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**THE CITY LOCK-UP.**

By expending a paltry sum of a few dollars, the city lock-up could be made at least sanitary, and have a little decency about it. "The place is not fit to keep a prisoner in," is an expression we have heard in reference to the place, and anyone looking it over can readily see that they are not far wrong. The cells are dirty and there is nothing for the prisoner to lie or sleep on except a mattress thrown on the floor. A few dollars expended for a cot or to build a bunk on the side of the wall will help greatly.

**HARMONY.**

Harmony is defined as union; just adaptation of parts to one another, so as to form a connected whole; accord in feeling, sentiment, etc. In view of the coming election we feel that this little word, "harmony", should be applied to our words and actions in all its meaning. We must pull together for our common good. The thing to do is to put up good men for the places and elect them, without resorting to bitter attacks, hard feelings and unkindness. Hickory is a good town and harmony will do more toward building it up than any other power that can be imagined.

**Ten Comforts That Pay Their Way.**

It is true in many, many cases that in using old-fashioned, labor-wasting implements and machinery you are simply doing hard, slow, back-breaking work when it would really be cheaper to do the work with an improved outfit, to say nothing of the greater ease and comfort of the new plan. In other words, the improved implement pays for itself in greater efficiency besides making work easier and life happier for you, and in using the old method you are simply paying for the privilege of doing work the hardest way. Farm and Fireside refers to "Ten Farm Comforts that Pay Their Way," as follows:

1. Cream Separator.
2. Manure Spreader.
3. Fanning Mill.
4. Gasoline Engine.
5. Typewriter.
6. Telephone.
7. Washing Machine.
8. Running Water.
9. Sewing Machine.
10. Automobile.

Of course, not every one of these will pay its way on every farm. But all of them will on some farms, and some of them will on all farms. Check up and see how many are working for you.—Progressive Farmer.

**A Marriage License of 1860.**

Chairman Brinkley of the Board of County Commissioners has shown us an interesting old marriage license—issued December 19th, 1860, by J. B. Kincaid, then Clerk of the Superior Court of Burke county, to William Branch and Sarah Meckey. The paper is "short and sweet"—does not contain as much "red tape" as the license of today—but evidently answered every purpose, for Mr. Branch and wife lived happily together for years.

The license is addressed "To any regular minister of the gospel having the cure of souls, of whatever denominations, or to any justice of the peace of Burke county," and authorizes him to "celebrate and solemnize the rites of matrimony between William Branch and Sarah Meckey and join them together as man and wife."

The marriage ceremony was performed by J. R. Rust, J. P. of Bridgewater, "conformably to the ordinance of God and the laws of the State," on the 20th of December, 1860.—Morganton News Herald.

**The Forty Year Test.**

An article must have exceptional merit to survive for a period of forty years. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy was first offered to the public in 1872. From a small beginning it has grown in favor and popularity until it has attained a world wide reputation. You will find nothing better for a cough or cold. Try it and you will understand why it is a favorite after a period of more than forty years. It not only gives relief—it cures. For sale by Grimes Drug Co. and Moser & Lutz.

**Lewis Frank Warlick.**

L. F. Warlick is a son of Solomon Warlick and wife. He was born in what is now Catawba county, August 5, 1822. September 4th 1845 he married Sarah Paulina Robinson, a daughter of Jesse Robinson and wife.

L. F. Warlick had a good farm in Burke county on Henry's river. He was a successful farmer and a good business man. Mr. L. F. Warlick was a member of the M. E. Church, South. He was one of the founders of Warlick's Chapel which was built near his home. When the writer was a young minister he had the pleasure of visiting Mr. Warlick and family and while there he preached on Sunday at Warlick's Chapel. Solomon the father of Frank Warlick was at the time living with John a son of L. F. Warlick and wife. L. F. Warlick was for many years a magistrate. He was a leader among men in the community where he lived. His influence was always for good. The people where he lived were made better because he lived among them.

The wife of L. F. Warlick died June 20, 1886. In June 1887, L. F. Warlick married Sarah R. Warlick a daughter of Peter Warlick and wife. There were no children from this marriage. L. F. Warlick died September 2, 1893. His second wife died January 15, 1897. L. F. Warlick and his first wife are buried at Warlick's Chapel in Burke county.

Dr. Johnson lives at Hickory, N. C. He is a good citizen and a successful physician. While practicing medicine some miles in the country from Hickory he came to the home of Mr. L. F. Warlick and wife. Here he spent the night, Miss Sue C., an accomplished and worthy daughter of L. F. Warlick and wife, was present. On May 24, 1887 they became man and wife. Their home is now in Hickory. They are among the best people in the town. They are among the loyal members of the M. E. Church South.

Eli Solomon Warlick is a son of L. F. Warlick and wife. His home is at Morganton, N. C. He is a leading physician in Burke county. While practicing medicine a long way from home he saw a beautiful woman in Alexander county. The name of the woman was L. L. Flowers. In 1883 E. S. Warlick and L. L. Flowers were married. Their home in Morganton is a place of welcome to the writer when he is in their city.

J. H. SHUFORD.

**Conference of Farmers and Business Men.**

Washington, March 4.—Each year the papers are full of overflowing with reports of enormous meetings of merchants, bankers, manufacturers, railroad men labor unions and many fraternal orders. What a splendid thing it would be if the South of today should send her thousands of farmers, their friends and neighbors to the meeting which will be held at Louisville, Ky., April 7-8-9-10.

Certainly there never was a time riper for a careful and through discussion of the needs of the country than the present. It is a time when the farmers should get together to discuss their own vital everyday problem. A great number of the speakers at this Conference of Farmers and Business Men will be farmers who have come from between the plow handles, men who have worked their local problems in cooperation with an everyday way, a way in which any farmer could do practically the same thing in his own neighborhood.

That this meeting may obtain results it has been planned to use an ordinary program for one half of each of the four days. The other half of each of these days will be given over entirely to demonstrations in the Louisville armory, which has a floor space of two acres. Some of these demonstrations will show the organization of boys and girls clubs and model households for farmers' wives, others will show cooperative organizations as they are operated in rural communities in this country. Some of these demonstrations will be developed and exploited by men who are handling the same type of organizations in their own home communities, others will be presided over by experts from the State and National Government. Every effort will be made to see that the man who is visiting this meeting gets an impression not alone through his ears but also through his eyes.

It will be a great thing for the visitor to hear of this newer operation that is sweeping the country, but it will be infinitely better for him to see it at work. It will also be a golden opportunity for him to have his many questions answered by people who have had actual experience. It is expected that thousands will be in attendance.

To Prevent Blood Poisoning apply at once the wonderful old reliable DR. PORTER'S ANTISEPTIC HEALING OIL, a surgical dressing that relieves pain and heals at the same time. 50c a tin. Sold by Grimes Drug Co. and Moser & Lutz.

**DID MONEY RAISE THE MEXICAN ROW?**

(By GEORGE H. MANNING.)

The turbulent situation in Mexico, which many believe will reach a serious crisis at any moment, involving several of the world powers in warfare is the result of the machinations of capitalists of the United States, Great Britain, Japan, and other European countries in the opinion of Walter George Newman, the Virginia millionaire, at present engaged in developing the gold mines at Gold Hill, Cabarrus county, North Carolina, near Salisbury. Mr. Newman has traveled extensively and participated in a part of the financial relations which, he declares, are really responsible for the present deplorable conditions in old Mexico.

In an interview about six months ago Mr. Newman outlined in part the incidents which led up to the present rebellion there and predicted just such conditions as at present exist there.

President Wilson has an enormous task on his hands and deserves the patriotic support of every American citizen in this crisis, regardless of party affiliations, declares Mr. Newman, in an interview today with the correspondent of The Charlotte News. Newman went fully into the situation in Mexico regarding the financial matters of which he has first hand knowledge.

"I was one of a party in a private train that left for Mexico to look over the concessions granted by ex-President Porfirio Diaz to the Standard Oil Company; E. H. Harriman, personally; the Southern Pacific Railroad Company, and the American Smelting and Refining Company as well as several of the seven sons of Guggenheim," said Mr. Newman. "The vast territory that was granted to them I considered at the time beyond price."

"The Southern Pacific railroad under took to develop the country and after they started in one W. C. Greene was given considerable concessions in Chihuahua out of which he developed what was first known as the Greene Copper Company, next the Greene Consolidated Copper Company, and afterwards the corporation now known as the Greene-Canaan Copper Company, and the Standard Oil Company and the Southern Pacific Railroad Company undertook to run the Mexican government for old President Diaz after they secured a good foothold.

"Diaz being a cute old rascal and thoroughly up to the times saw the house of Diaz falling over his head. He sent for one Dr. Pearson, who represented English capital with several German and French subscribers, and told Pearson that he could have for eighteen million dollars the concessions for which he, Pearson, had previously offered Diaz twenty-five million dollars. Pearson immediately went to England and closed the deal within three weeks. In four months time he had begun to work the concessions sold for eighteen million dollars, which are practically the same concessions granted to the Standard Oil Company, the Guggenheims and the Southern Pacific Railroad Company for nothing. This was in 1899.

"The two interests conflicted and it got so hot in Mexico for President Diaz that he had to skip the country. The Standard Oil Company, with other large American interests, put Francisco Madero to the front, and he was elected president of Mexico. "English capitalists did not like this and they started an insurrection at 40 different places in Mexico, like a little fire in a large field amongst a little brush until now it has become a great conflagration.

"Japan being anxious for more territory and always anxious to improve her holdings and interests all over the world, saw a chance to utilize some of the superfluous humanity she had ashore and afloat in Japan. Japan backed Victoriano Huerta, who made a combination with President Diaz's nephew, and he undertook to dethrone Madero; Diaz was captured by the Madero forces, imprisoned and afterwards released by Madero. When I heard that Madero had released Diaz, I predicted that Madero had signed his own death warrant, and subsequent events proved my conclusions correct.

"Huerta took charge, being elated by his great success, and being backed by the Japanese government, and feeling strong, he undertook to thank Japan for what she had done and was going to send Diaz to Japan as a special envoy, but, when the Mikado learned that Huerta was talking a little too much; they repudiated him and took up General Carranza and Villa, who are today the representatives in Mexico of the Japanese government. We all know that Diaz started for Japan, got as far as the steamship dock and was mysteriously recalled, with no

**HAD CATARRH FIVE YEARS.**

Mr. Johnson of St. Elmo, Illinois, was troubled five years with catarrh. The catarrh was so severe in his case that his life seemed threatened. As he expresses it himself, he had "one foot in the grave."

Of course he tried to get relief. Many practitioners were consulted and a catarrh specialist in St. Louis was tried. He got so weak and thoroughly run down that he declared he could not walk more than a few hundred yards without resting.

Few people understand that catarrh is a constant drain on the system. The discharge of mucus which is going on in such cases is largely composed of blood serum, and is a great waste. Sooner or later it will weaken the strongest man.

According to reports received from Mr. Johnson, he was in a desperate condition, but he found relief from his trouble. "We will let him say how he found it," his own words say: "My friends told me to take Peruna, and I did so. I now feel that Peruna has saved my life. It is the best medicine on earth, and I would not be without it."

This seems almost too good to be true. No doubt there are some readers that will think so. The above statements, however, can be verified by writing Mr. Johnson.

Every home should be provided with the last edition of "The Ills of Life," sent free by the Peruna Co., Columbus, Ohio.

**Get Eggs Now**  
 You can make your own fresh eggs at home. Buy a few of these eggs and you will see how easy it is to make them.

**Save Fowls from Roup**  
 For sneezing, coughing, or moving fowls to the drinking water.

**Conkey's Laying Tonic**  
 A Regulator and Tonic. Keeps the whole flock in condition. See how easy it is to make them lay.

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plausible explanation. The ammunition and money that these two rebels have to work with today is what was intended for Huerta.

"Now, it was Russia that kept Japan from getting what she was entitled to from China," continued Newman. "It was Roosevelt who kept Japan from getting what she thought she was entitled to from Russia. Hence, the Japanese-Russian war and the inevitable war between this country and Japan.

"President Wilson is placed today in a deplorable predicament. Probably never in the history of the United States has any president had to contend with what the president has on his hands at the present time, not only regarding the Mexican situation and the Japanese situation.

**Kickapoo Worm Killer Expels Worms.**

The cause of your child's ills—The foul, fetid, offensive breath—The starting up with terror and grinding of teeth while asleep—The sallow complexion—The dark circles under the eyes—Are all indications of worms. Kickapoo Worm Killer is what your child needs; it expels the worms, the cause of the child's unhealthy condition. For the removal of seat, stomach and pin worms, Kickapoo Worm Killer gives sure relief. Its laxative effect adds tone to the general system. Supplied as a candy confection—child friendly. Safe and sure relief. Guaranteed. Buy a box today. Price 25c. All Druggists or by mail, Kickapoo Indian Med. Co., Phila. or St. Louis, Pa. adv't.

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If you have any of the troubles mentioned write us and we will be glad to advise you. Don't delay, time is valuable. THE OZOL CHEMICAL COMPANY, MURPHY, N. C. 2-26-4-pd.

IN COMPLIANCE with the requirements and regulations prescribed by the charter of the City of Hickory, a primary for the purpose of selecting candidates for the various elective offices of the City will be held on the last Monday in March, the same being the 30th day of March, 1914, and the first Monday preceding the general election, which will be held on the first Monday in April 1914.

For the purpose of holding the above primary and the general municipal election, which will be held on the first Monday in April, 1914. The City Council at its regular meeting held February 24, 1914, appointed L. S. Sherrill, registrar, W. L. Clinard and B. F. Campbell judges of election. Registration books will open March 6th and remain open for thirty days. JOHN MITCHELL, City Manager. 2-19-14 4t.

February 19, 1914. 2-19-14 4t.

**Notice! Notice! Notice!**

**Sale of Valuable Business Lot.**

Under and by virtue of an order of the Superior Court of Catawba County, made at the February Term, 1914, in the cause entitled "Columbia Iron Works, and Claude A. Cochran, Receiver of the Edwards Construction Company, vs R. Lee Hewitt, sheriff, J. B. Buchanan, A. A. Whitener and others," the undersigned commissioner will, on the 21st day of March, 1914, at twelve o'clock—noon,—at the steps of the First National Bank of Hickory, at Hickory, North Carolina, offer for sale to the highest bidder for cash that certain tract or lot of land lying and being in the City of Hickory, Catawba County, North Carolina, adjoining the lands of C. L. Hawm and others, and more particularly described as follows, to-wit: Beginning at the South-east corner of C. L. Hawm's storehouse lot, which is generally known as the old Dr. R. B. Baker lot, and running thence with said Hawm's line North 166 feet to a stake; thence East twenty-five feet to a stake, a new corner; thence South, a new line, 166 feet to a stake on Tenth Avenue; thence West with said avenue twenty-five feet to the beginning. This is the lot known as the office building lot of the Edwards Construction Company.

This the 18th day of February, 1914. R. L. Hewitt, Commissioner. 2-26-4t.

SEALED BIDS WILL be received by the City of Hickory, N. C., until 12 o'clock noon Tuesday March 24, 1914 for the purchase of a Franchise within the City for the construction, operation and maintenance of a Gas Plant. The life of the above Franchise shall not exceed 35 years and the purchase price of same shall be based upon a percentage of the annual gross revenue receipts therefrom. Each bid under the terms of this advertisement shall be accompanied by a cash deposit or certified check in the amount of \$2000, which deposit or check will be returned to all unsuccessful bidders.

After the awarding of the Franchise the successful bidder will be required to give bond to the City in the sum of \$500.00 and upon filing of said bond and approval of same by the City Council the cash deposit of said bidder will be returned less the expense incurred by the City in connection with the application and granting of said Franchise.

Details, conditions and provisions annexed to the granting of above Franchise may be obtained by application to the office of the City Manager. The City of Hickory reserves the right to reject any and all bids submitted under this advertisement.

JOHN MITCHELL, City Manager. Hickory, N. C., February 19, 1914. 2-19-14 5t.

**Carolina & North-Western Ry.**

Schedule Effective Nov. 9th, 1913.

Northbound	Daily		Mixed
	Pass.	Ex. Sun.	
Chester...Lv.	3 40 p m	7 50 am	.....
Yorkville.....	4 26	8 36	.....
Gastonia.....	5 15	9 30	.....
Gastonia.....	.....	.....	.....
Lincolnton.....	6 30	10 30	.....
Newton.....	7 10	11 05	.....
Hickory.....	7 45	11 45	.....
Lenoir.....	8 55	11 00 am	8 10
Mortimer.....	.....	2 35	.....
Edgemont...Ar.	.....	2 45	.....
Southbound	No. 7	No. 9	No. 51
Edgemont...Lv.	7 10 am	.....	.....
Mortimer.....	7 17	.....	.....
Lenoir.....	8 30	1 35 pm	2 30 pm
Hickory.....	9 30	2 35	3 47
Newton.....	10 15	3 05	.....
Lincolnton.....	10 56	3 43	.....
Gastonia...Ar.	11 55	4 50	.....
Gastonia...Lv.	.....	.....	.....
Yorkville.....	12 44	5 36	.....
Chester.....Ar.	1 30 pm	6 25	.....

**\* Leave + Arrive CONNECTIONS.**

Chester—Southern Ry., S. A. L. and L. & C.  
 Yorkville—Southern Railway.  
 Gastonia—Southern Ry., Piedmont & Northern Ry.  
 Lincolnton—S. A. L.  
 Newton and Hickory—Southern Railway.  
 E. F. REID, G. P. A., Chester, S. C.

**Executor's Notice.**

Having qualified as executor of the last Will and Testament of A. J. Payne, deceased, notice is hereby given to all parties indebted to said estate to make immediate settlement, and all persons having claims against said estate to present them on or before the 19th day of January, 1915, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery.

This the 19th day of January, 1914.  
 MRS. A. J. PAYNE,  
 MRS. H. L. CLEMENT,  
 Executrices.

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Our stock is always full and our service the best.

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We will have at our stables in Hickory, N. C. Thursday, March 12th 50-HEAD-50 of Mares and Mules.

In this lot of stock we will have some real nice blocky farm mares weighing from 800 to 1300 pounds also a few pairs of nice blocky made mules.

Anyone wishing to buy or exchange should see this lot of stock before doing so.

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		GREY	RED	RELINER
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30x3	7.80	1.95	2.20	1.40
30x3 1-2	10.80	2.80	3.10	1.90
31x3 1-2	11.00	2.90	3.20	1.95
32x3 1-2	11.90	2.95	3.25	2.00
34x3 1-2	12.40	3.00	3.30	2.05
30x4	13.10	3.10	3.40	2.30
31x4	13.45	3.20	3.60	2.35
32x4	13.70	3.35	3.80	2.40
33x4	14.80	3.50	3.90	2.45
34x4	16.80	3.60	4.00	2.60
35x4	17.25	3.75	4.20	2.70
36x4	17.85	3.90	4.25	2.80
34x4 1-2	18.00	3.80	4.10	3.40
35x4 1-2	18.75	4.85	5.20	3.45
36x4 1-2	19.45	4.90	5.30	3.60
37x4 1-2	21.50	5.10	5.40	3.70
36x5	23.00	5.80	6.20	4.00
37x5	24.40	5.90	6.35	4.20

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