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LOCAL INTELLIGENCE

Latest Happenings in and Around Monroe.

A St. Valentine dance will be given at Nash hall, Monday, February 14, 8 to 11:30. All ladies invited, especially those who dance.

Mr. A. J. Rohr, formerly of Monroe, but who has been located in Chesterfield, S. C., for the past five years, has returned to Monroe, and has bought the J. A. Saunders barber shop, and will conduct the business at the same stand. Mr. Rohr's many friends are glad to see him back in Monroe.

A very distressing accident occurred last Wednesday about five o'clock, says the Pageland Journal. Mr. J. A. Mangum was having some baled hay hauled from a car on the switch near the Laney Crow Gin Co. The wagon had been loaded and was in motion crossing the rails, when it slipped along the rails throwing Mr. Mangum off to the track below, breaking his right leg between the knee and ankle, and otherwise injured him. He was carried to the Presbyterian hospital at Charlotte where he is being treated.

Esq. J. H. Winchester, one of the county's best citizens, celebrated his eighty-ninth birthday Wednesday at his home near Mineral Springs. In honor of the occasion, a sumptuous feast was served about fifteen members of the family. In the center of the table was a mammoth birthday cake, with eighty-nine candles burning upon it. Complying with an old custom, the Squire attempted to blow out the candles, but there were too many. He finally extinguished them by fanning the air with his hat. Despite his advanced age, Mr. Winchester is enjoying good health, and his thousands of friends expect him to reach the age of one hundred.

At a beautiful, but simple service at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Austin, two miles west of Monroe, Miss Ruth Austin became the bride of Mr. Harry Howard of Salemburg, on Thursday afternoon of last week. Rev. Mr. Underwood of Lilesville, a cousin of the groom, officiated. Shortly after the wedding the young couple left for their home at Salemburg. Mrs. Howard is an attractive and accomplished young lady, and carries with her to her new home the best wishes of hundreds of friends. For some time she has been teaching at Olive Branch, where she earned the reputation of being a highly capable and efficient instructor.

Mayor John C. Sikes is being boosted for Congressman-at-Large from this state. Says the Raleigh correspondent of the Charlotte Observer: "The most formidable candidate whose friends have put in the running is John C. Sikes of Monroe. The Union county man is declared to be ambitious and his friends here assert that he will be announced in plenty of time. Ex-Congressman Small entertains ambitions to return to Congress and some of the eastern members would like to see him back in harness. Sikes strikes the happy medium between the far east and the far west. Up Asheville way one hears that Sol Gallert, senator from Rutherford, would like to run. In fact, it is known that Gallert has been considering the matter seriously but is not inclined to talk about it now. He feels highly honored when his friends press him."

The "varmint" which has been causing so much excitement in Mecklenburg county recently does not seem to be new to people living near Brown Creek swamps. One of these gray colored animals was killed near Polkton recently. Dr. F. M. Smith writes the Charlotte News as follows: "From the description that you have given from time to time of his actions, I am forced to believe that the animal is a large mountain lion or bob-cat. I will say that I have been seeing signs of these animals in this section for several months, and only a few weeks ago a Mr. Harrington, living three miles from town, killed one that weighed about twenty pounds. Previous to the time this one was killed two pigs were killed in the town less than a half mile from the station and the carcass was torn much as the pigs were that were killed in the Pineville section. These animals are great fighters and the ordinary dog will refuse to tackle one after cornering it. The cat killed here recently was trailed to bay by a large Kentucky hound we recently purchased and brought here, and this dog, while twice the size of the cat, was badly cut and bitten before the cat was shot."

Mr. M. M. Winchester of Mineral Springs has been commissioned a notary public for Union county.

At the ripe old age of eighty years, Mr. J. Calvin Edwards died Wednesday at his home in Lanes Creek township. The deceased had been ill for a long time. Funeral services were conducted Thursday morning at the High Ridge Primitive Baptist church in Marshville township, of which the deceased was a member. Mr. Edwards was a man of strong character, who walked the path of duty and righteousness, scorning dishonesty, and he was devoted to his family. Surviving him are his wife, three sons, Elder Walter C. Edwards, Messrs. Jas. Edwards and Wilson Edwards, all of this county, and four daughters, Mrs. Albert Grant of Lanes Creek township, Mrs. William Cox of Georgia, Mrs. R. C. Lee of Mooreville, and Mrs. Henry Caudle of Lanes Creek township.

The store of Mr. G. W. Saunders, of Pee Dee, was destroyed by fire last Saturday night, says the Wadesboro Messenger and Intelligencer. It is not known whether the fire was of incendiary or accidental origin. Several months ago a notice was found tacked on the door of the store, warning Mr. Saunders to leave Pee Dee. The notice had a match stuck through it. However, there is no evidence that the notice had anything to do with the fire. At the same time the notice was found on Mr. Saunders' door, another was found on the door of the store of Bogan Bros. Mr. Saunders had been gone from the store about 20 minutes, and had reached his home when he heard of the fire. All the inside of the building was blazing when he reached it. It is understood that the building and contents were fairly well protected by insurance.

The law enforcement convention, under the auspices of the anti-saloon league of the state, in session in Greensboro last week, came to a close with the election of Mr. A. M. Scates, of Greensboro, president, and Mr. R. B. Redwine, of Monroe, vice-president from the seventh congressional district, and addresses by Wayne B. Wheeler, general counsel and legislative superintendent of the anti-saloon league of America, and Lieutenant Governor W. B. Cooper, of this state. Mr. Wheeler declared that the immediate challenge to the "patriotic citizens of this state and the nation is to join the campaign for law and order." He said that officers and citizens who wink at the violation of the prohibition law "must be made to realize that they are playing with fire." Mr. Wheeler said that there is a great constructive work to be done in the nation and that it will be done by the same organized force that drove saloons from the state and nation. At the final session of the convention, resolutions were adopted recommending that a prohibition enforcement league be organized in every county in North Carolina, the organization to be perfected through the churches and civic organizations and that every precinct or township in the counties have a sub-enforcement league. The general assembly of North Carolina now in session was called upon to pass such laws to make prohibition in this state more effective. The slogan "blind tigers must go" was adopted by the convention.

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MEETS TONIGHT.

Petitions to be received.

Important business to be transacted.



Dr. Howard Smith can be found at his father's old office in the Belk-Bundy building the entire week beginning Monday, February 14.

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SOCIAL

Mrs. J. Grier Hudson of Raleigh has arrived here to spend two weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Yates, while Mr. Hudson is in New York on business.

The Bridge Club held a most delightful meeting with Mrs. Albert Redfern Tuesday afternoon. A delicious two-course buffet luncheon was served at the conclusion of the games. The following guests other than the club members were present: Mrs. Heath Lee, Mrs. J. M. Fairley, Mrs. N. M. Redfern, Mrs. C. M. Redfern, Mrs. Frank Rose and Mrs. John Sikes.

One of the largest and most beautiful of the mid-winter social affairs was given by Mrs. R. L. Payne at Hotel Joffre when she entertained the Booklovers club yesterday afternoon. The spacious dining hall was quite attractive with its well-placed ferns interspersed with baskets of red Richmond roses. Fourteen tables were arranged for rook, on each being placed a bud vase containing a red rose and white carnation while red hearts were suspended from the covers. Mrs. Irvin Stack received the top score prize, a box of candy. Mrs. T. J. Payne of Charlotte and Miss Alma Yokeley of Mt. Airy were special guests. A salad course with sandwiches, pickles and olives were served, the Valentine suggestion being carried out in these. Tiny red baskets placed on red hearts filled with cream mints, were presented the guests as favors.

The John Foster Chapter of D. A. R.'s held a most interesting meeting with Mrs. N. M. Redfern yesterday afternoon. A George Washington program was rendered and the hostess had very appropriately decorated patriotically a flag-draped picture of the great general and statesman being prominently placed. Miss Mary Blair read a splendid paper on "Martha Washington," and Mrs. Redfern read a selection on "Washington's Birthday." In this reading the interesting fact was brought out that Washington was actually born Feb. 11, and the fact we celebrate Feb. 22nd is due to a change in the calendar. Mrs. J. A. Stewart read a lovely tribute to George Washington and this concluded the program. Mrs. R. B. Redwine, vice-regent of the chapter, and Miss Lura Heath were elected as delegates to the National convention which meets in Washington. Chicken salad, wafers, sandwiches, pickles, cheese straws, coffee and cake on which were placed toasted marshmallows, topped by a "historical cherry," were served.

Lt. and Mrs. Stafford Wolfe and daughter of Petersburg, Va., are the guests of Mrs. Minnie Wolfe. Lieut. and Mrs. Wolfe are preparing to leave for the Philippines early in March, where Lieut. Wolfe will probably be stationed for two years.

Mrs. J. B. Simpson was a charming hostess to a number of friends at a delightful rook party Tuesday afternoon. Valentine decorations added to the attractiveness of the home. The charming little daughters of the hostess, Marian and Emmy Lou, kept the score on red hearts. A salad course with coffee and crystallized ginger were served. The guests were: Miss Sarah Welsh, Mesdames V. C. Austin, Bob Houston, J. D. Warren, Gilliam Craig, Fred Wood, Frank Lander, Geb. Pruitt, Walter Crowell, Vann Funderburk, A. M. Secret, B. C. Redfern, Code Morgan, G. M. Smith, R. H. Cunningham, R. L. Payne, Ruby Griffith, Lola Shannon, B. C. Ashcraft, J. E. Stewart, John Welsh, J. T. Holloway, Wriston Lee, Hargrove Bowles, Irvin Stack, Ed. Crow, Sam Howie, Misses Mary Griffith, Octavia Houston and Mabel Shannon.

Chautauqua Circle held a splendid meeting with Mrs. John A. Wray Wednesday afternoon. The Valentine idea was carried out in a lovely fashion by the lavish use of hearts in every possible way. The subject for discussion, "The French Revolution," each member reporting on some special phase of the event. Napoleon Bonaparte furnished an interesting topic for conversation. The Valentine suggestion was further carried out in the refreshments. In the pimento heart placed on the salad and the heart-shaped beet placed with the pickle.

Mrs. W. J. Holloway left yesterday for Asheville to visit her mother, Mrs. J. M. Frisbie.

Mrs. Robt. Latta of Cheraw, S. C., and Miss Lottie Bowman of Atlanta are visiting Mrs. Fred West.

The many friends of Miss Marietta Cain and Mr. Victor Hamilton were agreeably surprised Thursday morning to learn that they had been married the previous evening at the Baptist parsonage by Rev. John A. Wray. They are now on their honeymoon, visiting the large cities of the north. The bride is one of the most attractive young women of Monroe. She possesses a winning personality, and is admired for her many graces. The groom is a leading young business man, being a member of the firm of Hamilton & Liles, and is destined to have a bright career.

The Louisville, Kentucky, Live Stock Exchange has launched a campaign to encourage farmers to revive the live stock industry.

Local Market.

Table with market prices for Cotton, Cotton seed, Butter, Eggs, Sweet potatoes, Irish potatoes, Turkeys, and Hens.

CENTRAL METHODIST CHURCH

Sunday School at 10 a. m. Classes do suit all ages and all sizes. Men and women especially invited to our Bible classes. Special collection for Chinese famine sufferers at morning service. Come prepared to make a liberal contribution. Regular Communion service at the morning hour. Preaching by pastor at 7:30. Prayer meeting next Wednesday conducted by the Wesley Philathea class. A hearty welcome to all services.

Last Warning To Tax Payers!

Beginning the First of March I will advertise for sale at public auction all land and property on which the taxes have not been paid. The county commissioners hold me responsible for every dollar of the tax money and I must protect myself. This is fair warning. Pay your taxes now and avoid the humiliation of having your property advertised.

JOHN GRIFFITH, Sheriff.

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"Forty-Five Minutes From Broadway"

Featuring

CHARLES RAY

THE STRAND ALWAYS THE BEST

As a result of various experiments, government experts have decided that Marquis wheat is the best variety of common wheat for the Northern Great Plains. Experiments were carried on at eleven stations. Marquis wheat was first introduced in the United States in 1915. It was brought from Canada.

All but two of South Dakota's gold mines were closed in 1920 because of the high cost of mining. The two mines operated produced gold to the value of 4,339,000. Production of all mines in 1918 exceeded \$6,500,000.

Several states have enlisted Federal assistance in the work of establishing farm management departments. One of the most important phases of the work is reorganizing principles of business management to fit farm conditions.

Chinese bankers have agreed to finance the purchase of rolling stock for China's railroads. Bids on locomotives and cars will be asked soon.

Argentina's new oat crop is officially estimated at 60,500,000 bushels. The crop last year was 58,000,000 bushels.

Cash Counts, even when deposited in a bank. Make your cash count when buying your groceries.

KEROSENE OIL DROPPED! Bring your can and buy 5 gallons Saturday for 90 cents. Regular 35c package Homing Grits for 23 cents; regular 25 cent extra fancy Pink Salmon for 17 cents. This is the place to make your cash count in your own purse.

Lee Griffin

Expecting fresh shipment California Celery, Lettuce and Cauliflower Saturday