

HIGHLAND RECORDER

LOCAL NEWS.

PERSONAL

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

Mr. Ira Simmons was over recently. Mr. Chas. Farmer called to arrange about some advertising. Rev. Mr. Boppell of Valley Center was one of our callers this week. Mr. E. A. Hicklin of Baltimore made us a pleasant call Wednesday. Mr. Sandy Stephenon and sister Miss Mary visited Monterey this week. Rev. Mr. Bogle spent Sunday at the Parsonage, he was on his way to his work at Petersburg. Messrs Wm. and Jack Swatts of West Augusta are members of W. A. Bussard's carpenter force. A merry-go-round operated by Messrs Wabright and Diggs was at McDowell on May 31st. Rev. Jno. Ruff and daughter Libbie and O. Wilson Esq. attending Presbytery at W.boro. Mr. Wansley who is proprietor of Hotel Star, is making considerable improvements about the premises. If you want a copy of the little booklet "The Ladies Wear Belts" send 25 cents to Rev. J. M. Cobb, Red Cloud, Neb. If you want to get posted as to the names of the ladies wear belts, call at Trimble and Safford's. Mrs. Dobbs, wife of Rev. Chas. Dobbs, now of Mississippi, is visiting her mother Mrs. J. S. McNulty who is very ill. The sad news of the death of Henry Lee, ten year old son of J. N. Nicholas, which occurred on Saturday, comes to us from Crabbottom. Mrs. Armenia Jordan has moved from the Bishop house to the house lately occupied by J. C. Boggs Esq. We presume the central telephone office will be moved. Our County Court at last term, Hon. Geo. K. Anderson presiding was in actual session, only a few minutes and the only business transacted was the granting of authority to Rev. H. A. Murrill to celebrate rites of matrimony. At a meeting of the stockholders of the Monterey & Staunton Telephone Co. held on the 18th Inst. the rate to private phone holders was fixed at \$0.50, per year payable on the first day of Jan. of each year, which rating to be in effect from 1st. day of April 1901. The rapid growth of the University of Virginia in popular good will is a matter of pride of Virginians who are especially favored in having it as a part of their public free school system. That splendid institution is the largest free-school house in Virginia, and many of our boys annually gather there to pursue studies in the Academic schools free of all expense of tuition. The Pennsylvania Canning Co., Staunton, Va., has an ad. in this issue about seeds. Its manager, Frank Spiese Esq., who seems to be an excellent gentleman, requests us to state that he would like to do some business, even the first year with Highland farmers. He will give you Baltimore prices, in cash, for all the navy beans you grow as well as all other farm products suitable for canning purposes. A special to the Staunton Daily News, gives information that Rev. S. M. Bowman who was at the late session of the Baltimore Conference of the M. E. Church South, at Roanoke, appointed as Preacher in charge of the Parnassus circuit in Augusta County, preached to the Mt. Sidney congregation on last Sunday at 11 a. m., and eleven hours later he was a corpse. He was a brother of Mr. T. J. Bowman of Franklin W. Va.

High Water.

A Dispatch of April 20th states Pittsburg and Carnegie are under three feet of water.

Weather Notes.

Yes, we have had some weather. Those fond of variety have been pleased—rain first, snow second, rain third, and so on. We ran across a beautiful little poem on April and read about "April flowers," and "sunny bowers," "Shady nooks" and "sparkling brooks," but the date showed that it was not a production of this century. There are some who now heartily agree with the lamented Jasper, that "the sun do move," and that it has moved clear out of this country. But, why should we worry at King Winter's spiteful spitting, assured that if April sunshine can't move him old July or August can.

Strait Creek News.

ST. CREEK, April, 22nd, 1901.— Mrs. Mary Ann Simmons wife of A. J. Simmons died Wednesday the 17 inst at her home at this place. She had been a member of the M. E. church South for 30 years. She died a triumphant death—her last words were "I am nearly over the river." The funeral services were conducted by her pastor Rev. Mr. Murrill after which the remains were laid to rest in the Pufferlarger grave yard. Her children, 3 boys and 5 girls were all present at the funeral. Mr. Chapman Halterman and Miss Mary Francis Botkin were united in marriage the 21 inst at the home of the bride. Rev. Joseph Beverage officiated. The ceremony was performed at noon, immediately after which a wedding dinner was enjoyed by the family and a few near relatives. Mr. and Mrs. Halterman have our best wishes. Mr. Harman Samples went to Bull Pastureriver last week to visit his sick uncle Mr. Pullin and brought back the sad news of his death. Mr. James Fleisher has returned from Kausus after a stay of a few weeks. WE US & CO.

From Western Highland.

HIGHWOWN, April, 22nd, 1901.— Sugar making is over and the farmers are busy plowing and getting ready for spring planting. Mrs. Cooke who has been sick at her son in law's Mr. C. T. Shumate we are sorry to say is no better. Master Lapsley Carson has been sick but is convalescent. Miss Mabel Sutton who is attending the Highland High School spent Saturday and Sunday at her home at Clover Creek. Mr. Henry Hevener wears a broad smile. It is a girl. Misses Lelia and Margeret Dudley made a trip to Monterey on Friday last. The Highland High School is progressing very nicely under the guidance of Prof. Carson and his assistant Miss Annie B. Rodgers. Mr. R. T. Noel has the contract for building the Highland High School building, and is busy making preparations for the work. Aunt Peggy Swadley is improving slowly. Mrs. Joseph Page is visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. George A. Rexrode. Mr. William Noel is busy tending his sheep, plowing his potato patch and getting ready for making garden. Mr. J. Wesley Hevener has recently purchased an organ. Mr. A. L. Rexrode a successful student at the Highland High School has been called away on account of duties at home. Mr. James Hevener one of our leading sheep merchants tried to raise a lamb on wheat bran and coffee but made a complete failure. Dad Shumate recently purchased a team of fine drivers and a family carriage. SLEEPY & DROWSY.

MONTEREY, VA., April 11, 1901.—

Miss Annie Cullin from Armstrong, Cator & Co., of Baltimore, is in charge of the Millinery Department at V. B. Bishop's. She has a nice line of Millinery from New York and Baltimore, and in addition to this will be pleased to show the trade a first class line of ladies' Shirt Waists in silk and wash goods; Muslin Underware; Dress Skirts in silk, woolen and wash goods. I do not hesitate to recommend Miss Cullin as a first class milliner, as she comes highly recommended from the Baltimore house. She comes here from Martinsburg, W. Va., where she has been with the same party for five years. V. B. BISHOP.

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Eastern Highland.

VILNA, April 22nd, 1901.—We have been having some rough weather for the past few days. The farmers are about through plowing. Mr. J. W. Stewart has purchased a rubber tire buggy, look out for it, see who will get the first ride. The wedding cards are out announcing the weddings of Mr. J. E. Splawn and Miss Ashby Armstrong, and Mr. P. M. Neil and Miss Effie Deverick. Miss Elvira Leach expects some of her friends from Pendleton in the near future. Mr. E. B. Miller expects to leave soon. Miss Effie Deverick from "Sunny Side" and Mr. Peter Neil of Lower Cowpasture are visiting friends at Vilna and Mt. Top. Mr. A. I. Woodell is visiting friends at Vilna since his school closed. Some of the young folks had an enjoyable time at a party given by Miss Elvira Leach on last Friday night. Mr. J. W. Simmons was the guest of Miss Sallie Ervine last Saturday night. Aunt Rebecca Ervine is complaining very much. Mr. H. H. Ervine gave a Musical entertainment last Saturday night. Mr. J. M. Hill the Photographer is boarding at Slaty Bank Hotel. I WONDER.

H. M. Pullin Dead.

Huggard M. Pullin died at his home, on Bull Pasture river, in Highland County, on the 18th. day of April 1901, after a long protracted illness occasioned by disease of the liver with some complications, aged about 64 years, leaving surviving, his widow Mrs. Mary A. Pullin, 5 sons, named, R. E. L. W. M. Charles M., James H. and Jno. W., and 5 daughters, named Hattie, Sarah, Amanda, Bessie, and Susie, to mourn their loss two children having previously died. Mr. H. M. Pullin responded to his country's call for volunteers in 1861 and evinced unflinching devotion to the cause he espoused as a Confederate soldier in Company B. 31 Regiment Virginia Volunteers and was wounded twice. The first wound he received was at Port Republic the second at the battle of Gettysburg. The writer was not acquainted with him before the war, but since the war he was regarded as a valuable citizen his people having shown their appreciation of his capability and integrity by electing him to the office of Justice of the Peace for Stonewall District in Highland County. He was well known within, and even beyond the limits of his county and will be much missed as a citizen. The interment took place on the 19th Inst. in the new Salem church burying ground, Rev. M. P. Weikle of the M. E. Church South conducting the funeral service, deceased being a member of said church, in good standing.

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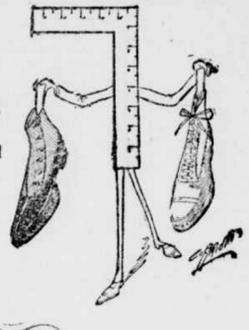
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