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THURSDAY, DEC. 31 1908.

TRYON HOSIERY MILL BURNED.

The Tryon Hosiery Mill, situated at Lynn, was partially destroyed by fire about 3 o'clock Monday morning, Dec. 21st. The wooden building containing the engine and boiler and other machinery, and the dye plant was entirely destroyed.

The adjoining brick building was damaged but not burned.

Arrangements are being made for the erection of a brick building in place of the one that was burned.

This was unfortunate for the mill employees and the business of Tryon and Lynn which received considerable aid from this industry.

CENTRAL INDUSTRIAL INSTITUTE

Will Open its Doors to Free students on January 4th.

On January 4th, 1909, The Central Industrial Institute will open its doors, free of tuition to any student in Polk County who can take studies above the regular seventh grade. Now enough has been done to help any ambitious boy or girl to get High School training.

As long as we have the rooms to offer those belonging to the school will be offered, the following prices: board, fuel, lights and furnished rooms in the girls dormitory is offered for \$9.00 per school month.

With this issue of the News we extend our new year greetings to all friends and readers of the paper and wish them every blessing and success possible throughout the new year.

A Fine Hog

T. E. Walker recently killed a hog weighing 600 lbs. net.

COMMISSIONER'S ANNUAL REPORT

North Carolina, Polk County, I, F. M. Burgess Register of Deeds of Polk county, state of N. C., do hereby certify that this is a true copy of the expenditures of the county of Polk for the year ending Dec. 7 1908

DECEMBER

A Jackson, for work on jail and 1 days service as judge of railroad election \$ 3 00
J T Waldrop, half fees ft 1903 1 75
M A Cornwell, for services as judge of R. R. election in Greens Creek T. S. 2 00
J T Waldrop, for half fees due J E Liles ft 1904 2 35
J W Newman, for jail fees to date Toney Constant, for services as registrar of R. R. election at Jackson's Mill Oct. 1907 6 09
N T Mills, half fees s t 1907 and 2 days service on board of election 3 95
J B Smith, for keeping the poor house to date 7 50
Edwards & Broughten, for record books 9 25
F M Burgess, for service as clerk to the B of C. C. 21 83
W J Wilson, for half fees ft 1907 97
J T Greenwood, for transportation to insane asylum 19 00
S B Edwards for half fees ft 1907 64 49
J P Arledge ex C-S C., for half fees ft 1907 48 32
Grayson Arledge, for over charge taxes 2 31
J T Waldrop, for half fees ft 1907 22 30
F M Burgess, for money paid on land for taxes and land not found 3 43
J T Waldrop, judgement on page 193 in full 200 35
J T Waldrop, for judgement in full on page 193 125 33
Lindsay Smith, for half fees ft 1907 1 05
Dr. W R Engle, for 2 visits and examinations of James Gibbs insane 10 00

JANUARY

G W Pearson, for half fees s t 1903 5 10
L J Fisher, for half fees ft 1907 2 15
W L Gibbs, for service as judge of R R election at Arledge Oct. 1907 1 00
The Polk County News, for publishing clerk's annual report and the annual of B C C 20 50
P D Williams, witness fees s t 1907 2 30
J H Metcalf, for work on bridge Facolet River 7 50
Hillard Metcalf, for services on inquest juror over the bodies of Van Green and Dolman Knight 2 00
J W Newman, for jail fees to date C A Carson, for service as com. to date 10 95
N E Shehan, for half fees ft 1907 17 20
F M Burgess, service as clerk to the B C C 4 00
Elvia Cantrell, for witness fees in the John Jones case 18 53
J. R. Smith, for keeping the poor to date 5 00
S B Edwards, for over charge on taxes by ever 7 50
J T Green, for over charge on taxes by error 3 47
J Terrell Green, for conveying Jas Gibbs insane to jail 5 63
Vance Thompson, judge of R R election at Jackson's Mill 3 00
J F Spainhour, for half fees s t 1907 in Walker and Jones cases 2 00
40 00

FEBRUARY

W M Russell, for 3 months support of John Cantrell 15 00
H W Hill, J P for half fees s t 1907 87
H B Henderson, half fees s t 1907 25
M Henderson, for half fees ft 1907 1 40
J W Newman, for jail fees to date D E Conner, for service as com. to date 13 15
25 98
John L. Jackson, for service as commissioner to date 39 20
C A Carson, for service as com. to date 10 11
J R Smith, for keeping the poor to date 9 00
F M Burgess, for service as clerk to the B C C and other expenses as per bill on file 15 80
C H Wilson, for half fees s t 1907 1 25
A Jackson, for lumber and shingles for the court house 7 50
R S Johnson, for half fees ft 1907 4 00
Jas. Johnson, for half fees ft 1907 4 00

MARCH

W C Newman, for service as a member of finance committee 7 00
J D Carpenter, for money paid on land sold for tax and land not found 3 66
Edwards & Broughten, for books official reports 8 51
F M Burgess, for half fees for W R Turner ft 1907 45
J W Newman, for jail fees to date 10 90
J K Williams, for service as judge of R R election 2 00
J D Weaver, for over charge in taxes for 1907 1 64
T F Thouse, for interest on loan for bridges 24 40
J R Smith, for keeping the poor to date 20 50

APRIL

Mrs. Bolton, Peapack, for keeping Frances Wilson during her illness 17 00

Edwards & Broughten, for record books 19 00
A L McMurray, for nails to repair court house 1 52
S L Rhodes, half fees ft 1907 4 35
G W Smith, holding inquest over R F W Allston 9 80
Wm Strong, for inquest over R F W Allston 1 00
E E Missildine, for inquest juror R F W Allston 1 00
R B Engle, for inquest juror over Allston 1 00
W A Cannon, for inquest juror over Allston 1 00
C C Constant, for inquest juror over Allston 1 00
Gaston Ingram, for inquest juror over Allston 1 00
J W Newman, for jail fees to date 31 90
J R Smith keeping the poor to date R B Engle, for service as registrar of election at Tryon N. v. 1906 and Oct. 1907 13 74
D E Conner, for Francis Cushing's interest on warrant No. 235 E. 15 00
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W C Robertson, for various tickets on file 33 25
John L. Jackson, for service as com. to date 15 00
F M Burgess, for service as clerk to B C C to date 13 60

MAY

W M Russell, for 3 months support of John Cantrell 15 00
J T Waldrop, half fees due Jno. Greenway 7 37
J W Newman, for jail fees to date Polk County News, for advertising and stationary 6 80
J T Waldrop, for half fees due Jno Pace ft 1907 1 40
J T Waldrop, half fees due A J Thompson ft 1907 1 95
J T Waldrop, half fees due T W Arledge ft 1907 2 10
A G McMurray, for service as judge of election Oct 1907 1 00
R L Newman, for service as inquest juror over the body of Doleman Knight 1 00
A Jackson, for lumber and work D E Conner, for service as com. C A Carson, for service as com. J R Smith, for keeping the poor to date 23 60
C C Hampton, for boarding jury in the Splawn case 6 00
Geyer Hutcherson for over charge in taxes for 1907 3 47
W C Robertson, for an account on file this date 75 78

JUNE

J W Newman, for jail fees to date G W Smith, for holding inquest over Butler Garrett 8 30
Walt Rollins, for inquest juror over Van Green 1 00
T E Toney, for painting bridge at Moores 11 00
N T Mills, for service as Chm'n B of election 5 35
W J Wilson, for service as judge of R R election 4 00
J F Williams, for 2 days service as judge of Prohibition election 4 00
J M Rollins, for 2 days service as judge of Prohibition election 4 00
Tryon Supply Co. for material to repair court house 25 88
Wm Mays, for work on court house as per bill 26 75
J B Dalton, for inquest juror over Butler Garrett 1 00
E G Thompson, for inquest juror over Butler Garrett 1 00
G E Edwards, for inquest juror over Butler Garrett 1 00
J H Gibbs, for inquest juror over Butler Garrett 1 00
Thos Blackwell, for inquest juror over Butler Gorrett 1 00
Lindsay Waldrop, for inquest juror over Butler Garrett 1 00
J H Green, for building bridge at Weimack's over Green River 425 00
J P Arledge, for service as registrar of Prohibition election 12 15
W H McFarland, for registrar of Prohibition election 14 36
T E Page, judge of election at Saluda 1906 1 00
J R Smith, for keeping the poor to date 27 82
J C Powell, registrar of Prohibition election 10 21
Jerry Jackson, judge of Prohibition election 1 00
J E Shipman, as bill on file as per contract 25 00
J H Gibbs, judge Prohi. election Edwards & Broughten, for record books, stamps and pads 6 60
S B Edwards, for Edwards & Broughten 17 80
S B Edwards, for account on file to date 21 03

JULY

Dr W R Engle, for Dr Grady for service to date 75 00
Edwards & Broughten, for record books 33 50
E E Missildine, for an account on file for medicine 17 25
F M Burgess, for service as clerk to Board of C Coms. 34 74
J O Smith, for holding inquest over John Green 8 60
A M. H. for inquest juror over T. H. 1 00
W W Womm-cs., for inquest juror over John Green 1 00
J C Powell, for inquest over Jno Green 1 00
John L. Jackson, for service as com. 38 30

J M Heston, listing taxes in G C 25 00
J J Lambright, judge of P election 30 00
E M Burgess, for service as clerk to B C C 13 17
AUGUST
Polk County News, advertising to date 1 00
J D Carpenter, for money paid on land sold for taxes 3 48
J W Newman, (all fees to date 7 50
W M Russell, for 3 mos support of John Cantrell 15 00
W C Robertson, for Edwards & Broughten for tax books 9 30
J P Robertson for inquest juror over Dolman Knight 1 00
G W Pearson, judge of Prohibition election 4 00
J R Smith, keeping the poor to date 31 80
S L Rhodes, for D S fees in Flournoy case 5 00
C A Carson, service as com to date J B Arledge, part pay on contract for abatements 100 00
Geo A Gash, iron rods for court H Clarence Jackson, for support of idiot brother 5 00

SEPTEMBER

L W Morgan, for repairs on bridge according to contract 7 00
J B Arledge, for bal. pay for abatements 280 00
F M Burgess, for computing taxes for 1908 117 75
N L Whiteside, Judge of P. elect. 4 00
W L Gibbs, judge Prohi. election 2 00
J L Jackson, as com. to date 47 00
J R Smith, keeping the poor to date 35 00
J W Newman, for jail fees to date Polk County News, for ad. to date 1 00
J W Kennedy, witness fees ft 1908 1 80
N E Shehan D S fees as per bill 9 00
Wm Mays, for work as per bill this date 14 00
Wm Mays, for contract for abatements at Hamilton's bridge 184 50
T E Pace, 1 day on board of elect. 2 00
C A Carson, for service as com to date 24 10
T C Laughter, half fees s t 1908 75
D E Conner, for service as com. 15 20
G W Pearson, 1 day on B. election 2 00
J C Fisher, lumber for Lynn bridge 24 37
F M Burgess, making stubs tax receipts 12 50
J L Jackson, for county com. to date 20 60

OCTOBER

J W Newman, for jail fees to date E E Missildine, for medicia as per bill on file 4 45
C C Hampton, for repairs on bridge over Hooper creek 2 50
G A Branson, for building a bridge at Matilyn Hill 50 00
Carolina Engineering Co, building a bridge at Hamiltons and Joists for Lynn bridge 472 50
Austin Brothers building bridge over Green River 1193 00
D E Conner, for Francis Cushing's interest on warrants Nos 235 and 236 E to Oct. 1907 30 00
W R Turner, lumber for W. Oak bridge 15 64
J R Smith, keeping poor to date Richard Owens, work on bridge at Z B Nances 1 00
W M Russell, building house for John Cantrell 11 50
W Z Fowler, half fees s t 1908 4 15
C W Wilson, half fees s t 1908 1 70
M C Gussell, half fees s t 1908 1 15
N E Shehan, half fees s t 1908 45
E G Thompson, inquest juror over John Green 1 00
W J Wilson, inquest juror over John Green 1 00
C O Wilson, inquest juror over John Green 1 00
W M Hines, judge of Prohi election 2 00
J W Newman, for jail fees to date F C Jackson, reg. of Prohibition election 13 34
Tryon Bee, advertng notice 4 wks 1 50
J R Smith, keeping the poor to date H G Cannon, for nails for court H Wm Mays, for work on court H. as per bill 29 25
M A Jackson, as registrar of Pro. election 14 06
C E Justice, judge of Prohi. elect. 2 00
D E Conner, services as com to date C A Carson, service as com to date 11 20
A Jackson, for account on file this date 22 25
J A Feagans, reg of P. election T E Pace, listing tax in Saluda 18 00
C M Howes, judge of P. election 2 00
W C Robertson, for an account on file this date 11 00
A L McMurray, for an account filed this date 1 05
J T Waldrop, for half fees s t 1908 5 75
G Taylor, listing tax in Copper Gap 20 00
J M Lewis, listing tax in White Oak 20 00
W H McFarland, listing tax in Tryon 25 00
J P Arledge, half fees s t 1908 4 39
S B Edwards, half fees s t 1908 57 99
C H Wilson, for service on pension board 4 00
W H McFarland for service on pension board 4 00
W C Edwards, service on pension board 4 00
W C Newman, for service on finance committee 30 00
S B Edwards, for Edwards & Broughten stationary, books 60 15
S B Edwards, for ap. account on file this date. 15 97

NOVEMBER

J W Newman jail fees to date 25 45
C C Hampton, boarding jury in Fisher case 56 10
Dock Foster, half fees ft 1907 45
Ed Foster, half fees ft 1907 2 45
P A Hodge, half fees ft 1908 4 35
Mack Rowe, half fees ft 1907 1 85
J M Rowe, half fees s t 1908 2 80
Rubin Wilson, half fees s t 1908 1 80
E M Mitchell, jail fees for Lee Fisher 160 days 60 00
Rubin Wilson, half fees s t 1908 1 25
W C Robertson, for various accounts filed this date 183 82
J R Smith, keeping the poor to date Clarence Jackson, for 3 months support of brother 15 99
W M Russell, for 3 months support of John Cantrell 15 00
L J Fisher, half fees s t 1907 45
J W Newman for an account on file this date 6 00
A L McMurray, for nails to repair court house 76
L W Morgan, part pay on contract for abatements 100 00
Wm Mays, for work on bridge and court house 26 50
J L Gibbs, half fees for H Lynch 1 75
F M Burgess, clerk to B C C to date 79 19
Geo A Gash, material for bridge 93 70
W R Engle, for medical service, as bill of Judge Ferguson 5 00

Bank of Tryon

Capital \$10,000
Surplus and Undivided Profits \$3,000

JOSEPH NORWOOD, Pres
T. T. BALLENGER, Vice-Pres.
E. E. MISSILDINE, Vice-Pres.
J. B. HESTER, Cashier.
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Your Business Is Solicited

The Great German Coach Horse.
FALSTAFF 4229 will make the season of 1908 in Polk and Spartanburg counties. During the season he will have four stands—at Mill Spring, Gowansville Saluda, and at his own stall at Hill & Rion's stable in Tryon.
The service fee has been reduced to \$25, so as to place it within the reach of every man who owns a mare to get a colt from the fine horse.
We believe that we can give you perfect satisfaction, and we solicit your trade!
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W R Engle, for medical service, as bill of Judge Ferguson 5 00
Dr McLaughlin, medical service as bill of Judge Ferguson 5 00
Dr McLaughlin, medical service in O Lynch case 5 00
C A Carson, service as com to date 40 55
J L Jackson, service as com to date 28 90
D E Conner, service as com to date 21 10
D E Conner, for C M Howes as Judge of election 8 00
W E Mills, judge of election 8 00
W M Thompson, as registrar elec 15 63
F M Burgess, as clerk to B C C to date 6 15
\*Fresh prunes, raisins, cakes, candies, apples, oranges, nuts and bananas. A. L. McMurray
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