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DAMAGE BY FIRE MADE GOOD FOR \$500.

Dr. A. S. Nichols received a draft on the Liverpool & London & Globe Fire Insurance Co. Tuesday for damages on his furniture caused by the fire in his building on the morning of the 3rd of March. This policy was recently written by A. J. Dills, local agent, and it speaks well for the new agency to get such a satisfactory adjustment in such a short time after the fire.

JACKSON COUNTY COMMENCEMENT.

At the court house in Webster, March 29th. There will be an address at 11 o'clock, A. M. The prize winners of the boys corn club contest will be on the stage and a summary of their success will be given. Dinner in abundance for all will be served on the grounds. In the afternoon the contests will be held. Music will be furnished by the pupils of the seventh grade as far as possible. Let everybody come. The teachers and prospective teachers are especially expected to come and observe in order to be able to suggest plans for next years commencement.

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THREE HAZERS CONVICTED

Of the four Sophomores from the University of North Carolina who were tried for manslaughter, for the death of William Rand at Chapel Hill, last September, during a hazing spree, Arthur Styron was acquitted because there was no evidence to implicate him in the affair the other three Wm. Leonard Merrimon, Aulerey Carlisle Hatch, and Ralph Oldham, were convicted and sentenced to serve a term of four months, each, on the county roads of Orange county, with the provision that they might be hired out by the commissioners of that county. The fathers of each of these hired them from the county for the sum of \$150.00. Of course this amounted to the same thing as imposing a fine of \$150.00 each upon them for the crime of manslaughter. Of course they fortified their citizenship.

News Observer March 18

Governor Craig has been asked to pardon the recently convicted hazers, W. L. Marriman, of Willington; A. C. Hatch of Mount Olive, and R. W. Oldham, of Raleigh.

The request came from the father of young Merriman, a splendid citizen of Willington. It covers the case of all the boys. The pardon is asked on the ground that their citizenship will be restored and that it will not be impaired if the young men do not serve their sentence of four months.

There is a big room for argument on that proposition, but the governor has not reached that point.

HAYES SHORT \$5000.

News and Observer.

Winston-Salem, March 18.—The board of trustees of the Methodist Children's Home here, after an all-day session late this afternoon, issued a statement regarding the shortage of former Superintendent H. A. Hayes, who retired from the institution about a month ago.

An expert accountant, employed to audit the accounts of the home reports a shortage of proven items in Mr. Hayes' account of \$2,337.84, and that there appears from an analysis of Mr. Hayes' personal account a probable shortage of \$3,193.74, making a total shortage of \$5,531.58.

This shortage was all found to be in the maintenance fund and in no way was the building fund involved. The committee of transfer of the home to the new superintendent, under direction of an attorney, has been directed by the trustees to continue the process to reimburse the Home so far as possible for the whole defalcation from any assets which may hereafter be found.

WARNING.

Warning to the Jackson county citizens. Beware of spectacles peddlers and fakers Dr. D. C. Besser the famous eyesight speciest and optican will be here Saturday and Monday, March 22 and 24 at the Sylva Pharmacy.
Free Examination.

KING OF GREECE ASSASSINATED.

The following gathered from the associated press dispatches in the daily exchanges tells of the assassination of King George 1st of Greece:

London, March 18.—The official world at London and the general public were startled this evening by a terse message from Saloniki announcing the assassination of the King of Greece.

Interest in the troubled Balkans has been waning of late but the news of this wholly unexpected tragedy caused an instant of intense sensation.

It was generally known that the king of Greece was still at Saloniki as nothing had been heard of his movements for several days. Concern regarding details of the assassination was intense, but as the hours passed and no further news reached London it became evident that a rigid censorship was being maintained by the army administration.

IN MEMORY OF MISS ETHEL HIPPS.

Miss Ethel Hipps, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Hipps passed tot the christian rest at eight o'clock Thursday morning January 30 1913. Miss Hipps death occurred after a lingering illness at the home of the family at Bergenfield N. J. where they moved in the hope of staying the ravages of the disease from which she has suffered for two years. A heavy cold followed by plury developed into tuberculosis. She was sent to the old home of the family in North Carolina in the summer of 1911, returning last summer greatly improved in health. The salt air of the coast soon told upon her and the move to Bergenfield was decided upon, the change proved of no avail however, and she sank gradually, suffering intensely until the end came. Funeral services were held for the family Saturday afternoon February 1, at the home in Bergenfield, Rev. F. L. Fraser, pastor of the First Baptist Church officiated assisted by the Rev. Mr. Van Horn pastor of the First Presbyterian Church of Bergenfield.

Mrs. Lafette Talbot of Hoboken an intimate friend of the family, sang at special request "The Christian's Good Night," and Sleep, Sleep Beloved and Take Thy Rest," a favorite hymn of Miss Hipps and her mother.

Miss Hipps had been a member of the First Baptist Church of Hoboken for years, next to her own home her church was the dearest in place and interest in he life, not only a member of the church but also of the Christian Endeavor. Her influence has been written indelibly by force of a genuine Christian character into the living records of this church. The love and esteem in which Miss Hipps was held by all who knew her is testified in the beautiful floral tributes which was sent to the home in Bergenfield. The Ladies Aid Society of the church sent a wreath of roses, The Christian Endeavor Society a sheaf of pink carnations and Miss Emily B. Reade's Sunday School class of which she was a member sent a sheaf of roses. The railroad men who work under Mr. Hipps, sent a large wreath of roses.

Miss Hipps who was twenty years of age on December 21, 1912 was a girl of rare sweet character and a christian whose life was a beautiful example to those about her. She was a graduate of Public School No. 6. On Sunday February 2, the body was brought to Hoboken and services were held in the first Baptist church at 3 o'clock P. M. The Quartett rendered appropriate selections. Rev Fraser brought a special message to those present Interment was made in Flower Hill cemetery.

THE NEW ROAD TRUSTEES ORGANIZE

The new Board of Road Trustees for Sylva township met and organized Saturday 15th, with the following officers:

B. H. Cathey Sr., chairman; J. B. Ensley, treasurer; A. J. Dills, secretary; D. L. Bryson, S. C. Cogdill and W. J. Fisher, executive committee.

We are reliably informed that the trustees for Cullowhee township organized on the same date. Trustees for Dillsboro will organize Thursday.

A joint meeting of the trustees of Dillsboro and Sylva townships will meet at Dillsboro Saturday morning at 10 o'clock, March 22nd, to consider the proposed road to be built from Dillsboro to Sylva.

At one o'clock Saturday 22nd, a joint meeting of the trustees for Dillsboro, Sylva and Cullowhee, will meet at Sylva to discuss ways and means regarding the construction of roads in the three townships, and to co-operate in the expenses as much as possible so as to save any additional expense, if possible, in the way of purchase of machinery, hiring of engineers, etc., etc.

It is hoped that great good will result from these meeting and feel sure that we will have some roads to travel over and not have to still travel through these mud holes as heretofore.

RECITAL AT CULLOWHEE.

Monday evening, March 17, the school and community were entertained by a recital given by the students in the department of music. The earnest spirit of the performers and the excellent training of the Directress, Mrs. Mary Carter Brinson, were evident. The progress of the students in this department is worthy of special mention. In the few short months of the present school year the advancement has been really remarkable.

The program in full follows:
PROGRAM.

"Love's Old Sweet Song" --- Molloy.
Chorus Class.
"Brook Song" --- Heller
Mr. Edward Shipp.
"La Fontaine" --- Bohm
Miss Lois Miller
"Sleep, Little Baby of Mine" --- Dennee
Miss Lillian Shipp
"Reverie" --- Wilhelm Kern
Miss Annie Penland.
"Senners Abschied" --- Hummel
Miss Christine Nichols
"Japanese Love Song" --- C. Thomas
Miss Lillian Shipp.
"O'er Hill and Dale" --- Eggleman
Misses L. Miller and M. Abernethy.
Fifth Nocturne --- Leybach
Miss Jonnie Mease.
Adagio non troppo. Op. 30, No. 3
Mendelsshon
Miss Marjje Abernethy.
Andante con Variazivni
Allegretto Vivance
Adagio Cantabile --- Beethoven
Miss Lillian Shipp.
"O Hush Thee, My Baby" --- Sullivan
Chorus Class.

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CONSTITUTIONAL COMMISSION.

The General Assembly made provision for a commission to meet, discuss and propose certain constitutional amendments. The Act provides that the Governor shall appoint five members of the commission, the president of the Senate five and the speaker of the House eight. The committee will meet in Raleigh April 2nd. The members of the commission are:

Appointed by the governor—A. M. Scales of Guilford, J. W. Bailey of Wake, D. Y. Cooper of Vance, H. Q. Alexander of Mecklenburg, N. J. Rouse of Lenoir.

On the part of the senate—H. W. Stubbs of Martin, A. D. Ward of Craven, T. W. Washington of Wilson, A. D. Ivie of Rockingham, A. T. Grant of Davie.

On the part of the house—E. J. Justice of Guilford, R. A. Doughton of Alleghany, H. A. Page of Moore, W. A. Devin of Granville, C. S. Wallace of Carteret, E. R. Wooten of Lenoir, R. L. Haymore of Surry.

NO MORE LIQUOR

A telegram was received by the Express agent here a few days ago forbidding him to deliver any more shipments of liquor. Much consternation was caused among the thirsty at this sudden cutting off of their usual supplies, and others expressed great fears of the approach of snake time with no remedy but turpentine in reach. While on the other hand the friends of mortality and good order, are devoutly thankful for this practical prohibition; which does prohibit, and the saving to the women and children and the community at large, of the great sums of money which have heretofore been worse than wasted when sent to other states for liquor.—Andrews Sun.

It would be much nicer, if the same were true of Sylva.

QUALLA ITEMS.

The farmers are progressing nicely with their work at this place most of the people are about done turning their land. wheat is looking fine through this section. We have had quite a lot of rain this winter, but the snow has been light and I guess the rabbits were glad of it, for boys dont hunt much when there isnt any snow.

The choir seems to be getting ready for the Convention which will be held at Qualla the third Sunday in April. Manly Gibson had singing at his home a few nights ago, am glad to say the choir did fine.

There was a wedding on Camp Creek March 9 Mr. Tom Sellers and Miss Lizzie Kimsey were married by J. H. Bradley. We wish them a long and happy life.

Sam Norman of Addie visited his father, R. V. Norman at Shoal Creek, last week.

We are glad to say that Oscar Beck from Balsam is going to make his home at Qualla this summer we are glad to have him with us. He reports that everything is getting along nicely at Balsam.

Mrs. Vader Hipps of Canton is visiting her father, Mr. W. H. Cooper at Shoal Creek this week.

Jessie and Alf Parker visited Shoal Creek Sunday.

Erastus Moody of Whittier visited Shoal Creek Sunday afternoon.

Blue Eyes