

HIGHLAND RECORDER LOCAL NEWS.

Mr. Otho Gum, of Meadow Dale, is in town today. Mr. Bob Hildebrande, of Crab-bottom, was in town Wednesday. Dr. H. H. Jones, of Doe Hill, was in town a couple days this week. Mr. Letch McLaughlin, of Jackson's river, was in town this morning. Mr. Sam. Ruckman, of Crab-bottom, spent a short time in town Wednesday. Miss Lillie Mauzy and little sister, of Crabbottom, visited friends in Monterey Tuesday. Miss Rispie Dady, of Staunton, is visiting her friend, Miss Maude Trimble, of this place. O. Wilson, Esq., and Rev. C. W. Trawick are enjoying a quiet rest at Bolar Springs this week. The Randolph Enterprise estimates the damage by recent floods in Randolph county to be \$500,000. Misses Ida Quidore and Annie Rexrode, of McDowell, are visiting Mrs. W. P. Campbell, of this place. Mr. Henry Mullenax, keeper of the parish farm in Crabbottom, attended the meeting of the Board on last Monday. Mr. Ashby Hammer, of McDowell neighborhood, was in town Monday on business connected with the county roads. Rev. C. W. Trawick will preach next Sunday at Monterey in the morning at 11 o'clock, and at Pisgah in the afternoon at 2-30. Mrs. A. H. Shuey, of Waynesboro, passed through town yesterday on her way home from a visit to friends in Pocahontas county. A partial eclipse of the moon will occur on the 22d and 23d of this month, and will be visible in all parts of the United States. Mrs. G. W. Hevener and little son Edwin, of Swopes, Augusta county, are visiting Mrs. Hevener's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Trimble. The thermometer registered 104 in the shade at Franklin, W. Va., last Sunday. The 94 mark was the highest reached here on that day. The organ-grinder was on our streets at an early hour yesterday morning, and in the absence of the monkey he ground and monkeyed both. Prof. Jno. F. Siple, wife and children, who have been visiting Mr. Geo. D. Siple, of Doe Hill, have returned to their home at Cincinnati, O. Mrs. Ella Mesley, of Chicago, Mrs. Ella Rodeffer and Miss Fannie Smoot, of Woodstock, Va., are guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Hevener, at Hightown. The sound-money democrats will hold their convention at Indianapolis, September 2d, and the name of the organization will be the National Democratic Party. T. R. N. Speck, of Staunton, and Mr. Bashears, of Maryland, near Baltimore, were in the county several days this week in the interest of Altman Taylor machinery. 'CREAM! CREAM! CREAM!'—Mrs. O. Wilson will serve ice cream at her residence on Wednesday and Saturday of each week from 7 to 10 o'clock p. m. Public cordially invited. The total number of deaths caused by heat in New York city on Tuesday was thirty-five. On the same day in Chicago there were twenty-two deaths and many prostrations. Mr. Don Sullenberger, one of our energetic town boys left Wednesday for Staunton, where he has accepted a position as street car conductor. His many friends here wish him great success. A call has been issued for a Sound-Money convention in Virginia, at Richmond, August 27, to elect delegates to the National Sound-Money Convention, which will meet at Indianapolis, Sep. 2.

APPOINTMENTS FOR SUNDAY.—Preaching on Sunday, at Straight Creek, at 11 a. m.; at Vanderpool at 3:30 p. m., and at Monterey, at 8 p. m. Rev. A. Q. Flaherty will preach at Hightown at 4 p. m. W. H. Woolf.

Nervous debility is a common complaint, especially among women. The best medical treatment for this disorder is a persistent course of Ayer's Sarsaparilla to cleanse and invigorate the blood. This being accomplished, nature will do the rest. Messrs. W. H. Hiner and Wellington Bird, of Mill Gap, have purchased and will operate this season in that section, an Altman Taylor threshing machine which came to them this week fresh from the factory. These threshers are highly spoken of, and in the hands of these gentlemen good work will be done. Mrs. Elizabeth Garber, of Marble Valley, Augusta county, arrived here last Sunday evening in response to a summons sent her of the critical illness of her daughter, Mrs. H. J. Crummett. We are glad to state that while Mrs. Crummett is not yet out of danger, she is improving slowly and her friends and physicians are hopeful of her recovery.

Send your orders for fertilizer to V. B. Bishop. Mr. Zack Gum, of Back Creek, made a short trip to town Monday. Mr. Amos Hiner, of Dry Branch, was in town Monday trading at the stores. Mr. N. B. Arbogast, of near Travellers' Rest, was in town this week. Mr. John W. Simmons and wife, of lower Straight Creek, were in town yesterday. Mrs. H. C. Fleisher, of Straight Creek, visited relatives in Monterey last Sunday. Mr. John Marshall, of Franklin, visited his daughter, Mrs. Wm. Wilson, the first of the week. Mrs. G. J. Hiner and her little daughter, Elsie, returned recently from visiting friends at Dayton. Rev. John C. Jones, of Roanoke, will fill Rev. W. H. Woolf's appointment at this place Sunday night. Master George Brock, of Hightown, left here last Monday for New Market, where he will visit relatives. Prof. Mencer, of West Virginia, is conducting a singing school at Vanderpool school-house. He is said to be a good teacher. We understand that Dr. Robert Fleming and wife have returned to this country from Scotland, and will arrive at Monterey tomorrow evening. The Highland county school Board held its annual meeting here last Saturday. Settlements were made and other routine business transacted. Preaching next Sunday at Union Chapel, at 11 a. m.; at Camp ground, at 3:30 p. m., and at Thorny Bottom at 8 p. m. C. M. Anderson, P. C.

Miss Lucy Swadley returned this week from Charlottesville, where she attended the school of Methods. On her return trip she attended the Lewisburg district conference at Covington, and spent some time with a friend at Warm Springs. Master George Stephenson, of Meadow Dale, who was seriously injured last week by being kicked by a young colt, is doing as well as could be expected. The wound is a serious one and could easily have resulted in his death. It speaks well for an article when the longer it is used the better it is liked. Such is the case with Ayer's Hair Vigor. People who have been using it for years could not be induced to try any other dressing for their hair, because it gives such perfect satisfaction. Jesse Hiner, son of Mr. G. J. Hiner, had the end of his little finger cut off last Friday evening by getting it caught in some part of the carriage of his father's saw mill, while removing a slab. The laceration necessitated amputation near the first joint, which was performed by Dr. K. Trimble.

A middle-aged man came tramping into town from the west Wednesday evening and spent the night at the Commercial. Immediately after breakfast he departed without giving anyone goodbye, not even the landlord. He pretended to be a dealer in timber, but in truth was a "dead-beat." A Branch Loan Company. A branch of the National Building and Loan Company, of Staunton, Va., has been established at this place. The officers are: Dr. I. H. Trimble, president; W. P. Campbell, Sec'y; E. M. Arbogast, Treasurer, and Hon. Chas. P. Jones, attorney. Directors—Edwin Wilson, S. A. Gilmore, A. J. Revercomb, C. C. Hansel, A. W. Bird, A. T. Carpenter and Chas. S. McNulty.

Buggies at Camp-Meeting. Mr. W. H. Andrews, the up-to-date buggy man, will have a full line of his vehicles at the campground, in Crabbottom, during the meeting, and solicits the patronage of those who wish to purchase, or have horses to trade for anything in his line. Give him a call. Notice to Democrats. There will be organized on Saturday, the 15th day of August, 1896, at the courthouse in Monterey, at 8 p. m., a Democratic Club. All democrats are cordially invited to be present and take part in the organization. It is important that there should be a good turnout and a large membership enrolled. Let every democrat make an effort to be present on the 15th. S. B. Sizemore, Chmn.

The Bryan Party in New York. The Bryan party reached New York Tuesday, and on Wednesday the great notification meeting took place, at which time many matters of deep interest to the political world were set on foot. Board of Health. The Virginia State Board of health recently appointed a Board of Health for Highland county, composed of the following: Dr. I. H. Trimble, chairman, Monterey; Dr. H. H. Jones, Doe Hill, and Dr. E. J. Jones, New Hampden.

A Serious Accident. For about a month Dr. Geo. T. Robinson, of Mossy Creek, has been a guest at Bolar Springs, and on last Monday, while out driving, met with a serious and painful accident. His horse became frightened by some part of the harness breaking, and made an effort to free itself from the buggy. The Dr. attempted to get out and quiet the animal and was thrown under the wheels, one of his legs becoming entangled in the spokes. A friend who was near in another buggy came up and with some difficulty extricated the Dr. from his perilous position. On being freed he raised to his feet, but found he could not stand. He made a hasty examination and ascertained that the larger bone in his leg was broken about six inches below the knee. The Dr. set the bone himself and bound it up with a handkerchief, in which he showed a wonderful amount of grit and power of endurance for one of his age, he being about 75 years old. He was moved to his boarding place and Dr. K. Trimble, of Monterey, was summoned, who completed the setting of the fractured bone, and encased it in plaster of Paris. On yesterday his son, Mr. John Robinson, assisted by Mr. Henderson Lockridge, removed him to McDowell, where he will remain until the weather becomes cooler, when he will be taken to his home. They stopped in Monterey at noon, and the Dr. was in good spirits and seemed to be standing the trip very well.

A Family Reunion. For several days Senator Charles P. Jones' house has been thronged with guests. They are his mother, brothers and sisters with their families, viz: Mrs. Phoebe J. Jones, Miss Sallie Jones, Dr. I. C. Johnson, wife and daughter, Miss Mary Olin, of Franklin, W. Va.; Dr. T. O. Jones, wife and two children, of Harrisonburg; Rev. John C. Jones and little son, of Roanoke; and Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Smith and two children, of Academy, W. Va. It is with just pride that the aged mother looks upon her grown children—sons who fill, with credit, important positions in life, daughters who adorn and have helped in the making of happy homes. May she live to enjoy many more happy gatherings of her family here, and when she crosses over the river may the home circle not be broken, but only separated to be reunited forever in eternal happiness.

The Band Entertainment. In our issue of two weeks ago we gave the names of five ladies who were requested by the Highland Cornet Band to assist in getting up a meat supper, lawn party and concert for the benefit of the band. These ladies have kindly given the band a helping hand, and have heartily joined in the work to make the undertaking a success. An interesting program, consisting of choice selections of instrumental and vocal music, dialogues, charades, &c., has been arranged, of which we will give more particular mention in our next. Instead of having a meat supper in connection with the concert and lawn party, it has been decided upon to prepare a dinner, which will, if a suitable day, be served in the court yard next court-day, August 25. Should the weather be inclement the dinner will be served in a building. This change in the former plan will give persons attending court an opportunity of patronage who would probably not attend the concert. Tuesday and Wednesday evenings, September 1st and 2d, are the dates fixed upon for the concert and lawn party.

Poor Blood is starved blood. It shows itself in pale cheeks, white lips, weak digestion, no appetite, exhaustion, lack of nerve force, soft muscles, and, chief of all, weak nerves. Your doctor calls it Anaemia. He will tell you that the weakening weather of summer often brings it on. Scott's Emulsion of Cod-liver Oil with Hypophosphites, will make poor blood rich. It is a food for over-taxed and weak digestion, so prepared that it can easily be taken in summer when Cod-liver Oil or even ordinary foods might repel. SCOTT & BOWNE, New York. For sale at 50c. and \$1.00 by all druggists.

The Camp-Meeting. The camp-meeting in Crabbottom will commence one week from today. The interest taken by tent-holders, boarding-tent men, and the community generally, is on the increase. A boarding-tent is being erected, which will accommodate one hundred persons in the sleeping apartments, while the other departments are correspondingly comfortable and commodious. The cry of diphtheria has been made several times as prevailing in country near the grounds, but on investigation we have found the alarms to be false. Preparations have been made to entertain large crowds of people, so it only remains for them to congregate and help to carry on this great and good work after it has been commenced.

A Double Bereavement. On Jan. 17, 1896, at 2:50 a. m., the joy hand of death entered the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Hively, of Cleek's Mill, and bereft them of their little daughter, Emma Virginia, aged 2 years, 10 months and 5 days, after a brief illness of four days. With sadness the tiny hands were folded and she was laid to rest on the following day in Cleek's cemetery, beside the little brother gone before. At 8 o'clock p. m., of the same day, little Alice Elizabeth, their infant and only remaining child, was stricken, lingered a few days and then died, aged 6 weeks, and was buried from the sight of those grief-stricken parents, leaving their home for a second time childless. Little Emma was a bright child, of wonderful memory and fondness for music, being able to sing several hymns correctly without assistance. Before the age of two years she could sing that old and beautiful hymn, "Am I a Soldier of the Cross," without a mistake. Mr. and Mrs. Hively are pious, upright people, having the good-will and esteem of all who know them, and the entire community deeply sympathize with them in this great loss. It is indeed hard to see the last sweet bud torn from the loving hands that cherished it; but only God and the mother can know the heartrending, sacred sorrow that hovers over the empty cradle, the tiny, folded garments and the little torn shoe. It has not been long since God in his great wisdom saw fit to take unto Himself the little son and first born of these same parents, and all who are inclined to doubt the infinite wisdom of God may learn a valuable lesson from the quiet resignation and simple faith with which these young people bow their heads to His will.

The sweet little voice Can warble no more No the patterfoot steps He heard on the floor. Our cradle is empty, Also mother's arms; Our darlings are safe From sin's dread alarms. The garments are folded, With others as dear, Where we in sad moments Weep many a tear. Yet God in His wisdom, Unquestioned, divine, Hath taught us to say, "Thy will, Lord, not mine." W. L. C.

The table of contents of The Monthly Illustrator and Home and Country, New York, for August, the first issue at its reduced price from 20 to 5 cents per copy, evidences that things which seem incredible are possible. The frontispiece, "Gigolo," is from a painting by Leon Perrault. The articles of this number, many of them illustrated, are: "An American artist in Paris," Elizabeth C. Nourse," by Clara McChesney; "Three Sea Vignettes," Poem, by Dora Read Goddard; "Injun Mag," Story, by Harriet Bradner; "Whist and Its Masters" by R. Frederic Foster; "Shelley and Keats," Poem, by Minna Irving; "Backdoor Neighbors," Story, by Grace S. Brown; "Stephen Crane's College Days," by Clarence Loomis Pessier; "The Law and the Long Bone," Story, by Mary T. Earle; "Pretty Sal," Story by Elizabeth W. C. Mann; "House Dark," by Robert Stodart; "A Grand Passion," Poem, by Caroline Morrighi; "The Making of Monotypes," by H. W. Faulkner; and "The People's Forum," the contributions to the latter being "The Morality of Social Amusements," by Arthur Inkersley; "Greater New York," by William Hemstreet; "The Shining Sun," The Screaming Eagle," by Arthur Somers; "The Executives of this Nation," Benjamin F. Harrison," by Jos. W. Kay; and "The Day of Reckoning," by Henry Rogers Wood. Issued by the Monthly Illustrator Publishing Co., 66-68 Centre Street, New York. Price by subscription, 60 cents a year.

From Bath County. CLEEK'S MILL, Va., Aug. 8.—These long, hot summer days are inducive to idleness, but even a pen sometimes grows weary resting. Sad news was borne to us last week, Porter Folks, son of Mr. James Folks, of Burnsville, was knocked down, trampled upon and badly hurt by a horse. It was feared he would not recover, but from last account he was better. We hope he will recover. He is a bright little fellow and a general favorite with all who know him. Miss Jennie Cleek, accompanied by her brother, John, attended the

meeting last week at Beulah. Mr. and Mrs. J. Cleek, Jr., made a short visit to her home near Bath Alam recently. W. W. Burns, of Warm Springs, spent a few days last week with friends in Covington. Lewisburg District Conference met at Covington the 28th to 31st ult. It was well attended by preachers and delegates. Rev. J. M. Eavey, J. L. Hively and M. L. Woodzelle, of this place, attended Conference. Presiding Elder Martin endeavored himself to the members of the conference by his genial kindness and confidence in the members. SUNBEAM.

Masonic Notice. There will be a stated communication of Highland Lodge, No. 110 A. F. and A. M., on Friday the 21st day of August, 1896. A full meeting is requested. Work in first degree. W. H. MATHENY, Sec'y.

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