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ALWAYS IN ADVANCE.

THURSDAY, MAY 24, 1906.

The industrial edition of the Gaffney (S. C.) Ledger, was an able piece of work all round. But then, nothing short of the best is expected of DeCamp. His enterprise and energy has done great things for Gaffney and Cherokee county. More power to the Ledger and its able editor.

COLUMBUS NEWS.

Personal Notes About Columbus Folks and Their Friends.

J. G. Hughes, went to Saluda again this week.

G. F. Bushnell, of Thomasville Conn., was visited Mr. and Mrs. Worth and Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Hughes Sunday.

Miss Yardy, of Brooklyn N. York., arrived here Thursday. She is visiting Mrs. Westlake.

Rev. Walter Splawn, of Texas, preached at Mill Spring Sunday to a large and attentive congregation.

N. B. Hampton and F. M. Stearns went to Hendersonville Saturday to attend a railroad meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. McLaughlin, left Thursday, to attend the funeral of the former's only sister Mrs. Wood, of Glenn, South Carolina.

H. E. Gray's son Miles is ill with rheumatism. It will be remembered that Mr. Gray and family moved from Columbus to Olympia, Wash., a few years ago.

The following guests were at Log Cabin Inn this week: Mrs. E. W. Ppeatie, Master Gonald, and Mrs. George F. Bartlett, of Chicago, Ill; and Mrs. Charles S. Wilson, Tryon, N. C.

Frank Revan, died Tuesday morning at four o'clock of pneumonia after a few days sickness. He was buried at Landrum, S. C., Wednesday afternoon. He lived in the Chevalier cottage at Stearns, N. C.

Mrs. Robt. McFarland, of Tryon, has typhoid fever, and her baby has pneumonia. All her friends at Columbus wish her a speedy recovery.

A School Girl's Composition On Boys.

The average small-boy is about as interesting a human nature study as there is to be found. That he is noisy is but natural. If a boy is not noisy there is something radically wrong with him.

When he gets to be about twelve years old he reaches the "silly-billy" age. This "age" is characterized by monkey motions and foolish noises which last until he is about fifteen. At fifteen he reaches the "awkward age," at which time he puts on long trousers seems, to be at a loss to know what to do with his hands and feet, and is afraid of girls.

At eighteen he reaches the "puppy love" stage of progress in his human nature development, goes out to see the girls seven nights in the week and begins to write notes. This delightful period lasts until he is twenty, when he usually gets disappointed in love. Then comes a period of indifference during which he takes a pipe for consolation.

This continues until he meets his twin soul and "they live happily ever afterward."

INTERESTING NEWS FROM MILL-SPRING.

Farmers Busy—Rev. Walter Splawn, of Texas Preached at Baptist Church Sunday—Shuford Edwards and Family of Indian Territory Expected Home On A Visit—Other Notes.

Boney Jackson is suffering with muscular rheumatism.

Rev. J. D. Gibson and family visited Mrs. E. L. Hague this week.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Edwards a twelve pound baby girl.

Misses Daisy Rucker and Jessie Sitton visited friends at Rutherfordton recently.

Rev. G. F. Wolfe and son visited relatives in Henderson county recently.

We now need a Prof., of music in our midst to make our instruments profitable.

Miss Myrtle Hunter and her brother Sam, are visiting Misses Nellie and Laura Waldrop this week.

Bee Lewis has returned from Florida. He visited his parents at Mill Spring for a few days, and then went to Saluda.

Allena Elizabeth, little daughter of Dr. and Mrs. H. H. Edwards, with its parents attended services at the Baptist church Sunday.

A convention was held at Mill Spring last Saturday. Delegates were appointed to attend the convention which is to be held at Columbus May 24th.

The friends of John Smith sympathize with he and his family in the loss of his sight which is reported, almost gone. This is the result of the small pox.

The relatives and friends of Shuford Edwards, of Indian Territory, are expecting he and his wife and little son to arrive in North Carolina some time this week.

Farmers are quite busy just now, working over their corn, cotton etc. We wish one and all success and trust that "general green" will be conquered at all times during the "period of war."

Oscar Fowler, representative of the Weaver Organ and Piano Co., is quite successful in distributing the instruments over Polk. He is left alone with the work now as other agents have gone to other points. We wish Mr. Fowler a prosperous and pleasant summer.

Rev. Walter Splawn of Texas, preached a fine sermon to a large and attentive audience last Sunday at Mill Spring Baptist church. The house was filled to overflowing with eager listeners. His subject was "Cooperation with Christ in raising the dead." Mr. Splawn is a native of this county and is highly esteemed by his old acquaintances and the present generation are taught to love and respect him.

We desire to thank Mr. W. F. Hawley of Jacksonville, Fla; for a nice crate of fresh tomatoes.—Rev. T. C. Croker and family.

Have you pains in the back, inflammation of any kind, rheumatism, fainting spells, indigestion or constipation, Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea makes you well, keeps you well. 35 cents.

Advertise In The News.

Notice of Pardon.

Notice is hereby given that the defendant above named will make application to his excellency R. B. Glenn, Governor of North Carolina, for a pardon. The defendant submitted to the charge of retailing without license at the April term of the Superior court for Polk county and was sentenced to six months imprisonment, to work on the roads of Gaston county. From which imprisonment application will be filed and pardon asked. R. Russell, Applicant. By his atty D. F. Morrow.

Land Sale For Taxes.

North Carolina, Polk County By virtue of the Tax list for the year 1905, now in my hands for collection I will on Monday, the 4th day of June, 1906, at the court house door in said county sell to satisfy the State and county taxes and costs due the following real estate.

COLUMBUS TOWNSHIP.

Mrs. J. M. Bryant 3 1/2 acres \$ 1.64
W. A. Cannon 1 town lot 9.92
D. V. and Ann Durham 100 acres 3.68
John L. Foster 30 acres 2.30
Aggie Foster 52 acres 2.69
J. F. Green 15 acres 5.59
J. Jeffries 50 acres 2.14
David Kimberly 55 acres 2.15
L. W. Morgan 434 acres 18.40
Peak Heirs 750 acres 15.65
Z. B. Nance 100 acres 3.66
J. N. Cudd 144 acres 5.02
James Wilson col. 21 acres 4.44
W. M. Jones col. 21 acres 1.33

COOPER GAP TOWNSHIP.

D. C. Bradley 35 acres \$ 4.63
W. T. Brown 105 acres 4.41
Jane Helton 93 acres 2.80
W. D. Helton 57 acres 4.84
W. A. Kuff 50 acres 1.90
D. H. Thompson 20 acres 4.93
M. K. Whitesides 52 acres 4.47
A. C. Bugess 25 acres 1.05

WHITE OAK TOWNSHIP.

Jonathan Arledge 75 acres \$ 3.14
Mrs. M. C. Bryan 9 1/2 acres 1.49
Mrs. M. M. Thompson deceased, J. G. Thompson adm. 183 acres 18.09
Eligh Whitesides 15 acres 5.27

GREEN CREEK TOWNSHIP.

J. M. Bryant 24 acres \$ 1.18
W. G. Greenway 42 acres 8.60
Mrs. T. L. Roach 5 1/2 acres .89
H. H. Higgerstall 130 acres 5.43
R. F. Cooley 84 acres 3.54
Wm. Liles 40 acres 2.21
Mrs. J. D. Wilkinson 40 acres 3.12
Carolina Bryant col. 73 acres 2.89
Tim McDowell 53 acres 2.84
High McDowell 10 acres 1.74
O. R. Stadmam 27 acres 3.24

SALUDA TOWNSHIP.

Geo. W. Foster 56 acres \$ 4.87
Drew Hyder 50 acres 1.05
Ed Ingalls 8 acres 1.05
Jake Johnson 30 acres 2.49
James Jones 120 acres 7.25
Mrs. F. C. Rhodes 93 acres 2.49
D. M. Rollins 500 acres 10.45
Mrs. W. B. Ward 1 town lot 8.63

TRYON TOWNSHIP.

W. M. Blackwell 73 acres \$ 3.87
Fred Forest 197 acres 8.88
A. K. Lankford 1 town lot 0.69
H. M. Taft 2 town lots 1.70
G. W. Lewis 1 town lot 2.14
W. C. ROBERTSON, Sheriff and Tax Collector. This May 4th 1906. 5-31

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

For The State Senate.

Editor Polk County News. Dear Sir:—Please announce to the public that I am a candidate for State Senator, representing the western section of the 33rd Senatorial District. Subject to the action of the Democratic Convention. T. T. BALLENGER, Tryon, N. C., May 7th, 1906. 5-24

For The State Senate.

I hereby announce myself as candidate for State Senator, as one of the representatives of the 33rd district of North Carolina, subject to the approval of the Democratic convention. J. C. FISHER, Tryon, N. C. 5-24

For The Legislature.

At the solicitation of many friends, I will be a candidate before the Democratic county Convention for the nomination for member of the Legislature from Polk County. E. BUNCOMBE GOELET. 6-14

WANTED.

WANTED—Traveling Salesmen. Must furnish references and invest \$1000.00 in first class 6 per cent Bonds. Salary and Expenses paid. Experience not required, we teach business at our Mills. The Wheeling Roofing & Cornice Company, Wheeling, W. Va. 6-14

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Having qualified as administrator of Sarah A. Hibbard deceased late of Tryon, Polk county, N. C., this is to notify all persons having claims against the said estate to exhibit them to the undersigned on or before June 1st 1906 or this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment. Rufus P. Hibbard, Administrator. 6-14



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A NEWSY LETTER FROM LYNN.

The Rebecca Lodge Served Ice Cream And Other Refreshments Saturday Night—Net Proceeds About \$25—School Closes 29th—Other Notes.

The school at this place will close on the 29th.

H. G. Cannon visited friends at Columbus Sunday.

D. A. Swan is taking in the Charlotte celebration this week.

W. A. Cannon was at home sick a day or two the first of the week.

F. S. Wilcox left last Saturday for New York. Business prompted his trip.

Rev. J. D. Gibson filled his regular appointment at chapel last Sunday at 3:30.

Messrs. Capps and Newman have the contract to build a new school house at Mill Spring.

Ballenger and Fisher seem to have fallen in love with the Lynntes recently. They doff their hats and shake our hand—Oh, my, don't they love us!

The Rebecca Lodge served ice cream and other refreshments at the chapel last Saturday evening. The proceeds are to be used for purchasing regalia, etc., for their lodge. This lodge is quite young but as it is composed almost entirely of ladies and its workings are as an auxiliary to the I. O. O. F., it is to be hoped that much good may come from it. There is plenty of good work for all creatures to do. Columbus, Tryon, and Vallhalla were represented and all present seemed to enjoy themselves. About \$25 was the amount of proceeds after expenses were paid.

E. B. CLOUD Attorney At Law, COLUMBUS, N. C. Office in court house in upper court room to the right.

NOTICE.

Until June 1st I offer my 1/2 interest in General Merchandise of Arnold & Cannon at a sacrifice. C. B. ARNOLD, Lynn, N. C. 5-24

REAL ESTATE BOUGHT AND SOLD.

I have located at Mill Spring, Polk county, N. C., for the purpose of dealing in real estate, and as I am in a position to handle your property, I will try to make it to your interest, if you will see me when you have property for sale. J. F. WILLIAMS.

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Directors: J. B. HESTER, T. T. BALLENGER, E. E. MISSLIDINE, E. C. WILCOX, J. O. WISSON, W. C. ROBERTSON, B. L. BALLENGER.

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