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LOCAL INTELLIGENCE

Latest Happenings In and Around Monroe.

A special meeting of the Wingate camp of the W. O. W., for the purpose of electing officers for the ensuing year, will be held Saturday night.

Forty-seven dollars and fifty cents were the proceeds of the Unionville box supper, which was held the other night. Judge W. O. Leunmond was the auctioneer.

Gus Peters, a native of far-away Sweden, will spend thirty days on the Union county chain gang for carrying a concealed weapon. He has been in this country about seven years.

The first quarterly conference for the Waxhaw Methodist circuit will be held at Waxhaw Sunday, December 12th. Preaching at eleven o'clock by Dr. H. K. Boyer, baptism of babies at 2:30, followed by an address by Mr. W. B. Love.

In a letter to Messrs. T. C. Lee & Son, who handle his oranges on the Monroe market, Mr. J. H. Williams, of Leesburg, Fla., states that although the price of fruit remains about the same as it was last year the demand is not so great.

To remain away from the polls Tuesday means a vote against the bonds, as the school forces, to carry the election, must poll a majority of those registered. This, in common parlance, is "beating the registration."

Cow hides, which formerly sold for prices ranging from fifteen to twenty-five dollars each, are now a drug on the market. Prof. Ray Funderburk reports that he received but four cents a pound for the hide of a young heifer which he had killed a few days ago.

Rabbits and hound dogs, once considered trifling and worthless, have now become so valuable that when they are bitten by mad animals they are given the Pasteur treatment. Dr. S. A. Alexander, a local veterinarian, reports that he has so treated six dogs within the past few weeks.

The Mecklenburg presbytery, in session at Charlotte the first of the week, appointed Dr. H. E. Gurney, of Monroe, to deliver the annual doctrinal sermon at the next session, which will be held at Ramoth. His subject will be: "The Second Coming of Christ." Dr. Gurney was also elected president of the Presbyterian ministerial relief association for the ensuing year.

Monroe's paved streets and other improvements more than offset the high tax rate, according to Mr. W. M. Davis, of Marshville, who will move here next week to take charge of the dry goods department of the Co-Operative Mercantile Company. "Marshville," said Mr. Davis in a conversation with The Journal, "is one of the best business towns in the state, but I have to leave to get out of the dust. That's why I am coming to Monroe."

A beautiful Christmas program has been prepared for the Wingate school by Miss Netta Liles, who is in charge of the music department. Among some of the numbers are piano duets, pantomimes, and songs. The entertainment will be held Sunday evening, December 13th, at seven o'clock.

Mr. Ellis F. Newsome, of New Salem township, who killed two Germans during one of the major battles in France, is in the government hospital at Biltmore suffering from the effects of gas.

It took Messrs. E. C. Carpenter, Blair Bivens, Lee Griffin, and W. E. Funderburk about eight hours Tuesday night to make the trip home from Charlotte, where they had been to attend the Shrine meeting. While en route, rain began to fall in torrents, and somewhere in the vicinity of Slouts their car got stuck in the mud. A farmer and his team, however, at a cost of several dollars, soon extricated the car from the mud, and they started homeward once more only to stall again at a point near Bakers. Here they left the car, and began walking to Monroe. The slipping on the slicky road, sprawling in the mud, and Mr. Bivens fell into a small branch, getting wet up to his waist. They got home about three-thirty a. m. Dr. Paschal Abernethy and Dr. Howard Smith also had difficulty in getting home, the latter having been forced to spend the night at a farm house.

Mr. Dick Armstrong, one of the largest farmers in Chesterfield county, is well-prepared to weather the storm of adversity that recently set in, according to Monroe men who were at his home Tuesday. In conversation with him, they learned that he had two thousand and five hundred bushels of corn, twenty shoats, twenty-five head of cows, five hogs weighing around five hundred pounds each, twenty turkeys, a big drove of geese, and hundreds of chickens. Mr. Armstrong, who gins his own cotton, has thirty-five bales of the fleecy staple in his yard, and will gather five or twenty more. As his guano bill amounted to only about twelve hundred dollars, it can readily be seen that he will end the season with comparatively little loss. Mr. Armstrong's beautiful home is one of the attractions of that part of Chesterfield county. It is equipped with all modern conveniences, such as electric lights, running water and sewerage. Mrs. Kemp Stewart, of Wingate, is a daughter of Mr. Armstrong. Five members of the family of Mr. Jesse Moore, of the Rock Rest community, are ill with pneumonia.

Mr. T. L. Love has gone to Delray, Fla., where he will spend some time with his son, Mr. J. L. Love.

The parent-teachers association will hold its regular monthly meeting at the chamber of commerce Monday afternoon at 3:45 o'clock.

Rev. W. M. Black will begin a series of meetings at Beulah church commencing Saturday. Singing will be led by Mr. Burr.

Mrs. W. M. Simpson of Goose Creek township, is receiving treatment in a Charlotte hospital. She is expected home next week.

"A Perpetual Riddle, or the Charm of a Great Character," will be Rev. John A. Wray's subject at the First Baptist church Sunday morning. The theme at night will be: "The New on the Boscum of the Old."

The following students of the city schools made the honor roll for November, but were not published in the list with the others: Ninth grade—George Tucker; Eighth grade—Charles Phifer and Katherine Kyle Redfern.

Cap pistols, cap bursters and sparklers have not heretofore been classed as fireworks, but the law now construes them as such, and the license for selling them is \$50. Sheriff Fowler says that inasmuch as it is the law he will be obliged to collect this tax if these articles are sold.

Attention of all voters who will be out of town or too ill to come to the polls for the bond election Tuesday is directed to the fact that they can vote an absentee ballot. This requires a special form which may be secured from Maynor Sikes, W. B. Love, G. L. Nisbet or Journal office. If any member of your family is out of town and wants to vote the ballots may be sent and must be returned by 3 p. m. of election day.

Simple Remedy.
 "Oh, Harold! That new housemaid has dropped my diamond ring down the sink."
 "Never mind, dear, we must stop it out of her next month's wages."—London Mail.

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| Base Balls | Scissors |
| Basket Balls | Sewing Sets of Scissors |
| Roller Skates | Manicure Sets |
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