

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Read the new advertisement of the Lenoir Realty & Insurance Co. in this issue.

Mrs. J. E. Echard left Wednesday morning for Raleigh, where she goes to join her husband, who is taking a course in telegraphy there.

It is said that Ex-President Cleveland is a very sick man. A report of his death at any time will not be a surprise to the country.

Mrs. M. M. Courtney, Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Newland and Mr. J. C. Seagle left Wednesday for Morganton to attend the funeral of Mrs. Ed. Claywell.

The Henkel Live Stock Co. purchased from Mr. J. M. Bernhardt last Wednesday 14 fine mules. Mr. Bernhardt has been using these mules for some time hauling lumber.

Drs. O. F. Moore and C. L. Robbins, who have been in Baltimore, Md., attending the Dental Department of the University of Md., came home Wednesday for the summer.

Messrs. John M. Crisp and R. I. Bush have bought the City Cafe from Mr. H. L. Hallman and are cleaning up and making repairs, preparatory to running a first class restaurant.

Rev. W. H. McNairy, who has been in North Wilkesboro for several months, has sold out his store at that place and is now in Lenoir. We are glad to welcome Mr. McNairy with us again.

Mr. John L. Kirby, one of Caldwell's competent surveyors is making a map for the Caldwell Land & Lumber Co. of all their lands in this county, comprising about 50,000 acres and when completed will give a lot of information about these lands.

Rev. J. M. Horner, Bishop of the Jurisdiction of Asheville, preached in St. Jams church Tuesday evening and confirmed a class of four. The Bishop went from here to Valle Crucis to look after the improvements of the Mission School at that place.

Rev. Huggin, Presiding Elder of this district, will preach in the Methodist church next Sunday at 8 p. m. Immediately after the sermon the communion of the Lord's supper will be administered. The quarterly meeting will be held Monday morning.

The recital given at Davenport College last Monday evening was very much enjoyed by a large and attentive audience. Misses Florence Blair, Sadie Downum, Kate York and Lucile Abernethy were chosen as the contestants for the Elocution Medal at commencement.

The Hon. Lock Craig, of Asheville, one of the Democratic candidates for the nomination for Governor, spoke in the court house last Monday to a packed house—more than could be seated. It is said his speech was one of the best he ever made. Plenty of ladies present and everybody seemed to be well pleased.

Next Sunday week May 17th there will be a prohibition rally at Marvin Camp ground. Ex-Judge Bobeson, Prof. Avant and others will be on hand to talk on prohibition. A large crowd is expected. Come early and bring a full dinner with you. Everybody is invited and especially those who are undecided as to how they will vote.

At a late meeting of the ladies of the Town Improvement Society it was decided to give two prizes of \$1.00 each, one to the girl under ten years of age and one to the girl between ten and 15 years of age, who keeps the prettiest flower garden during the summer. Judges will be appointed to decide who wins the prizes. Those who wish to enter the contest are requested to give their names to the Secretary, Mrs. H. C. Martin. The object of this contest is to encourage the children in the habit of improving and beautifying their homes and it is a most worthy undertaking.

Read W. A. Watson's new advertisement in this issue.

The many friends of Rev. B. P. Walker are glad to see him out again after his serious illness.

We are very glad indeed to hear that the fruit in Watauga is not killed. That is good news.

We are sorry to learn that Mrs. L. Loventhorp is right sick. She is at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. Jones.

Mrs. J. L. Nelson, who attended the Sprogg-Carter marriage at Fort Valley, Ga., returned Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Davis, who spent the winter in Florida, are in Lenoir for a few days, stopping at the Archer.

Prof. Jas. R. Connelly, who has been teaching at Youngsville, S.C., for the past ten months, is at home for the summer.

The Mayor and Commissioners for the town of Lenoir, elected last Monday will take charge of affairs in said town tomorrow.

For the month of April Register Miller issued twenty-five marriage license. More than twice the number that was issued in March.

Mr. W. J. Palmer, of North Wilkesboro, was in Lenoir this week shaking hands with old friends and looking after business matters.

Mr. J. R. Henkil and family, of Hickory, N. C., arrived in Lenoir Wednesday. Mr. Henkil will have a position with the Home Milling Co.

The vote for Governor so far as heard from stand as follows: Craig 173, Kitchin 85, Horne 41. Fraction not counted. Most of the counties heard from are Western counties.

Mr. Martin: Take out the ad. 'Mule for sale' that you put in last Monday, as I sold it Tuesday.—S. L. W. If you have something that you want to sell, let the people know it.

Married last Wednesday night at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Holder, Miss Nora Holder and Mr. Robert Simmons. Rev. D. P. McGeachy performing the ceremony.

Messrs. Samuel L. Rogers and E. G. Beddinfield, of the State Corporation Commission, were here Wednesday considering the matter of freight rates on the Caldwell & Northern Railway.

Another shooting scrape in West End Wednesday. Avery Dula took three fair shots at Richard Forney, but missing every time. Dula had been drinking this poison stuff they call whiskey—such as comes here by express.

The Times Mercury, of Hickory says: "The meeting in the Methodist church is still in progress. Dr. Weaver is doing some good preaching. Saint or sinner, who can go through his meetings and not be bothered, is to be pitied."

D. Kent returned last Saturday night from Cleveland Ohio, where he had been as a delegate for this state, to a meeting of the Interstate Medical Society. He also visited Niagara Falls, Petersburg and other points in the interest of the Kent Furniture Company while away.

Mr. and Mrs. Sid Dula, of Lenoir, arrived Saturday to visit relatives. Mrs. Dula will remain here with her mother for a few weeks. Mr. Dula returned home yesterday, accompanied by his sister, Mrs. L. B. Dula, who will spend a few days there visiting her parents.—Wilkesboro Chronicle.

Mrs. Ed Claywell, of Morganton, died last Tuesday at the hospital in Statesville, where she had gone for treatment. The body was taken to her home in Morganton Wednesday. The funeral and burial was Thursday. Mrs. Claywell was Miss Lella Roby, daughter of Dr. Roby, who was president of Davenport College for several years. She was a good woman and loved by all who knew her.

Honor Roll.

Since our last issue the following named persons have made payments to the News on subscriptions: W. E. Garland, W. L. Ernest, E. S. Corley, Lee Derr, P. O. Grist, Lee Smith, C. L. Robbins, H. H. Grubb, Mrs. H. McD. Little.

Town Election.

At the town election held last Monday for Mayor and three Commissioners. Mr. Thomas M. Newland received for Mayor 219 votes, and A. V. Miller received 84, and for Commissioners, W. J. Lenoir received 219, O. P. Lutz 220, J. C. Seagle 213, T. F. Seehorn 78, E. F. Wakefield 66 and Molton Triplett 74. Newland, Lenoir, Lutz and Seagle were declared elected.

The election passed off as it usually does in Lenoir, quietly and orderly.

New Industry.

One of the most interesting places to visit in this town is the harness factory of the Price-Cline Harness & Tanning Co. The manufacture of horse collars by machinery is something new for our town and is an intensely interesting performance. The company is now working only a partial force and can turn out ten dozen horse collars per day. The factory has a capacity of 25 or 30 dozen when run on full time.

Many of our readers will be surprised to know that so important a manufacturing industry as this has grown up here in our town within the last year or so. The firm is finding ready sale for its products, shipping them to various parts of the country.

Commissioners Meeting.

The Commissioners for Caldwell County met in the court house last Monday. All members present.

It was ordered that W. P. Teters be paid \$41.00 for keeping the county home for April. S. A. Smith \$11.10 jail fees for April.

Lenoir Construction Co. \$46.02 for dirt for the court house yard. J. M. Smith \$6.50 for conveying lunatic to asylum.

W. S. Miller \$5.00 for work on court house yard. The half fee bill from the C. S. C. in the sum of \$188.53 presented and ordered paid.

The half fee bill in the case of state vs Samuel L. Green \$520.41 presented and ordered paid.

It is ordered that bids be received for building a bridge over Little Zacks Fork west of the Cottrell school house. The right to any reject and all bids reserved.

A petition presented asking for a new road from Julius Bumgarner's to Saw Mill. The same will be heard at June meeting.

Ordered that the Turnpike road from Patterson to Lenoir be leased to the Lenoir & Patterson Turnpike Co. for a term of 5 years, on the same terms as heretofore.

An appeal on Cartway in Lovelady township between A. J. Link, et al, vs Mrs. Emma Hollman and husband came up for hearing. All parties except A. J. Link and wife took non suit. After hearing evidence and argument, the board confirmed the decision of the supervisors of the township. L. W. Wakefield, Atty. for deft., gave notice of appeal.

Ordered that the road matter from J. A. Bumgarner's to John Kirby's place be continued till next meeting.

The Board adjourned to meet 1st Monday in June.

We have only published the most important work that the board done—leaving out a great many small items of routine nature.

JURY LIST—FIRST WEEK:

Jury list for Caldwell county, which begins June 1st, is as follows:

L. A. Fowler, J. P. Pennell, W. A. Bentley, G. D. Corpening, L. E. May, M. G. Hartley, Steel Barlow, G. P. Conley, J. R. Ballew, F. P. Moore, L. D. Shuford, D. F.

Clarke, J. V. McCall, W. J. Lenoir, Adam Sherrill, J. B. Phillips, J. W. Sherrill, J. W. Dula, M. A. Williams, L. K. Hutchinson, G. P. Suttlemire, C. H. Crofts, C. L. Corpening, A. J. Lingle.

SECOND WEEK.

R. E. McCall, M. J. Cook, J. W. Craig, W. W. White, G. W. Travis, John, L. Martin, Jr., W. W. Poreh, C. G. Kirby, R. H. Spainhour, J. T. Crisp, P. B. Bush, T. J. Moore, W. W. White, Lemuel Smith, E. L. Deal, H. W. Courtney, E. M. Bowman, W. D. Isenhour, W. D. Oxford.

Mrs. Coffey Entertains.

Wilkesboro Hustler. On Friday afternoon one of the liveliest sessions of the Book Club was held with Mrs. C. D. Coffey. The gentle breath of spring fanned every nook and corner, a decorative feature in pink and green was delightfully carried out in the hall and parlor, wild honeysuckle being used. Hand painted score cards representing a flower were given each guest, and a most enjoyable flower contest in many forms was delightfully carried out. An event greatly welcomed by all was the privilege of a stroll through the mystic flower garden—where most puzzling and perplexing flowers presented themselves for a name. Next followed a contest for brides, allowing those who had not been married more than two years, and for this contest Mrs. J. Q. Myers won the prize. The pleasures of the afternoon were still enhanced by the rendering of several selections both vocal and instrumental by Mrs. Harper and Miss LeGrand. The main prize of the afternoon was awarded to Miss Ella Campbell, a handsome bouquet of Marshalle roses. Delicious refreshments in two courses were served. The color scheme was carried out in the refreshments which herald the coming spring.

[Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Coffey are Caldwell folks, having lived at Collettsville for many years, and we hope ere long to have them back with us.—Ed. News.]

King's Creek News.

We are having some right cool weather for May. The farmers are having a little rest spell now since the hard rains of a few days ago.

Mr. Thos. Coffey, of Blowing Rock, passed through here this week on his way to Alexander county on business. We were glad to see him. He reports everything progressing nicely on the mountain.

Mr. Emanuel McCeray and wife visited in this settlement last week.

Most of our people are faring pretty badly now. Some have La-grippe, while others are just getting over it.

Mrs. James Roberts visited her mother, Mrs. Lou Frazier, last week.

Mr. Benjamin Laxton has gone to West Va. We wish him success.

Mr. Harve Beach, who was very low at our last writing, is improving slowly. We hope he will soon be well again.

LUCK TO THE NEWS.

A FRIEND.

One has to be born every minute so that the smart people of the next generation may dine on terrapin and sich, affect purple and blue linen, and yet never strike a lick of work.

Carnegie might take \$1.75 and provide all of the Rough Riders who have not been appointed to office with hero medals.

By this time Cortelyou should have accumulated enough sawdust to pack the product of all the ice factories in Washington.

Prohibition is like a peek-a-boo shirt waist in that "it is supposed to do" what you can see it doesn't.

Have You Any Stock In Mills or Other Corporations To Sell. If so List Them with us. We Will Sell Them. If You Wish to Buy Call. 115 acre farm at a reduced price for a quick sale. Don't put off seeing. 180 acres one mile West of Hartland for \$1500.00 Will divide this in small tracts to suit purchaser. "We Sell The Earth." Lenoir Realty & Ins. Co. Office in Cloyd & Johnson Building.

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