

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Mr. J. R. Widby, of Marion, is in Lenoir for a few days.

Mrs. Amanda Haigler Brown, of Asheville, is visiting relatives and friends in Lenoir.

Read the new advertisements of Bernhardt-Seagle Hardware & Furniture Company, Price-Cline Harness & Tanning Company and Lenoir Book Company in this issue.

Miss Annie Moore, of Globe, who has been attending school at Mars Hill College, arrived in Lenoir last Friday and spent several days with her brother, Mr. W. M. Moore, editor of the Topic.

Mrs. W. G. Randall, who has been teaching at Valle Crucis for some months, spent last Thursday night in Lenoir on her way to Greensboro, where she goes to teach in the State Normal and Industrial College.

Rev. J. C. Clapp, D. D., of Newton, preached in the Reformed church Sunday morning at eleven o'clock. His sermon was on the temperance line and very strong. The Dr. will preach twice each month in this church.

Rev. D. V. Price will preach the Graded School commencement sermon in the School Auditorium next Sunday at eleven o'clock, a. m., and it is more than likely that he will preach in the Methodist church at 8 o'clock Sunday evening.

Mr. Will Cloyd and daughter, of New York, arrived Thursday. He is a Lenoir boy and is here on a visit to his mother, Mrs. Rose Cloyd, his brother and his sisters. He will remain several days and will be glad to see any of his many friends.

Married last Sunday by Rev. Mr. Benfield at Flemings Chapel, John N. Mabe to Miss Ollie Smith, daughter of A. G. Smith. All of Caldwell County. Mr. Mabe is the polite and accommodating mail carrier on R. F. D. 2. The News wishes them much happiness and prosperity.

Graut Scott colored and his two sisters Jessie and Lola came home last week from Winston, where they have been attending the Slater Industrial School. We are pleased to note that at least some members of the colored race are ambitious enough to try to get an industrial education and wish these young people well.

Last Thursday night the barn of Mrs. Rufus Nelson was entirely destroyed by fire. A fine horse and a lot of feed, corn and farming tools were burned, entailing a loss of at least \$500.00. There was no insurance and the loss falls heavily upon Mrs. Nelson, who is a widow of only a few months. The fire seemed to start in the roof of the building and the origin is unknown.

Some of our Republican friends who are opposed to prohibition, seem to be trying to make the impression that it, prohibition, is a Democratic measure. How or why they can think so is more than some of us understand; because some strong Democrats are doing what they can against prohibition, while some of the strongest Republicans in the State are doing all they can in favor of it. The prohibition cause has no man in the State doing more for it than Judge Pritchard. How can you say it is a Democratic measure?—C.

Ross Triplett, son of Mr. and Mrs. Millard Triplett, died last Saturday night at 11 o'clock and was buried in Belle View Cemetery Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock. Rev. R. P. Walker, conducting the funeral services. Ross was 11 years old, he had been in declining health for some time and his death was not a surprise. The family returned 8 or 10 days ago from Oregon, where they had been living for several years and where, it is thought, little Ross contracted the disease that caused his death. The family have the sympathy of a host of relatives and friends.

A. W. Dula has a new ad. in issue.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Reid last Friday, a boy.

A. V. Miller & Co. has a new ad. in this issue. Read it.

Rev. Ira Erwin, of the Methodist church, gave his congregation a capital sermon on temperance at eleven o'clock Sunday.

If you want to vote in the prohibition election May 26th, see that your name is on the registration book. The books will close on the 16th.

Mr. C. H. Bryant, of Blair's Fork, one of the first subscribers to the News ten years ago and who has never missed a copy, gave us a pleasant call last Friday.

Miss Gertrude Hall is in Newton acting as stenographer for the court. Miss Hall seems to be very popular with the courts as stenographer and we are glad she is.

The Convention in the court house yesterday gave Craig 61 votes, Kitchin 1 and Horne 1. We will give name of delegates, etc., appointed in Friday's issue.

Honor Roll.

Since our last issue the following named persons have made payments to the News on subscriptions:

C. H. Bryant, Allen Jackson, W. A. Powell, A. J. Bradshaw, W. E. Lefevers, Miss Amanda Angley, W. J. McGalliard, H. H. Hartley.

Day-Newland.

Married last Saturday at twelve o'clock by the Rev. D. P. McGeachy at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Newland, father and mother of the bride, Mr. John D. Day of Norfolk, Va., and Miss Jessie May Newland one of Lenoir's fairest and sweetest young ladies.

Only a few of Miss Jessie's closest friends and relatives were present at the wedding.

Mr. and Mrs. Day left on the 1:52 train for Washington, New York and other cities. After a few weeks spent in sight seeing they will return to Norfolk, Va., where Mr. Day will resume his law practice.

The best wishes of the News go with this happy couple. May their pathway through life be happy and prosperous.

A Raleigh Citizen Buys his Own Cow.

Lum Woodliff, a well-to-do mechanic of Raleigh, who with the assistance of Mrs. Woodliff keeps a small herd of dairy cows, is anxious to get hold of a "smooth thief" who stole one of his best cows and then sold it to him at the "great bargain" of \$35. Mr. Woodliff met the man at the market and was asked if he wanted to buy a fine cow. He went to a nearby public stable to examine the animal, which he remarked when he saw it, was very much like one he already owned. He went home for Mrs. Woodliff and brought her down to see and approve the cow before he closed the trade. She came and was much pleased with the cow and the price, commenting on the striking likeness there was between it and one in their herd. The trade was closed, the money paid and the cow driven home, and the man who had made the sale went his way. That night when the Woodliff herd was driven in the cow so much like the one just purchased at a "great bargain" was missing and it dawned upon Mr. and Mrs. Woodliff that they had really bought their own cow. No trace of the thief has been found.

Don't stack your hay out and expect it to be as good as that kept under a roof. Don't feed hay from high racks, it is uncomfortable to the horse and small particles of dirt may get into his eyes. Don't forget that your horse needs salt and likes it. Don't forget to take off the harness at noon; it gives them a relaxation and they are more rested from it.

Elgin Watches \$4.00. Waltham Watches \$4.00. Extraordinary Watch Sale

Don't ask how we can make these prices, but come and get Watches cheaper than you will ever get them again. This sale lasts 15 days, May 15 to May 30. 15 jeweled Waltham Watches in best Gold Filled 20 Year guaranteed dustproof Cases, only \$9.75, worth \$20.00. 15 jeweled Walthams in dustproof Ore-Silver cases, only \$5.75, worth \$10.00. 7 jeweled Waltham or Elgin Watches in dustproof Ore-Silver cases, only \$4.00. This is a sample of the prices we are making. We have a full line of Ladies and Gentlemen that we will sell at correspondingly low prices. Special Prices on Watch Chains and Finger Rings. Come and save money during this sale. Postage or Express paid on Mail Orders.

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Lewis-Powell Nuptials.

Longmont, (Colo.) Weekly Times. At the Kim M. E. church Easter Sunday 1908, Mr. Marlie Lewis, of Denver, and Miss Maude Powell, of Rinn, were united in marriage, the Rev. George Saywell officiating.

The wedding ceremony took place at the close of the morning services. The wedding party entered the church to the strains of Lohengrens wedding march, played by the Misses Jewett, of Longmont. The service was short and impressive. The church was decorated in Easter colors and the front of the pulpit platform was a bank of potted plants, apple blossoms and carnations.

Mrs. Lewis is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Powell and has grown to womanhood in our midst. She is a lovely girl, a good sister and daughter. Mr. Lewis has won the esteem of all who know him.

A wedding dinner was served at the Powell home and after the good byes were said, the bride and groom left on the afternoon train for their future home at Salem, Ore. May success and happiness be their portion.

[Mr. and Mrs. Powell are Caldwell people. Mr. Powell being a son of Joseph T. Powell and Mrs. Powell a daughter of L. Houck, deceased. They have many relatives and friends in this county who wish the young couple, just starting into life, a smooth and happy passage.—Ed. News.]

Our Policy.

We want the entire Jewelry Business of this section, we are going to get it. We are going to make our prices on watches and jewelry so low that it will be a distinct loss for any one to trade elsewhere. Our prices will be cheaper than catalogue or mail order houses. See a sample of our prices elsewhere in this paper. This is the Spot to trade.

Dula, The Jeweler, Lenoir N. C.

The twenty-fifth General Conference of the Methodist Church, which began in Baltimore yesterday, will celebrate the one hundredth anniversary of Methodism in this country. A constituency of about 3,500,000 members is represented by the General Conference, together with 14,000 ministers, parsonage and Church property amounting to about \$180,000,000. All members of the conference will on May 16th go to Washington, where they will be received by President Roosevelt and also be entertained at the American University.—Exchange.

No Argument.

Durham Herald. The fact that the Raleigh schools are unable to run without the funds derived from the dispensary is no argument against prohibition. Raleigh will find it no harder to pay for what she gets than the rest of us.

Fraternal Orders And Prohibition.

News and Observer. The fraternal organizations have excluded all bar-keepers from membership. Why? It is not because the men who sell liquor are not sometimes clever and agreeable, men who are ready to contribute to the care of the orphans and those in distress. On the contrary you often find a man who sells whiskey generous and liberal and a good fellow withal. What is the reason, then, for this exclusion? It is because the business is a bad business, tending to make men lose the manhood in them and become brutes. It is not that all the men in the business are unworthy, but because the business is recognized as a dangerous and evil business. Here is a sample of what the fraternal orders are going to do in the State prohibition election, taken from the Concord Times:

"Both the lodges of the Junior Order of the United American Mechanics here, Forest Hill Council, No. 49, and Cannonville Council No. 25, have adopted resolutions strongly endorsing the present prohibition movement. The action was enthusiastic in both cases. These orders are composed of our best citizens, men who love the home, the church, the school and their State, and they have put themselves on record as opposed to the awful traffic whose tendency is to destroy all these."

When May 26th comes it will be found that the Junior Orders will be first among the foremost in voting for State prohibition, and so will the members of nearly all the fraternal organizations that are working for the betterment of their fellow men.

The South's Turn.

Evening Chronicle. The North and the West have had the run of the Treasury at Washington for years past. Strength to the arms of the Congressmen who are making efforts to divert some of the money to the South. The more money we get for surveys of waterway improvements, for deepening of rivers, for rebuilding forts, for the conversion of forts into parks, (as is proposed in the case of Fort Fisher), for establishing forestry reserves and for putting on ships to carry Southern cotton mill products to foreign markets, the better. While the government has opened wide the doors of the Treasury to the North and West, it has doled out appropriations to the South with a stingy hand. We are glad to see some evidences lately, of a disposition to change this long existing order of things. The Southern Congressmen should go in to get all they can for the South, whether in the way of appropriation or subsidy.

Don't think the whole world is wet just because it has been raining in your neighborhood.

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