

Our Piano Voting Contest is on again and will run to the finish. Make it lively

The Mountain Scout.

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Friday & Saturday

March 24th & 25th

are the days for the

LARGEST MILLINERY OPENING

ever seen in Taylorsville.

Our stock, consisting of the latest styles of **Hats and General Millinery Goods**, is large, first class and up-to-date.

We want every lady to remember the dates and come and see our goods and get prices.

THE BEE HIVE

TO MY FRIENDS: LISTEN!

FOR

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Remember I am at Mooresville, N. C.

I have moved my Statesville business to Mooresville, N. C., so as to give the business my undivided attention and by doing this I am better prepared to protect your interest than ever and will give any business entrusted to me my personal attention.

Remember I furnish nothing but the best material in Marble and Granite and guarantee first class work or NO PAY, AND WILL NOT BE UNDERSOLD.

Don't buy until you get my prices.

Yours truly,

Mooreville Marble & Granite Works

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We Receive Accounts



that are flattering from the friends of this institution, accounts of complete satisfaction with our methods of doing business. You will understand what they mean if you are a depositor with us. You will know the utter absence of anxiety from the minds of our depositors, and the implicit confidence they have in this bank and its officers.

The Bank of Alexander.

"COME LET US REASON TOGETHER."

History and records will prove that:
Alexander is the best county in the State.
Alexander people are the best and most law-abiding people in the State.
Alexander has the best water, best air and healthiest climate in the State.
Alexander has, untold, natural resources that are awaiting development.
With all these things to back us up we can make Alexander stand at the head of the column in progress and prosperity.
We know what we have but the outside world has not been enlightened.
A project is now on foot to organize a County Fair Association for the purpose of getting all our people together to exhibit what we have and consult together once a year and, at the same time bring in people, from other sections, to see what Alexander is and what we can do.
This will be an advertisement for our county and one that will pay tenfold for what it will cost us.
Let every man make it a point to talk and work for the success of the proposition and it will be a good success.
In another column will be found a list of all who have subscribed for stock in the Fair Association. Read it over and, if your name is not in the list, come to the Scout office and put it down or fill in the following blank and send it to the Editor of the Scout who will enter it. Do it today and let us push the matter to a success. We can do it.

EDITOR OF THE MOUNTAIN SCOUT.

Please enter my name for _____ shares of stock in The Alexander County Fair Association, at \$5 per share.

My address is _____

Sign here _____

County Fair.

As announced, in these columns a subscription to stock for an Alexander County Fair Association has been started and the results, so far, are encouraging.

The following is a list of stock subscribed for The Alexander County Fair Association up to Tuesday evening March 21st:

Alexander Hardware Co.	\$ 50 00
Geo. Watts	10 00
Hall Watts	10 00
R. L. Moose	10 00
Lydia Bumgarner	5 00
Atwell Matheson	5 00
Chas. Watts	5 00
R. M. Herman	5 00
R. F. Cobb	5 00
C. L. Frazier	5 00
C. S. Robinette	5 00
D. L. Teague	5 00
Chas. P. Matheson	100 00
J. P. Babington	10 00
A. D. Kerley	5 00
C. M. Brookshire	10 00
W. A. Barnett	100 00
Thos. B. Smith	5 00
D. W. Correll	10 00
H. D. Lindsay	5 00
H. J. Burke	5 00
H. S. Deal	10 00
G. W. Johnson	5 00
A. F. Sharpe	5 00
L. F. Klutz	5 00
J. A. Campbell	5 00
J. R. Carson	5 00
A. M. Matheson	25 00
S. T. Crowson	10 00
J. B. Robinette	10 00
W. H. Carson	5 00
R. W. Chatham	5 00
R. K. Moose	5 00
Jas. Watts	10 00
J. L. Gwaltney	5 00
Robt. W. Teague	5 00
Ed C. Campbell	10 00
C. H. Goodwin	5 00
L. L. Moore	5 00
C. C. Rogers	5 00
L. M. Warren	5 00
J. H. Rogers	5 00
R. R. Reed	5 00
Will Robinette	10 00
J. S. Bobbar	10 00

R. B. Smith	10 00
W. T. Rowland	5 00
A. C. Payne	25 00
J. C. Wike	10 00
H. T. Campbell	5 00
W. C. Matheson	10 00
L. C. Hafer	10 00
T. T. Sharpe	5 00
W. E. Bogle	5 00
I. A. Barnes	5 00
L. M. Brown	5 00
C. G. Viele	5 00
S. G. Earp	10 00
T. P. Ray	5 00
C. R. Zickler	5 00
G. C. Echerd	25 00
W. L. Livingston	10 00
Total	\$700 00

SCHOOL TEACHER

Wards off Nervous Break Down

Alburts, Pa. — "I am a teacher in the public schools and I got into a very nervous run-down condition. I could not sleep and had no appetite. I was tired all the time. My sister asked me to try Vinol. I did so, and within a week my appetite improved and I could sleep all night and now I feel well and strong." — ROSA M. KELLER, Alburts, Pa.

We guarantee Vinol, our delicious cod liver and iron tonic, for all weakened run-down conditions and for chronic coughs, colds and bronchitis.

Wholesale and Retail, Druggists, Taylorsville, N. C.

No Fiction.

A dispatch early today carried the information that Secretary of War Baker had informed the president today that both columns of American soldiers now pressing into Mexico after Villa and his bandit horde were receiving the hearty co-operation of Carranza troops. This is good news. It tends to dispel fears entertained in some quarters that there might be friction between the two armies now seeking out the bandit gang. The hope of the people of this country is that the chase will be quickly rewarded by the capture of the bandits and that United States troops, having accomplished their purpose, may be quickly withdrawn. — Ex.

Millinery Opening

Thursday and Friday, March 16-17

Every lady in the County is invited to attend our Spring

MILLINERY OPENING

on the above dates.

Our line of Hats and Millinery Goods is complete and up-to-date.

THE WATTS COMPANY

Drop in and See

my large and well selected line of

Up-To-Date Goods

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