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Mr. Dave Fry gets the contract for the new bridge over Jacob's Fork on the new road from Hickory to Dr. Foard's and has already begun work on it.

Hickory gets the next meeting of the Tennessee Synod.

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The Evangelical Lutheran Tennessee Synod met in 93d annual session in St. Jacob's church, Chapin, S. C., on the 6th. Rev. W. Lutz, of Statesville, and R. C. Little, of Shiloh township, were in attendance from this county. There was a very full attendance of ministerial and lay delegates. Education, mission and inter-mission work were the chief topics discussed. Rev. W. D. Haltiwanger, who recently accepted a call to the Iredell pastorate, was ordained. Most of the clergy and many prominent laymen left Chaplain yesterday for Atlanta to attend the semi-annual meeting of the United Synod of the Evangelical Lutheran Church of the South.—Statesville Landmark.

Ash Can on Wheels. A Connecticut inventor has mounted an ash can on wheels and equipped it with handles which can be locked to hold the affair stationary when they are not required for moving it.

"Doan's Ointment cured me of eczema that had annoyed me for a long time. The result was lasting."—Hon. S. W. Matthews, Commissioner, Labor Statistics, Augusta, Me.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Mr. Fred Anderson, of Hickory, spent several days here last week, the guest of his brother, Mr. Edmond Anderson.—Lincoln Times.

Oscar Frederick, a Swede, was drowned on last Monday at Nags Head.

Mrs. Post and Miss Harriet Riddle are at home at J. L. Riddle's.

Mrs. H. M. Doll and Mrs. J. G. Garth were out at Catawba Springs last Friday.

Mrs. A. Bourbonnais has returned from an extended visit to Michigan and Canada.

The United Daughters of the Confederacy will meet with Mrs. W. X. Keid on Monday, the 18th.

Messrs. N. S. Dasher and A. K. Joy went over to Hudson and Lenoir in the former's auto yesterday.

Miss Naomi Moore is spending a few days at her uncle's, Lewis Moore's.

W. A. Hall was up at Lenoir Sunday. Mrs. Hall has been with her mother since her father's death. She was expected home Wednesday.

Miss Coline Monroe has gone to the mountains of Eastern Kentucky to engage in Home Mission work under the auspices of the America Inland Mission.

Rev. R. P. Smith, superintendent of Home Missions in Asheville Presbytery, was here last Friday, purchasing seats for a new Presbyterian church at Andrew, N. C. He placed an order with the Hickory Mfg. Co.

Mr. Staley, nephew of Mr. A. W. Doll, spent last Sabbath with his Uncle. Mr. Staley is a traveling salesman, and hopes to make frequent visits to Hickory.

Little Ivey Little, youngest child of J. W. Little, of the firm of Harris & Little, has been sick with a light attack of pneumonia, but is now recovering.

Dr. and Mrs. Riggs, from Greenville, Tenn., have taken rooms at J. W. Little's in 13th St. Dr. Riggs is a veterinary surgeon.

The torpedo boats Erickson, Cushing and McKee were towed to Lynn Haven Bay Sunday by the naval tugs Hercules and Mohawk to become targets for American battleships.

Among the names of those mentioned for the post-mastership under Wilson are Messrs. Henry Aiken, J. F. Dellinger, Dr. K. A. Price, Mr. W. P. Huffman, and C. H. Cline.

Attention is called to the card in this paper of Mr. W. P. Huffman, who asks his friends to withhold their support as to the post office until after Mr. Wilson takes the reins of office when he intends to enter race.

Miss Mary Campbell Shuford left Monday for Edenton to attend the wedding of her schoolmate, Miss Betsy Dickson to Mr. A. Vann of Franklinton.

Rev. O. C. Propst, of Woodstock, Va., is spending a few days in the city on legal business. He will remain a few days with his parents and many friends before returning to Virginia.

Chief Shell shot at but missed a negro named Ramseur at Henkel's stables last Sunday. The negro was drunk and doped. It is said and interfered with the officer in making an arrest.

Rev. E. D. Heald is again in Hickory, the guest of Mrs. Emma B. Taylor. He preached very acceptably to the church of the Ascension last Sunday.

Hundreds of southern women wearing the red and white ribbon of the United Daughters of the Confederacy, are in Washington for the nineteenth annual convention of the organization which was opened Tuesday. Sessions will be held until Saturday.

Chairman J. D. Elliott states that there was a bad error in the count of the commissioners vote which made it appear that Mr. S. L. Whitener's majority was only 10 over his opponent, Mr. Stroup. As a matter of fact Mr. Shuford had 110 majority, leading the commissioners vote.

Mr. J. W. Robinson, president of the Fair Assn requests that all people who are interested in the organization of a permanent Fair meet at the Chamber of Commerce Tuesday night Nov. 18th at 7:30 for the purpose of electing officers, and appointing a committee to select desirable Fair grounds. It is hoped that the meeting will be largely attended. Much interest has already been manifested in same.

Everett, the infant child of Z. B. Pierce, of West Hickory, died last night of congestion of the kidneys induced through diphtheria. The services were conducted at Honck's Chapel by Rev. J. G. Garth this afternoon. Mr. Pierce has had a great deal of trouble recently, and in this sad affliction the whole community deeply sympathizes with him.

Hickory, N. C. Nov. 16

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Two Aerial Flights

Of 20 Minutes or More Duration

in a Curtiss Biplane introducing all that is New, Novel, Entertaining, and Instructive in a

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The Flights will be made after 2 P. M.

All the broken parts of the machine have been replaced, and it is now in perfect order and on exhibit at the Air Dome.



The Elizabeth City, Weekly Advance, of Oct. 25th, says in part as follows:

"Yesterday the flight was made and a beautiful flight it was. Rising from the Fair ground at about 4:30, J. B. McCalley, who holds the Pennsylvania Altitude Record of 10,500 feet, circled over Elizabeth City at an altitude of 6,000 feet, amid the blaudits of the admiring multitudes. During the flights Mr. McCalley made one of his celebrated "dips" dropping almost perpendicular from the great altitude of 6,000 to 500 feet. Seeing him going to apparently certain destruction, many of the spectators who a few minutes before had been hooting at him as a fake and imposter were almost hysterical in their concern for his safety."

The Flights will be made at the

Shuford Ball Park

Saturday, Nov. 16, Between 2 and 5 P. M.

Machine on Exhibition all Day.

That the flights will be made, and to the entire satisfaction of the public is assured by **The Pennsylvania Aviation Co.**



Mr. C. T. Morrison has gone to Fowlerton, Tex., to investigate that section on behalf of a number of prospective Hickory purchasers. Mr. G. W. Claxton is here, selling farms of from 10 to 640 acres on time and easy terms. With each purchase goes a town lot, 50x150. Fowlerton is one year old and has 1600 people. Its prosperity is based chiefly on the black sandy loam soil, which produces 1-4 bales to the acre, cotton, while alfalfa is cut 9 times a year. It is a fine cattle ranch section. Two railroads pass through the town.

The official vote is not all in as to the commissioners, so the Democrat will not print the official vote till next week.

Messrs. J. W. Clay, Arthur L. Moser and Howard A. Eanks spent on Saturday to Tuesday night in the mountains tramping from Alta-Pass to Morganton. They climbed Table Rock, striking the wrong ridge for the ascent, and had to climb over half a mile of precipitous rocks, at one place pulling and pushing each other up. They were without water from 5 o'clock Monday till 2 o'clock Tuesday. They pronounce the view of the Linville river in the Gorge at Bynum's Bluff the finest in western North Carolina. The river darts off at right angles there, making a beautiful crystal-clear V-shape. They ran by two bear hunts. Messrs. Moser and Clay got many fine pictures.

The Woodmen of the World's annual grand rally will be held in the local hall with Hickory camp No. 80, next Tuesday. There will be songs by the Woodman quartette, music by the band, while the addresses include the following: Address of Welcome by Sovereign M. C. D. Owens; Objects of Woodcraft, by Counsel Commander J. A. Reitzel; "Peace, Harmony and Plenty," by Sovereign M. C. D. Owens; "Love, Honor and Remembrance," by Rev. Mr. Hornbuck, of Morganton; History and Achievements of Woodcraft, by W. T. Clarke, of Morganton.

Death of Mrs. Lee Cline.

Mrs. Cline, who has been in feeble health for some time, suffering periodically from severe attacks, was taken to Statesville to the hospital last Wednesday. After examination it was deemed best to operate, and it was revealed that gall stones were the cause of her sufferings. Being too weak to stand the shock of the operation, she succumbed on Tuesday night, and the body was brought home on Wednesday morning. Mrs. Cline was well known. Her parents were Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Lawrence Cline, remain to bemoan her loss, together with many loving neighbors and friends. She was a very sweet woman and a member of the Episcopal church, which she attended faithfully when ever her health permitted. The funeral took place today at the late residence of the deceased on 9th avenue, conducted by Rev. E. D. Heald.

22 YEARS PASTOR

Dr. Murphy Delightfully Surprised by His Congregation

On the 22nd anniversary of his pastorate, Dr. J. L. Murphy was given a delightful surprise by his congregation in the form of a reception in the basement of the Reformed church. About 175 members and friends of Dr. Murphy were present to felicitate him on his splendid work in this city and section. There were several spelling bees among the younger people. A bomb shell which mowed down the ranks was "manoeuvre," which the Blue Back spells "maneuver," Peter Abernethy turned down about a dozen big boys and girls on "woful". Everybody insisted on putting in an "e." A beautiful original poem was read by Mrs. Bost. It follows:

We come with loving hearts to greet Our earnest, faithful pastor, Whose helpful words and kindly deeds Have made the years fly faster. We gladly come to celebrate The good these years have brought us And voice the love we feel for you, Who've helped and cheered and taught us. You've stood by us when skies were bright And taught foretold disaster, You've joyed with us in all our joys, Our church's best loved pastor. And when in trouble dark and deep Our grief we could not laster, You've comfort brought and words of cheer— Our well beloved pastor. We pledge unwavering loyalty Through fair or stormy weather, If foes assail and days be drear, We'll stand the storm together. When friends are true, or trials come, We'll share your joys and sorrows, We trust the future holds for you Long life, and glad tomorrows.

Bank Resources the Greatest Ever

Lawrence O. Murray, Comptroller of the Currency, Friday issued a statement indicating that the resources of the bank in the United States, national State and private, are the highest in the history of the country. According to reports of their condition on June 14 the comptroller says 25,000 of the 29,000 banks in the country showed aggregate resources of \$24,955,000,000, an increase of \$1,324,000,000 over the resources of 24,000 banks which made returns in 1911. The total individual deposits amounted to \$17,012,000,000, an increase of \$1,105,000,000. The four thousand banks from which no reports were received by the comptroller were chiefly brokerage concerns with an estimated aggregate capital of \$79,000,000.

In Bankruptcy

In the matter of George W. Crabtree, bankrupt. To the creditors of the above of Hickory in the county of Catawba, and district of North Carolina, a bankrupt. Notice hereby given that on the 5th day of Nov. A. D. 1912 the said George W. Crabtree was duly adjudicated bankrupt; and that the first meeting of creditors will be held at Hickory, N. C. on the 20th day of Nov. A. D. 1912, 10:30 o'clock in the forenoon, at which time the said creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt, and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

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