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JURY LIST.

The following is the list of jurors drawn for the Fall Term of Superior Court:

FIRST WEEK:

N. D. Moore, W. E. Hill, J. C. Griffin, T. E. Cantrell, Avery Halford, G. R. Rankin, M. C. Johnson, Grayson Lovelace, J. H. O. Gilbert, M. F. Wortman, T. M. Cudd, J. E. Miller, A. Jackson, M. D. Shields, J. H. Cockran, T. P. Covington, Sr., L. C. Gibbs, Earl Head, L. E. Hipp, C. M. Feagans, J. E. Horn, D. D. Pace, Eli Bradley, K. C. Gilbert, F. C. Jackson, Elijah Steadman, F. B. Prince, Logan Johnson, J. R. Foster, W. G. McMurray, R. H. Cole, C. R. Williams, J. D. Howser, John B. Arledge, C. D. Gibbs, L. Odel.

SECOND WEEK:

J. H. Gibbs, N. E. Williams, J. B. Panther, Bobo Laurance, J. S. Smith, L. H. Cloud, W. J. Screvens, C. C. West, D. J. Burnett, G. W. Bradley, W. P. Head, M. N. Hall, J. E. Moore, J. H. Ridings, E. W. Green, E. L. Turner, John W. Edwards, T. L. Prince.

Polk County Teachers Organize.

The teachers of Polk County were organized into an association known as the Polk County Teachers Association, Rev. W. A. Newell, president, Miss Pauline Shankle, secretary. Twenty-two teachers enrolled as members. First meeting will be held second Monday in October, meeting place will be announced later.

MILL SPRING NOTES.

Correspondence of The News.

Mrs. W. L. Hampton is in Rutherfordton this week:

Miss Mabel Cherry has returned to Davenport College.

Mr. and Mrs. Butler Jackson of Beaufort, S. C. are visiting relatives here.

Mrs. A. M. Boone is attending a house party of relatives at Mooresboro, N. C.

Miss Alma Sicard and Miss Eva McEnery of New Orleans are registered at the Mite Inn.

Rev. T. J. Moss will baptize new members for Mill Spring Baptist Church this Sunday.

Miss Pauline Shankle has returned home after a pleasant visit in Saluda and Asheville.

Mr. Robt. Thorn and family of St. Petersburg, Fla., were the guests of Mrs. Lewis last week.

Mr. Roy Lewis from Ft. Pierce, Fla., is spending some time with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Lewis.

Mrs. H. H. Edwards' mother, Mrs. Schwenk, has returned to her home in Reading, Pa., after a five months visit.

The young people of Millspring gave Mrs. Lewis a surprise party last Friday evening and everybody had a pleasant time.

Miss Delia Mitchell, who has been with her brother, Mr. J. N. Mitchell, for some time, has returned to her nephew's, Mr. W. C. Hague.

Newspaper Bargain Day.

One of the biggest bids made for business in this state in recent years by a daily newspaper has just been announced by the Evening Times of Raleigh. The subscription price of this paper is \$5.00 per year, but from Oct. 1 to Oct. 10 they are going to accept yearly subscriptions in advance for the sum of \$2.50. The idea is, according to Editor Simms, of the Evening Times, that several thousand new subscriptions can be added to the list in these ten days and collections made on the old accounts with practically no cost, and therefore it is best to give the subscribers the benefit of the quick work. The idea of getting a daily paper on a bargain for \$2.50 per year in this state will be watched with much interest.

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PERSONAL AND GENERAL.

New subscriptions are always acceptable—renewals too.

This guessing business never was a paying job.

Mr. C. H. Williams spent Sunday at Log Cabin Inn.

Mr. A. D. Quinn of Columbus, S. C., is a new subscriber to The News.

Tryon Supply Company have a new offering for farmers in this issue.

Mr. Sam Justice of Hendersonville, was in town Monday on business.

Atty. James E. Shipman went to Saluda Tuesday on professional business.

Miss Bessie Gibbs of Millspring No. 2 is the new operator in Columbus Central.

Mr. Pat Hampton of Atlanta, Ga., is visiting his father, Mr. C. C. Hampton.

Mr. and Mrs. Davis of Jacksonville, Florida, are guests at the Columbus Hotel.

Mr. Grey W. Hampton of Atlanta, Ga., was present at the Hampton reunion Sunday.

Miss Garnette Williams, the popular music teacher of Columbus High School, arrived in town Monday.

Mr. Fred F. Allred, the jeweler of Rutherfordton, is offering a special bargain in our columns this week.

Mrs. Claxon and daughter, Helen, of Spartanburg, S. C., who have been spending several weeks in our salubrious climate, returned to their home last Friday.

Mr. H. E. Conner of Henderson County, candidate on Republican ticket for Senate, and Mr. W. S. Grant, brother of Hon. J. G. Grant, were visitors in Columbus Monday.

Mr. J. K. Hottel of Spartanburg, S. C., was in town again last week. What do you suppose has got into this busy bee's bonnet to keep him buzzing around this town so frequently?

It is reported Miss Lula Searcy of Millspring No. 2, was married to Mr. Jason Vess of Caroleen, N. C., and Miss Mabel Gibbs was married to Mr. John Wilson, both of Mill Spring No. 2, last Sunday.

THE NEWS JOB Printing Department is now prepared to turn out good work at low prices. Let us do your printing. Satisfaction assured.

The Misses Grace and Lenora Hooker, two of Jacksonville, Florida's most charming daughters, are popular guests at Log Cabin Inn. After a stay of two weeks they intend going to New York City and other places of interest in the North for the winter.

Mr. A. L. McMurray's new store was informally opened last Friday night before a large number of townsmen. The Columbus String Trio, composed of violin, banjo and guitar, rendered many beautiful selections, which were well applauded by all present. The entertainment closed with a banjo solo by Mr. H. W. Hill, entitled, "Good-bye, my lover, good-bye."

TRYON NOTES.

Correspondence of The News

Mr. W. J. Gaines was in Asheville Sunday.

Miss Geraldine Gaines visited in Inman last week.

Mrs. Acker spent Saturday and Sunday in Campobello.

Miss Bessie Forde has gone to Forest City to stay two weeks.

Mrs. and Miss Erskine are spending a few days in Asheville.

Miss Olive Hotelle of Spartanburg is spending two weeks with Mrs. Gash.

Miss Brinnie Balue visited relatives and friends in South Carolina last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Hamilton, who have been at the Kennedy Place, left Tuesday for Atlanta, Ga.

Mr. L. R. Gibbs of Miles City, Montana, spent several days of last week with Mr. James Jackson.

Misses Mabel and Ruth McFee are attending the exposition in Knoxville this week and will buy their fall and winter millinery while there.

REBEKAH'S 59th ANNIVERSARY.

Cards of invitation to attend the anniversary exercises commemorating the 59th year of the Daughters of Rebekah were received by many families throughout the country last Friday.

The exercises were held in Mimosa Hall, Lynn, N. C., on Sunday afternoon, a large congregation being present.

An address was delivered by Mrs. Hattie Reed Whitaker, who is President of the Rebekah Assembly of the I. O. O. F. of North Carolina.

COLUMBUS 14, LYNN 4.

Again were the Columbus Champions victorious when they met the Knitters of Lynn last Saturday on the Lynn ball field and trimmed them 14 to 4 in an interesting game replete with all kinds of baseball. As usual, the heavy batting of the Champs was the feature, the curves and bend-ers of the Knitters pitcher being no mystery to the County-seat aggregation. Jim Ormand pitched in his usual fine style and kept the Lynn boys guessing at all times.

The ball season for the Champs will wind up shortly with a game at Green's Creek, which will be announced later.

A GOOD POSITION

Can be had by ambitious young men and ladies in the field of "Wireless" or Railway telegraphy. Since the 8-hour law became effective, and since the Wireless companies are establishing stations throughout the country there is a great shortage of telegraphers. Positions pay beginners from \$70 to \$90 per month, with good chance of advancement. The National Telegraph Institute operates six official institutes in America, under supervision of R. R. and Wireless Officials and places all graduates into positions. It will pay you to write them for full details at Memphis, Tenn., or Columbia, S. C.

A Family Reunion.

Mr. C. C. Hampton's home was the scene of a family reunion Sunday, all his children and grandchildren, excepting John, his eldest son, who is in Texas, being present.