

MATTERS LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Brief Items of Interest to Town and County Readers.

Mr. J. A. Knox made a business trip to Greensboro last Tuesday.

Born, last Saturday night to Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Huffstetler, a daughter.

The subject at the Reformed church Sunday morning will be the 9th commandment.

Miss Josephine Thomas, who has been teaching at Chadburn, returned home Wednesday.

The Daughters of the Confederacy will meet with the Misses Tuttle next Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

The selections rendered by the College Chorus at the Reformed church Sunday morning were greatly enjoyed.

Mr. Thomas A. Andrews, of Willington, S. C., arrived here Tuesday on a visit to his daughter, Mrs. E. N. Joyner.

The big addition to the Kent-Coffey Manufacturing Company's plant is now under cover and will soon be ready for use.

Get your plans ready for a thorough "Clean up" tomorrow. There should be no half way work about it and it is necessary for all to co-operate to get the best results.

The Stereopticon lecture, by Rev. J. O. Fulbright, will be given at the Beach School house tomorrow, Saturday night, instead of at Kings Creek as stated in the last issue of The News.

Mr. W. C. Crisp who has been in Dr. Long's hospital at Statesville for more than a month for an operation and treatment returned to his home last Wednesday, very much improved in health.

A former Caldwell lady now living in Oregon, in renewing her subscription says: "The News is worth many times the cost of the paper, to those of us so far away from the old home associates."

Mr. Thomas W. Shell, who has been living in Charlotte for several months, returned home this week. He will take out door work for some time, perhaps all Summer, upon advice of a physician.

The many friends and relatives among The News readers of Mr. John M. Connelly, will be pained to learn that his health does not improve. He is in Dr. Long's hospital at Statesville and recent advices say he is in a critical condition.

On April the 27th Miss Gertrude Cogan, of Philadelphia, Field Secretary of the Woman's Missionary Work of the Reformed church in the United States, will have charge of one of the services in the Reformed church here. She is reported to be a very interesting speaker.

Mr. Neill Blair who was down from Watauga this week tells us that the railroad from Konarock, Va., to Todd in Ashe county is a certainty. The Company, the Virginia & Carolina Railway Company, has let contracts for cross ties for the road and bought and paid for the rights-of-way the entire distance.

Capt. Bob Smyre, one of the veteran railroad men of this part of the country, came up the road last Tuesday driving one of the new passenger locomotives, just put into service on the Carolina & North-Western. Capt. Smyre says in all his experience of nearly thirty years as an engineer, this is the first time he has ever had the pleasure of driving a new locomotive. He is justly proud of his new machine and says it is a splendid one.

Come out to the meeting to-night and help select a ticket for town officers.

Mrs. Ida McCormick and her daughter of Clarkesburg, Virginia are visiting Mrs. W. H. Craddock.

Mrs. J. Roby Hayes returned to her home in Mortimer yesterday after a visit of several days to Mrs. F. P. Moore.

The Minister's Union will meet next Monday afternoon at the Manse at 3 o'clock instead of at 10:30 A. M. as heretofore.

The Bernhardt-Seagle Company will put on a big Range Demonstration for next week that will be of interest to all persons fond of good cooking.

Revs. C. T. Squires and G. E. DuPont will exchange pulpits next Sunday night, Mr. Squires preaching at South Lenoir Church and Mr. DuPont in the Presbyterian church.

The statement of the Graded School and other advertising matter has cut out much news matter from this issue, but our readers will find perhaps more of interest to them in the articles referred to.

Two cars of a freight train got off the track near Adako yesterday forenoon, which caused passengers and mail to be transferred at that place yesterday. No persons were hurt, but one car was right badly damaged.

"The Star of Bethlehem" an especially impressive and interesting series of pictures was shown at the Princess Theatre, both Tuesday and Wednesday nights with large audiences. We have heard the pictures praised in high terms.

Among our new advertisements in this issue will be noted the Lenoir Hardware & Furniture Company, Paints, M. M. Courtney, new Millinery, new Dress Goods and Notions, and the First National Bank gives an additional reason for opening an account with them.

The little twenty months old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Hedrick, died last Monday after an illness of several weeks from whooping cough and other complications. The funeral was conducted from the residence Tuesday by Rev. A. S. Peeler and the body interred in the town cemetery.

Mrs. H. H. Green of Watauga died last Monday after an illness of some weeks. She was preparing to come to the Foot Hills Sanatorium here for treatment at the time of her death. The deceased was about 50 years of age and a sister of the late Rev. George W. Green, Missionary to China and to Mesdames C. E. Thompson, Mary Steele and Rebecca Coffey of this county.

The suggestion of nominating fourteen men for town commissioners, as mentioned in the last issue of The News, seems to meet with approval and it has been suggested that fourteen be nominated also, for Trustees of the graded school. This would seem to be giving all voters ample latitude to select from and the seven men receiving the highest number of votes for each board would be elected.

Owing to a little misunderstanding, last Wednesday, Messrs. A. W. Dula and Ned Jones had a difficulty and came to blows. Both of them are powerful, fearless men and had friends not interfered there would have been an ugly fight. Neither was seriously injured however and we understand due apologies have been made and both regret that their hasty tempers got away with them.

Since all flesh is grass may be the reason that so many men appear to have had their hair cut by a lawn mower.

Owing to the fact that the town commissioners have called a mass meeting for tonight, the Daughters of the Confederacy postponed the Colonial Concert that was advertised for tonight. It will be given later and due notice will be given of the new date.

A Statement.

In view of the fact that there has been some misunderstanding and wrong impressions afloat in regard to the time for the election on a bond issue for the Graded Schools, I make the following statement, in order that justice may be done to all parties. I have examined a copy of the bill and it is just as the committee appointed at the mass meeting recommended. And the reason there can be no election held for bonds on May the first, is because legal notice of thirty days prior to the election is required.

C. B. MCNAIRY.

Col. J. M. Isbell Dead.

Our community was shocked Tuesday by the announcement that Col. J. M. Isbell, died Monday night at his home, about fourteen miles from town. He had been in failing health for several months, suffering from infirmities of age and a complication of diseases, but his condition was not considered critical by his friends here. He was in the 76th year of his age and is survived by a widow, three sons and three daughters. The body was buried Wednesday at the family burying ground, the service being conducted by Elder W. R. Cottrell of the Adventist church, of which the deceased was a member. Col. Isbell was one of the prominent men of our county, was Colonel of the Militia before the outbreak of the civil war, was a courageous Confederate soldier and rose to the rank of captain of Company A, 22nd North Carolina Regiment. He served as County Commissioner and held other offices of trust in the County.

The Minister's Union will meet Monday at the Manse. The subject for discussion is, "Why does the church not reach the masses?" Discussion to be led by Rev. C. T. Squires. E. N. JOYNER, Pres. A. S. PEELER, Secy.

Separate Meeting.

It has been thought best and proper that a separate meeting, for the selection of candidates for School Trustees, be held next Tuesday night and that the Trustees for Graded School should not be named at the meeting tonight. This action is thought best, as the school district embraces more territory than the corporate limits of the town and the effort to name candidates for both town and school at the same meeting will be confusing. A motion will be made at the opening of the mass meeting tonight, to postpone the nomination of school trustees until another meeting to be held Tuesday night.

We humbly suggest that those English suffragists who are complaining of the "indignities" to women in the Anglican marriage service are either old maids or grass widows.

With many men home is the last resort.

Beware of Ointments for Catarrh That Contain Mercury as mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free. Sold by Druggists. Price 75c per bottle. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

New reading matter appears in this space each week. 17 REASONS FOR SAVING—3rd Reason. Loved Ones Protects your wife and children and home while you are sick, disable or after death. FIRST NATIONAL BANK LENOIR, N. C. T. J. Lutz, President J. B. ATKINSON, V-President O. P. Lutz, Cashier E. F. ALLEN, Ass't Cashier Notary Public at Bank

BUSINESS LOCALS. Notices under this head are One Cent a word each insertion. No advertisement less than ten cents. They Bring Quick Results. If you want a sitting of fine Bull/Oxford eggs see or write G. M. Go-forth or Willard Go-forth. LOST—One brown and white spotted setter pup about four months old, white mark in forehead. Liberal reward for information or return to 47-21 R. E. Hoover. FOR SALE—Goodman's Prolific Seed Corn. A white deep grain, of a twin variety. Good yields. \$2.00 per bushel. C. E. Conley, Hudson, N. C. WANTED—Fat Beef Cattle. 45-21 Phifer's Market. FOR SALE—A good Combines Riding Cultivator. W. J. Moore, 45-41-pd West Main St. Lenoir. I will pay cash for chickens and ducks 41-11 J. R. McNairy. FOR SALE—A good Organ, \$15.00 Cash will buy it. The News office. Eggs for setting. Mottled Anconas, Brown Leghorns, Rhode Island Reds and Indian Rubber Ducks. Thomas G. Hartley. 29 FOR SALE CHEAP—2 1/2 Horse Power Gasoline Engine. Lenoir Drug Co. 36 Eggs for setting, thorough bred White Wyandotts, Banded Plymouth Rock and Indian Runner Ducks. C. B. McNairy. 30 FOR SALE—Eggs for hatching from Thorough bred Banded Plymouth Rocks, Golden Wyandottes and Buff Cochins Bantams, at \$1.00 per setting of 15 and 13. R. I. Bush. FOR SALE—Six room house on Mulberry Street. Modern conveniences. P. M. Keever. 34-11

For Sale At a bargain if taken at once several pieces of secondhand Furniture, Dresser, Desk, Chairs, etc., Sewing Machine in good condition, also nice Lawn Swing. Phone No. 122 or call at. GRANDIN LUMBER CO'S OFFICE

NEW MILL I have started a new Corn Mill at Whitnel and will do custom work any day wanted. Good service and prompt attention. J. M. RAINEY 47-41-pd

NOTICE. State of North Carolina, Caldwell County. In Re-Sale of Land for Taxes. Listed to N. E. Keever. To N. E. Keever: You will take notice, that at a sale of real estate for the non-payment of taxes, made in the county aforesaid, on the 5th day of August, 1912, the undersigned became the purchaser of the real estate hereinafter described, taxed in the name of N. E. Keever, that said land or lot so purchased, is on the assessment roll described as follows, to-wit: 28 acres in Yadkin Valley Township; that the taxes for which said lands or lot was sold were those assessed for the year 1911 and that the time of redemption for such lands will expire August 5th, 1913. This April 16th, 1913. B. H. DULA.

"Public Office is a Public Trust," said a famous President, and no less exalted trust is BANKING. YOU entrust to us the fruits of your labor—it may be the accumulation of years of toil—this we must safeguard—and do. Never forgetting that your money with us is a TRUST FUND, and with the successful and accumulated experience of 20 years Banking, we are better prepared than ever to serve you and your friend. We invite your account. Respectfully Bank of Lenoir G. W. F. Harper, President J. C. SEAGLE, Vice-President. J. H. Beall, Cashier A. G. Foard, Ass't. Cashier Assets and Responsibility Over Half a Million.

New Millinery New Dress Goods New Trimmings and Notions Fresh from New York We have just received a large shipment of the Very Latest Styles in Small, Medium and Large Hats, also Beautiful Feathers and Stick-ups. We will hardly be able again this season to show such a wide range of pretty new Hats and Trimmings to select from and at such reasonable prices. New Striped Crepes—Plain and Striped Voiles—Ratines—New Cloth—Vanity Crinkle—Holly Batiste and all that's newest and best in White Goods. Beautiful new patterns in Embroidered Flouncings, 18, 27 and 45 inches wide made on Swiss, made on Voile 45 inches only. Newest and prettiest Laces in All Overs, Edges and Bands suitable to match and combine with our Sheer Batistes and other white goods for Commencement Dresses. See all the Mew things here, for Summer wear and have the best and most stylish. COURTNEY'S

Shoe Repairing We have employed Mr. G. W. Cline, an experienced and well known shoemaker to take charge of our Repairing Department and respectfully invite all persons needing any kind of shoe repairing to call and see us. Respectfully, Thompson-Lyerly Shoe Co.

Skin On Fire? Lumber. Just the mild, simple wash, the well known D.D.D. Prescription for Eczema, and the itch is gone. A trial will prove it. We have sold other remedies for skin trouble but none that we could guarantee as we can the D.D.D. remedy. If the first regular size \$1.00 bottle does not do exactly as we say, it will not cost you a cent. J. E. Shell & Co., Druggists. We are in the market at all times for any kind of lumber, for which we will pay cash when loaded on car. At the present we need one million feet, each, Oak, Poplar and Pine. Write us for prices, stating quality, quantity and kind you have and mention your nearest shipping point. E. Morrison, Secy. STATESVILLE, N. C.

STOP! Don't buy a Bicycle or anything of the kind until you have seen what I have to offer. I know I can save you money. Let me show you. Repair Work of All Kinds. DAYTON BICYCLE SHOP ON THE CORNER LENOIR, N. C. Opposite H. T. Newland's Store. For Sale A thirteen room Boarding House, well arranged, large lot, fine water, nice location, in village of Blowing Rock. Will exchange for good farm property or sell on easy terms. H. C. MARTIN LENOIR, N.