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Republican trust busting is like Taft's administration—a miserable failure.

Next November is election. You cannot vote unless you pay your poll tax before the first day of May.

The pie-brigade is at the crossing of the roads—don't know whether to go Taftward or Teddyward.

Teddy says he'll take it if the people want him to; which statement puts the pie-hunters in a bad position.

Recent newspaper headings stated that the Republican government officials had broken up the Standard Oil Trust. Oil went up two cents a gallon last week and "Jones is paying the freight."

We are informed that the county school teachers have only received one month's pay for this school year. Why? The people are entitled to know why. Lets have the facts Mr. County Treasurer.

It takes a rich man to draw a check, a pretty girl to draw attention, a horse to draw a cart, a porous plaster to draw the skin, a toper to draw a cork, a free lunch to draw a crowd, and a well displayed advertisement in this paper to draw trade.

The Twin-City Daily Sentinel is installing a new \$10,000 press. The Sentinel is an excellent newspaper and has grown at a rapid stride and we congratulate its management on being able to make extensive improvements. It is with genuine pleasure that we chronicle any improvement in the Sentinel for twenty years ago we started our apprenticeship on that most excellent paper.

All over this broad land the 22nd of February—Washington's birthday is celebrated. How shall any man add aught to the praise or eulogy of George Washington? History and biography, eloquence and poetry have exhausted their combined riches upon the successful leader of the American revolution and the founder of the American republic—our first great national hero.

Every great crisis in the history of the world has found its man to control and guide it. Call this Providence or accident, the American revolution was no exception to it. Before the first murmurs of discontent were heard in that struggle, the man was being prepared for the crisis. On the banks of the Potomac and the Rappahannock, thirty years before Lexington and Bunker Hill, a truthful and manly boy was growing up, ripening into stalwart young manhood. With only the common school education of that early day, the young man was soon being educated in broader school of nature and experience, in the great forest, the open heavens, with his surveyor's chain and his sword, in Indian wars, defending the frontier settlements from savage incursions. That boy was named George Washington and we will all celebrate his birthday on the 22nd of this month.

Men's Odd Pants to close cheap.
J. T. Barry.

STATE NEWS ITEMS

Postmaster Joyce has been re-nominated for Postmaster at Reidsville. He has no opposition.

Newbern is awakened to the need of street cars and expects to have the same running by May 1st.

The Keeper of the Wayne County Home reports a cotton crop the past season which sold a few days ago for \$3,713.20.

Revenue agent R. B. Sams reports 60 distilleries seized during January, 25 in Virginia, one in South Carolina and 34 in North Carolina.

Governor Kitchin has increased the reward of \$250 to \$400 for apprehension of the murderers of Myrtle Hawkins, at Hendersonville, N. C.

J. B. Duke, president of the American Tobacco Co., will shortly resign that office to become chairman of the British American Tobacco Co.

Wess Brewer, alias John Huff, col., has been arrested at Athens, Ga., and identified as the murderer of policeman E. C. McConnell at Asheville, last July.

At Hickory, a few days ago, Henry Keever was repairing an automatic pistol, when the thing went off, of course, and his wife who was sitting near, was wounded in both legs.

It is stated that when the Henderson county Grand Jury meets, March 1st, there will be new evidence presented in connection with Myrtle Hawkins case and some startling developments are expected.

W. S. Norman, of New York, who has been engaged in several financial enterprises in North Carolina, announced today that he would soon erect a sulphuric acid factory at Gold Hill, Rowan county at a cost of \$1,000,000.

Deputy Sheriff Johnson, of Cumberland county, was found dead in the road in western Cumberland Saturday. He was seen driving along the road a short time before he was found dead and there is no intimation of foul play.

A. E. Burgess, who last summer poisoned the stock of his landlord, J. A. Whitaker, in Surry county, so that a horse and cow died, and tried to poison the family by putting Paris green in the spring, was convicted in Surry Superior Court last week and sentenced to six years on the roads.

At Burnsville Hill, Buncombe county February 10th, Ed Mills a negro who was on the roads for house-breaking, made his escape and applied at the blacksmith shop of Deputy Sheriff James Brown to have his shackles cut off. Brown started to arrest the negro when he drew a razor and the Deputy Sheriff mortally shot him.

At New Berne last week Baker Bryan, white, was acquitted of the murder of a young white man. The verdict was generally denounced. Solicitor Abernethy presented affidavits charging two of the jurors with improper conduct. The affidavits were not sustained but when the solicitor denounced the verdict as "one of the grossest miscarriages of justice ever perpetrated in North Carolina" the spectators in the court room applauded.

The Winston Sentinel learns that Peter Brown, a Forsyth man, has learned that he is heir to a big estate in England. Take it from The Landmark that the big estates in England coming to folks on this side of the water are myths. If Mr. Brown will accept disinterested advice, he would be wise not to pay any money to strangers on account of that big estate. Statesville Landmark.

Davie County News

Gathered by The Herald's Excellent Staff of Correspondents

Local Items from Cooleemee Town

(Correspondence)

Cooleemee, Feb. 19.—If you want to know who is boss in Davie county — start something.

Every issue of The Herald gets better.

Lost—yesterday, somewhere between sunrise and sunset, two golden hours, each set with sixty diamond minutes. No reward offered, for they are gone forever.

Prof. J. T. Cobb spent Thursday in Salisbury.

A. C. Walker was on the sick list several days last week. Chas. Caudell visited his brother, P. J. Caudell, at St. Paul, last week.

Mr. Smith, of Stuart, Va., was in town last week.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Methodist church, will give a Washington Birthday Social at the parsonage on Wednesday evening, February 21st.

Lum Morris is on the sick list we are sorry to note.

Rev. W. J. S. Walker, of R. 5, was in town Sunday.

Eugene Click, who has been with the Cooleemee Drug Co. for several months, will move his family to town this week.

Tom Garwood, of Fork, visited his brother, J. F. Garwood, Saturday.

Mr. Hughes, of Atlanta, Ga., has accepted a position in the machine shop.

B. Seaford, of Fork, was in town Saturday.

Mr. Craig, of New York, arrived in town Sunday and is now at his home at Jerusalem.

There was evidence of whiskey here Sunday on every side. It looks like the people in and near Cooleemee who bring whiskey in on Saturday nights could be caught.

Miss Mattie Allen spent Saturday and Sunday with her parents at Hardison.

A Spelling Match at Jericho Friday Night

(Correspondence)

Hardison Feb. 19—Owing to the unfavorable weather the farmers are somewhat delayed with their oat sowing.

Mrs. Burt Granger is improved at this writing glad to note.

D. Hugh Brown spent Saturday night and Sunday in Cooleemee.

Mrs. Lizzie Grant, who spent last week with her parents, returned to her work at Charlotte Sunday.

J. P. Seaford, had a "chopping" Saturday, and not withstanding the bad day a good sized crowd gathered and did some old-time chopping.

The ground-hog prophecy seems to be filling out itself as we are having some old-time winter. The ground-hog seems to be more accurate on the weather problem than the weather bureau.

C. S. Brown, returned Friday from the Laymen's Missionary Convention at Winston-Salem and a visit to his daughter, Mrs. E. E. Sprinkle at Ararat, Surry County. Mr. Brown, reports an excellent Convention, and an enjoyable trip.

There will be a spelling contest between the schools of Davie Academy, and Jericho, at Davie Academy on Friday night the 23rd. Here's hoping Jericho will "stand the longest." Robert G. McSwain, went to Mocksville Monday to assist in the Big 10 days sale of C. C. Sanford Sons Co.

Miss Daisy Turner, spent Friday night and Saturday in Mocksville, with her grandmother, Mrs. Burton Brown. Rev. W. J. S. Walker, of Center, preached an excellent ser-

mon at the Chapel Sunday night, to a small but appreciative audience. We are all always glad to have Rev. Walker with us.

Personal News Items from Smith Grove

(Correspondence)

Smith Grove, Feb. 19.—Mrs. John Allen, of this place, is visiting relatives at Farmington. Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Kimbrough and little son spent Saturday and Sunday at Moxville.

A crowd of our young people enjoyed themselves immensely at a Valentine Party given at the home of Miss Dora Cash, Wednesday night, the 14th.

Mrs. Sallie Kimbrough is visiting at Mocksville.

Mrs. Susan Sheek spent last week with Mrs. W. L. Hanes.

The base ball team of this place will give a negro minstrel at the academy here Easter Monday night; Entitled "Old Black Joe."

Jno. Groce, of Farmington, was in our berg last Sunday.

J. K. Foster spent one day in Mocksville last week on business.

J. J. Green has had a 'phone put in his store.

Mrs. F. P. Cash spent last Sunday with her brother S. A. Clouse.

Reported That Gray Mines Will Resume

(Correspondence)

Davie Academy Feb. 20—It is still mud! mud!! and plenty of it.

Miss Laura Campbell spent a few days with Mrs. W. F. H. Ketchie recently.

Mrs. Eugene Click, who has been spending the winter with her mother, Mrs. W. S. Koontz, has moved to Cooleemee.

Mrs. Sallie Smoot has had a 'phone put in her residence.

John Safrin is stepping high—it is a boy.

Charlie Smoot has gone to Charlotte, where he has accepted a position.

It is reported that work will begin at the Gray Gold Mines again at an early date.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Lee Cartner have moved into their new house.

The birthday dinner given Mrs. Sarah Walker last Tuesday was enjoyed by all present.

Beware of Ointments for Catarrh That Contain Mercury

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Doctor—Don't be unduly alarmed. She was wearing her new hat for the first time.—Ex.

INDIAN KILLED ON TRACK.

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The sentence of P. H. Thrash of Asheville, sentenced to 20 months' imprisonment by Judge Long for violation of the prohibition laws, was changed to a fine of \$2,000, defendant to give \$2,000 bond to appear at every criminal term of court for 12 months to show good behaviour and serve 30 days in jail unless the county commissioners accept a fine of \$500 in lieu of the jail sentence.

The Yadkinville Ripple says the clerk of the court of Yadkin county is taking a straw ballot to get the choice of the people for President. The Ripple reports that at the last count Roosevelt had 65 votes, Taft 7, Harmon 7, Wilson 7.

FLYING MAN FALL

victims to stomach, liver and kidney troubles just like other people, with like results in loss of appetite, backache, nervousness, headache, and tired, listless, run-down feeling. But there's no need to feel like that as T. D. Peebles, Henry, Tenn., proved. "Six bottles of Electric Bitters" he writes, "did more to give me new strength and good appetite than all other stomach remedies I used." So they help everybody. Its folly to suffer when this great remedy will help you from the first dose. Try it. Only 50c at C. C. Sanford.

Concert at Rocky Dale

On Wednesday night March 13, there will be a free entertainment consisting of Recitations, Dialogues, Pantomimes, and a play entitled "A White Shawl" at Rocky Dale School House. Everybody is cordially invited to attend.

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