

HIGHLAND RECORDER

LOCAL NEWS.

PERSONAL.

Brief Items of Interest to Home Folks About Their Friends And Acquaintances.

Mr. O. A. Bird was in to see us Tuesday. Mrs. J. C. Boggs, we learn, is improving. John W. Bird, Esq called to see us while in town Monday. Everybody in town Monday at the Board and telephone meetings. Mr. C. R. Carpenter was up Monday. Mr. Stephen Hiner who has been with the Worthington Hardware Co. of Staunton, for three years, has gone to Marlinton to accept a position. Mr. Sam Hise, of Meadow Dale, was in town Tuesday. Messrs. Ed. Kincaid and Tobe McClintic of the River, were up Tuesday. Sheriff Ed. Arbogast returned Saturday from taking Eli Helmick to the Reform School, near Richmond. Helmick was convicted of forgery at last court. Mr. Ed. Matheny of Valley Center who has been very ill for several days is improving. Dr. M. B. Campbell is his physician. Dr. F. S. Suddarth of Williamsville, was in town Monday a short while. Miss Ida M. Lord who spent some time here during the holidays, returned home much pleased with her visit. Supt. of Poor, Cornelius Wimer, and Supt. of S. and P. road, John T. Byrd, and other prominent men of the county attended the meeting of the Board Monday. Mr. M. A. Colaw and his cousin, Miss Sallie Propst of Franklin, were in town Monday. Highland Lodge, No. 110, A. F. and A. M. will meet on Friday, Jan. 12th at usual hour. Mr. James Ryder has resumed work on Mr. W. P. Rexrode's house. Mr. B. E. Fleisher's sickness has developed into a case of pneumonia. His physician reports him as doing fairly well. Mrs. Reece Rodgers of McDowell spent Tuesday night with her father, Mr. L. A. Carichoff. Mr. Ed. duns little daughter accompanied her. Messrs. Arbogast and Slaven have made a valuable addition to their livery business in the purchase of a team of draught horses, wagon &c., from Mr. S. J. Carson. Miss Minerva McLaughlin of Valley Center has been seriously sick for several days. Mrs. George Koogler of Mr. Solon is visiting her sister Mrs. C. G. Cross. Mr. Pearl Propst is spouting the drug store. Mr. Geo. Gutshall's team took a load of dressed turkeys to Hot Springs this week for V. B. Bishop. This is Mr. Bishop's second shipment to that market. A colored lunatic attempted to enter the hall of the Virginia House of Delegates and struck Sergeant-at-Arms Johnson several blows with a heavy cane. Two election bills were introduced in the House of Delegates indirectly requiring an educational qualification. General White has repulsed the Boer attack on the British garrison at Ladysmith, Natal. General Otis reports from Manila several severe engagements in South Luzon, in one of which Lieut. Ward Cheney, of the Fourth Infantry, was killed. The bubonic plague has broken out in Manila. Always satisfied with a small profit, I will give you every advantage for your cash. L. A. Orndorff. FOR SALE—I have a good second hand, two horse surry and a one horse buggy for sale. Address, Mrs. E. J. Shuey Bolar Bath County, Va.

Death of Cornelius Colaw. Cornelius Colaw who died at his home in Crabbottom on Jan. 5th. was one of the county's most highly respected and substantial christian citizens. His death, at a good old age, brought to a close a life of thorough uprightness, which is unassailable and worthy of close imitation. Mr. Colaw was born in April 1819, in the same neighborhood in which his useful life was spent. For one of his age he had been enjoying good health, until on the 29th of December the sickness which proved to be his last suffering, came upon him. Mr. Colaw had been a faithful member of and an earnest worker in the M. E. Church for over 60 years. The death of his wife, which occurred in 1895, closed a happy union in marriage which covered a period of nearly half a century. Of his family now living are his two brothers Jonas and Allen Colaw, and of his immediate family are his two sons, Anderson, who resides in Crabbottom, and John M., Commonwealth's attorney for this county and two daughters, Mrs. Mike Manzy and Mrs. Early Snyder both living in Crabbottom. On Sunday morning, the 7th inst, after a funeral service by his pastor, Rev. Barnes, at the Brick church, the remains of the deceased were interred in the family burying ground on the old home farm, on which Mr. Jonas Colaw now resides.

Mrs. Martha Holt Dead. Died, at her home, Doe Hill, Va., Jan. 4th, 1900, Martha J., wife of Mr. Jno. E. Holt. Age 52 years, 1 month and 16 days. She was the eldest daughter of the late Samuel and Elizabeth Wilson. Her brother, Jared M. Wilson, survives her; also her half sister, Mrs. Geo. O. Fleisher, and her half brother, James E. Wilson. She was married twice. Her first husband was Wm. F. Holt, who died some years ago, leaving two children, both now dead. Her second husband, who survives her, is a brother of her first husband. Eight children survive her. Mrs. Holt was a faithful wife, a devoted, christian mother. She was noted for her cheerful, helpful disposition, being ever ready to lend a helping hand to her neighbors, especially when in affliction. She will be greatly missed, not only in her own home, but by all her neighbors. A Friend.

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Stockholders Meeting M. & S. Telephone Company. A meeting of the stockholders of the Monterey & Staunton Telephone Company, will be held in the County Clerk's office, Monterey Va. on Monday the 8th day of January 1900. All stock holders of the Company, are expected to be present, either in person or by proxy. By order of, J. C. Matheny.

Pinckney Items. Jan. 6, 1900. Died of pneumonia Jan. 3, at 2 a. m., little Harper, youngest child of A. W. and L. C. Hiner, aged 16 months and 9 days. For more than a week did his loving parents watch by his little bed and hoped for him to get well, but at last God thought it best to take him away to a better and brighter home, where there is no sickness and no sorrow. Father and mother weep not for little Harper is at rest. Go to thy rest, fair child! Go to thy dreamless bed, Gentle and meek, and mild, With blessings on thy head. Fresh roses in thy hand, Buds on thy pillow, and Haste from this blighted land, Where flowers so quickly fade. A Friend.

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Monterey and Staunton Telephone Company. An annual meeting of the stockholders of the Monterey and Staunton Telephone company was held in the Clerk's office on the 8th inst. One hundred and sixty-four and one-half shares were represented in person and by proxy, the shareholders being of our best and most substantial citizens. S. W. Sterret, H. H. Slaven and J. N. Stover were appointed to examine the books of the Secretary and Treasurer and report to next meeting, at which time a settlement will be made showing the financial standing of the company, which settlement, it is thought, will show a small dividend to the stockholders, a deal having been made with the Churchville people that will help this year's receipts. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: J. C. Matheny, President; V. B. Bishop, Secretary and Treasurer; Dr. I. H. Trimble, General Manager and L. H. Stephenson, E. M. Arbogast, J. A. Jones, J. J. Hiner and Dr. I. H. Trimble, Directors. L. H. Stephenson was appointed to examine into the feasibility of extending the line down Jacksons river to the Bath county line, and J. A. Jones was appointed for a like purpose as to a connection at Forks of Water with the Franklin line.

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Supervisors Meeting. The Board held its monthly meeting on Monday, the 5th. The report of Commissioner, W. L. Trimble, L. A. Harold and W. E. Fleisher, on the new road and bridge abutments at Forks of Water, recently completed by Henry Mullenax, was rejected by the Board, and the following new commissioners were appointed to examine the work on the 1st day of February: H. E. Bryant, H. H. Seybert and S. A. Porter. The following resolution was adopted by the Board: "Resolved by this Board that our representatives in the Legislature be requested to procure the passage of an act, authorizing the Board of Supervisors of Highland County to issue bonds for the purpose of redeeming the outstanding county bonds, and refunding the debt for which said bonds were issued, the text of bill to be prepared by John M. Colaw, Commonwealth's attorney, and forwarded to said representatives."

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