

CATAWBA NEWS-ENTERPRISE

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FRIDAY, MAY 26, 1922.

Local and Personal

—Rev. Shuford Peeler, of Charlotte, was here for commencement.

—Mr. J. W. Peeler, of Rockwell, was here for trustee meeting of the college.

—Rev. A. S. Weber, D. D., of Baltimore, was here for the trustee meeting of the college.

—The Newton Cafe has put up a pretty electric sign which has attracted much attention.

—Messrs. D. M. Carpenter and son John Carpenter, of Maiden, attended commencement this week.

—Mr. Tilden Hedrick, of Lexington, was here for the trustee meeting for Catawba College.

—Mrs. Laura Cochran has been very sick for several days this week. Her condition is now some better.

—Dr. M. A. Foil, of Mt. Pleasant, a member of the trustees of the college, was here for the meeting Tuesday.

—Rev. J. H. Kellar, of China Grove, attended the commencement and the trustee meeting here this week.

—Mr. Geo. F. Cochran, of The Greensboro News, has been visiting his mother, Mrs. Laura Cochran, this week.

—The Rural Mail Carriers will hold their annual meeting in Newton on Tuesday, May 30th. All the carriers of the county are expected to be present.

—Mr. H. Hocutt died Sunday night at his home in Statesville. The body was taken to his old home near Wilmington. He was district inspector of the State Highway Commission of this district.

—There will be an all day children's day and home coming day at Pisgah church, in the Balls Creek charge, in Catawba county, the first Sunday in June. Remember, dinner on the ground. Sincerely, John H. Green, P. C.

—The Newton Second team won a great victory over Hickory Second team. The score was Hickory, 6; Newton, 18. Battery for Newton were Rowe and Hollingsworth; Hickory, Whisnant and Murphy. This is the last game scheduled for Newton.

—Little Francis Rivers Herman, age six years, had a successful operation for tonsils and adenoids yesterday. She is the child of Mr. and Mrs. Russell Herman.

—We are in receipt of a program of the Spencer Graded schools from Superintendent H. C. Miller, has an interesting program. He is a son of Mr. Max D. Miller, and one of our fine young Catawba county men.

—Mr. S. L. Herman has returned from Asheville where he attended the State Funeral Directors' Association. He reports a full attendance.

—H. S. Blizzard was a welcome caller yesterday. He represents the Sherwin-Williams paint people and has made some special offers for the big dollar days at the Abernethy Hardware store.

—Come to Newton Friday and Saturday. Our merchants have a lot of bargains for these two days. It will pay the people to come on these two days.

—We are getting our big Industrial Edition started. This will contain the greatest amount of public information ever given to the public information ever given to the public Catawba. Get into this paper, which advertise the resources of Catawba county.

—The brick laying force which was at work on the Abernethy-Moose-Little building, has been laying brick on the North Newton theatre building this week.

—Do not forget to get into our big Industrial paper. It will be some paper to advertise Catawba county business and industries.

—Mr. W. A. Hoke died today (Thursday) at his home in Claremont. He was a member of the Newton Jr. Order. He had been in poor health for two years or more. He leaves a wife and ten children. He was about 60 years of age and a splendid citizen.

—Prof. Robert L. Milan, of Atlanta, Ga., we understand, is to come to Newton on or about June first to teach a singing school. Mr. Milan had charge of the singing during the revival recently held at the Methodist church and made quite a favorable impression with our people. The Methodists here are to be congratulated upon securing his services.

Mr. M. S. Beam Elected Again—Statement to the Patrons of Newton Graded Schools by the School Board.

Thinking that you might be interested in the matter and being at all times glad to give you information as to what we are doing, what we propose to do and our reason for doing same, we beg to give the following information regarding plans we have made and are making regarding our schools for another year.

The State and County Boards of Education having made us a proposi-

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school of less than 30 teachers to have a full time superintendent and a principal at extra pay. I think that we are indeed fortunate to be able to make this arrangement and thus make a considerable saving in the expense of our schools another year.

We have elected a number of teachers for next year, a number of whom have accepted and we are hoping that the next year will be the best in the history of the schools. However, on account of a shortage of room, it now seems that it will be impossible to avoid the half time work of several classes in the primary work, which we regret very much. A full list of the teachers will be announced later.

F. E. GARVIN,
Chairman.
J. A. YOUNG,
Secretary.

Program Newton Graded School Commencement.

The commencement exercises of the Newton graded schools took place this (Thursday) morning at 10:30 o'clock at the graded school auditorium. A recitation and declamation contest for gold medals was held. A gold medal was awarded at this time to the winner who wrote the best paper on "Our Ancestors in Civil War." This medal was offered by the Ransom, Sherrill Chapter U. D. C., of Newton. Mrs. F. M. Williams presented the medal.

Tonight (Thursday) at the auditorium, as lay, "The Average Man," will be given. This play was given to a packed house about a week ago and for the benefit of those who were unable to see it at that time it will be repeated.

Friday morning at the auditorium at 10 o'clock, the class day exercises will be held.

Friday night at 8:15 at Catawba College auditorium, the graduating exercises and literary address will take place. The address will be delivered by Dr. W. A. Harper, president of Elon College.

Miss Carper Entertains.

Miss Annie Carper delightfully entertained a number of her friends at her home Friday night. Several interesting games were enjoyed after which the hostess, assisted by Miss Vera Stamey and Miss Martha Hewitt, served delicious refreshments. Those present were: Misses Belle Gaither, Isabelle Caldwell, Mabel Mahaffey, Genevieve Deal, Elizabeth Herman, Vera Stamey, Martha Hewitt

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—Rev. Dr. M. L. Kesler will preach at the Baptist church Sunday morning at 11 o'clock. No preaching at night on account of the revival at the North Newton church. The pastor, Rev. A. T. Howell, will be away attending the commencement of Chowan College.

—Mrs. Henry Warlick, of Lincoln county, was among the visitors at commencement. Mrs. Warlick was before her marriage Miss Wharton, of Guilford county. Her home was in sight of the historic Brick church, of which Dr. G. W. Welker was pastor for half a century.

—Rev. W. G. Hughes and family, of Roanoke, are expected in Newton today to make their home at the Virginia Shipp for the present. This paper extends a most cordial welcome to these most excellent people to our community. Mr. Hughes begins a meeting Sunday at Cherryville.

—Mr. Andrew Hewitt, who was struck with a baseball in the Morganton-Newton game here, was in a serious condition for some time, but he is now reported as much improved. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hewitt. He was struck on the head by the ball and was unconscious for some time.

—On account of the commencement this week the Woman's Club will postpone their meeting until next week, the meeting will be June 2, at 3:30, in the Community room. Let every member be present as the election of officers will be held at this meeting. Come prepared to vote for the officers you wish put in at this time.

—At the Newton Graded schools Miss Maynelle Seizer won the medal in recitation contest yesterday. Mr. Latta Whisnant won the declaimers medal. Miss Belle Gaither won the U. D. C. medal.

Education having made us a proposition to continue the present arrangement of co-operation for another year, that is our superintendent is to conduct the Summer School for teachers and do supervisory work during the time rural schools are in session, giving us at least one-third of his time, for a salary of \$1,000 per year from us, we considered it for the best interest of the schools from a standpoint of both efficiency and economy, to accept this proposition. This arrangement enables the superintendent to use some of the teachers of the city schools as teachers in the summer school and thereby supplement the salary so that we are enabled to get stronger teachers than we could get otherwise, thus making a further saving of money.

After accepting this proposition from the State and county boards of education, we do not know of a man who is better qualified to fill this dual position than Prof. M. S. Beam, our present efficient superintendent, and he was unanimously elected by us for the position.

As the State will not allow a

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