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DIRECTORY FOR THE CHURCHES OF COLUMBUS.

PRESBYTERIAN—T. C. CROKER, pastor —Preaching every third Sunday, 11 A. M., and at night

BAPTIST—Preaching by appointment Sunday school every Sunday at 10 A. M.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL—Preaching by appointment. Sabbath school at 10 A. M

EDITORIAL

DEATH OF MR. CONNER.

The death of Mr. Wm. Conner at his home last Friday morning was quite a shock to the community. He was sick with pneumonia only about nine days. "Uncle Bill," as he was commonly called, was a hard-working man, was a soldier in the late civil war and has had quite a deal of misfortune in this world on account of family afflictions of various kinds. We extend to the bereaved family our sincerest sympathy. A vacancy is made in the family circle that can never be filled

WILSON-STEARNs.

Mabelle Wilson, the youngest daughter of the late Captain Thos. Wilson, will be married at her mother's home, 2198 Euclid Ave., at noon, on Wednesday, January 15th, 1902, to Frank B. Stearns, son of F. M. Stearns, of 2187 Euclid Ave. The wedding will be a private one, at which only the immediate relatives and close friends of the contracting parties will be present.

The ceremony will be performed by Rev. Casper Wistar Hiatt, pastor of the Euclid Ave., Congregational church. After a short wedding tour they will be at home, temporarily, at the Wilson home.

—Cleveland Press.

LYNN LINERS.

Mr. C. W. Swan and daughter, Ida, run up to Asheville last week. It is reported that Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wilcox will occupy the Lynwood cottage soon.

Rev. Mr. Perry, of Mills Spring, who has charge of the Green River circuit, preached in the chapel last Sunday evening.

On the 17th was born unto Mr. and Mrs. Townsend a daughter. At this time mother and babe are doing well.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Thompson have had a very sick child, but glad to hear it is thought to be out of danger.

The Company store is now lighted by the dynamo at the mill. A decided improvement on the light question.

Mr. J. E. Price lost his only milk cow one day last week. It is quite a misfortune for a poor man to have a loss like this. Joe has our sympathy.

"Remember the Sabbath day to keep it holy," etc. We would like to ask if it is not a violation of the above command to play such games as base ball and golf on the Sabbath day.

Clayton Philips, of Pea Ridge, was tried last Tuesday at Sauda before B. T. Boon, Esq., on a charge of forcible trespass and was discharged for want of evidence.

Some one broke into the barn of A. L. McMurray last Tuesday night but for some reason they did not take anything of much value.

PLEASE REMEMBER.

All matter for advertising and changing of "adds" should reach us not later than Monday noon.

NOTICE.

All taxes due in the town of Columbus, N. C., must be settled during the month of Jan. 1902. After the limit of this notice the Collector shall proceed to collect according to law.

By order of the board.

F. M. BURGESS, Collector.

ROUND TRIP REDUCED RATES

Offered by the Southern Railway Co., for the following special occasions:

On account Mardi Gras, New Orleans, La., and Mobile, Ala., Feb. 4th-11th. Tickets will be on sale Feb. 4th to 10th, inclusive, with final limit to return Feb. 15th, except that by payment of 50 cents and deposit of ticket with joint Agent No. 707 Cravner Street, New Orleans, La., and 51 South Loyall Street, Mobile, Ala., on or before Feb. 15th, an extension of limit will be granted to Feb. 28th. Rate of one first class limited one way fare for the round trip. Round trip rate from Asheville \$22.10 to New Orleans, La., and \$18.55, to Mobile.

Account Annual Convention Communication Grand Lodge of North Carolina, A. F. & A. M., Raleigh, N. C., Jan. 14th, 1902. Tickets will be on sale Jan. 12, 13, 14, final limit Jan. 31st. Round trip rate from Asheville \$11.00.

Account 5th, Annual Poultry Show, Charlotte, N. C. Tickets on sale Jan. 6th-9th, inclusive, with final limit Jan. 11, 1902. Round trip rate from Asheville via Spartanburg \$5.25 via Statesville \$5.55 and via Salisbury \$6.20.

Call on ticket agents for further information or address,

F. R. DARBY, C. P. & T. A. Asheville, N. C.

The Old Shop but a New Smith.

Having purchased the entire outfit of blacksmith implements of Mr. H. E. Gray, I have opened shop at the Griffin old stand in Columbus and prepared to do blacksmith work and general repairing. Horse-shoeing cheaper than ever. Will furnish shoes and nails and do you a first class job for only 50 cents.

Bring along your work.

Yours to serve, W. M. COVIL.

MORTGAGE SALE.

By virtue of a certain mortgage executed on the 1st day of July, 1901, by Julia Mills of the County of Polk and State of North Carolina, to T. C. Hampton, to secure certain indebtedness therein named, and assigned by the said T. C. Hampton to J. T. Waldrop, which mortgage is duly recorded in the Registrar's office for Polk County, in book 1, on page 25, and default having been made in the payment of the same, or a balance of \$30.00 (thirty dollars), I will on Monday, Feb. 3rd, 1902, at 1 o'clock p. m., offer for sale at the court house door in Columbus at public outcry, for cash, to the highest bidder, to satisfy the balance due on said mortgage, to wit: \$30.00 with interest, cost and expenses added, the following described land, to wit:

Lying and being in the State of North Carolina, County of Polk, Columbus township, and known as the Julia Mills lot in Tryon, N. C. Adjoining lands of Lum Constant, John Blackwell, et al. More fully described in the Julia Mills deed, containing about two and one half acres, more or less.

This Jan. 7th, 1902.

T. J. Waldrop, Mortgagee. J. P. Morris, Att'y.

MORTGAGE SALE.

By virtue of a certain mortgage executed on the 1st day of Dec., 1897, by S. M. Davis, and wife, N. J. Davis, to J. T. Walker, to secure certain indebtedness therein named and assigned by the said J. T. Walker, to Q. T. Cooley, which mortgage is duly recorded in the office of the Registrar of Deeds for Polk County, in book 14 at page 271 and default having been made in the payment of the same, I will, on Monday, February 3d, 1902, at 12 o'clock, offer for sale at the court house door in Columbus, at public outcry, for cash, to the highest bidder, to satisfy balance due on said mortgage, to wit: \$297.00 with interest, cost and expenses added, the following described land, to wit:

Lying and being in Polk County, North Carolina, on the waters of Reedy Fork of Hensons Creek, adjoining the lands of T. C. Smith, John Davis, Page and others, and bounded as follows:

Beginning on a pine on the south west corner of the field and runs thence with Rice Lancelot's line south 79, west 80 poles to a stone, thence north 13, east 60 poles to a stone, thence north 79, east 80 poles to a stone and pointers on the line of the first Walker tract, thence north 13, east 47 poles to a pine on line of F. C. Page's 118 acre tract, thence with said line north 80, east 36 poles to a stone below the old saw mill place a corner of said tract, and also a corner of Page's 54 acre survey, thence south 70, east 59 poles to a pine a corner of J. K. Deckland's and T. C. Smith's lands, thence with Smith's line south 13, west 76 poles to a stake and pointers on said line, thence to the beginning, containing eighty-four and one-half acres, more or less.

This Jan. 3rd, 1902.

J. T. Walker, Mortgagee. J. E. Shipman, Att'y.



This signature is on every box of the genuine Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets the remedy that cures a cold in one day

Will not Hide my Light under a Bushel.

Gentlemen:—I will not hide my light under a bushel, for I want the people to know what your Gooch's Mexican Syrup has done for me. For four years I have been afflicted with Asthma, and could not get anything to do me any good until I got your Gooch's Mexican Syrup. I took three bottles and it cured me entirely. I give you this hoping it may be the means of saving some one from a horrible and premature death. Yours under obligations, Rev. Thos. B. Warwick, Scott Town, O.

Consumptives try it. It cures a simple cough as if by magic, and is the best remedy for whooping cough. Price 25 cents.

Cruelty to Children.

Mother's Worm Syrup never fails to destroy and remove worms in children. It is cruel not to administer it to them whenever there is need.

Pile-ine Cures Piles! Money refunded if it fails.

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Beef, Pork, Fish, Oysters, Poultry and Eggs.

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Tryon, N. C.

(Opposite freight depot).

Our Clubbing Rates

We have made arrangements whereby we can offer the following clubbing rates:

The Thrice-a-Week World and THE News, one year.....\$1.50
The Atlanta Constitution, (The great Southern weekly) and THE News...\$1.50
The Sunny South and THE News...\$1.50
The Commoner, (Bryan's paper) and THE News.....\$1.50

Send in your subscription and get two papers almost at the price of one. Send all subscriptions to THE NEWS,

Columbus, N. C.

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Fresh candies every week.

Prescriptions carefully compounded.

E. E. MISSILDINE, Tryon, N. C.

Successor to MISSILDINE & GRADY.

WHAT YOU NEED IS Hardware That WILL Wear.

To this end we are endeavoring to supply a long felt want in the hardware trade. We appreciate the liberal share of patronage extended to us during the past year and shall put forth our best efforts to merit a continuance of the same during the present year.

If in need of hardware, buggies, wagons, saddles, harness, paints, etc., we can make it to your interest to see us before placing your order, that is, if prices interest you.

A large shipment of plows, hoes and farming tools soon to arrive and soon to go at low prices.

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Tryon, N. C.

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A temperance community with good moral and social surroundings. Two well arranged dormitories under good management. Good attention given to all classes of students entrusted to our care. Good Literary Societies.

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Write for any information desired to

MISS MAY E. McCLANAHAN, Principal.