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TAILOR-MADE

Up-to-Date Matters for Home Wear; Guaranteed to fit or miss.

The Mascot says Mich Vannoy was in Statesville last week shaking hands with his old friends.

Miss Edith Cranor returned last week from a visit to Durham. Her sister Miss Kate is visiting relatives in Charlotte.

Ruff Henderson, Jr., and little brother Crawley, who have been at East Bend for some time, are now at their father's here.

We have received several communications of interest but they are unsigned and leave no clue as to the author, and hence we do not publish them.

We notice that our brilliant young countyman Mr. Percy W. Foote is one of the graduating class at Annapolis Naval Academy, this spring.

A car load of jugs was received at the depot last week. As much good jug dirt as there is in the county, it would not appear necessary to ship jugs in here.

Mr. J. L. Webster has opened up an additional smith and repair shop at the Mac Absher stand in North Wilkesboro. This will not interfere with his business here.

Rev. H. H. Phelps will conduct services in St. Paul's Episcopal Church, on Friday, April 26th, at 8 p. m. Sunday, " 28th at 11 a. m. " " " 8 p. m. All are invited to attend.

It is learned here that Mr. John Greenwood and daughter of Edwards township, who recently returned from the asylum, have again relapsed into their former crazy condition.

President Vann, of the Baptist Female University, has been secured to preach the annual sermon at the Blue Ridge Institute commencement the 20th of June. Governor Aycock will deliver the annual address.

Postmaster Reynolds, of Winston, was here on business last week. He says there is an abundance of work in that office now, but still he finds time to write and talk republican campaign bile occasionally, which the postal regulation laws forbid.

James Johnson, who lived near the old Bell place on Hunting Creek, died last week of pneumonia. He was between 50 and 60 years old and leaves a wife and family. He was a good, honest, hard-working, honorable citizen, and that is a reputation that nobles should be proud of.

The principals of Moravian Falls Academy have arranged for the accommodation of a large audience on the night before the regular commencement, having secured the services of our distinguished fellow countymen John O. Howell and W. Samuel Hall to debate the question, "Was the Execution of Mary, Queen of Scots, Justifiable?" As we understand it, each speaker is allowed the privilege of taking any or all sides of the question, provided he don't infringe on the Supreme Court's "inherent rights" of "Hoke vs. Henderson" and "in pari materia." It will be worth hearing.

No mails arrived at all Saturday, owing to the big freshet.

W. H. Brown was first to bring in a load of tan bark this season.

Miss Laura Williams, of Iredell county, is visiting her brother-in-law, Mr. D. W. Mayberry, at North Wilkesboro.

D. W. Mayberry, Esq., went to Taylorsville Monday to look after some business connected with his father's estate.

Mrs. C. A. Sink and Miss Lizzie Jones have opened up a dress making establishment upstairs at J. R. Combs' store.

The damages done by the freshet are incalculable and many people are sorrowful at their losses. But sorrow can not repair the losses. Cheer up and go to work again; that's the only remedy. We will all live out our allotted span anyway. God knows best.

The wife of ex Sheriff Watts, of Alexander county, died last Friday. We sympathize deeply with our friend Watts in his sad bereavement. There's not a better man in the State than Mr. Watts and his wife was one of the best women in the land.

We understand that our friend C. C. Wright who is at Raleigh as a member of the commission to select school books, was given three days of grace in which to celebrate the arrival of a new son at his home on Hunting Creek, last week. Here's our compliments to the young assistant Co. Superintendent.

Con. Caffey, who was down Hunting Creek, selling plows, etc., attempted to cross the creek at the G. H. Hays place. The wagon and team were washed down and he had to cut the team loose to save it. He narrowly escaped drowning himself. The wagon was not gotten out till Sunday afternoon.

Rev. Mr. Herring has done some faithful preaching here at the Baptist church and our people are much pleased with him. The services closed last night. To-day and to night he will preach at Moravian Falls. To-morrow he will deliver a lecture here at the Baptist church. It will be interesting and all should hear it.

Those who attended Statesville Federal court say that most of the defendants came clear, and that District Attorney Holton fell out with the juries for not convicting every body in sight, and removed a number of cases to Charlotte and stopped court. Holton says he couldn't convict a "yaller dog" of stealing meat before that jury. Some of the lawyers suggest that it wasn't the fault of the jury, but that the trouble was in the weakness of the District Attorney.

Snow the 22nd of April is one of the rarities that visited us this week. Sunday morning the Brushies and Blue Ridge were white, and Monday morning we had a regular southeastern soft snow. It was an unusual sight for this section this time of the year. Some of our citizens remember a similar snow and freeze on April 16th 1849, and others tell us they remember a heavy snow about May the 1st 1866. The peach and apple crop is not hurt much yet, but it is feared the "clearing up" freeze will do the damage.

Mrs. Wesley Joines Dead.

It is with regret we note the death of Mrs. Jane Joines, the wife of Esq. Wesley Joines, of Joynes postoffice. She died on last Wednesday at the home of her son in law J. G. Woodruff. She had gone there on Sunday before, as well as usual. She was taken with a kind of colic rather suddenly and died on Wednesday. She the daughter of the late Hardin Spicer, and was about 60 years old. She was a conscientious and devoted member of the Baptist church. She died triumphant in the faith. Another one of the best women of the land has been gathered to the eternal home of the righteous.

Wilson Davidson dead.

Tuesday morning about 10 minutes before three o'clock, Mr. Wilson Davidson passed peacefully to the great Unknown. He had been sick with fever for nearly 25 days, and for the last several days had been gradually growing worse. He was about 35 years old, and leaves a wife and one child. He will be buried to day at North Wilkesboro cemetery. He was the son of Esq. John Davidson and a splendid young man, held high in the esteem of all who knew him.

Died at County Home.

April 18th at the home of the aged and infirm, Emily Owens, aged about 40 years, died. She lost her mind years ago and for want of room at the asylum she was sent to the home.

There are now 18 inmates at the county home, all afflicted. Two have to be kept locked up on account of being crazy, two have to be watched, one has fits, one has been confined to her bed for years, one has a leg broken, one a wrist broken, one a mashed hip caused by a fall, one is compelled to use crutches in walking, one has to have help to stand on her feet, one is so blind that she has to be led when she leaves the room. None are able to do but little work outside.

LAUNDRY.

Laundry for the Greensboro Laundry Co. should be left at I. S. Call & Co's., Wilkesboro and the North Wilkesboro Clothing Co., North Wilkesboro, on Mondays so it can be sent off Tuesdays. This Laundry company is one of the best in the State and we ask you to give it a trial.

JOHN CRANOR, Jr., Agent.

Job Couldn't Have Stood It

If he'd had itching piles. They're terribly annoying; but Bucklen's Arnica salve will cure the worst case of piles on earth. It has cured thousands! For Injuries, Pains or bodily Eruptions it's the best salve in the World. Price 25c a box. Cure guaranteed. Sold by Dr. J. W. White.

Stops the Cough and works off the Cold.

Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets cure a cold in one day. No Cure, no Pay. Price 25 cents.

As the hot weather of Summer is approaching this paper will constantly keep before its readers TEETHINA, a remedy which, where known, is being universally used to prevent and counteract the effects of warm weather upon small children, and it is hoped that all mothers of this community will keep their children in a healthy condition by giving it, for it costs only 25cents at druggists; or mail 25cts to C. J. Moffett, M. D., St. Louis, Mo.

Marion Kooke, manager for T. M. Thompson, a large importer of fine millinery at 1658 Milwaukee Avenue, Chicago, says: "During a late severe winter I caught a dreadful cold which kept me awake at night and made me unfit to attend my work during the day. One of my milliners was taking Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for a severe cold at that time, which seemed to relieve her so quickly that I bought some for myself. It acted like magic and I began to improve at once. I am now entirely well and feel very pleased to acknowledge its merits." For sale by Dr. White.

LOCAL MATTERS.

At the mouth of Fish Dam near Brown's ford, the night before the freshet, Fate Milam's wife gave birth to a child which died soon afterward. The morning of the freshet the water reached up to the house and very nearly undermined it. The wife and dead child had to be removed across the creek in a boat and carried to the home of Wesley Milam.

Mattings and floor oil cloths at Mayberry's at 20c and 25c per yard.

You are looking for shoes and slippers—Call & Co. have the very ones you want.

We are headquarters for fine stationery.—Horton's drug store.

Call & Co., have the largest new line of shoes ever brought here.

Refreshing drinks neatly served at our up-to-date fountain.—Horton's Drug store.

Big line of trunks, dress-suit cases, hand bags, etc., at Mayberry's.

The most wholesome diet is fruit; we sell it.—Horton's Drug-store.

Ladies', Misses' and children's black and tan slippers, new stock, at Mayberry's.

You can't fool children—they know where they can get the most candy for a penny—at Horton's Drug store.

Dr. Parkhurst, of New York, at the Educational Conference at Winston Salem last week, spoke some solid truths; among them are these:

"The future of the South is bound up with the future of the whole country. If we don't run off on all sorts of contingent, difficult and extraneous relations and international complications, our future is a great one. I look with extreme regret upon the laying out of strength, time and money upon the solution of foreign problems while we have so many old problems vital to our national and international life still remaining unsolved in our midst. What I want is a great country, not a big country."

There are great gobs of truth in this. It is our own home problems we need to solve before we assume the additional burdens of others. Charity should begin at home and our own educational and race problems should be solved before we "buy" the privilege of taking up the "Brown man's burden."

LATH MILLS.

Buy lath mill and save your slabs and make money out of what you waste.

G. W. CONLEY & Bros. Lenoir N. C.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY.

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All Druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. 25c.

Our Jeweler.

R. C. Lowe, who has been with us eighteen years has now received a lot of watch springs, hands, glasses etc., at Lowe's old stand, and other things too tedious to mention. The firm is just the same; call and see us.

OF Interest to Farmers.

As the Spring is opened and crops are being planted, insects are becoming numerous and their ravages will soon begin. We wish to urge farmers not to wait until a crop is ruined, and then write for information, but as soon as an insect enemy is detected, send some specimens to this office, so that they may be identified, and remedies suggested. The importance of the work against injurious insects is becoming more and more apparent. Everybody is invited to make free use of this office to obtain information regarding insect friends and foes. FRANKLIN SHERRAN JR., Entomologist, N. C. Department of Agriculture, Raleigh, N. C.

"Spring Means Much to Us and You."

"In the Spring a livelier iris changes on the burnished dove."

The Spring Time is here and Nature is changing her sombre winter wardrobe to the livelier, lovelier, brighter one of spring-time. People, too, change their wardrobes with the seasons, and knowing the wants of people for the season and wishing to supply them, we carefully selected an extensive and attractive line of

Spring and Summer Goods

which are now open for inspection. We cordially invite you to inspect our goods before you purchase elsewhere.

R. A. Spainhour & Company.

To the Farmers.

We want to talk to the Farmers some this week about FARMING IMPLEMENTS.

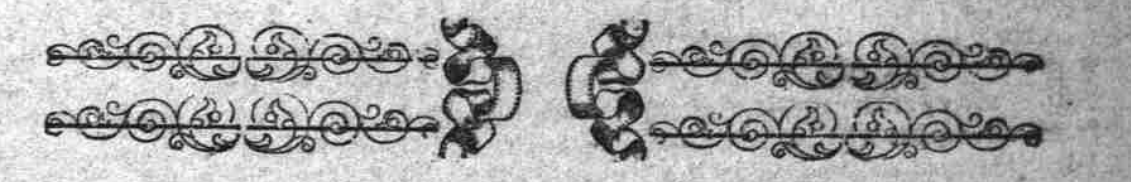
There has been a great deal of Blowing done lately about farm machinery, but this is the season of the year for Wind and the farmers need not get excited at it. But when they are going to buy machinery be calm and careful and buy only the best. We have been selling

DEERING HARVESTING MACHINERY

for 8 years and we have never had one to fail to give Satisfaction yet. They are in the hands of some of our best farmers in all parts of the county and we invite you to ask them about the machines.

Buy the Best, the "Deering." We will make the terms and prices right.

FINLEY BROTHERS.



I. S. CALL & Co.

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this week. They have an elegant line. See them before buying your Summer Slippers and Shoes.

We Have 'em.

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