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LOCAL NEWS.

—Lenoir court this week.

—These cool nights smack much of frost.

—Oh, this lovely, bracing, crisp weather, since the rain ceased.

—Hear the next Governor of North Carolina speak in Boone tomorrow.

—Democratic primaries next Saturday; the county convention on Monday next.

—Dr. Jones is having his handsome new residence neatly painted.

—Glad to see J. D. Council on the streets again after his serious illness.

—Attorney T. B. Finley and family, of North Wilkesboro, spent Sunday night at the Critcher Hotel.

—Miss Atkins, of the Training School faculty, and Miss Dana, from Newton, who comes to enter school, arrived Tuesday.

—Mrs. D. D. Dougherty has been very unwell for some days but we are glad to know that she is now some better.

—Men's work shirts, slips, and socks, towels, covered buckers, ladies' hose, toilet soaps, boys' overalls, etc., just in at Green's.

—Watauga Superior Court will convene in Boone on Monday the 14th, with Judge Murphy presiding.

—Sorry to hear of the very serious illness of our highly respected old friend, Mr. John Elrod, of Horton, but hope that he may yet be restored to health.

—Prof. B. B. Dougherty returned Tuesday from Morehead City, where he attended a State meeting of the county superintendents of public schools.

—Messrs. Gill Grayson and Gus Donnelly, two of the most genial and companionable salesmen on the road, were stoppers at the Blackburn House Tuesday night.

—Rev. J. F. Davis, assisted by Rev. A. T. Pardew, of Wilkes, began a meeting at Three Forks church Tuesday night that will continue for a number of days.

—Remember the appointment of the Hon. R. N. Hackett. He will address the people during the noon recess on Monday of court.

—Miss Annie, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Shearer, of Lenoir, has been visiting relatives near town for the past several days.

—Mrs. Elma Rowland and children, of Charlotte, after spending three weeks at the home of Mr. James Winkler, left on their return Monday.

—Rev. Arthur Sherwood, wife and babe have been guests at the home of Prof. Dougherty for the past few days. Mr. Sherwood preached a most excellent sermon in the Baptist church last Sunday.

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—The Trustees of the A. T. S. have purchased the L. B. McNeil residence and lots adjoining the campus, which will be a very great addition to the school property.

—The Confederate Reunion at Walnut Grove on the 10th and 11th inst., is looked forward to with much pleasure by the old Confederates and the people at large throughout the county.

—Rev. J. H. Brendall has the dirt all moved and the ground nicely prepared for the new parsonage, or rather a splendid addition to the old one. The carpenters are now at work and the building will be pushed to completion as rapidly as possible.

—Brother Mason, you are invited and expected to be present at the regular communication in Boone tomorrow night. The district deputy grand master will be present; there will be work in the second degree, and business of interest transacted. Come.

—Dr. Nat. T. Dulaney, of Bristol, Tenn., eye, ear, nose and throat specialist, places a professional card with us. He is a man of wide reputation, skilled in his profession, and it will be well for our people to look him up when in need of services in his line.

—Dr. George Gouger, Mr. Bob Wallace and others, of Cabarras county, were in town Tuesday. They are out on a mountain vacation, and report an enjoyable trip, regardless of the fact that it rained; on them twelve days out of the fourteen they had been on the road.

—The new furniture for the Watauga County Bank has been delivered and will be put in place today. The adding machine has not yet been ordered, but Cashier Hagaman, we are told, has not, by any means, abandoned the idea of procuring one of the \$3.00 variety.

—The venerable Joel Moody, one of the oldest men in Watauga, died at the home of his son-in-law Jonas Townsend on Clarks Creek last week and was buried Thursday. We do not know his exact age, but he was well up in 90. A good old citizen gone to his reward.

—The Sixth Annual Session of the Appalachian Training School opened with appropriate services in the main building yesterday morning. The entire faculty and a goodly number of pupils were present. The term promises to be one of the best in the existence of the school.

—The Democratic County Convention, the meeting of the board of county commissioners, etc., in Boone next Monday, will doubtless bring together a large concourse of people. If you have a little settlement to make with us, drop in, please, if not, call any way.

—Important notice! All persons wanting nice and up-to-date photograph work done cheap call on me at Walnut Grove at Soldiers' Reunion on Sept. 10th and 11th. Can fit you with any common sizes and priced work. Penny work a specialty. Satisfaction guaranteed. A. J. Campbell, Artist.

—Miss Sallie Sienknecht, who has labored so long and efficiently as music teacher here, has resigned her position for the purpose of taking a rest, and a Miss Michael, of northern birth and training, has been elected in her stead. She taught at Skyland last year, and we are told that she is a most excellent instructor.

AUCTION SALE.

I will offer for sale on Friday, the 25th inst., at Shulls Mills, N. C., my personal property, consisting of household and kitchen furniture, beds, bed clothing, bureau, wash stands, book cases, and also one splendid Kimball organ nearly new. I also have a number of yearlings and calves that will be sold. Terms of Sale: All amounts under \$10 cash in hand; all over on 6 months time with note and security.

J. A. WALTERS.

—Attorney Allen A. Holselaw, of Mountain City, Tenn., after a tour of the north-west, covering a period of ten weeks; has returned and taken up his practice with a vim. His brother, Will W. who was with him on the trip, hasn't yet returned, but is expected at home some time this month. Hope the gentlemen have had a pleasant trip and will now be satisfied to remain at their old homes in the best country on the face of God's green earth.

—A letter from Bristol announces the arrival of a bouncing baby boy at the home of friend T. H. Hine. Tom was still alive and getting a little quiet when the letter was written. His salary was advanced to \$75 per month on Sept. 1, which will doubtless be a comfort to him when he becomes reconciled enough to quit singing constantly nursery lullabies. Foolishness aside Tom is to be congratulated upon his good fortune both as to the boy and his advance in salary.

The Biblical Recorder says that Miss Valeria Green, daughter of Rev. Geo. W. Green, Baptist missionary to Canton, China; has returned to this country and will enter Oxford Seminary this month. The young lady is a sister to Miss Pansy Green, who has spent a part of the summer in Boone. Her father is a native of Watauga and has many relatives and friends here. Miss Pansy left on Friday last to visit her sister in Oxford before resuming her duties in the Lenoir Graded school.

NOTICE.

By virtue of a power of sale contained in a mortgage deed executed on the 22nd day of Aug., 1904, by Joe E. Jester and wife, Minnie Jester to John L. Springs to secure certain notes to the amount of \$325.00, we will, on Oct. 5, 1908, at the court house door in Boone, N. C., sell to the highest bidder for cash the following described tract of land in the county of Watauga, State of N. C. and in Watauga township. Beginning on a sugar tree in E. M. Gragg's line at the bank of a branch; thence S 50° E to Watauga river and G. H. Berry's line; thence up and with the meanders of said river to the old B. B. Church line, thence a west course to the public road; thence with the E. M. Gragg line and the public road to the beginning, containing 40 acres more or less. 2nd tract: Beginning on a spruce pine, E. M. Gragg's corner, and runs with said Gragg's line to a locust on the bank of the public road; thence with said road to a laurel bush in said Gragg's line; thence to the beginning, containing 3 acres more or less, to satisfy the balance due on said notes. This Sep. 3, 1908.

J. L. Springs, Mortgagee.
Banner Bros. Assignees.
L. D. Eowe, Attorney.

NOTICE.

By virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage executed to the undersigned by Geo. M. McGuire and wife, Jessie P. McGuire, on the 23rd day of March, 1907, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Watauga county in Book "L" page 495, to secure the payment of certain bonds or notes aggregating \$700., upon which is credited the sum of \$200., and default having been made in the payment of said notes at maturity, and by virtue of a clause in said mortgage authorizing said sale, I will sell at public auction at the court house door in the town of Boone, in Watauga Co., N. C., at the hour of 12, m., on Oct. 5, 1908, for cash in hand the following described tract of land situated in Coye Creek township in said county, near Silverstone. 1st tract beginning on a stake, E. J. Smith's S. W. corner, at the public road, then W. 20 P. with the public road to an apple tree, then N. 51 P. to a chestnut in M. M. McGuire's line, then east with said line 25 poles to an oak stump, then S. some degrees west 51 poles to a stake in E. J. Smith's line, then with said line to the beginning, containing 7 acres more or less. 2nd tract, adjoining the above, beginning on a stake 4 feet above an apple tree on the side of the road, and runs W. 13 P. to a stake in the Geo. Hayes line, then N. with said line, 49 poles to a lynn at the point of a ridge then E. 23 poles with said Hayes line to a chestnut tree, then S. 49 poles to the beginning, containing 5 1/2 acres more or less. This Aug. 31, 1908.

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NOTICE.
North Carolina, Watauga County. In the Superior Court, J. J. Cook, J. S. Bingham in behalf of themselves and other creditors, vs. Charles Profit and Thomas Profit. The above-named defendant, Charles Profit will take notice that an action entitled as above has been commenced in the Superior Court of Watauga county, state of North Carolina; that the purpose of said action is to have the said Thomas Profit declared a trustee for Charles Profit for his interest in a tract of land, situated in the said county of Watauga, state of North Carolina, and for other relief as the plaintiffs may be entitled in said action. And the defendant will further take notice that he is required to appear at the next term of Watauga Superior Court to be held on the first Monday after the first day in September, 1908, at the court house in Boone, N. C., and answer or demur to the complaint of the plaintiffs, or the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded in the complaint. This Aug. 12, 1908.

THOS. BINGHAM, C. S. C.

L. D. LOWE, Attorney for Plaintiff.

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