a most eloquent plea for missions. The zealous pastor, Rev. N. M. Modlin, will be sure to be here.

This is a fine old country church and it is where the Hoyles got their religious training. One of the leading stewards is Mr. Hoyle. Mr. D. A. Propst, a member, has a son on the Africa Inland Mission field, with which mission Mr. Bank's is connected as editor of Hearing and Doing, the organ of this mission. It was a pleasure to be in fellowship with this congregation during its celebration of the Lord's Supper.

In driving over there we found the roads to be in very fine condition. Mr. D. A. Abernethy needs to be especially commended for the splendid condition in which his roads were found to be. The split log drag had been over them only a few days previous.

We drove over the stretch of new sand-clay road at Brookford for the first time, and it is a thing of beauty and a joy forever. It is great to think that we will have 50 or 60 miles of this road within two or three years after we vote the \$50,000 bond issue.

Mr. Whitener is a beautiful driver and knew where to find the good roads, as if by inspiration. Master Manly Whitener was a small but very interesting companion in travel.

### It Looks Like A Crime

to separate a boy from a box of Bucklen's Arnica Salve. His pimples, boils, scratches, knocks, sprains and bruises demand it, and its quick relief for burns, scalds or cuts is his right. Keep it handy for boys, also girls. Heals everything healable and does it quick. Unequaled for piles. Only 25c at C. M. Shuford, Moser & Lutz, Grimes Drug Co.

Miss Claudia Yount spent Sunday with her parents near Conover.

### The System Needs Some

sort of a tonic in the spring time. This lack of energy and "tired feeling" is a common ailment at this season. Perhaps you have in mind some Spring Medicine you would like to take. If you can get Dr. King's Iron Tonic Bitters, take that—don't hesitate. No cure, no pay. By all medicine dealers.

### NOTICE! NOTICE!

#### Bond Election in Hickory Township.

Notice is hereby given that, in pursuance of an order made by the Board of Commissioners of Catawba County at their regular meeting on Monday, March 4th, 1912, and in accordance with law, an election will be held in Hickory Township on the 15th day of April, 1912, on the question of issuing bonds of said township to the amount of Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$50,000) for permanent road improvement to run for a period of twenty years and to bear interest at the rate of six per cent per annum, payable semi-annually on the 1st day of January and July of each year, for which election a new registration of the voters of said township has been ordered by said Board. The registration books will be open at the regular polling places in said township, to-wit—North Hickory and South Hickory precincts—, for twenty days next preceding the 15th day of April, 1912, when and where all qualified voters will be given opportunity to register for said election.

At said election, those favoring the issuing of bonds as proposed, will vote a ballot on which shall be printed or written the words "For Road Bonds", and those opposing the issuing of bonds as proposed will vote a ballot on which shall be printed or written the words "Against Road Bonds".

E. D. Gamble,  
Clerk Ex-officio of Board of Commissioners of Catawba County.  
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#### Notice! Sale of Valuable Real Estate.

Whereas, on the 24th day of March, 1910, A. L. Wilfong and Maggie Wilfong, his wife, executed to A. L. Bumgardner a certain mortgage registered in Book No. 92, on page 197, in the office of the Register of Deeds for Catawba County, North Carolina, to secure the payment of three certain notes and interest on same;

And Whereas default has been made in the payment of the interest on said notes and in the payment of principal, all three of the notes being now due and unpaid;

Now, therefore, by virtue of the powers contained in the above described mortgage, the undersigned mortgagee, will sell at public auction for cash at the steps of the Post Office in the city of Hickory, Catawba county, North Carolina, on Saturday, the 4th day of May, 1912, at twelve thirty o'clock, P. M., the following described property, to-wit:

Lot No. 1, Beginning at a stone in L. H. Moore's line and runs with said Moore's lines South 87 East 10 poles to a stake; thence South 2 1-2 West 36 poles to a Stake; thence South 76 West 10 3-5 poles to a stake; thence North 2 1-2 East 39 1-2 poles to the beginning. Same being lot No. 2 in plat and containing 2 acres, 1 rod and 17 poles.

Second lot, Beginning at a stone in L. H. Moore's line and runs South 87 East 15 1-4 poles to a stone, Dietz' corner; thence with the Dietz line South 2 1-2 West 31 2-5 poles to a stake; thence South 76 West 14 17-25 poles to a stake; thence North 2 1-2 East 36 poles to the beginning. Same containing two acres, three rods and thirty three poles.

Third lot, Beginning at a post oak, Dietz' corner and runs with Dietz line North 2 1-2 East 41.1 poles to a stake; thence South 76 West 25 7-25 poles to a stake; thence South 2 1-2 West 34 poles to a stake in Whisnants' line; thence South 87 1-2 East 24 1-5 poles to the beginning. The same containing five acres, two rods and thirty poles.

This the 2nd day of April, 1912.  
A. L. Bumgardner, Mortgagee.  
Bagby & Blackwelder, Attorneys.

Elderly people use Dr. Miles' Laxative Tablets because they are mild.