

**NEWS ABOUT TOWN.**

The Rev. J. W. H. Dyches, pastor of the Fort Mill Baptist church, announces that the subject of his sermon next Sunday morning will be, "The Best Thing and the Worst." A cordial invitation is extended to the public to hear the sermon.

News yesterday from the bedside of Mrs. J. T. Young, who is a patient at a Charlotte hospital, was that her condition was somewhat improved. Mrs. Young has been in ill health for some time and has heretofore found it necessary to go to a hospital for treatment.

At the last meeting of the town council of Fort Mill announced was made that a purchaser for the \$4,000 worth of town bonds voted some time ago to pay off indebtedness incurred in extending water mains had been found in the Loan and Savings bank of York.

A meeting of the town council of Fort Mill on Tuesday evening, March 7, the local fire department was reorganized with W. T. Barron as chief, James T. Young, Jr., assistant chief, W. S. Belk engineer, and the following firemen: B. M. Bradford, Marion Mills, William Ardery, T. F. Lytle, Earl Bailes, Sam Stevenson, T. D. Burrage, Herbert Harris, Barron Bennett, Jno. Bayne, Henry McGuirt and R. E. McKibben.

County Supervisor Hugh Brown spent Monday in Fort Mill arranging to repair the public bridge over Steel creek, near the site of the old White mill, two miles east of town. The bridge was partly washed away by the heavy rains of a few days ago and is now impassable. The road leading to the bridge is not one of the principal highways in this section and for this reason, said the supervisor, a steel bridge will not be put in to take the place of the old wooden structure.

A night school for adult illiterates and others who have received only the rudiments of an education was organized at the Fort Mill graded school Friday evening with an enrollment now at 79 pupils, most of whom live in the mill villages of the town. The classes are in session two nights a week and the expense of the school, absorbed principally in the salary of the teachers, who are paid \$1 per hour for their services, is being borne by the State. The teachers are Misses Susie White, Minnie Garrison and Emma Anderson.

Mrs. Crawford Heath entertained the Kanawha chapter, D. A. R., of Fort Mill at its regular monthly meeting at her home in Whiteville park on Tuesday, the 7th inst. Among the guests at the meeting was Mrs. B. D. Heath, vice president general of the North Carolina D. A. R., who made an interesting address that was greatly appreciated by the members of the chapter. At the conclusion of the program, Mrs. Heath invited her guests into the dining room, specially decorated for the occasion, where a salad course, coffee and mints were served.

The congregation of the Fort Mill Presbyterian church is looking forward with much interest to an illustrated lecture on China to be delivered in their church next Sunday evening by the Rev. Lucy L. Little, D. D., for the last ten years a missionary of the Southern Presbyterian church, stationed at Kwangshu, China. Dr. Little is spending a year's furlough at his old home in North Carolina. He has been one of the church's most prominent missionaries in China and with the assistance of the moving pictures taken of the everyday life of the people in his field his lecture promises to be of unusual interest.

Many Fort Mill people regretted to learn a few days ago that F. E. Ardrey, popular and progressive young citizen, contemplated moving with his family from Fort Mill to Aiken. For several years Mr. Ardrey has been local passenger agent of the Southern railway. He has accepted a similar position in Aiken and already has begun his new duties. During 1920-21 he was mayor of Fort Mill. Members of the Masonic fraternity especially regret that Mr. Ardrey has moved away from Fort Mill, as he was an enthusiastic member of the order and did much to further the interests of the local lodge, of which he was worshipful master for several years prior to 1921.

**Treasurer Neil to Retire.**  
"Yes, I have definitely decided not to again become a candidate for recommendation for appointment as county treasurer. No, you might as well make it public now if you so desire."

That was the reply of Mr. H. E. Neil to the question as to whether or not there was any truth in the rumor that he had decided to give up the office of county treasurer, says the Yorkville Enquirer.

Neil has been treasurer of the county since January 3, 1921.

**SOLDIER MEMORIAL.**

A matter of general interest to the people of the Fort Mill community is taking substantial form in the pledges of financial assistance which citizens of the town and others have recently made to a fund to erect a suitable memorial to the Fort Mill soldiers who took part in the World war, the total subscriptions to date having reached the sum of \$2,080, with those in charge of securing additional subscriptions confidently expressing the opinion that the fund will eventually go beyond \$3,500.

While the plans for the memorial have not been definitely decided upon it is proposed to erect a bronze marker at the grave of each of the Fort Mill soldiers—Thomas L. Hall, James E. Bailes, Clyde W. Stevens, Harvey F. McManus, Walter O. Leaser—and that of Fred T. Miller, whose home was at Lando, Chester county, but who served in the Fort Mill company overseas and whose body is buried with those of the five Fort Mill soldiers in the American Legion plot in the Fort Mill city cemetery. It also is proposed to erect a granite or marble shaft in Confederate park, Fort Mill, in honor of all the Fort Mill men who were in service in the World war and upon which will be bronze tablets bearing the names of these men.

Arthur C. Lytle, mayor and ex-service man, is chairman of the several committees appointed by the local Legion post to raise funds and otherwise plan for the erection of the memorial. Col. T. B. Spratt is chairman of the committee representing the business interests of the community; Col. W. H. Nims, the military organization; E. D. Culp, the American Legion; Mrs. J. L. Spratt, the Red Cross; Mrs. R. F. Grier, the Daughters of the Confederacy; and Mrs. J. B. Elliott, the Daughters of the American Revolution.

In addition to the fund which it is expected will be raised by popular subscription toward erecting the memorial, a substantial subscription will be made by the old Fort Mill Light Infantry, which has in the treasury several hundred dollars that will be expended in the compilation of a history of the company from the date of its organization in 1800 until it returned from service in the World war, the histories to be sold and the proceeds given to the memorial fund. The committee in charge of the compilation of the history of the Fort Mill Light Infantry is composed of the following citizens of the town: Capt. S. W. Parks, chairman; Col. T. B. Spratt, Capt. F. M. Mack, W. R. Bradford and A. C. Lytle.

Subscriptions thus far pledged to the memorial fund are as follows:  
Leroy Springs ..... \$200  
Kanawha chapter, D. A. R. .... 100  
Fort Mill chapter, Red Cross ... 100  
T. B. Spratt ..... 50  
S. W. Parks ..... 50  
George Fish ..... 50  
J. L. Spratt ..... 50  
W. B. Ardrey, Sr. .... 50  
Co. K, 118th Infantry ..... 50  
Catawba lodge, A. F. M. .... 50

**\$25 Subscriptions.**  
T. S. Kirkpatrick, W. S. Belk, W. B. Meacham, Sr., W. B. Meacham, Jr., S. L. Meacham, D. A. Leaser, A. C. Lytle, L. A. Harris, E. S. Lusk, J. H. Bailes, A. G. Jones, Sr., N. M. McManus, J. B. Elliott, J. M. Belk, El-Hott Springs.

**\$15 Subscriptions.**  
A. O. Jones, Jr., John E. Jones, F. M. Mack, Fred Nims, Jr., B. C. Ferguson, R. A. Fulp, W. F. Stevenson.

**\$10 Subscriptions.**  
W. H. Nims, R. F. Grier, Jr., O. T. Culp, A. L. Parks, S. A. Lee, L. J. Massey, John S. Potts, Oscar Gamble, B. M. Bradford, Barron Bennett, E. R. Patterson, T. F. Lytle, J. T. Young, Jr., Heath Belk, J. B. Mills, John S. Bayne, J. R. Healy, W. R. Brounigh, E. T. Whitesell, John J. Adkins, Omond Barber, Herbert Harris, W. H. Martin, G. W. Potts, Elmer Gordon, R. M. Bennett, J. C. McElhane, J. B. Broadbent, Earl Bailes, Arthur Ferguson, D. P. Brown, B. D. Culp, W. B. Ardrey, Jr., Paul Hoke, Gladys Ritch, Earl E. Broom, Mack Archie, G. W. McKenzie, J. L. Howie, J. M. White, E. S. Parks, W. T. Barron, Oscar Hammonds, Chas. D. Hope, Crawford Heath, F. E. Ardrey, R. H. Visser, W. D. Rogers, E. B. White, Ben F. Patterson, C. W. Eason, T. N. Reeves, J. R. DePortes, Y. O. Pottle, W. T. Doby, J. C. Cunnup, Mason Morrow, W. R. Bradford.

**\$5 Subscriptions.**  
S. L. Garrison, D. G. Culp, W. G. Grittle, W. S. Moss, D. H. Harley, Harmon Harkey, Rolfe Bailes, Withers Massey, V. D. Potts, Lee Phillips, S. A. Ligon, Miss Lottie Broadnax, Miss Hattie Huntley, A. A. Adcock, W. J. Steels, E. F. Phillips, J. E. Epps, F. H. Wilson, S. E. White, Fred Ritch, J. M. Gamble, G. S. Lemonds, J. W. H. Dyches, Fred E. Long, Leroy Cook, Banks Patterson, James Pugh, Hope Harris, Henry Lee Patterson, Barney Whitbrell, Ira Wilson, Arthur Honeycutt, J. L. Honeycutt, W. C. Whitesides, George H. Erwin, Allie Cunnup, Cleatus Faris, James C. Brown, John McGuire, Alton Smith, Harold Ross, Melvin Smith, Luther Patterson, Lonnie Robinson.

Total, \$2 080.

**Examination for Postmaster.**  
The civil service commission announces from Washington that a competitive examination will be held in Rock Hill on April 8, 1922, to select a postmaster for Fort Mill to fill a vacancy which has existed since May 5, 1920, and which has since been filled by temporary appointments. In the circular announcing the examination, the civil service commission says that "this is not an examination under the civil service act and rules, but is held under an executive order of May 10, 1921, providing for such procedure." Which means that the civil service commission may recommend for the appointment any one of the three applicants receiving the highest rating as a result of the examination.

Capt. S. W. Parks is acting postmaster of Fort Mill under a temporary appointment he received some months ago. Yesterday Capt. Parks stated that unless he changed his mind he would stand the examination in Rock Hill on April 8 for the permanent postmaster.

He has given the list of the office his undivided attention to the task of securing the best persons of the community for the permanent postmaster. He has given the office his undivided attention to the task of securing the best persons of the community for the permanent postmaster.



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