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Mr. Gemmill Hild of Saluda was a business visitor here yesterday.

Mr. Ed Watson of Fingerville route 1 visited friends here Sunday.

Mr. T. T. Ballenger of Tryon was in Columbus Tuesday on business.

Mr. C. C. Hampton of Landrum route 1 attended services here Sunday.

Expert watch and clock repairer—F. F. Allred, jeweler, Rutherfordton.

Messrs. A. T. Hart and Burt Jackson came to town Tuesday on business.

Mr. W. E. Cole of Melvin Hill made a pleasant visit to the News office yesterday.

Land deeds for sale at The News office—also blanks for justices of the peace.

Mr. H. B. Henderson of Tryon was among the business visitors in Columbus Saturday.

Mr. W. E. Hill is visiting his brother, Washington, at Chick Springs, S. C., this week.

Atty. Buford F. Williams left Monday to spend a short vacation with his folks at Baskerville, Va.

Atty. Smith and Shipman of Hendersonville were in Columbus yesterday on legal business.

Stop in at Cannon & Keeter's at Lynn for a refreshing bottle of ice-cold coca-cola—just like they all do!

Quite a number of the "boys" came out Saturday night to assist the young ladies at the singing practice.

"John L. Jackson & Son, groceries and dry goods," reads the new sign painted on their window this week.

Mr. E. E. Harrison, a prominent and progressive farmer of Melvin Hill, was a business visitor in town Tuesday.

Send your children to Columbus High School and let them enjoy the quiet home surroundings while at their studies.

Services were held at the Presbyterian church Sunday afternoon, Rev. R. A. Miller, of Lowell, N. C., conducting.

"Uncle Charley" Page's horse, Pat, will be sold at auction Monday to the highest cash bidder, at the Courthouse in Columbus.

For sale—one pair cattle, well trained, weighing 2000 pounds, 7 years old. Call or address: R. C. Prince, Fingerville, S. C., Route 1.

Do you take the Progressive Farmer? If not, look up our clubbing offer and get acquainted with the best farm paper for North Carolinians.

Mr. B. V. Newman and family of Pearidge spent a few hours with relatives here Tuesday while enroute through the country in wagon to visit relatives in Jackson county.

Mr. J. P. Arledge brought in a cotton stalk having two open bolls Tuesday which he discovered Sunday on his farm in Columbus. This is the first open cotton seen here this season.

Mr. Mills Hoke of Greenville, S. C., and Sheriff A. L. Hill of Tryon were in town last Thursday on business. Mr. Hoke is charmed with our beautiful mountain country and has decided to open a real estate office at Tryon.

Sheriff A. L. Hill and Deputies R. F. McFarland and A. A. Edwards captured a still in Greens Creek township Saturday. The still was a copper one and of 70 gallon capacity. About two thousand gallons of beer, of a very soapy quality, was destroyed.

Rev. J. H. Mitchell, pastor of the Baptist church of Landrum will preach in Columbus Baptist church on Sunday, the 13th, at 11 a.m. and 8.30 p.m. He will also preach Monday morning and evening following and the meeting will continue the entire week.

HAPPY MARRIAGE AT LYNN.

The very pleasant news went the rounds yesterday that Miss Anna Belle Cannon, the beautiful daughter of Postmaster W. A. Cannon, and Lynn's most popular young lady was joined in the bonds of matrimony to Mr. Geo. Bradley, a rising young plumber of Hendersonville. They were married at the bride's home by the Rev. Mr. Areson of Tryon, before a small number of friends and relatives of both contracting parties. The happy young couple left immediately after the ceremony, amid a shower of good wishes from their friends, for the groom's home at Rutherfordton to spend a week or ten days, after which they will go to Hendersonville, where they will make their home.

The News joins the friends of the popular couple in extending best wishes for all that Life holds in store for them as they journey its stream.

GREEN'S CREEK NOTES.

Correspondence of The News.

"All signs fail in dry weather" seems to be true in this spell we are now having. Corn and cotton are looking especially fine and doubtless could stand a couple of weeks more of just such weather.

Mrs. Elias Cantrell and daughter, Miss Lillian, went to Spartanburg Saturday.

Mr. Melvin Swain and family of Spartanburg were here last week-end.

Mr. J. W. Walker of Spartanburg visited his parents here last week.

Mr. R. N. Johnson and daughter, Mrs. T. E. Walker, are visiting friends and relatives near Tryon and Lynn this week.

Miss Gertrude Feagan is spending a week with her uncle at Spartanburg.

The revival meeting begins here the third Sunday in this month with Rev. T. H. Posey as helper.

Money saved is money earned—buy your groceries at T. G. Randolph's, Melvin Hill, and acquire the saving habit.

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