

Festival of Reformation.
At Lenoir College on Sunday evening at 7:30 a special Reformation service will be held. It has been the custom for years to observe this religious festival at the College. It is pleasing indeed to note the growing interest of the church in this important celebration. And it is safe to predict a yet greater interest hereafter for the future, for as mankind in general grows in the appreciation of the work Dr. Martin Luther and his co-reformers this annual commemoration of it will be enlivened and strengthened.

Every civilized man has reason to feel thankful for Luther, and much more especially every Christian. This year's Reformation service should be greater in interest and attendance than at any past time. It is safe to say that perhaps much more time is being given to preparation for it than at any past time.

Dr. J. H. Harms, President of Newberry College, Newberry, S. C., will deliver the Reformation sermon. Dr. Harms is a very popular preacher in the South and much in demand. The music is being worked up by Miss L. B. Hallman and Miss E. V. Schultz, teachers at Lenoir College. Some of the special music to be rendered is as follows:

Eye hath us seen, The Holy City. A. R. Gaul, Miss Schultz.
Be Not Afraid, Elijah—Mendelsohn, chorus choir.
Solo—selected, Mrs. B. K. Patterson—The Son of God goes forth to War. Double male quartette.

The Lenoir College Orchestra, with Miss Hallman, pianist, will offer several selections.

Subscriptions Payable in Advance

The attention of our subscribers is again directed to our cash-in-advance plan, which is now in effect. All subscribers are asked to keep their subscriptions paid up well in advance.

Our field representative, Mr. S. J. Lawrence, will call on a great number of subscribers and will be pleased to get your renewal. He will also be in position to offer a splendid club combination. Read the offer on the last page.

The Youth's Companion for 1913
The Youth's Companion appeals to every interest of family life, from housekeeping to athletics. It begins with stories of youthful vim and vigor with articles which disclose the secrets of successful play in the great games, with charming tales of life at the girls' colleges. But the Companion does not surrender these readers when they have entered the more serious paths of life. Mothers will welcome the page for little children and the weekly doctor's article. Fathers will find the important news of the day as it is, and not as it is rumored to be. The entire household will appreciate the sketches which touch gently on common foibles or caricature eccentricities. In short, for less than four cents a week the Companion brings into the home clean entertainment, pure inspiration, fine ideals, increase of knowledge.

Names rarely seen in tables of contents will be found in The Companion's Announcement for 1913, which will be sent upon request—with samples of the paper, to those not familiar with it.

Every new subscriber for 1913 will receive free all the issues for the remaining weeks of 1912; also free, The Companion Window Transparency and Calendar for 1913, in rich, translucent colors—the most beautiful of all Companion souvenirs.

THE YOUTH'S COMPANION,
144 Berkeley St., Boston, Mass.
New Subscriptions Received at this Office.

DEMOCRATS WILL WIN.

Wilson will Get Landslide and Catawba will be Safe.

This near the election things look like an overwhelming vote for Wilson. Manager McCombs predicts the carrying of every state but Utah, but this seems extravagant. The Republicans in desperation are resorting to their last resort of crying panic, and yet even cotton is going up and giving the lie to their silly charge.

All the state senatorial candidates are claiming victory. Simmons claims a landslide for himself, but there appears to be every reason to expect a second primary. Judge Clark seems to have been making heavy gains in the last few weeks, and thinks he will be second in the race, though Kitchen people also confidently claim victory.

Catawba county looks o. k. Hickory township appears to be good for 100 Democratic majority which means carrying the county.

Wedding in South Fork—Another to Follow

The farmers are very busy just now with their potato crop, which is a pretty fair yield. They are sowing wheat and oats.

Mr. Edgar Theodore Yoder, son of P. R. Yoder was married to Miss Mespie Whitener, daughter of A. D. Whitener, Sunday the 27th. J. W. Boggs, N. P. of Jacobs Fork township, officiating. We wish them a long and happy life, a pocket full of money and a kitchen full of provision to subsist on.

There is another wedding a brewing that is expected to come quite shortly.

The Democrats are wide awake in the South Fork vicinity and are doing a good job of it. We think it will be a very close race at our box.

COLONEL

Holy Trinity Lutheran Church

Sunday School 9:45 a. m.
Reformation Service 11 a. m.
No evening Service.

In the evening Holy Trinity will unite with St. Andrews and the student body of Lenoir College in a Junoir Service at the College. Service to begin at 7:30.

Next week the pastor will on Tuesday go to Chapin South Carolina, to attend meeting of Synod. The following week he will go to Atlanta, Ga. to attend the meeting of the United Synod of the Lutheran Church South. In all he will be gone about two weeks.

The Harvest Services last Sunday were attended by 1000 people. Junior Lutheran League received high compliments in the manner it rendered the beautiful Service "Golden Sheaves".

Catawba Items

Mrs. Eiva Little, of Newton, spent the week-end with her son Dr. C. A. Little.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Booth have returned from an extended trip North.

Mrs. J. C. Wilkerson spent Thursday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Z. V. Leonard, on her way from Newton to Mt. Ula.

Mrs. Oscar Sherrill is visiting Mrs. J. W. Blackwelder in Hickory.

Mrs. Gardner of Charlotte is a guest of Mrs. John Sherrill.

Miss Ethel Brown of Davenport College spent Friday night with Miss Winona Leonard.

Mr. Ross Smith of the Southern spent Sunday night with his parents Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Smith.

Mrs. R. D. Ruffy and Mrs. S. Ruffy left last week for Hickory Grove, S. C. to visit Mrs. R. D. Ruffy's parents Mr. and Mrs. Cobb.

Mr. and Mrs. Scheil, of Hickory, and Mr. Henry and Miss Mary Rhyne, of Startown, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Sherrill Sunday.

Messrs. R. T. Bailey and E. E. Herman of Asheville were guests in town Sunday.

Mrs. Fickie Lowrance who has been visiting Mr. J. W. Lowrance has returned to her home near Newton.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Yount spent the week-end in Newton with Mr. and Mrs. Jones Yount.

Mrs. J. W. Lowrance returned from a three weeks visit in Sedalia and Greensboro Monday.

Mr. J. S. Leonard of Statesville spent a few hours in town Monday.

Mr. E. L. Shuford for Clark.

Judge Clark gains another valuable recruit in the person of Mr. E. L. Shuford, former County Democratic Chairman of Catawba County.

"I am with the judge in his position as to freight discrimination," said Mr. Shuford and on the other great public questions of the day. If all those believe as he does, will vote their convictions, Judge Clark will be in the second primary and will sweep the deck."

Judge Council to Mr. Jonas

Judge Council requests the Democrat to say as his reply to Mr. Jonas' card in the last issue of the Democrat that he was told by a person whom he had no reason to doubt that Mr. Jonas had sent a man to ask for a division of time but that the man made it convenient not to find him.

He was within proper bounds in asking where Mr. Jonas stood, for Roosevelt is not the nominee of the Republican party, and the Progressives repudiate the Republican platform. It still looks as if Mr. Jonas is trying to ride two horses at once.

Judge Council acceded to a unanimous general request of the splendid Democracy of Lincoln and Catawba to make the race for the State Senate and has no doubt of his triumphant election. As to the senatorial race, which is a family matter and no affair whatever of Mr. Jonas, Judge Council will support the nominee of the Democrat party.

The Judge has his own list of appointments, but if Mr. Jonas wishes to cancel his, the Judge will do so likewise, and make out a new list for a joint canvass.

Too Much for 50 Cents

King's Improved Chill and Fever Tonic is the finest I ever saw. I sold one bottle which cured some in three families. The only objection I have to it is that it cures too many people.

S. H. MATHIS,
Conrad's, N. C.

Taste not bad. Large bottle. Always cures and chills don't return old by all medicine dealers.

Presbyterian Church Notes

The pastor, Rev. J. G. Garth, will preach both morning and evening next Sabbath. He will also preach at West Hickory Chapel at 4 p. m.

The Sunday School at West Hickory is taking on new interest. The books "Winning the Oregon Country" have arrived and the boys and girls will be expected to meet next Sunday at 9 p. m. to begin the preparation for the missionary match game.

Wilson, Progressive
Bryan's Commoner

Read this, progressives, whether you call yourselves democrats or republicans:

"My first allegiance is to the progressive policies to which I have openly and solemnly dedicated every power I possess. Everything else must stand aside in the interest of the country and of the great state of which I am governor. I have pointed out to you facts and forces toward which you may perhaps, have grown indifferently indifferent in this bright day of New Jersey's regeneration. I know you will act when you are re-minded of them. We can indulge nothing when the stake is our country's welfare and prosperity and the honor of our party."

Is that not a bugle call? How many public men would write such a letter at such a time? And yet it is in line with what he has done before. He prevented the election of this same man to the senate when, ignoring the primary election law, Smith attempted to use his corporate connections to take the prize away from Martine; he refused to allow Ryan to contribute to the expenses of his campaign for the nomination—branding Ryan as the national convention did later; he insisted upon the selection of a progressive temporary chairman to sound the keynote of the campaign; and later he kept the lists again to prevent the election of a senator who, calling himself a Democrat, is committed to reactionary policies.

Do not these acts prove him both progressive and courageous? Do they not entitle him to the support of all progressives? He is the only thoroughly progressive candidate for president. Mr. Taft is progressive in nothing; Mr. Roosevelt is progressive in somethings and reactionary in others; Governor Wilson is progressive in everything, and he is growing every day.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Mr. C. T. Morrison will have a car load of Ford Automobiles to arrive in a few days.

Mr. F. P. Moser is home from Rock Hill, S. C., where he is building several big store houses.

Ex-Sheriff J. W. Blackwelder is back from Oklahoma. Mr. Bryan Jones is another traveler who is home to vote for Wilson.

Postmaster C. F. McKesson of Morganton paid the Democrat a pleasant visit Monday.

Mr. A. W. Cline, of the N. C. Christian Advocate, of Greensboro, is assisting in the management of the Fair this week.

Miss Neta Davis, of Waynesville, is visiting friends in the city this week.

The only night air which is injurious is last night's. Open the windows and let it out.

If you let the child have measles when he is young, you may save a doctor's bill later, but you may have to pay the undertaker now.

Mrs. P. H. Brittain, of Pilot Mountain, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Cline, near Conover.

Farmers who have been coming in to make entries for the fair from this section of Catawba and southern Alexander appear to be chiefly for Clark, with Kitchen second.

Tilfred Cline and daughter, Miss Atha, have returned to their home in Virginia, Ill., where he is a prominent farmer. He went from Catawba many years ago. He visited his mother, Mrs. Adeline Cline, in the county. He also visited his friend, Mr. F. P. Moser. He has made a neat little fortune farming in Illinois.

Messrs. S. C. and James Coffey and W. E. Smith, of Kelsey, on the edge of Caldwell and Watauga, were in the city with apples and cabbage. They got 65 and 70 cents for the apples. Some of them were pippins. Mr. S. C. Coffey's father is very ill with heart dropsy and he could not therefore stay over for the fair.

There is a fine set of Democrats at Moss school in the southeastern end of the county. They waited till 9 o'clock Tuesday night to hear Mr. B. B. Blackwelder and the Editor of the Democrat, who reached Catawba on a train one hour late and drove nine miles through the country.

Hon. Thos. Settle spoke to a big crowd in the Thornton Opera House Saturday night. Mr. Settle is a brilliant speaker but dealt largely in sophistries in bolstering up his local option plank, his main standby in his regular race for Governor.

Symptoms of Consumption

Yield to Vinol.

The medical profession do not believe that consumption is inherited, but a person may inherit a weakness or tendency to that disease.

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Try a bottle of Vinol with the understanding that your money will be returned if it does not help.

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For the Wilson Fund

The Hickory Democrat and the Wilson-Craig Club working together have sent about \$43 to the News and Observer's Wilson campaign fund, which is now about \$22,000. North Carolina is asked for \$25,000 and will doubtless reach the amount. Texas and Kentucky are the only two states ahead of us.

It is not too late yet to send in your \$1.00 to this cause. The following are the contributors:

The following made subscriptions of \$1.00: J. F. Dellinger, C. M. Shuford, S. L. Whitener, C. C. Bost, N. M. Newton, R. B. Fry, J. A. Bowles, W. C. Thompson, J. C. Williams, N. M. Seagle, J. A. Lentz, Edgar D. Yoder, Howard A. Banks, R. L. Fritz, Setzer & Russell, E. L. Flowers, G. L. Lyerly, J. F. Abernethy, Chris Lazarus, E. B. Menzies, Roy Abernethy, Ed H. Dowles, (Chicago), J. A. Moretz, T. L. Henkel, N. T. Webb (Tennessee), L. S. Sherrill, J. V. Harper, Dr. T. F. Stevenson, J. H. Hatcher, J. L. Abernethy, J. L. Stone, E. M. Yoder, H. H. Little, J. W. Blackwelder, Capt. Bradley (conductor S. A. L.)

The following \$2. subscriptions: A. A. Shuford, Jr., W. B. Menzies, Dr. W. B. Ramsay.

The following 50 cents subscriptions: D. H. Russell, C. L. Mosteller, J. H. Patrick, J. W. Clay, A. L. Moser.

Saved by His Wife

She's a wise woman who knows just what to do when her husband's life is in danger, but Mrs. R. J. Flint, Braintree, Vt., is of that kind. "She insisted on my using Dr. King's New Discovery," writes Mr. F. "for a dreadful cough, when I was so weak my friends all thought I had only a short time to live, and it completely cured me." A quick cure for coughs and colds, it's the most safe and reliable medicine for many throat and lung troubles—grip, bronchitis, croup, whooping cough, quinsy, tonsillitis, hemorrhages. A trial will convince you. 50 cts. and \$1.00. Guaranteed by C. M. Shuford, Moser & Lutz and Grimes.

Her Idea of Player Piano.

An observing little miss of five was visiting one afternoon at a house where there was a player piano, and she was much interested. On her return home she described it to her mother as a machine into which they poked a porous plaster and ground it up into music.

The South Fork Baptist Association met at Maiden from Thursday to Saturday, 54 churches represented. Beulah church was dismissed by letter and East Lowell received by application. Messrs. Osborn Brown was re-elected Moderator, J. D. Elliott, vice moderator and J. F. Click, clerk. D. P. Dellinger was elected treasurer. Messrs. Kesler, of the orphanage; Cullom, of Wake Forest, Bradshaw, of Hickory, and Pastor Johnson of Morganton, spoke on the orphans, education, State missions and foreign missions, respectively. The next meeting will be in Mt. Holly.

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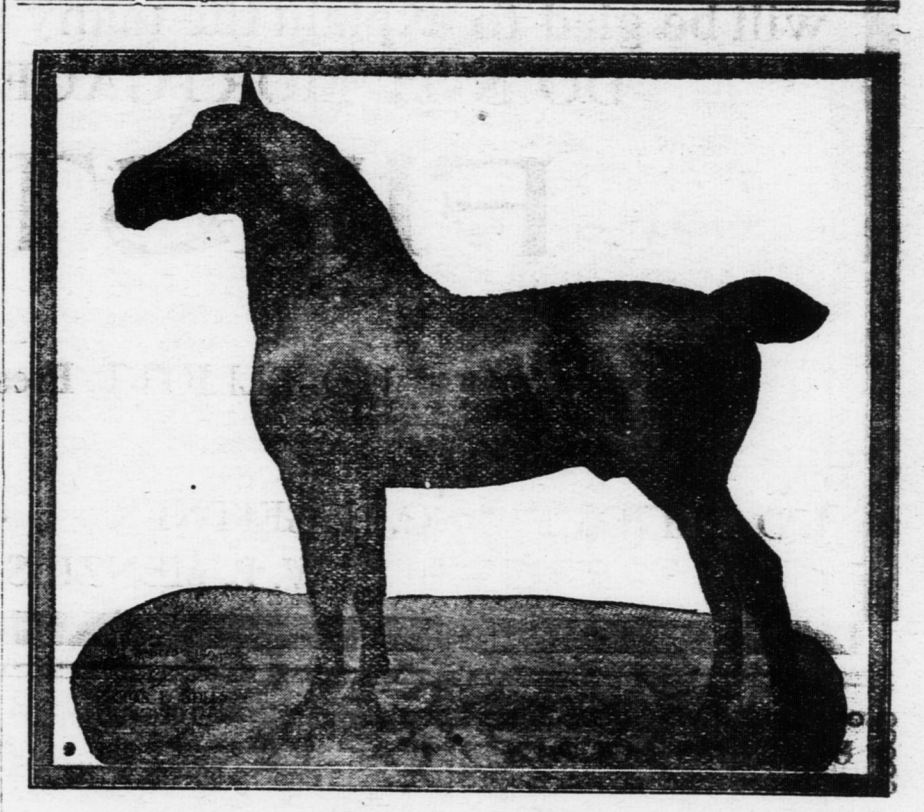
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