

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

FOR STATE SENATOR.

I hereby announce that I am a candidate for the State Senate from Gaston county, which is the 32nd Senatorial district, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries and county convention.

JOHN G. CARPENTER.

FOR STATE SENATOR.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for State Senator from Gaston county, which is the 32nd Senatorial District, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries and county convention.

A. L. BULWINKLE.

FOR REPRESENTATIVE.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the House of Representatives, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries and county convention. I will appreciate your support.

DAVID P. DELLINGER.

FOR REPRESENTATIVE.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for Representative of Gaston county in the Lower House of the next General Assembly, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries and county convention.

A. C. STROUP.

FOR REPRESENTATIVE.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for renomination for Representative of Gaston county in the lower house of the General Assembly, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries and county convention.

N. B. KENDRICK.

FOR REPRESENTATIVE.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for Representative of Gaston county in the Lower House of the next General Assembly, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries and county convention.

S. S. MAUNEY.

FOR SHERIFF.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of sheriff of Gaston county, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries and county convention.

G. R. RHYNE.

FOR SHERIFF.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for Sheriff of Gaston county, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries and convention. I respectfully solicit your support.

W. NEIL DAVIS.

FOR SHERIFF.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for renomination for the office of Sheriff of Gaston county, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries and convention.

T. E. SHUFORD.

FOR SHERIFF.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for Sheriff of Gaston county, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries and convention.

C. W. FULLER.

FOR SHERIFF.

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J. MADISON KENDRICK.

FOR SHERIFF.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for Sheriff of Gaston county, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries and convention.

J. D. B. McLEAN.

FOR TREASURER.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for Treasurer of Gaston county, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries and convention.

J. Q. HOLLAND.

FOR TREASURER.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for County Treasurer, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries and convention.

CARL FINGER.

FOR CLERK OF SUPERIOR COURT.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for re-election as Clerk of the Superior Court of Gaston county, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries and county convention.

C. C. CORNWELL.

FOR REGISTER OF DEEDS.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for re-election as Register of Deeds of Gaston county, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries and county convention.

A. J. SMITH.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the nomination for county commissioner from Gastonia township, subject to the action of the Democratic Primaries and county convention.

J. FRANK M'ARVER.

Legal Advertisements

MORTGAGEE'S SALE.

By virtue of the power of sale granted in a mortgage deed executed by S. L. Leonhardt and Alice Leonhardt, his wife, on the 16th day of March, 1909, default having been made in the payment of the bond secured by said mortgage deed, I will sell to the highest bidder, for cash, at the Court House door in Dallas, Gaston County, on the

6th day of June, 1910,

at 12 o'clock noon the following described real property; Town lots numbers 40, 41 and 42, in Block No. 15, in section 3 as per Richardson's map of Bessemer City, upon which lands is situated a two story nine room dwelling and being the same property described in said mortgage deed which is duly registered in the office of Register of Deeds for Gaston County, in Book No. 74, on page 96.

Dated this 30th day of April, 1910. C. A. KISER, Mortgagee—M. 31 C 5-w

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

North Carolina, Gaston County. Having qualified as Executors of the estate of L. D. Johnson, deceased, late of Gaston county, N. C., this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of the said deceased to exhibit them to S. H. Johnson at Charlotte, N. C., or his attorney, J. D. McCall at Charlotte, N. C., on or before the

1st Day of May, 1911,

or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to the said estate will please make immediate payment.

This the 23rd day of April, 1910. S. H. JOHNSON, E. B. JOHNSON, June 10 c 6 w Executors.

CERTIFICATE OF DISSOLUTION.

State of North Carolina, Department of State. To all to Whom These Presents May Come—Greeting:

Whereas, it appears to my satisfaction, by duly authenticated record of the proceedings for the voluntary dissolution thereof by the unanimous consent of all the stockholders, deposited in my office, that Jno. F. Love, Inc., a corporation of this State, whose principal office is situated at No. 211 N. Main Street, in the City of Gastonia, county of Gaston, State of North Carolina, (Jno. F. Love being the agent therein and in charge thereof, upon whom process may be served,) has complied with the requirements of Chapter 21, Revision of 1905, entitled "Corporations," preliminary to the issuing of this Certificate of Dissolution:

Now, therefore, I, J. Bryan Grimes, Secretary of State of the State of North Carolina, do hereby certify that the said corporation did, on the 30 day of April 1910, file in my office a duly executed and attested consent in writing to the dissolution of said corporation, executed by all the stockholders thereof, which said consent and the record of the proceedings aforesaid are now on file in my said office as provided by law.

In testimony whereof, I have here-to set my hand and affixed my official seal, at Raleigh, this 30 day of April, A. D. 1910.

J. BRYAN GRIMES, Secretary of State.

Filed and recorded in Record of Incorporations, Book No. 2, Page 24, May 2d, 1910.

C. C. CORNWELL, Clerk Superior Court. M 24c 4w.

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA, DEPARTMENT OF STATE.

CERTIFICATE OF DISSOLUTION. To All to Whom These Presents May Come—Greeting:

Whereas, it appears to my satisfaction, by duly authenticated record of the proceedings for the voluntary dissolution thereof by the unanimous consent of all the stockholders, deposited in my office, that the J. M. Shuford Company, a corporation of this State, whose principal office is situated in the town of Dallas, County of Gaston, State of North Carolina (J. M. Shuford being the agent therein and in charge thereof, upon whom process may be served), has complied with the re-

quirements of Chapter 21, Revision of 1905, entitled "Corporations," preliminary to the issuing of this Certificate of Dissolution:

Now, therefore, I, J. Bryan Grimes, Secretary of State of the State of North Carolina, do hereby certify that the said corporation did, on the 2nd day of May, 1910, file in my office a duly executed and attested consent in writing to the dissolution of said corporation, executed by all the stockholders thereof, which said consent and the record of the proceedings aforesaid are now on file in my said office as provided by law.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereto set my hand and affixed my official seal, at Raleigh, this 2nd day of May, A. D. 1910.

J. BRYAN GRIMES, Secretary of State.

Filed and recorded in Record of Incorporations No. 2 at page 25, this 4th day of May, 1910.

C. C. CORNWELL, Clerk Superior Court. M 31 c 4 w.

WAS A DOPE FIEND.

Young Man Convicted of Rifling Letters in Wilmington Postoffice Makes Novel Plea in Defense of His Action.

In the United States district court at Wilmington, N. C., last Thursday afternoon Everett McAllister, a well known young white man, twenty-nine years of age, plead guilty to rifling letters in the postoffice here, and was sentenced to twelve months in the Federal prison in Atlanta. McAllister, while admitting his guilt, made the strange defense that he was a coca-cola and cocaine fiend, and introduced an expert to testify that he was such, and that both the use of the beverage and the drug had a harmful effect on him and made his mentality of a low type. McAllister was a trusted postoffice clerk, and rifled a number of letters. He was finally caught by detectives by means of a decoy letter. He claimed that he committed the crime while under the influence of drugs and knew nothing about it. In view of this plea, his past good character, and the fact that he has a wife and baby, the light sentence was imposed.

AUTO TRIP A SUCCESS.

Party of Sixty-Five Made Trip Over New Mountain Roads from Edgemont to Blowing Rock—Opens Up to Public View and Travel Magnificent Mountain Section.

Sixty-five people occupying nineteen automobiles composed the party which made the trip over the magnificent new mountain road from Edgemont to Blowing Rock. The party left Edgemont Thursday afternoon.

The following account of the trip and description of the roads and scenery is taken from Editor Wade Harris' editorial columns in Monday's Charlotte Chronicle:

There is now open to the tourist, the pleasure-seeker, the scenic devotee and to the world in general, a new and surpassingly grand section of the mountains of western North Carolina by a new and attractive gateway at Edgemont, the picturesque little mountain town where the Carolina & Northwestern Railroad strikes the base of a towering mountain and comes to a halt. From this gateway to Linville City a new turnpike has been completed, which, in its construction, is peculiarly adapted to automobile travel. Before going further, it may be well to say that this feat in modern roadway construction was due to the engineering skill of Mr. J. R. Erwin, under the direction of the Watauga Turnpike Company, an auxiliary association to the Carolina & Northwestern Railroad Company, and of which Mr. L. T. Nichols, the general manager, was the controlling and impelling spirit. The distance from Edgemont to Linville is 21 miles. The time going is three hours; the time returning is two hours. The travel is by automobile; the fare \$2 Linville-bound and \$1.50 for the return. The conveyance is by automobile. The turnpike is broad and well graded. The maximum of grade between Edgemont and Carey's Flat, half way, is 6 per cent., while for the remainder of the distance is 5 1-2 per cent. This remarkably easy grade is secured by numberless picturesque curves, or "hair pins." At one point along the road the buildings in Blowing Rock can be seen glittering in the sun. Great stretches of low-lying valleys are alternately opened up and closed in and towering cliffs and knobs draw the gaze skyward in every direction. Going to Linville, the new turnpike breaks into the Yonahlossee road near the great rock and waterfall in the side of Grandfather mountain. Between Carey's Flat and the Grandfather, the construc-

tion of the road, as it hugs the mountain sides, had to be cut through the solid rock and is walled on one side with solid granite, floored with granite and supported on the sheer side with granite buttresses. It is the most perfect and the most expensive piece of mountain road building in the entire country and one can but marvel at the engineering skill that developed it. A short distance west of Carey's Flats, a branch of this turnpike of equal character of grade and construction is being built to Blowing Rock. This new turnpike will come into the Yonahlossee road near the toll gate west of Cone's estate. It will be completed this summer. By it the distance from Edgemont to Blowing Rock will be 16 miles. Automobile service will be established over this route also. That much being said about the new highways which are to serve in opening up the mountain country we can now get to the incidents of one of the most unique and one of the most novel excursions yet planned and executed. It was an automobile tour from Edgemont to Linville, thence to Blowing Rock and Boone, back to Blowing Rock and thence to Lenoir. The excursion was planned by Mr. Nichols, the general manager of the Carolina & Northwestern road. He conceived it on the completion of the Edgemont-Linville turnpike last October and had since been perfecting his plans.

When the party, sixty-five in number, reached Edgemont at 1 o'clock Thursday afternoon, in a special train provided by the Carolina & Northwestern management, it found nineteen automobiles lined up on the lawn in front of the hotel. Edgemont is a beautiful spot. The hotel faces a broad valley which is walled in by towering mountains and through the valley runs Wilson's creek, spanned by both foot and wagon bridges of picturesque construction, the flooring of the former being laid on steel cables. It was good that Mr. Howard A. Banks editor of The Hickory Democrat, had been selected by Mr. Nichols as chairman of the committee of arrangements, for as the party left the hotel after dinner, it found that he had completed the assignments to the automobiles. There was no confusion and after the line-up had been photographed, the spin to Linville was begun. There was no mishap until at Carey's Gap, one of the machines broke down, but a stop would have been inevitable there, all the same, for at the store a party of over one hundred mountain people—men, women and children—had assembled to see the show. A dozen cameras were busy for half an hour, the while a mountaineer stood on a wagon and played a fiddle—and it was music that came from the soul. All of these parties and others that were met on the roads, were given short rides on the automobiles and their enjoyment could not be concealed. The Chronicle next Saturday is going to produce some of it as shown by the camera. At this point the road had reached an altitude of 1,022 feet above Edgemont and the members of the party began getting out their wraps and overcoats. Rounding Grandfather mountain, the altitude above Beaumont had reached 2,840 feet, the highest point on the road and everybody was muffled to the ears. Then began the dash down into Linville City, the wind whistling by like an arctic gale.

Despite the time idled away on the road, the first automobile drew up at the Eseeola Inn at 7 o'clock. Its occupants hopped out and found a log fire roaring in the great fire place of the reception hall. Other automobiles followed at intervals of ten and fifteen minutes and pretty soon there was a royal dinner and after that music and dancing and a bagpipe soiree by Mr. McRae, the native Scotchman whose home is located at the turn of the road leading to the top of Grandfather. The valley in which Linville City is located is a great carpet of grass, dotted by cottages mostly of rustic design and set out in spruce, rhododendron, firs, white pine, tamarick and other beauties of the mountain forest. Friday morning the harder members of the party set out for the ascent of Grandfather mountain and made it, bringing back fragments of icicles to prove it. Fishing, however, was the sport of the day, and from Lake Kawana and Linville river, a great catch of rainbow and speckled trout was brought to the inn by nightfall.

On the arrival at Blowing Rock the following morning, it was found that the whole population of the village had assembled on the lawn in front of the Watauga Hotel, to welcome the automobile tourists. All the people were invited to take a ride—an invitation that was joyously accepted—a diversion in which there was no break the live-long day, except during the two hours

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occupied by the run over to Boone and return.

The turnpike people are doing great work on the road between Blowing Rock and Lenoir. A splendid new grade is being worked out. The new road is much broader than the old one and that section of it which has been macadamized indicates that it is going to be a splendid highway. Sections of it are already in use and it is said that the entire length of the road will be completed this summer.

We have not said much about the scenery, but the tourist who follows the Carolina & Northwestern from Lenoir to Edgemont through the gorge of Wilson's creek, and the turnpike thence over the fine highways we have indicated back to Lenoir, will have seen the grandest views of any mountain country in the world.

Let us tell you—the automobile is a great institution. If we were rich, we would buy one today. We were asked yesterday, at Blowing Rock, by Mr. J. Meek Smith, of Clover, S. C., if we wanted to get home quick. Looking around at the roofs that glistened under a coating of frost as white as snow, we told him we did. He invited us to jump into his E. M. R. machine. The start was made from Blowing Rock at 8:30 and at 4:30 he drew up at the Falls House in Gastonia. The distance traveled was 85 miles. A stop of thirty minutes was made at Lincoln for dinner, fifteen minutes was lost by retracing a wrong road, and half an hour in side-tracking to let a country church procession pass by one way and take to the fields the other way, and at Gastonia we had over an hour to wait for the Charlotte-bound train. That shows the possibilities opened by the new mountain roads for automobiling.

Dr. B. Clark Hyde, after a trial lasting three weeks at Kansas City, Mo., on the charge of murdering Col. Thos. Swope, by means of poison, was convicted Monday and will be sentenced to prison for life. The jury in the case was out sixty hours. Hyde married the niece of his victim and hoped to get hold of Swope's millions by the murder.

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