

LOCAL MATTERS.

HANSBARGER BROS. will trade you a Cooking Stove for a yearling heifer. Lookout for their Economy heaters for winter.

MRS. MARY HUTCHINSON, relict of the late Michael Hutchinson, of Summers county, died on the 1st inst., aged 56 years.

L. Makowicz, Merchant Tailor, Roncove, has an ad. in this issue, which ought to interest all men wanting tailor-made or ready-made clothing. Read it.

From a copy of the Henderson (N. C.) *Herald* we learn that A. M. Matis, formerly of this county, has been elected Supervisor of Schools for the city of Henderson and county of Vance.

Our exchanges report a great many deaths in the cities throughout the country from sunstroke during the recent hot spell. We are blessed with a fine climate here in the Greenbrier Valley, for which we should be thankful.

A GENTLEMAN writing to us from Sperryville, Va., informs us of the death, on the 5th inst., of Mr. Robert N. Bruce, aged 74 years. He was the oldest resident of Sperryville, a member of the Baptist Church and was held in high esteem by all. Mr. Bruce was well known here in Greenbrier. He was a bridge builder, and built for the county the bridge over Greenbrier river at Caldwell's.

GEO. W. CRAIG, Esq., died of neuralgia of the heart, at his home in Charleston on the 6th inst. He was a man of deep convictions, stern integrity and the loftiest character. He married, on October 14th, 1851, Sarah F. Bright, of Greenbrier county, who, with four children, survive him. He was an earnest member of the Presbyterian Church, and for many years a ruling elder in that body. He was a native of Mason county, and was born Oct. 15th, 1827.

A Profitable Eve.

Little Mary B. Handly, the eight-year-old daughter of Mr. Harvey J. Handly, who lives near town, is the proud possessor of a ewe which was given her when a lamb, with the distinct understanding that all increase, profits and emoluments arising from the said ewe were to be hers. Tuesday Mary received from Col. Chas. S. Peyton, who bought the two lambs presented to her by the ewe this spring, a check for \$7.87. The wool clipped from her was sold for \$1.20—making a total of \$9.07 realized from her this season, and Mary still has the ewe left.

PROF. G. M. FORD, who takes the place of Prof. J. D. Sweeney at the Concord Normal, is from Marshall county, a University man, about 28 years of age, unmarried and is said to be a fine school man. The faculty of the school is now as follows:

Principal, Prof. G. M. Ford; first assistant, Prof. J. F. Holroyd; second assistant, Prof. Loraine Fortney; third assistant, Prof. J. L. Sydenstricker; fourth assistant, Miss Nannie McCreary.

Prof. C. A. Fulwider, of this county, who has been a teacher at Concord for many years, has been elected Principal of the Public High School at Bluefield.

Here Musical Treat.

On Thursday, the 22nd inst., a grand concert of vocal and instrumental music will be given in the Town Hall under the auspices of the Alumni Association of the L. F. I., assisted by Mrs. Blair, of Richmond, vocalist; Mr. Weymouth, of Virginia, a performer on the flute and cornet; Miss Butler, of Kentucky, violinist; Miss Gardner, of South Carolina, vocalist; and Mrs. Harry B. Moore, Miss Best and Mr. Timberlake, of Roncove, and Mrs. E. S. Moomau, of Lewisburg. Besides these eminent performers there will be choruses of college songs and glees. It will be a rare musical treat which none should miss. Reserved seats, 35 cents. Diagram at R. P. Rittenhouse's. Refreshments served at the Hotel after the performance.

A CORRESPONDENT, writing to us from Lohella, Pocahontas county, tells of a fearful water-spout that visited the Cranberry River country on Sunday, the 4th inst. He says it started on Cranberry, moved south in a strip about half mile wide and poured down in torrents, raising the river higher than it has been known to be in forty years, washed off fences, destroyed roads, cornfields and gardens and otherwise did much damage. At Trout Valley, this county, the same afternoon, the rain fall was tremendous—nothing like it being recollected by the oldest citizens. The little stream that runs through the valley, ordinarily nothing more than a branch, became a raging torrent in a few minutes, out of its banks and deep enough to swim a horse.

The following is a list of deeds, etc., admitted to record by the Clerk of Greenbrier County Court from July 5th to July 12th, 1897:

A deed from S. J. Stinson and wife to J. C. Patterson, for a acre of land in Falling Spring district.

A deed of partition between S. J. Egner and others and A. L. Callison and others, as follows: To Clay Egner for 40 acres and 464 acres of land; to A. L. Callison, 117 acres; to A. R. Callison, 354, 47 and 344 acres; and J. M. Callison, 394 acres—all in Meadow Bluff district.

From John T. McMillon to Board of Education of Falling Spring district for 80 poles of land in said district.

From A. G. Williams to Jas. Roberts Jr., for 32 acres and 132 poles of land in Falling Spring district.

From Chas. R. Taylor and Harvey Collins, for 25 acres of land, more or less, in Williamsburg district.

From Wm. E. Benson and wife to H. H. Beirne, for house and lot, on Jefferson street, in Lewisburg.

From C. B. Buser, Clerk, to H. W. Cumby, for 514 acres of land in Blue Sulphur district.

From Jas. M. Morgan and wife to N. C. Morgan, for 30 acres of land in Irish Corner district.

Pickups in Town and County.

Preaching at Arbuckle's School-house on next Sunday afternoon.

Lewisburg will give the teachers of the county a warm welcome next week.

The Trustees of Lewisburg Graded School will elect teachers for the ensuing year next Monday.

Rev. and Mrs. White will be pleased to see the young people at the manse this (Thursday) evening.

Dog Days began last Sunday. Every dog has his day, and the editor of the *Hinton Herald* can have full sway until the 28th of August.

Mr. Thomas Lynch and Miss Jackie Cary were married yesterday evening, at the home of the bride's father, Mr. Geo. W. Cary, near Lewisburg, Rev. Wm. M. White officiating.

Our reporter overheard a drummer remark the other day that Lewisburg has more clever people and pretty girls than any town he has ever struck.

The Lewisburg District Conference, M. E. Church, South, will convene in Roncove on the 27th inst., and the Epworth League Conference will meet there on the 31st inst.

Sandy Goins, colored, who was sent to the penitentiary by our Circuit Court about two years, for entering the store of Jas. A. Lowe and stealing watches, groceries, &c., died there one day last week.

Jas. H. Sibold has torn down his old home on Main street, and in so doing has moved one of the old landmarks of Lewisburg. It was built some 75 years ago, and was used by Belden & Walker for many years before the war as a paint shop. It was afterwards turned into a dwelling-house by the late Wash Dean.

The Greenbrier Teachers' Institute will convene in the Town Hall here next Monday, the 19th inst. The Superintendent, Mr. Thompson, desires and expects this to be the best and most interesting one every held here, and to make it such he earnestly requests all the people of the town and vicinity to attend its sessions and assist in the exercises, which we trust they will do.

Personal Mention.

E. L. Bell left last week for a visit to North Carolina.

Miss Rebecca Brown is at home again from Wilmington, N. C.

Miss Lottie Mason, of Kentucky, is a guest at S. B. Mason's.

Capt. A. F. Mathews was in Parkersburg on business this week.

Miss Winifred Goodwin, of Augusta county, Va., is a guest at Maj. J. W. Harris.

Mrs. Josephine Sydenstricker and daughter are visiting relatives in Front Royal, Va.

Miss Mary Gardner, of South Carolina, is here visiting her aunt, Mrs. A. F. Mathews.

Mrs. A. J. Wilson has returned home from an extended visit to relatives at Blacksburg, Va.

J. R. Pence and wife, of Bluefield, are here the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Thomas.

Miss Mattie Clark, of Wheeling, is expected to-morrow to visit Miss Janie Price, on Court street.

Miss Emma Boggess, of Ravenswood, is a guest of her sister, Mrs. John A. Pulliam, on Market street.

Mrs. M. B. Caldwell and children, of Harrisonburg, Va., are the guests of Miss Maggie Harrison here.

Col. R. S. Turk, of Staunton, Va., was here Friday, and B. M. Yeager, of Pocahontas county, Thursday.

Mrs. Richard Thomas is at home again from a visit of nearly four months to her daughters in Alexandria, Va.

Col. Geo. M. Edgar, of the Alabama State University, is sojourning for the summer at H. F. Dickson's, near the White.

Miss Helen Kester, of Monroe county, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Henry A. Skaggs, in the Richlands, this county.

Jas. H. Sibold and daughters, Fannie and Rosalind, left this morning to visit his parents near Blacksburg, Montgomery county, Va.

Mrs. Thos. H. Dennis and Miss Lucy Peyton went over to Monroe yesterday to spend two or three days with the family of W. M. Johnston.

Miss Mary Lewis Handly left yesterday for Goshen, Va. Mrs. Claud L. Carr is here from Norfolk, Va., spending a few weeks with her parents.

Wm. Mason has returned from school in New York. He was accompanied home by James McGuire, of New York, and G. K. Johnston, of Australia, who are now his guests.

A. M. Howison, of Staunton, Va., who has been in the western end of our county on business since May last, is shaking hands with his many friends in Lewisburg this week.

D. Allen Penick, son of Rev. D. A. Penick, and grandson of the late Col. Paul McNeel, of Pocahontas county, graduated at Bellevue Hospital Medical College, New York, a few days ago, and is now at home, in Rockbridge county, Va.

Rev. J. C. Thrasher, of Stephen's City, Va., paid us a pleasant call last Thursday. He was on his way to Hillsboro, Pocahontas county, to visit his father-in-law, Capt. Wm. L. McNeel, who has been quite sick. Mr. Thrasher will return home to-day.

Rev. H. W. McLaughlin, of Prince, was the guest of his father, A. M. McLaughlin, Esq., near Lewisburg this week. Rev. N. A. Parker, of Hampden Sidney, Va., was also his guest.

Mr. Parker was licensed this week to preach the gospel, and will likely take charge of the Presbyterian church at Fayetteville, Fayette county.

Maj. J. M. Lee, Principal of the Lee Military Academy here, will be the instructor at the Boone county Institute, July 26th, and at the Pocahontas Institute, Aug. 9th. Prof. Jas. T. Rucher, Principal of the Lewisburg Graded School, will conduct the Mercer Institute next Monday, the 19th inst., and Nicholas Institute on Monday, the 2nd of August.

"Col." Pickett Peyton, in addressing a delegation of the Christian Endeavorists at Ogden whilst on his way to California, said of Utah: "In every sunbeam God's smile is caught and reflected; the mountains tower in some grandeur and the valley floats away in verdure greenness, while the air is so rarefied and clear that a mountain forty miles away appears to be only ten and an old maid of forty winters looks like a sweet girl of twenty summers."

Lynching Foiled.

Ever since the termination of the trial of E. S. Shue for the murder of his wife and his conviction of murder in the first degree with a recommendation by the jury that his punishment be imprisonment, there have been whisperings and rumors that mob violence might be a possibility—a portion of our citizens insisting that the death penalty should have been imposed. On Sunday last this sentiment crystallized and a small mob was gathered in Meadow Bluff district for the purpose of coming to the county jail, taking Shue out and hanging him. It seems that the campground, eight miles west of town, was appointed as the rendezvous and 10 o'clock at night was the time for the lynchers to assemble. Mr. George M. Harrah, who lives in that neighborhood, got wind of the affair Sunday afternoon and he mounted his horse and carried the information to Sheriff Nickell, who was at home at Meadow Bluff. Mr. Nickell and Mr. Harrah then started for Lewisburg, and had to pass the campground where the lynchers were to assemble. When they arrived there, which was about 9 o'clock, several of the mob were already there. They passed by safely but were recognized. Several minutes later four of the mob pursued and after an exciting chase overtook them, presented pistols and demanded that they stop. The Sheriff drew his pistol and was in the act of firing when he recognized his assailant, and not desiring to hurt or kill him concluded to try moral suasion. He and Harrah surrendered and were taken back to the residence of Mr. D. A. Dwyer, where, after considerable parleying, the Sheriff succeeded in inducing them to disband and return to their homes. They were provided with a stout new rope, were armed with Winchester and revolvers, and numbered from ten to twenty, as far as could be seen—the most of them keeping in the background in the shadows of the trees.

The prisoner Shue, however, would have been safe had they come on to town. A fishing party, coming from Big Clear creek, had passed the campground before sundown and in some way got an intimation of the intended lynching. They notified Deputy Sheriff John G. Dwyer, who took the prisoner to a place of safety in the woods a mile or two outside of town.

The authorities have taken steps to identify and arrest the lynchers, and most if not all will sooner or later be in the toils of the law.

Shue was taken to the penitentiary Tuesday morning in the custody of Sheriff Nickell and Deputy Dwyer.

County Court Proceedings. The County Court for the fiscal term was in session several days last week—all the Commissioners present.

David S. Reeser was exonerated from paying any tax on his personal property until further order of the court.

Sam'l C. Brown made a settlement with the Court showing how he had managed the County Infirmary for the past twelve months.

W. S. Thompson qualified as notary public.

The court appropriated \$250 to be expended in opening and building the county road up Robin's Fork of Spring creek, as located by Com'rs Gilliland, Scott and Beard.

The court approved the route for a public road in Sewell valley as located by Com'rs Burns, Black and Harrah, and the court directed the land owners to be summoned in.

Lewis Flint was allowed \$15 for taking care of Mrs. Moody, his mother-in-law, a county charge, for the year ending June 30th, '98.

David A. Dwyer, late Sheriff, presented a list of persons delinquent for non-payment of taxes on personal property. Said list of taxes also presented a list of real estate delinquent for the non-payment of taxes. Said Dwyer also presented a list of real estate not ascertainable, with amount of taxes due thereon.

The court ordered a new road to be built by the road surveyors of Irish Corner district from the Coffman road of Howard's creek up said creek on the south side to the Salt Sulphur turnpike road of said creek.

Ed. Sydenstricker, David Tuckwiller and Jno. O. Handley were appointed to locate a route for a public road, or such changes as may be necessary, in the old road from a point near C. H. Hutson's house to the Huffnagle road by the nearest practicable route.

Damages were allowed to various parties by reason of the establishment of the road from Clintonville to Geo. Flesherman's gate.

S. W. N. Feamster vs. Greenbrier County. Notice proved and docketed to reduce assessment on lands in Blue Sulphur district.

O. D. Ruckman and W. W. Martin qualified as constables for Meadow Bluff district.

Drafts ordered in favor of J. G. Stevens for \$180 for tiling and work done. The sum of \$75 was appropriated to be expended on the road from Dr. Wm. H. McClung's to the Beaver Creek road in Meadow Bluff district.

Dr. T. C. McClung obtained the practice at the County Infirmary at his bid of \$38, for the year ending July 1st, 1898.

Order entered providing that hereafter parties signing petitions for roads shall be responsible for the cost.

The court established as a public highway the road recently surveyed by Brinkley, Gilliland and Ludington from Williamsburg across Brushy Ridge to J. E. Dougher's. Assessments allowed to various parties.

The sum of \$14.82 was allowed Cyrus Puckett for taxes improperly collected of him.

General claims allowed against the county, \$9,376.96. Poor claims, \$4,014.23. Contingent fund, \$2,851.65. Total, \$16,242.84.

Property of the county, real and personal, including property of the C. & O. Railway, \$6,497,136. County levy for the coming year, 25c on the \$100.

Road tax levied—in Williamsburg, Falling Spring and Anthony's Creek, 10 cents; in Meadow Bluff, 15c; and in the districts which have adopted the Alternate system as follows—Lewisburg, 15c; Irish Corner, 20c; White Sulphur, 22c; Fort Spring, 25c; and Blue Sulphur, 45c.

The report of Alex'r Knight, S. W. Hinkle and J. A. Burr on route for a

public road through the lands of McDowell and Armentrout was recommended to D. A. Dwyer, David Tuckwiller and J. C. Ludington.

The superintendents of roads for Fort Spring district were directed to open the Muddy Creek mountain road on the route located by viewers Mann, Hawser and Hanna.

Overseers of the Poor were appointed as follows—Lewisburg, John Lipps; Fort Spring, C. M. Lipps; Blue Sulphur, A. D. Hanna; Meadow Bluff, A. H. McClung; Williamsburg, J. M. Thomasson; Falling Spring, John Pickering; White Sulphur, J. W. Hutner; Anthony's Creek, J. W. Hefner.

Road surveyors of Blue Sulphur district were directed to let to contract the re-building of the bridge over Muddy creek at Rookstool's mill.

George W. Yeukum was allowed \$90 for damages by reason of a road established through his lands.

A CORRESPONDENT writing to us from Green Bank, Pocahontas county, says: Our meadows are very fine. The corn is short for this time of the year, yet if the fall is late there will be an abundant crop. The milk weevil is working on the oats, and we believe the crop will be short.

The picnic held in the grove at the Presbyterian church on the 3rd instant was a thing of beauty and a joy forever. There was a very large crowd, a fine dinner, swings for the children, croquet for any who wished it, a good address by Rev. J. M. Eavey, with fine singing and a good time for all present. It was a Presbyterian and Methodist union picnic.

Dr. Chas. L. Austin is at home from Weston to stay, and his friends are glad to see him again in the saddle.

The call buyers are around buying all they can get.

Picnic.

There will be a grand picnic at the Catholic Church, near Williamsburg, on July 31st. Proceeds for the benefit of the Church. A first-class string band will be on hand to accommodate the merry dancer. A stage 20 by 40 feet will be erected as a dancing platform. All the delicacies of the season will be furnished on the ground at moderate rates. Parties from a distance will find feed on the ground for their horses.

COMMITTEE.

Greenbrier Circuit Court. This Court is still in session, but will probably adjourn the latter part of this week. Following is a note of its proceedings since our report of last week:

LAW ORDERS. T. A. Hall vs. Rachel E. Rupert.—In Ejectment. Verdict and judgment for the defendant.

The Court entered an order directing the Sheriff to get from E. S. Shue, convicted of the murder of his wife, and now under sentence to the pen for life, a small penknife and gold ring, the property of the late Mrs. Shue, and turn them over to her father.

Wm. McClung vs. Hallar McClung's adm'r. Referred to Com'r Guy B. Mays for an account.

State vs. C. P. Martin. A Nolle entered.

Lowry Bros. vs. John Cheatham.—Verdict and judgment for the defendant for \$5.98.

The following claims were allowed and certified to the County Court for payment: To Alex. Knight, \$10.00; to Austin Handly, \$4.00; to J. W. Johnston, \$8.00, as jury commissioners, and to D. C. Riffe, \$6.00, as clerk of said board.

J. C. Ludington was allowed an account of \$35.70 against the State for services in going to Braxton county for John P. Shue, witnesses in case of the State vs. Shue. The witness was sent for rather than allow a continuance of the case on account of his absence.

CHANCERY ORDERS. Annie R. Erwin vs. J. J. Livesay's adm'r. Referred to Com'r Fred Wallace for a report.

R. C. Rodes' adm'r vs. R. C. Rodes' heirs et als. Re-committed to Com'r Guy B. Mays.

S. F. Bright vs. N. B. McClung.—Rule against Jas. H. Miller discharged—his answer being satisfactory.

N. H. Hanna & Co. vs. J. W. Clements et als. Sale of the land in the bill mentioned, made by Com'r J. S. McWhorter to J. H. May, at \$143.50, confirmed.

S. F. Sampson and wife vs. D. W. Weaver and C. N. Simms and David Betts vs. Sams and others. Sale of the house and stable in Roncove to Sam'l Workman, at \$81.00, confirmed.

E. F. Patton vs. C. G. Lawre. Referred to Com'r Guy B. Mays for a report.

T. H. Ellis' adm'r vs. T. H. Ellis' heirs. Decree against the estate of said Ellis in favor of John A. Nickell for \$106.88.

Jordan Davis' adm'r vs. Sam'l Wilmore. The renting of the property in the bill mentioned to Sam'l Wilmore for a term of five years at the sum of \$177.80, confirmed.

E. F. Patton vs. R. A. Patton et als. Referred to Com'r Guy B. Mays for a report.

Bowling, Spotts & Co. vs. M. McLaughlin et als. Bill dismissed as to Bank of Roncove, Geo. C. Bloomer, St. Lawrence Boom & M'G. Co. and J. W. Harris.

Mary Finklestein vs. Morris Finklestein. Divorce from bed and board granted plaintiff.

Sam'l M. Deem's adm'r vs. Sam'l M. Deem's heirs et als. Sale of 100 acres to Sam'l McClung, said Deem's home place, at \$300, and of the 267 acres known as the Clay tract, (less 50 acres laid off for Lewis Flint,) at the price of \$230, confirmed.

John W. Harris, trustee, vs. Rodes & Co. Referred to H. L. Van Sicker for an account.

E. H. Camp, trustee, vs. J. F. Brown et al. Decree entered modifying former decree of sale as to the terms on which the lands are to be sold.

M. Wallace vs. Chas. McClung. Defendant elected to pay plaintiff interest on one-third of the purchase money of the 3584 acres, amounting annually to \$78.29.

L. J. Williams vs. Mrs. L. Wallace et al. Decree entered for a specific enforcement of the contract of purchase entered into by defendant L. Wallace and Geo. M. Harrah, and for a sale of the land to meet purchase money now due L. J. Williams, Com'r.

J. R. Trotter, State Superintendent, requests us to announce that the competitive examination, for the Third District, for Scholarships in the Peabody Normal College, at Nashville, will be held July 22nd and 23rd, 1897, at the Public School building in Hinton and will be conducted by W. E. Lowe. Write to the State Superintendent at Charleston for further particulars.

ON Monday, the 5th inst., the Ches. & Ohio Railway put on two extra trains—Nos. 5 and 6, to run daily except Sunday between Richmond and Roncove. No. 6 leaves Roncove at 9:20 a. m., arriving at Clifton Forge at 11 a. m., Staunton at 2:30 p. m. and Richmond at 10:20 a. m. Staunton 3:38 p. m., Clifton Forge 5:05 p. m., and reaches Roncove at 7:00 p. m.

THE SULTAN WANTS THESSALY. In obedience to the demands of the Turkish war party, the Sultan is apparently making every effort to hold on to Thessaly, that part of the territory of Greece recently overrun by his armies. He demands that Thessaly be ceded to his empire. It is said now that Emperor William, through his Ambassador at Constantinople, has expressed the hope that the Sultan will not resist the desire of the Powers for the evacuation of Thessaly by the Turkish troops.

The Powers have also presented to the Turkish government a demand for the cessation of obstructions to the peace negotiations.

ONE of the largest fees ever paid to an attorney in this State was informed was recently paid to the estate of the late Hon. John A. Hutchinson. When the famous Jones and Williamson oil case which was recently compromised for \$200,000 was instituted several years ago Mr. Hutchinson was employed in the case, and was informed that in case the suit was won his fee should be \$20,000. He took a deep interest in it and gave it much time and attention and had it well in hand when his death occurred. The fee was paid over as agreed.—Parkersburg Sentinel.

THE Court of Appeals will hold a special session at Charleston, August 10th, to hear argument on the petition for a writ of prohibition to prevent the trial by impeachment in the Circuit Court of J. S. McDonald, resident of the Kanawha County Court. The case seems to be but little doubt that the Court will refuse to writ and thus the trial will proceed in the Circuit Court.

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HON. C. B. BUSH, President of the Gilmer County (W. Va.) Court, says that he has had three cases of flux in his family during the past summer, which he cured in less than a week with Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. Mr. Bush also states, that in some instances there were twenty hemorrhages a day.—Glenville (W. Va.) Pathfinder. This remedy has been used in nine epidemics of flux and one of cholera, with perfect success. It can always be depended upon for bowel complaint, even in its most severe forms. Every family should keep it at hand. The 25 and 50 cent bottles for sale by O. P. Sydenstricker & Co.

SENATOR BATE, in a speech against the pending tariff bill, said the slogan of the day is "a tariff for robbery" rather than a tariff for revenue.

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COR. R. E. EAST, who was recently elected Professor of History in the University, is taking a summer course in this department at Harvard, preparatory to entering upon the duties of his chair this fall.

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