

Loyd McNeely Gets Boyd's Job

MAYOR DECIDES A TIE VOTE.

One Committee Will Look Into a Revision of the City Charter—And Another Will Consider the Advisability of Buying Land Adjoining the Present Building. Monthly Bills Paid.

The board of aldermen held its regular monthly meeting last night with His Honor, H. P. Grier, mayor, in the chair.

The city clerk, Mr. Eugene Morrison, was absent and Alderman W. L. Gilbert officiated as clerk pro tem.

The only matter of much importance to be transacted, was the election of a tax collector and superintendent of water works.

As was anticipated, Mr. J. E. Boyd tendered his resignation to take effect Dec. 1. This was made necessary as that gentleman has just been elected register of deeds for Iredell county. The resignation was accepted and the board at once went into the election of a successor to Mr. Boyd.

A number of gentlemen had made an active canvass for the place and the life of the aldermen has not been an easy one for the past few weeks because of the efforts constantly made by some of these and their friends to secure the support of the various members of the board.

The names of these gentlemen were read off and each member signified the one he desired to vote for. The result of the ballot showed that only two on the list had been voted for. These were Mr. W. L. McNeely, and E. N. Morrison and each received the same number of votes.

There being a tie it became the duty of the mayor to cast the deciding vote and he did this by casting it for Mr. McNeely.

Mr. McNeely, Loyd McNeely resident of this city. He is superintendent and manager of the Cling Fast Co.

The board then ordered all the regular monthly bills paid.

The question of purchasing ground adjoining the city building was discussed and a committee was appointed to investigate the matter. This committee is composed of the following: Aldermen Clark and Henkel and the mayor.

The members discussed, in an informal manner, the question of a general revision of or amendment to the city charter. A committee composed of Mayor Grier, City Attorney Dorman Thompson, and Alderman Ausley, chairman of the finance committee, will investigate the matter and will probably report at a later date.

Mrs. Alexander Dead.

Word was brought to the city this morning that Mrs. John A. Alexander died yesterday at 2 p. m., at her home in Davidson township.

She was about 55 years old and besides her husband, is survived by a large family of children.

The funeral was held this afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Dr. Hill Gets Tea Set.

Dr. W. J. Hill held ticket No. 4507 in the L. A. Goldman gift distribution drawing and has received the handsome china tea set.

The Punch bowl still waits for the appearance of its owner. He holds coupon No. 4704 but evidently don't know its value.

WHERE TO WORSHIP.

Where You and Your Friends May Worship Tomorrow—All Denominations Extend a Hearty Welcome to the Stranger Within Our Gates.

Trinity Church (Episcopalian).
Sunday school at 10 o'clock.
Archdeacon E. A. Osborne will conduct services at Trinity church on Walnut street at 11 a. m., and 3:30 p. m. Sunday. At the morning service there will be a celebration of the Holy Eucharist.

Lutheran Church.
Rev. W. A. Lutz, pastor.
Preaching at 11 a. m.
Sunday school at 10 a. m.
There will be no services at night as the pastor will preach at St. Michael's in Troutman in the afternoon.

Front Street Presbyterian.
Rev. J. B. Branch, pastor.
Sunday school at 10.
Preaching at 11 a. m.

St. Phillip's Catholic Chapel.
Services are held on the fourth Sunday and Monday of each month.

Race Street Methodist.
Rev. H. H. Robbins, pastor.
Sunday school at 10 a. m.
Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

Second Baptist.
Rev. J. F. Mitchiner, pastor.
Preaching at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m.
Sunday school at 10.

First Baptist.
Rev. C. A. Jenkins, pastor.
Sunday school at 10 o'clock
Services at the usual hours.

Broad Street Methodist.
Rev. J. R. Scroggs, pastor.
Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

Sunday school at 9:45 a. m.
The pastor who has been confined to his home for several weeks with rheumatism is so much improved in health that he expects to be able to conduct both the morning and evening services as usual.

Southside Associate Reformed.
Rev. W. A. Kennedy pastor.
Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.
Sunday school at 10 a. m.
There will be no services tomorrow as the pastor is attending the Synod in Newberry, S. C.

Associate Reformed Presbyterian.
Rev. Dr. J. H. Pressly, pastor.
Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.
Sunday school at 10 o'clock.
There will be no preaching services tomorrow as Dr. Pressly is in Newberry, S. C., attending the Synod.

First Presbyterian.
Rev. Dr. J. M. Wharey, temporary pastor.
Morning service at 11 a. m.,
Evening services at 7:30.
Sunday school at 10 a. m.

Presiding Elder Huggins Appointments.
Presiding Elder J. N. Huggins of the Methodist district will hold religious services at Grace and Granite Falls in Caldwell county.

At Bethany Church.
The communion services at Bethany church will embrace next Sunday, 8th, conducted by Rev. C. A. Munroe. Preparatory service on Friday night.

Ladies' Missionary Society.
Mrs. Harry Burke of this city

Graham To Hang Dec. 18

HE CONFESSED THE CRIME.

Negro Accused of Assaulting Miss Pearl Tucker, in Cabarrus County, October 13th, Confesses His Crime to Negro Preachers—Jury Hears His Confession and Promptly Returns Verdict of Guilty.

Concord, Nov. 6.—Will Graham, on his own confession a rapist and under sentence of death.

Before noon today the trial was over and the verdict of "guilty" had been returned. Graham was sentenced to be hanged on Friday, the 18th day of December.

Gradam confessed to two colored preachers last night on their evidence today the case came to an ending.

The best of order prevailed throughout the trial and general satisfaction is felt that there has been no disposition to "wreak summary vengeance.

Back From the South.

Mr. J. H. McElwee returned Thursday night from an extended trip through the south.

A visit was made to both Georgia and Alabama. Mr. McElwee had a heap orders in his inside pocket which he returned for the tobacco that has made Statesville famous, that fragrant and delicious smoking, McElwee's Anti-Bellum.

Watch Lost.

A valuable watch is lost and the owner will pay a handsome reward and ask no questions if it returned to the Mascot office. It is advertised in another column.

will address the ladies of the missionary society of Bethel Baptist church on next Sunday evening, November 8th at 3 o'clock p. m. The members of the society and the children are especially invited.

At New Sterling.

Rev. J. Meek White left Wednesday night for Newberry, S. C., to attend the Associate Reformed Synod.
Next Sunday Rev. M. T. Henshaw will preach for him at New Sterling at 11 o'clock.

At St. Michael's in Troutman.

Rev. W. A. Lutz will conduct services at 3 p. m.

At Mooresville.

Tomorrow is the regular appointment of Rev. J. L. Morgan to conduct Lutheran services at the A. R. P. church.

A Returned Missinary.

Rev. Mr. Painter returned missionary from China will preach for the Rev. R. W. Culbertson Sunday morning and afternoon and for Rev. W. S. Wilson in the evening.

Close of Revival Services.

Rev. S. T. Barbour closed the revival services at the school house No. 2 cotton mill last Sunday night after a very successful meeting of two weeks.

There was much interest taken in the meeting and the congregations were large and good results were obtained a number of additions to the church and a large number of professions.

Ministerial Association.

The Statesville Ministerial Association will meet next Monday morning at 10 o'clock.
The meeting will be held at the First Presbyterian church.

Long Terms On The Gang

FOR SEVERAL EVIL DOERS

Circus Pickpocket Number 2, Found Pockets of His Victims Empty and Got 18 Months—Boy Who Stole the Beef Hide is to be Sent to His Mother—Bad Conduct Sends White Woman to Jail and Man to the Roads—Other Cases of Minor Importance.

The second of the colored pickpockets to be captured here by the county officers on the occasion of the visit of Ringling Brothers circus, was before the court this morning.

The charge was an attempt to commit a felony. The evidence was the same as given in the magistrate's court. The deputy sheriffs had been watching the fellow and had seen him put his hands into the pockets of several people at the circus ground. In each instance the pockets were empty and consequently he got nothing while being watched by the officers.

He plead not guilty but the jury thought differently about the matter. The court ordered the man to the roads for 18 months.

A case of considerable interest yesterday afternoon was that of Clifford Cloaninger, the 14 year old son of Elmore Cloaninger.

This lad is the one who stole a beef hide, some time ago and sold it to the Morrison Produce Co. He has been in jail since that time. The boy was allowed, through counsel and by consent of the solicitor, to plead nolo contendere and it appearing to the court that the boy is of tender years judgment was suspended during good behavior and the sheriff was directed to send the boy to his mother at Spartanburg, S. C.

Make Watts and Sallie Rector, fornication and adultery plead not guilty. Both were found guilty by the jury. The court ordered Sallie Rector to the common jail for four months and Watts to the chain gang for six months. Both are white and Watts is a resident of Catawba county.

Andrew Copeland, affray. Plead not guilty. During the trial the solicitor stated that he was surprised by the absence of the state's witnesses, Everett Smith. The jury was withdrawn and a mistrial ordered by the court. It was also ordered that a subpoena be issued for Smith and that the witness be required to give bond in the sum of \$25, for his appearance at the next term of court.

Will Motley, affray. Called and failed. Judgment nisi sci fa and capias.

The case of Clayton Kyles and Clinton Kyles, continued over from yesterday was concluded and resulted in a verdict of not guilty. The men were charged with an assault.

Joe Chambers, assault with deadly weapon. June Gillespie called and failed. Judgment nisi sci fa and capias and case continued. Defendant required to give a bond for \$200 for his appearance at next term of court.

Mr F. A. Troutman, of Longford, was here this week looking after the purchase of an engine and boiler for his roller mills at Longford at the old Troutman homestead. The mill has for a number of years been run by water power but of late on account of so much sand in the creek the water power has been insufficient and Mr. Troutman expects to install steam.

Miss Morgan Is Mrs. Craig

GIRL HAS BEEN MARRIED.

Marion Millionaire Returned From Abroad Without Learning Anything of His Daughter, But a Paris Cable Says She Was Married to Craig October 30th.

Paris, Nov. 6.—While J. L. Morgan, of Marion, N. C., was scouring the continent in search of his runaway daughter, Fayette, and W. P. Craig, with whom the young woman eloped from Florence about three weeks ago, the couple were married at Canterbury, Eng. The ceremony occurred October 30th. Mr. Morgan returned to America in ignorance of the wedding. Mr. and Mrs. Craig are now in this city.

W. P. Craig was employed as a broker's clerk in New Orleans and on a recent visit to Marion, N. C., fell in love with Miss Fayette Morgan, 17 years old. Mr. Morgan forbade the marriage and the young man declared he would marry her without Mr. Morgan's consent. Mr. Morgan promptly sent his daughter under the care of a chaperon to attend an art school in Florence, Italy. Mr. Morgan's efforts to outwit the father were favored by a bequest of \$3,000 which enabled him to go to Europe as soon as did Miss Morgan. He found her in Florence, and eluding the chaperon, Craig and Miss Morgan made a vain attempt to be married on the continent. In the meantime Mr. Morgan got news of what had transpired, cabled American agents throughout the continent to find the couple, rushed to New York and boarded a steamer for Europe on October 18th. He returned yesterday after a vain search.

COTTON MARKET.

Local Market.

Prices paid at wagon:
Strict good middling.....9.00
Good middling.....8 7/8
Middling.....8 3/8
Stains and Tinges.....6@7 1/2
The market was firm.

New York, Nov. 6.—Spots closed at 9.30 an advance of five points.

Futures closed as follows:
December.....9.07
January.....8.92
March.....8.86
May.....8.85

Cotton at Mooresville.

The Enterprise says:
"Cotton has taken a dise and 9 1/4 cents is being offered here today.

Magistrate and Constable.

By request The Mascot republishes the list of magistrates elected for the ensuing year for the four wards of Statesville township.

They are as follows: W. C. Moore, J. E. Stimson, J. A. King, B. B. Boyd, W. R. Stevenson and W. W. Turner. Mr. J. W. Ward was named for township constable.

Lorene Oil Mills Incorporated.

The Lorene Oil Mills has been chartered by the State to do business at Mooresville with a capital \$100,000 with \$10,000 of it paid in. The incorporators are James W. Brown, J. L. Honeycutt, and M. R. Brown. They have power under the charter to manufacture products from cotton seed, do a general storage business and deal in real estate.

MOTHER IN ISRAEL AT REST

Beloved Wife of Captain Pinkney C. Carlton Goes to Her Reward After a Long Life of Unselfishness to Her Family, Her Church and Her Friends.

Many friends were shocked and grieved this afternoon to learn that Mrs. Pinkney C. Carlton had entered the Great Beyond at 1 o'clock.

Her life a long one, had been one of great usefulness to her friends, her family and her church.

For several months this good woman had borne with true womanly patience and Christian fortitude her physical ills and although for the past two weeks she had been slowly growing weaker it was not believed that the end was so near.

When the end came, however, her sweet spirit was ready for its flight to the Eternal joys beyond.

The deceased was 55 years old and to her there had been many years of usefulness. Her life has been crowded with many deeds of kindness and neighborly helpfulness and she was beloved, honored and esteemed by all who came within the sphere of her beneficent influence.

She was a devoted and earnest Christian and a valued member of the Presbyterian church. To the children left behind she leaves a priceless heritage, to them more precious than rubies.

Besides the husband, Captain Carlton, five children are left to mourn their great loss. They are Mrs. C. P. Phillips and Mrs. L. W. MacLesson, who were at the bedside when the end came, Mr. W. B. Carlton of Atlanta, Ga., who had been informed of his mother's illness and who arrived here last night, Mr. Edgar P. Carlton, of Decatur, Ill., who has been summoned from his home in the west and will arrive tonight and Dr. Frank Carlton, the popular young dentist of this city.

There are two sisters: Mrs. William Boger fr Morganton and Mrs. Belle Hill of Statesville and two sisters, Mrs. Helen T. Carlton and Mrs. Belle Carlton, of this city.

The deceased was a native of Iredell and was born Mary Jane Boger.

The funeral will be held from the home, 540 1/2 South Center street at 3:30 o'clock tomorrow afternoon.

To and From Mooresville.

The Enterprise says:
Miss Bessie Justice, of Statesville visited friends and relatives several days here this week.

Mrs. S. E. Alexander of Statesville returned home this morning where she expects to spend some time.

Mr. J. H. Troutman, of Statesville, was here for a few days last week stopping with his brother, Mr. B. A. Troutman.

Miss Lillian Morrison, of Statesville, spent several days here during the past week at the home of Mr. W. N. Johnston.

Miss Whitley Connelly of Statesville, and Mrs. Sue Waddell, of Lynchburg, Va. are guests at the home of Mr. M. S. Odment's this week.

Constipation causes headaches,

nausea, dizziness, languor, heart palpitation. Drastic physics gripe, sicken, weaken the bowels and don't cure. Doan's Regulets act gently and cure constipation. 25 cents. Ask your druggists.

Mr Will Brady went to Charlotte this morning to take in the Foot Ball Game between Davidson and A. & M.