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County Officers.

Representative—G. P. Deyton.
Superior Court Clerk—Louis English.
Sheriff—W. A. Hall.
Register of Deeds—Ben Franklin.
Treasurer—Jefferson Bennett.
Surveyor—J. R. Young.
Coroner—Dr. C. H. Morgan.
County Physician—J. B. Gibbs.
Board of County Commissioners—W. M. Simmons, C. P. Deyton, T. C. McCourry.

Neighborhood News.

Sidetrack booze before booze sidetracks you.

The Easter bonnet has made its appearance. O, Lordy.

Shelby Horton returned from Bakersville Tuesday.

Mrs. J. L. Ray is confined to her home with sickness.

J. M. Lyon was a business visitor to Johnson City, Thursday.

Mrs. E. C. Banks remains quite sick at her home west of town.

Mr. Jason L. Hyatt remains very sick at his home near Windom.

To-day is Good Friday---the day to plant your beans and other truck.

Attorney G. D. Bailey, of Toledo, was transacting business here Tuesday.

"Happy Bill" was here Tuesday showing his smiling face to our merchants.

Mr. R. V. Angel, who with his family spent the winter at Siloam, N. C., has returned to Burnsville.

Mrs. P. V. McElroy spent the first of the week with her daughter, Mrs. Fred Proffitt, at Pensacola.

Messrs. D. C. Bailey, Oliver Peterson and Sam Peterson were here from Green Mountain Tuesday.

The Yancey county roads are now in a fair condition, and "the little old Ford, it can ramble right along."

Rev. S. T. Hensley is here from Marshall attending the closing exercises of Yancey Collegiate Institute.

The little son of Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Garland, of Anatone, who has been sick for several days, is reported better.

Mr. J. W. Horton, who has been confined to his home with sickness for the past two weeks is able to be out again.

Attorney J. Bis Ray, President of the Black Mountain Railroad, was called to New York this week on business.

J. C. Gillentine and Charlie Gibbs made a business trip to Spartanburg, S. C., last week in their Ford.

Mrs. W. C. McNew left Wednesday for Greeneville, Tenn., to spend a few days before going to Oil City, Pa., to join her husband.

Messrs. J. S. Ray, S. J. Fox, S. F. Thomas, W. F. Dodson and H. R. Sams have kindly remembered the Eagle since our last issue, in a financial way.

Mrs. W. T. Angline and children have returned from Cane River where they spent a couple of weeks with Mr. and Mrs. T. O. Wilson.

Mrs. Mollie Neilson, who has spent the past month in Burnsville with relatives, returned to her home at Greeneville, Tenn., Wednesday.

Special Easter services will be held by the Presbyterian Sunday school next Sunday morning. Also an Easter sermon at 11 o'clock service. All are invited.

It must not be stylish to bow your head when the preacher's praying, is it? Or have some of these Burnsville folks got cricks in their necks?

Prof. and Mrs. G. C. Brown and little daughter, Marie, are here on a visit with Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Horton and to attend the closing exercises at the Yancey Collegiate Institute.

Ex-Sheriff J. S. Huskins, who has been confined to his home with sickness for the past eight months, is able to be out again to the delight of his many friends.

Mrs. C. W. Harper will leave next week for Peoria, Ill., where she will spend awhile with her parents. She will be accompanied as far as Johnson City by Mr. Harper.

Hunt up all the tin cans and refuse from your back yards, vacant lots and open spaces, and gather in a pile where it can be quickly handled when the wagon comes along.

The annual sermon in connection with the closing exercises of Yancey Collegiate Institute was delivered at the Baptist church Wednesday night by Rev. D. W. White. It was a splendid sermon and was listened to by a large congregation.

The closing exercises of the Yancey Collegiate Institute are taking place this week. The annual address will be delivered today (Friday) by Judge J. C. Pritchard. A large number of visitors are here to attend the closing exercises.

By referring to another part of this paper you will find a program of the closing exercises of the Stanley McCormick school which begins with an entertainment Saturday night, following by the annual sermon Sunday night, the exercises will continuing through Monday and Tuesday

Announcements are appearing changing the term of the Teachers' Training Course at Stanley McCormick School, as announced last week, from May 3-31. Announcement with full particulars will be mailed upon request to Prin. T. U. Chesebrough, Burnsville, N. C.

Hundreds of our citizens all over Mitchell county will be shocked to learn of the death of Ma. L. A. Berry, which occurred at his home near Spruce Pine, Wednesday. He was a public spirited, progressive citizen, and we regret exceedingly to hear of his death.---Mitchell County Banner.

We had the pleasure this week of meeting Attorney R. W. Wilson of Burnsville, one of the rising deciples of Blackstoe. He is indeed a pleasant, agreeable and exceptionally [illegible] young lawyer and we opine [illegible] at no distant day he will make his mark in the profession which he has chosen.--Mitchell County Banner.

Mr. G. B. Woody, who some months ago met with quite a serious accident at the mill of the Carolina Spuce Co., at Pensacola, sustaining a broken leg which laid him up for several months, met with another accident Tuesday morning and got his arm broke in the machinery. He is getting along as well as could be expected, considering the seriousness of his wound.

Every once in a while some one intimates that we ough, to "rip someone up the back." Say they deserve it and they don't see why we don't do it. Friends, we are not in the roasting buisness. Apply at a crematory. If you have it in for some one, go to him and fight it out like a man. Don't try to mix the printer up in your grievances. He has troubles of his own. None of us poor mortals here below is perfect, not by a long shot, and other people may think that you yourself deserves special attention.

Mrs. T. U. Chesebrough, who returned on Monday from a week's trip to Montgomery and Birmingham, Ala., attended the annual meeting of the Southern Association of College Women at Montgomery. At a special dinner given to President Burton, of Smith College, Mrs. Chesebrough presided as toast mistress, and was elected President of the Southern Smith College Club.

The commencement speaker at Stanley McCormick School this year is Miss Mary O. Graham, of Charlotte. Miss Graham is the sister of President Graham of the University of North Carolina and is Assistant Superintendent of schools for Mecklenburg county. She was for some years a member of the faculty of the State Normal College at Greensboro; and last year was President of the State Teachers' Association. Miss Graham is actively in touch with educational need and conditions throughout the state; and in her visit to Burnsville she will bring both to the community and to the county teachers a message of inspiration and outlook. Miss Graham's address will be given next Wednesday morning at 10:30. Immediate v following the morning exercises, a reception will be given to the county teachers in order that they may meet Miss Graham. At this time Miss Graham will give a special talk to the county teachers.

WANTED QUICK---A capable man to handle our business in Yancey county. Splendid proposition to the right man.
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When the Creator had made all the good things, there was still some dirty work to do. So He made the beasts and reptiles and poisonous insects, and when He had finished, He had some scraps that were too bad to put into the rattlesnake, the hyena, scorpion and the skunk, so He put all these together, covered it with suspicion, wrapped it with jealousy marked it with a yellow streak, and called it---a knocker.

Yancey Man Among the Missing.

Owen Wilson, a citizen of Bald Mountain, has mysteriously disappeared, and, according to his wife, has not yet been heard from for the past two months. Mr. Wilson married a Miss Ledford of Bald Mountain some few years ago and had resided at that place ever since, until this winter, when he went to Pensacola to work, from which he disappeared and has not been heard from since.

Any information as to his whereabouts will be greatfully appreciated by his wife, Mrs. Cora Wilson, at Bald Mountain, N. C.

Church Notice.

Those who so kindly subscribed to our church building fund will please take notice that the second installment under the terms of the subscription, is now due.

Those desiring to make payment in work or hauling will please report. Work is now going on.

Those paying cash will please hand or send it in at once. Heavy drafts for material will be coming in at once, and we shall need the money. All favors will be duly appreciated.

Respectfully,
M. T. SMATHERS, Pastor.

To the Democrats of North Carolina.

I am a candidate for the Democratic nomination for Secretary of State, and respectfully ask your support. There are two other candidates for this office. Both are splendid men and good Democrats. One of them has held the office of Secretary of State for the past sixteen years. The other has been Clerk of the Court in his county for at least twenty years. I have never held a public office, but have been a Democrat all my life. My friends say I am competent to fill the office of Secretary of State creditably. If the party sees fit to honor me I will endeavor to the best of my ability to justify the expectation of my friends.

Assuring you of my appreciation of your support, I am,

Sincerely,
HAYWOOD CLARK
Advt.

April and Poll Tax.

This is a year of elections all around. In North Carolina the people are going to have an extra turn at it, for we are to have this year for the first time the legalized Stat-wide primary, the voters in all parties being granted the right by law to name the men whom they would have for party candidates.

But there is this prerequiste to voting in North Carolina: Your poll tax must have been paid on or before the first day of May. If it ie not paid before the first of May passes then there will be no voting for you in the primaries or in the general election this year. And the fault will lay at the door of the individual voter who by his inattention disfranchises himself.

This is an imporiant year for the country. Throughout the land there are county officers to be nominated and elected. In the various States there are Governor and other State officials to be elected. In the nation we are to elect a President. The entire body of the House of Representatives is to be elected, and a large number of United States Senators

Because of these things each voter should qualify himself so as to be able to cast his ballot in the elections as they come. The law of the State requires that the poll tax be paid before the right to cast a ballot is acquired. The time limit is the first of May. And now we are in the month of April. Now is the time to get busy about poll tax payment.---Raleigh News & Observer.

NOTICE.

All persons will take notice that application will be made to His Excellency, Governor Locke Craig, for the Pardon of Charlie Murphy, who was convicted of Second Degree Murder at the March Term of the Superior Court, held for the county of Yancey, 1912. All parties so desiring, will forward their protests at once to the Governor.

This the 3rd. day of April, 1916.

TOM MURPHY
A protest.

NOTICE OF SALE OF VALUABLE PROPERTY

Consisting of Water Power, Partially Constructed Dam, Hydo-Electric Plant, Machinery and Appliances For its Completion, Etc.

North Carolina, Yancey County } In Superior Court.

In the matter of Yancey Light and Power Company; R. W. Wilson Receiver of Yancey Light and Power Company.

NOTICE: To whom it may concern:

By virtue of the authority under an order of appointment as receiver and a further order of sale in the above entitled cause signed by the Superior Court of Yancey county, by His Honor, M. H. Justice, the undersigned will sell at the Court House Door in Burnsville, North Carolina, at 1 o'clock p. m. on the First Monday in May, same being the first day of May, 1916, to the highest bidder for cash all the following described real and personal property, said property to be sold jointly or severly as may prove best.

DESCRIPTION.
REAL PROPERTY.

FIRST TRACT: Adjoining lands of L. G. Dellinger, R. S. Roland, and others near the mouth of Pine Swamp branch, described as follows: BEGINNING on a black walnut near the "Old Mill Dam" place on the upper side of the road and runs North 86 East 20 poles to a white oak; thence South 80 East 17 poles to a small black oak; thence South 36 East 25 poles to a black walnut on the North bank of Cane River; thence same course 4 poles to a stake in the middle of said river; thence with the meanders of the middle of said river North 71 West 18 poles to a stake in the middle of said river; thence South 30 West 4 poles to a beach at the mouth of Carroll branch on the South side of the river; thence up said branch with its meanders South 30 West 17 poles to a Lynn on the South side of said branch; thence with marked line North 57 West 14 poles to a hickory post; thence with a blackjack; thence North 55 East 10 poles to a stake in the middle of said river, 5 poles below the old mill dam; then down with the middle of said river North 53 West 17 poles, North 45 East 4 poles to a stake at the mouth of Pine Swamp branch on the North side of the road leading up the river; thence with said road North East 22 poles to the beginning, containing 12 acres, be the same more or less.

This deed registered in Book 50, page 175.

SECOND TRACT: Adjoining the lands of April McGlotman, et als. Bounded as follows: In three tracts, situated on the waters of Cane River, just above the lands owned by Yancey Light and Power Company (land described in first tract deeded to said Company by E. E. Watson and L. E. Briggs, and including all lands belonging to the parties of the first part which are imounded by the dam built on the old Dellinger mill site now or hereafter and a strip of land around the border of said imponded lands 15 feet wide with all timber rights on and 15 feet reserved to parties of the first part, the boundary of the reservoir to be determined by the engineer) also building for the water line of its dam also a right of way for a flood leading from the dam of said company to the Pine Swamp road a strip of land 20 feet wide as surveyed and now located by the engineer of said company also a right of way for transmission line leading from the Power House of said Company to the town of Burnsville with the necessary right of ingress and egress for constructing and operating said line, with the right to cut and remove the timber 25 feet. The parties of the first part reserve the right of ingress and egress by both land and water over the premises herein described for the purpose of removing timber or other produce.

This deed registered in Book 48, page 492.

THIRD TRACT: Consisting of four tracts.

(1) Adjoining the lands of L. G. Dellinger, A. L. McGlotham et als: Beginning on a water birch on South bank of the river and runs East on with the river 32 poles to a stake in an ironwood bush; thence a direct course a southerly direction about 7 poles to a Lynn; thence with the [illegible] height of a ridge 75 poles to the top of Caloway Mountain and Chas. Byrd's corner; thence with Byrd's line, west [illegible] about 25 poles to Byrd's and [illegible]'s corner; thence North with L. G. Dellinger's line about 68 poles to the beginning, containing about 15 acres, be the same more or less.

(2) Beginning on a water birch on South bank of Cane River, running southerly 7 poles to an ash in a North and South line; thence with the Old South line 65 poles to a stake, west 28 poles to a stake; thence North 65 poles to an apple tree; thence northerly 7 poles to a white walnut on top of a bank; thence North 3 poles to the river, East 25 poles to the beginning, containing 12 acres, more or less.

(3) Beginning on a chestnut, corner of W. M. Rathbone and N. S. Dellinger, and runs South to Chas. Byrd's line to N. S. Dellinger's corner; thence North to N. S. Dellinger's corner; thence with N. S. Dellinger's line to the beginning, containing one acre more or less.

(4) Beginning on a black walnut near the bank of Cane River, and runs North 162 east 45 poles to a white oak on a ridge; thence North with the height of the ridge to a spotted oak, L. H. Dellinger's corner; thence with L. H. Dellinger's line a southerly course to a black oak; thence a southerly course about 45 to a stake in a gap; thence with W. M. Rathbone's line to a stake on top of the bank; thence with W. M. Rathbone's line to a small sycamore, his and J. G. Dellinger's line, to the river; thence down and with the river to the beginning, containing 16 acres, more or less.

This deed registered in Book 12, page 57.

PERSONAL PROPERTY.

1 self-mixing concrete mixer, 1 pump, 1 car load reinforcing steel, 407 bags cement, about 2500 feet of lumber, constructed into forms, 23 shovels, 2 post-hole diggers, 5 picks, 3 mattocks, 3 wheel barrows, 3 crow bars, 2 stone hammers, 10 pieces of steel, 23 pieces of steel, 3 rolls of paper, 9 boxes of dynamite, 12 boxes of fuse, 1 firing battery, 1 roll of wire, 1 roll of gauge wire, 15 pick handles, 1 concrete car, about 20 yards of screened sand, about 20 yards of gravel, 1 county buggy, 1 letter file.

The foregoing described real and personal property consists of all real estate water power, water rights, machinery, tools, and material belonging to said Yancey Light and Power Company.

This the 1st. day of April 1916.

R. W. WILSON,
Receiver Yancey Light & Power Co.

COMMENCEMENT PROGRAM

STANLEY McCORMICK SCHOOL

APRIL 22--26, 1916.

SATURDAY, 7:30 P. M.---Play.....Beowulf.....by High School Students.

SUNDAY, 7:30 P. M.---Closing Sermon by Rev. Clair S. Adams.

MONDAY, 3:00 P. M.---Play.....Alice in Wonderland.....by Primary and Intermediate Grades.

MONDAY, 7:30 P. M.---Exhibition of Work of Domestic Science and Industrial Art Departments.

TUESDAY, 10:00 A. M.---Field Day with Awarding of Prizes to Winners of Athletic Contests.

TUESDAY, 7:30 P. M.---Recital by Music Department.

WEDNESDAY, 10:30 A. M.---Address by Miss Mary O. Graham.

WEDNESDAY, 12:00--2:00 P. M.---Reception to County Teachers to meet Miss Graham.

WEDNESDAY, 2:00 P. M.---Base Ball Game by Boys and Basket Ball Game by Girls.

Teacher Training Course May 3--31.

Good Health Doubles the Value of Your Services

A half sick man is not worth half pay. A man or woman in poor health makes a poor leader, a poor sort of a parent.

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Sit down and think it over. See whether you can afford to go on half sick.

Some people prefer Peruna Tablets to the fluid Peruna.

Board of Health

The Board of Health of Yancey county met at the court house in Burnsville on the 4th day of April 1916 in regular communication with the following members present, towit: C. P. Deyton, Chairman; Louis English, Sec'y.; Dr. J. B. Gibbs, County Physician. Members present, W. O. Griffith and W. A. Peek, M. D.

The body was then called to order by the Chairman for the dispatch of such buisness as usually comes before the board.

Motion carried that C. P. Deyton, J. B. Gibbs and Louis English be appointed as a committee on sanitation, whose duty it shall be to make and keep all public buildings in the town of Burnsville in a sanitary condition, adopt such resolutions as they may deem necessary for the maintenance of the health of the town of Burnsville.

The county sanitary board passed the following regulations for the maintenance of the health of the public.

1st. No stock shall be fed, grazed or allowed to run at large on the streets and square from April 15th to November 1st. 1916.

2nd. That every family living within one half mile of the court house shall be required to either screen their privey and render it fly-proof or have it cleaned every ten days.

3rd. That no person living within one half mile of the court house shall be allowed to keep a hog closer than 200 feet to any street, church, school house or other public buildings.

4th. That the merchants and residence of the town, shall clean up and burn all the litter on their premises and the shall provide a garbage box and keep all tin cans bottles and like garbage in this box, that it shall be kept in a dry place and the contents hauled out and disposed of.

5th. No animal shall be killed within one mile of the court house unless the waste be buried or burned immediately and that no land owner shall allow the carcas of any dead dog, cat and other animals to remain on his premises and decay, but shall remove, bury or burn immediately.

6th. That Ernest Mason and Luther Mason are hereby appointed to enforce the stock, inspect the closets and report to the County Board of Health such violations of the regulations as comes to their notice.

7th. Any person or persons violoating any of the above regulations will be fined $2.00.

No further business the meeting adjourned.

C. P. DEYTON, Chm.
LOUIS ENGLISH, Secy.

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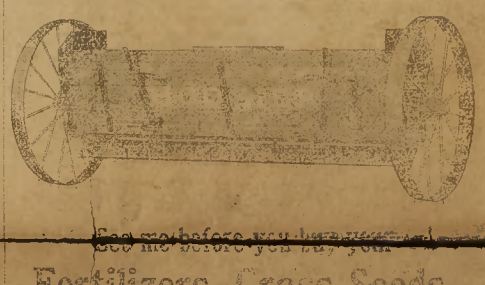

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C. R. WILSON.

FOR SHERIFF.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for Sheriff of Yancey county, at the approaching November election, subject to the will of the Democratic party in convention or primary election.

March 20, 1916.

A. E. PIERCY.

FOR SHERIFF.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for Sheriff of Yancey county, at the approaching November election, subject to the will of the Democratic party in convention or primary election.

March 29, 1916.

JAMES A. PETERSON.

J. H. HUTCHINS, Dentist,

BURNSVILLE, N. C.

Office at the Mrs. Carter residence, on the Square.

Will be in Burnsville every Friday and Saturday.

All work guaranteed.

Dog taig id! These spring golds stob ub a fellw's head so he sibbiy can'd breathe through his dose. He has to carry a angelfief id every pocket, a'd he ouglblow a' audobobile hord. There's a flowing artesiad well id his head, a'd id's doing busidess every secod of the day. Dog taig id! A-ga-ga-ga---CHOO! Dabit all, shud that door! Albany Herald.

An old negro arose in prayer meeting and said: I been a mighty mean nigger in my time. I had a heap of ups and downs, specially downs, since I j'ined de church. I stole chickens and watermelons. I cussed. I got drunk. I shot craps. I slashed oddey coons wid my razor, and I done 'er sight er odder things. But. I tank de good Lawd, brodder and sistern, I never yet lost my religion."

Roots, Herbs, Barks &c. Wanted.

"We are in the market for large quantities of:--
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Seed Corn.

I am offering for sale some choice seed corn, either Collambian Beauty or Boone County Special, at $1.50 per bushel.

This corn won the Blue Ribbon at the Toe River Fair Association last year. It is worth more than is asked for it, and it will pay you to plant it.

H. M. RADFORD,
Cane River, N. C.

Notice.

North Carolina, } In Superior Court
Yancey County. }

Mollie Ayers,
-vs-
T. W. Ayers.

The defendant above named will take notice that an action entitled as above has been commenced in the Superior Court of Yancey to obtain divorce absolute; and the said defendant will further take notice that he is required to appear at the term of Superior Court of said County to be held on the second Monday in August, 1916, at the court house and county in Burnsville, N. C., and answer or demur to the complaint in said action or the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded in said complaint.

This the [illegible] day of April 1916.

LOUIS ENGLISH
Clerk of the Superior Court.