

MATTERS LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Brief Items of Interest to Town and County Readers.

Mrs. F. C. Hanks went to Morganton Wednesday on a visit to relatives.

The free stereopticon lecture at the opera house tonight will be of interest and well worth attending.

Mr. J. G. Abernethy is making improvements to his cottage near the residence of his father on Norwood Avenue.

Mr. W. W. Barber, a prominent attorney of Wilkesboro, arrived here Wednesday on a visit to his son-in-law, Mr. W. Carroll Moore.

Messrs. W. J. Whisnant and W. C. Moore are making plans for the erection of two new residences on the lots they recently purchased from Mr. M. G. Shearer on Harper Avenue.

Mr. Frank Spencer and bride, of Salisbury, who were married on the 16th, arrived in Lenoir Monday to spend a few days with Mr. Spencer's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John T. Spencer. —Topic.

When you come to court next week, drop in and subscribe for The News. It is the only twice-a-week paper published between Statesville and Asheville and the price is only one dollar a year, same as a weekly paper.

The business men of Lenoir should turn out and join the Good Roads Association tomorrow. The Association will need all the moral and financial support possible if we are to have better roads in this County.

Let there be a good turnout of our people at the meeting of the Good Roads Association tomorrow at 2 o'clock. If we want better roads we must go to work to get them, sitting still and talking will not improve them.

The Wise and Otherwise Book club had an interesting meeting with Mrs. H. T. Newland last Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. J. C. Seagle in her usual thoughtful manner prepared neat Valentines for each of the members present.

Lots of garden seeds have been received here from the National Department of Agriculture, with the frank of the Representative from the eighth district on them. Many persons, however, are "Doughton" if they will come up.

The debate at the Graded School tonight promises to be of unusual interest, not only on account of the subject to be discussed, which is "Woman's Rights," but from the fact Miss Carrie Goforth has been chosen as one of the debaters.

Mr. Simeon Smith, of Hickory, was here Wednesday to get his new Reo Touring car, which he recently bought from Mr. R. L. Gwyn. He and Mr. Claud Hiley drove the car through to Hickory that afternoon in an hour and fifteen minutes.

Arrangements are being made to enlarge the building in which the Princess Theater is being run to accommodate the increasing patronage. An addition will be built on the end of the building by which the room will be materially enlarged so as to accommodate 500 people.

Beginning next Sunday morning, Rev. J. O. Fulbright will deliver a series of heart to heart talks on Heaven, of the future home of the Redeemed. The first subject of the series, that for next Sunday, will be "Is Heaven a place?" The subject for the regular sermon on Sunday evening will be "What happens after death." The public cordially invited.

Mayor Mark Squires is in Raleigh on business.

Mr. E. E. Dale returned from a business trip down the road yesterday.

Mr. S. A. Grier has moved into his new home on the hill south of town.

Mrs. C. H. Throneburg of Hudson came to Lenoir Wednesday on a visit to her sister Mrs. S. S. Jennings.

Mr. Harry Courtney is getting plans and material ready for a nice residence corner Harper Avenue and Church streets.

We are in receipt of a communication from Pendley relative to the death of a child that vicinity, but as no name is signed to the communication, we cannot print it.

The handsome dwelling of Mr. J. C. Seagle on Hibriten Avenue is coming along nicely and will be one of the most convenient and commodious homes in town when completed.

Mr. R. L. Allen was taken to the Foot Hills Sanatorium for an operation for appendicitis last Monday. He was operated on yesterday and his condition is favorable at this writing.

The fifth discourse in a series on the Ten Commandments will be given at the Reformed church Sunday morning at 11:00. The subject will be the 5th Commandment, which is one of the most interesting and practical of all the commands. Evening service at 7:00. Sunday School every Sunday at 9:45. Mr. K. A. Link is superintendent. Visitors are especially welcome.

Mr. R. G. Thompson, President of the Good Roads Association, was in town Wednesday and remarking on the condition of the roads, said that the section of road from the covered bridge to Tabernacle church, which is under the overseership of Mr. Elisha Powell, has been so much improved, by a half days work with a road drag, that one passing over it before and after the work, would not recognize it as the same piece of road.

New Citizens.

Mr. R. V. Wolfe and wife from Asheville came to Lenoir last Monday to look around with a view to locating here. They were taken in hand by Messrs. Hartley & Bush, real estate dealers and were soon suited in a nice piece of property. They bought one acre on the hill opposite the home of the Misses Norwood on Hibriten Avenue and are making arrangements to build a home at once. Mr. E. A. Poe is making plans for the new house, which will be neat and modern. Mrs. Wolfe returned to Asheville Tuesday and her husband followed Wednesday. They rented rooms from Mrs. Kanny on Prospect Heights, where they expect to live until their new home is completed. Mr. Wolfe is a lawyer and has a family of two children.

Died far from Home.

The death of Mr. H. D. Wood last Wednesday morning at the home of Mr. W. B. Dewey a mile north of town, was peculiarly sad in the fact that death came so far from his home. He and his wife, who is a cousin to Mrs. Dewey, have been visiting Mr. Dewey's family here a week or so and only Sunday 9th. Mr. Wood suffered an attack of pneumonia. Notwithstanding the careful attention of local physicians and tender nursing, he steadily grew worse until the end Wednesday morning. Mr. W. J. Shuford of Hickory, a licensed embalmer, was wired for and the body was embalmed. A short funeral service will be held at the home of Mr. Dewey at 11:30 to-day and the body taken by the grief stricken widow and son, Mr. F. H. Wood, of St. Louis, who came here yesterday, to the old home for burial.

Heart-Keeping. (Theodore L. Cuyler.)

Heart keeping is much like house keeping. There must be continual sweeping out of dirt and cleaning rubbish—a daily washing of dishes, and a perpetual battle with all sorts of vermin. If heart-cleaning could be done up once for all, then the Christian might discharge his graces, and have an easy time of it. And just because the assaults of subtle temptations are so constant, and the uprising of sinful passions are so frequent and the task of keeping the inward man what it ought to be is so difficult, many a one who begins a religious life gets discouraged and makes a wretched failure. The question with every Christian is: shall these accursed Amalekites of temptation burn up all my spiritual possessions and over run my soul? Shall outward assaults or inward weakness drive me to discouragement and disgrace me before my Master and before the world? Or shall they drive me to Jesus Christ, who will give me the victory?

Good Roads Did It. (Greenville Reflector.)

A Guilford County farmer hauled 5,500 pounds of tobacco to Greensboro with one team of mules. That shows what can be done over good roads.

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