

LOCAL AND PERSONAL NOTES OF INTEREST

Movement Of People In And About The City

—Send in your subscription to The Sun now so you will not miss an issue.

—Miss Etna Geer is at home this week from Martha-Washington College, Abingdon, Va.

Miss Virginia and Mr. Roger Edwards spent the week end in Spartanburg with relatives.

—Everybody should read the interesting article in this issue of The Sun on the Boys Scouts movement.

—We are glad to note that Attorney Fred D. Hamrick is improving after a severe attack of cold and grip.

Deputy J. W. Jones went to Spindale Saturday night as a peace officer. We are glad that he found a quiet, peaceful crowd.

—Miss Edna Harris returned Monday night from Charlotte where she has been visiting her sister, Mrs. H. N. Klueppelberg for some time.

—Be sure to read the Rexall Store's ad in this issue and learn how to make your last summer's straw hat be new again this summer for 25c.

—Mr. G. M. Huntley, a progressive citizen of Rutherfordton, R-1, was in town Tuesday on business. He says the influenza is about gone in his section.

—Mr. George A. Tanner, son of Mr. A. S. Tanner of Henrietta is at home from Camp Jackson on a furlough of ten days. He is direct from France.

—Miss Esther Mae Jordan returned to Davenport College last week to resume her studies. She was detained on account of an operation at the Rutherfordton hospital.

—It is a pagan thought that the Germans should be punished for the sake of revenge; there is nothing unchristian, however, in the demand that they be punished for the sake of justice.

—The drive for funds for the Colfax Memorial High School at Ellenboro have been suspended temporarily on account of the weather and "flu" situation but will be resumed soon. Get ready to help.

—Mr. R. N. Coble of Charlotte was here Tuesday and Wednesday collecting funds for the Salvation Army, the organization which has done so much for the soldiers in France and the camps of this country.

—We are sorry to note that Miss Nellie McClain, local telephone operator, is again suffering with tonsillitis. We hope she will soon be out again. Be patient with central. They have a tough job to answer all your calls and please everybody.

—The patrons of Hick's Grove school, in the Island Ford section are rejoicing over the new school house which the Board of Education gave them recently. The building was badly needed and the people deserved it for they have been neglected by the county in recent years.

—Private Fred McDaniel of Caroleen, who received his discharge last week from Camp Wadsworth and who has been visiting at Sheriff Beason's is at home sick while his little son, Fred, Jr., is real sick at his grand father's here, Sheriff Beason. We hope they will soon recover.

—The Sun has just had a letter from Mr. H. F. Cary, General Passenger Agent of the Southern Railway at Washington in reply to correspondence about the matter stating that the Southern night train from Blacksburg which is due here at 8:50 p. m. will probably go on to Marion at an early date, as it formerly did before the war and leave Marion at 5:45 a. m.

—Rev. F. E. Alleyne, scoutmaster of Troop No. 1, Rutherfordton, N. C., received a note from Mrs. Theodore Roosevelt and family last week in response to a letter of sympathy to them on account of the Colonel's death which reads: Mrs. Theodore Roosevelt and her family wish to express their appreciation of your kind sympathy. Colonel Roosevelt was vice-president of the Boy Scouts of America and the only scout citizen in America.

Rev. Jordan To Boy Scouts
—Rev. T. C. Jordan, of the Methodist church preached a very able sermon to the Boy Scouts last Sunday night. The Scouts marched in, in order and occupied front seats. Rev. Jordan took his text from Luke 2 chapter, 51 and 52 verses. "The Boyhood of Jesus." The four points that he stressed were: 1st, obedience to ones parents; 2nd, develop your minds by study; 3rd, Christ developed his body, by abstaining from all bad habits, such as cigarette smoking and drinking; 4th, be sure to grow in favor with God and man, as Christ did.
The Boy Scouts movement is a very vital one and deserves the support of the entire town and county.

JUDGE M. H. JUSTICE PASSES SUDDENLY

Found Dead In Bed In Asheville Wednesday Morning—Remains Brought Home.

As we go to press The Sun learns of the sudden and unexpected death of Judge Michael Hoke Justice in Asheville. Judge Justice was found dead in his bed Wednesday morning at Mrs. Wright's boarding house near the court house. He held court all day Tuesday and went to bed hale and hearty Tuesday night. He was in the midst of an important trial.

Judge Justice is 75 years old today and leaves a widow, two sons and two daughters. They are: Misses Louisa and Martha Justice, the former one of the high school teachers here and the other a nurse at the hospital. Messrs. Gaston B. of Marion and Michael, Jr., of Norfolk, Va. Dr. Gaston is a physician of Marion while Michael is an insurance man of Norfolk, Va. M-3993. Ed and Butler Justice preceded their father to the grave some years ago.

Judge Justice has practiced law for more than 40 years, being judge on the Superior court bench for 10 years. He was Judge of the Eighteenth Judicial District and was holding Buncombe county court at the time of his death. He has represented Rutherford county in the House of Representatives at Raleigh and was State Senator for about three terms.

It is no exaggeration to say that Judge Justice was the best known and beloved man in the county. He counted his friends by the hundreds. His decisions in the court room were always firm and tempered with mercy. He was a great friend of education. He was very active last year in the stamp and bond drives. He was a prominent Mason and Pythian.

A delegation from Asheville accompanied the body home last night. Funeral arrangements have not been announced. A fuller account of his life and funeral will appear next week.

The county and State has lost one of its most useful and prominent citizens.

Miss Osborne Returns

The many friends of Miss Catherine Osborne will be glad to see her among us again. She is just from the General Army Hospital at Lakewood, N. J., where she has been nursing wounded soldiers returning from abroad. Miss Osborne has seen over seas service as an army Reserve Nurse. She has had many thrilling experiences near the front and also in crossing the Atlantic twice.

She says among other things that the American people have no conception of the havoc wrought by the war—the awful sacrifice of life—the horror of the mangled bodies of the brave soldiers returning and the deprivations of the people, "over there."

Miss Osborne enlisted in the hospital unit under the auspices of the Red Cross and was transferred to the Army Red Cross for the period of the war and has returned to work for the Missions under Father Lobbell's care.

Rutherford Soldier Returns

Private Matthew M. McDaniel, a brother of our townsman, Mr. W. J. McDaniel, returned to his home here Monday, being discharged from the service of Uncle Sam. He went into the service last August at Camp Wadsworth. He sailed for France, Sept. 23 and landed October 7th. He never went to the front, but had many interesting experiences in France. He left France, January 17 and landed in New York City January 26—was sent direct to Camp Lee, Virginia, where he was discharged. He says that he drilled as usual from the time that the armistice was signed until he started home. He came back with the 331st infantry, 83rd division. He says the 30th division was camping at Beaumont, France when he left that place the first of the year.

The many friends of Mr. McDaniel are glad to see him back and covet his much experienced trip.

New Motor Hearse

Mr. R. L. Hovis, undertaker of this city has exchanged his former hearse for a new motor hearse, six cylinder motor. It is Michigan make and is the only one of its kind in the county. It is new and up-to-date in every way and is the latest thing out. When you need some one to drive the corps of some of your people to the cemetery, call on Mr. Hovis as he has the latest and best that is going and you want your people to have the best.

See his ad in this issue.

Notice

Remember that cards of thanks, expressions of respect and in memoriams go at a cent a word, while all news articles gladly go free.



THE LATE JUDGE MICHAEL HOKE JUSTICE

MASS MEETING TO BE HELD FEBRUARY 25TH

Mrs. Clarence A. Johnson Will Speak At Mass Meeting

There will be a mass meeting here in the court house, Tuesday, February 25th at 2:30 p. m. to discuss the advisability of organizing a civic league, betterment association or community club. Mrs. Clarence A. Johnson, president of the North Carolina Federation of Women's Clubs, and one of the State's leading women in progress and civic improvements will address the meeting. Plans will be discussed to improve the streets, side walks, court house and lawn, back streets, old dilapidated buildings and unsanitary places. Be sure and attend.

The Sun takes the liberty to urge all business men, women, church workers, town council and school folks to be sure and attend this meeting. If there are any other towns or communities in the county that desire the services of Mrs. Johnson that week, she can be secured free of charge by writing her at Raleigh at once and state where and when you want her.

Hospital Notes

Mrs. J. C. Cagle, of Rutherfordton continues to improve.

Mr. G. H. Gibson, of Shelby returned home Tuesday after treatment.

Miss Bertha Jones, Forest City is now undergoing treatment and doing well.

Mrs. H. L. Davis, Rutherfordton route 2, doing nicely after an operation.

Mrs. Ira Freeman, of Rutherfordton is improving under treatment.

Mr. R. K. Hollifield, Forest City is doing well after undergoing an operation.

Mr. Carl Peeler, Shelby is doing nicely after an operation.

Mr. L. O. King, Spindale is doing well after treatment.

Mrs. Florence Koon, Union Mills is doing nicely after an operation.

Soldier Returns

The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Frank P. Freeman are glad that they returned home Monday night. Mr. Freeman left here last July to enter the service. He stayed at Clemson College, S. C., for some time and then was transferred to the College of the City of New York. He was in the hospital four months with pneumonia and influenza and was very serious at once time. Mr. Freeman was discharged at Camp Greene. He will resume his duties as cashier of the Citizens Bank & Trust Co., of this city. They will make their home here. We gladly welcome this fine young couple back to our town.

Officers Catch Blind Tiger

Sheriff J. W. Beason, deputy J. W. Jones and Chief R. L. Houser, made a trip over in Green Hill township last week in search of whiskey and found in Burgin Roberson's (col.) buggy a keg and bottles to hold eight gallons which upon evidence had just had whiskey taken out. He was brought before the Recorder with other witnesses and fined \$50 and cost. Sheriff Beason is doing everything he can to put an end to the whiskey traffic.

REPRESENT the Singer Sewing Machine Company, manufacturers of the best machine for the money. See me before buying. C. G. Hill, Forest City, N. C., Phone 94.

THE CHAMBER OF COMMERCE MEETS

The Rutherfordton Chamber Of Commerce Met Monday Night — Important Resolutions Passed.

The meeting was called to order by the president, H. L. Carpenter. At the request of the president, M. Solomon Gallert read the bills now pending in the legislature in reference to the State road laws, the two read being known as the Matthew bill and the Stevens and Scales bill. On motion of N. C. Harris, seconded by C. D. Geer, it was resolved that the Chamber of Commerce of Rutherfordton go on record as favoring the passage of the Stevens and Scales bill, and that each member of the Chamber of Commerce be urged to exert his efforts towards securing the passage of the same. This motion was unanimously carried.

On motion of Mr. R. E. Price, duly seconded and carried, it was moved that the Chamber of Commerce call a meeting of the men and women of the town of Rutherfordton, to be held at the court house on Tuesday, February 25th, at 2:30 p. m. for the purpose of discussing the advisability of organizing a civic league, betterment association or community club for the town, and to hear Mrs. Clarence A. Johnson, of Raleigh, discuss the subject of sanitation and beautifying the town, and that notice of this meeting be published in The Sun.

On motion duly seconded and carried, it was resolved that the secretary of the Chamber of Commerce telegraph Senators D. Z. Newton and J. C. McArthur, to the effect that the Chamber of Commerce of Rutherfordton unanimously favors the passage of the Stevens and Scales road law.

There being no further business the meeting was on motion adjourned.

PENNY COLUMN

Advertisements inserted in this column, under this head at 1 cent a word each insertion, cash-in-advance.

FOR SALE:—New perfection Oil Stove, three burner and oven, slightly used, but in good order. J. C. McArthur, Forest City, N. C., R-3.

WANTED:—To buy opossum, muskrat, mink, skunk and racoon hides. Will pay the highest prices for them. R. R. Hardin, Forest City, N. C., R-2.

FOUND:—Two yellow stray hounds near Piedmont church. Owner can get them by paying for feed and this ad. Henry McDowell, Rutherfordton, N. C.

FOR SALE:—Ten patented bee stands, \$4.00 each, this price is what the standard cost you alone, I am giving you the bees. P. W. Eskridge, Rutherfordton, N. C.

MONEY TO LEND and houses to rent. Will sell your property quick; also have city and country property for sale. See M. L. Edwards, Rutherfordton, N. C.

JUSTICE-DOBBSINS Co. urge all debtors of that firm to please pay up at once as the firm has changed hands. J. L. Dobbsins has sold his interest to Sheriff Tanner. C. E. Justice will remain in the business and Ed Erwin has joined the firm. J. L. Dobbsins wants to close all his accounts before he retires from the firm. Justice-Dobbsins Co.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE

Having qualified as executors of the estate of Col. John T. Patrick, deceased, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against said estate to present the same to the undersigned executors or attorneys for payment at Rutherfordton, N. C., on or before February 14, 1920, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate settlement of said indebtedness. This February 11th, 1919. George Parker and J. C. Parker, Executors. Morrow & Carson, Attys.

CHICHESTER'S PILLS

THE DIAMOND BRAND. Ladies! Ask your Druggist for Chichester's Diamond Brand Pills in Red and Gold metallic boxes, sealed with Blue Ribbons. Take no other. Buy of your Druggist. For CURE OF ALL THE DIAMOND BRAND PILLS, for 25 years known as Best. Always Reliable. SOLD BY DRUGGISTS EVERYWHERE.

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MORGAN & PADGETT will operate their gin only on Friday.

FOR SALE:—Kings prolific cotton seed. Supply limited. Karl Jay.

WANTED:—Several small farms for immediate sale. Morrow and Carson.

FOR CABBAGE PLANTS see A. G. Hamrick, Rutherfordton, N. C., Route 1.

WANTED:—To rent typewriter; any make except Oliver. Clara Bryant, Spindale.

AGENT for Buckeye Incubators and Brooders. J. S. Saunders, Rutherfordton, N. C.

Fresh by express, Goodyear wing-foot rubber heels; the good kind. Bean's Shoe Shop.

Bring us your shoes for repairs now—we fix 'em quick, 'while-u-wait.' Bean's Shoe Shop.

IF YOU NEED a rubber stamp, write J. C. McArthur, Forest City R-3. He makes 'em.

WANTED:—300 cords of wood cut. Will also have some rough lumber for sale. R. M. Twitty.

A BARGAIN:—Second hand Overland touring car. Good condition. J. H. Keeter, Rutherfordton, N. C.

FOR SALE:—Maxwell touring car, good condition, has run about 6000 miles. C. C. Proffitt, Rutherfordton.

WANTED:—To sell pure bred Brown Leghorn eggs for hatching. J. S. Saunders, Rutherfordton, N. C.

WANTED:—To sell or rent a fifty acre farm, good improvements. Apply to G. M. Huntley, Rutherfordton R-1.

ALL HEART Red Cedar Shingles, car load, two thousand thousand just received. See Keeter Hardware Co.

WANTED:—Gum logs 4t. 9 in. Idng. \$8.00 per cord. Write for specifications. The Ivey Mfg. Co., Hickory, N. C.

NOTICE:—Trout Ginning Co., of Rutherfordton will gin cotton Friday, February 14th, Tuesday 18th and Friday 21st.

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE:—Residence, four acres land, South Main street, Rutherfordton. Box 168, Caroleen, N. C.

ATTENTION SOLDIERS:—We will attach Goodyear rubber heels for any soldier for 25c until February 28. Bean's Shoe Shop.

FOR SALE:—1917 Model Little Four Buick touring car. Good condition. Bargain at \$775. Robert E. Haynes, Henrietta, N. C.

LOST:—Elgin Watch, 20-year case, in Rutherfordton last Saturday. Finder please return to Henry McDowell and receive reward.

CARPENTER'S Furniture Store in basement—chairs, rockers, beds, springs, mattresses, dressers washstands, kitchen cabinet, saes.

FOR SALE:—Oliver Typewriter No. 5, has tabulator, backspacer, ruling device, etc. Fine shape, cheap. Robert E. Haynes, Henrietta, N. C.

DR. WILSON COILING:—Dr. H. D. Wilson, the eye specialist from Shelby will be at Cliffside, Dr. Shull's office, Tuesday and Wednesday, Feb. 25th and 26th; Caroleen, Dr. Wiseman's office, Thursday, Feb. 27 and Ellenboro, Friday, Feb. 28. Eyes scientifically fitted, examination free.

HOW DO YOU TRULY ECONOMIZE?

Elkay's Straw Hat Dyes will quickly make last year's straw hat new.

Made in all the most popular shades.

Fast colors; will not wash or rub off. Their use does not make the hat unnaturally stiff

INVEST 25c IN ELKAY'S STRAW HAT DYE AND SAVE BUYING A NEW HAT

The Robinson Co.

The Rexall Store

RUTHERFORDTON, N. C.