

MATTERS LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Brief Items of Interest to Town and County Readers.

Mr. J. H. Beall returned Wednesday from Lakeland Florida.

Married last Sunday by E. A. Poe, Esq., Mr. Hugh Simmons to Miss Scottie Underdown.

Mr. J. W. Sudderth, who has the contract for the new Henkel building next to the City Hall, began laying brick on it this week.

The Chicago Ladies Concert Company at the Graded School tomorrow night will be a high class musical entertainment, well worth the small price of admission.

Mrs. J. R. Ervin and her daughter, Miss Jessie, left Wednesday for Relay, Md., where they will spend some time with Mr. J. B. Parker, a brother to Mrs. Ervin.

Messrs. Hoffman & Son have rented the new Hollifield-Wakefield store room near the Book Store on North Main street and will move to it as soon as it is ready for them.

Miss Laura Corpening left Wednesday for an extended trip to Florida. She will attend Mardi Gras in Pensacola and then go on to visit relatives and friends in Miami.

The meeting next Monday to organize a Good Roads Association for Caldwell County should be well attended, if the people wish to do anything to help the present condition of the public roads.

A valued lady reader of The News, seeing our recent article on Woman Suffrage, writes: "Hurrah for The News, Hurrah for Editor Martin, Hurrah for that editorial, so glad to see you speak out in meetin'." Thanks for the bouquet.

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The sale of tickets for the Concert by the Carolina Glee Club at the Graded School on the evening of the 4th of February, has been large and the number is increasing. This promises to be one of the very best things of the kind ever given here.

The ladies of the Presbyterian church will continue their sale of bread, cakes, candies, etc. next Friday afternoon at 2:00 o'clock, and probably for the next three or four Fridays at Bernhardt-Seagle store. Please note the hour and come in early while a good selection may be had.

Messrs. J. C. and J. W. Blair, of Watauga, have moved to Lenoir and are living in the Scott property on Mulberry street. They have bought the interest of Mr. F. M. Hodges in the fresh meat and grocery business of W. E. Castor & Co. and will continue the business at the same stand for the present.

We are printing in this issue the International Sunday School lesson, which is a popular feature with many of our readers. We will continue these lessons in the Friday issues of the paper indefinitely, so if any of our readers wish to adopt them they may do so and depend upon the lessons appearing each Friday.

Rev. M. H. Tuttle returned to his home, Franklin, yesterday.

Dr. A. A. Kent left yesterday on a business trip to Oklahoma.

Rev. J. B. Craven went to Charlotte yesterday on business.

Col. J. M. Isbell of Grandin was in town Wednesday on business.

Mrs. Maggie Wilson is visiting her sister, Mrs. Hayes, in Hudson.

Mr. Alex Perry, of Rutherford College, spent Wednesday in Lenoir.

Mrs. E. F. Reid is spending a few days visiting in Tarboro and Wilmington.

Chicago Ladies Orchestra and Specialty Company at the Graded School tomorrow night.

Don't miss the Chicago Ladies Orchestra tomorrow night. Its one of the best Lyceum attractions.

Mr. J. H. Bradford is moving to Morganton where he will work with the Morganton Furniture company.

Miss Nora Mast of Valle Crucis, is in Lenoir taking lessons in shorthand under Miss Sadie Downum.

Mr. J. R. Hoffman, Attorney, of Burlington, was the guest of Rev. Peeler at the Martin House Wednesday noon.

Miss Gertrude Hall returned Wednesday from Wilkesboro. Where she had been for a week as court stenographer.

The Ministerial Union will meet Monday morning at 10:30 at the Rectory. Every minister in the County is a member of this union.

The Carolina Glee Club and Orchestra which will appear here on February 4th is one of the best companies of its kind in the South. You will miss a real treat if you fail to hear them. Tickets now on sale at Lenoir Drug Co.

Mrs. Serrill Douglas after spending a week with her sister-in-law, Mrs. Robert Ervin went to Hickory Wednesday for a visit to her sister Mrs. W. B. Menzies, before returning to her home in Bristol, Pennsylvania.

The Caldwell County Medical Society wish through the columns of The News to thank Dr. C. B. McNairy and his good wife for the splendid entertainment and pleasure extended to this society at the Foot Hills Sanatorium Wednesday.

Our new advertisements in this issue are as follows: Bank of Lenoir, E. D. Pulliam, Courtney Clothing Co., and Thompson-Lyerly Shoe Co. Read them, they all interesting. Also be sure to read the Business Locals, they are money savers.

We are much pleased with the promptness with which many of our subscribers have renewed their subscriptions since the first of the year. The News subscription list is constantly growing, the readers appreciating that the little paper coming to them twice a week as it does, is well worth the small price we charge for it.

Prof. Edward K. Graham, Dean of the University of North Carolina, has accepted the invitation to deliver the literary address at the Lenoir Graded School Commencement May 20, 1913. Prof. Graham is regarded as one of the most popular speakers in North Carolina on literary subjects and it is an honor to our school and its friends to have him with us.

The second of a series of discourses on the "Ten Commandments," will be given at the Reformed church on Sunday morning, based on the second Commandment. The entire membership of the church is urged to attend every one of this series, and all others who wish to do so are very cordially welcomed. There will be no evening service next Sunday.

Miss Geneva Triplett, whose serious illness was noted in our last issue, was reported some better yesterday, although she is still in a critical condition.

The Missionary Institute.

The Missionary Institute held Tuesday evening and Wednesday in the Methodist church was a helpful and interesting meeting. Dr. Rawlings is an unusually good speaker and presented the needs and opportunity of greater efforts for missionary work, in a forceful and convincing way. The general subject of missions was discussed the field of China being especially emphasized. In consequence of the addresses at this meeting, following the very forcible and able presentation of the case by Rev. C. M. Pickens, in recent sermons, it is quite likely that the Lenoir church will raise funds for the maintenance of a special missionary in China. Rev. L. T. Mann, Presiding Elder of the Statesville district and Rev. H. K. Boyer, Conference Missionary Secretary were both present and participated in the proceedings of the meeting.

Life is too short to waste much of it in humoring people who need clabbing.

How fortunate it is that a man can neither pat his own back nor kick himself.

Don't blame us if you don't get your goods. Now 25 to 40 per cent off. Sale closes Feb. 10th. D. M. Cloninger, Whitel.

Few more Rugs 19c at Cloninger's. Sale closes Feb. 10th.

Be sure you are right and then go (sometimes) back.

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You'll save money and you'll be one of the best dressed men in town.

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New reading matter appears in this space each week.

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to make a large number of loans. While good-sized loans are desired, yet we shall not refuse the smaller ones; any size from \$100 to \$5,000 will be acceptable.

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Third Annual Ten Yards for 50 cts. Lace Sale Starts Monday, Feb. 3rd.

Look at the Quality, Width and Price.

Pure Linen Lace, 1-2 inch up to 4 inches wide.

French Valenciennes and English Terchons.

Insertions to match any pattern you buy.

Our laces are all new 1913 patterns. Not a yard of old lace in this store. This new lace won't be here long.

Linen lace is hard to get at any price just when you want it.

The regular price of these laces would be 10 to 15 cents yard, according to width. Our price is any width you want

Ten Yards for 50 Cents

Please don't ask us to cut the lace. We will sell you any amount of Insertion you need from one yard up.

If you can't come write us and tell us what width and we will send it post paid. Remember this lace is worth from 10 to 15 cents the yard. Ten yards for 50 cents.

Dry Goods Specials.

Half Bleach Domestic, this is a fine bargain, 10 cubic yards Ready made Sheets 50 and 75 cents. Pillow Cases 2 for 25c. 800 yards Heavy Shirting, all colors, in stripes. This is a big value. Good for Children's and Women's dresses and tough Boy's Shirts. Has the finest Gingham finish, but is better, 10 cents yard. Come in and see the Lace. It is worth looking after and if you don't buy some you will be sorry next Summer.

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