

A Box Party.

As a result of a "box party last Friday night Ransdell's Chapel added quite a neat sum, more than \$140 to a fund being raised for the completion of the interior of the church.

Baraca Banquet.

On Friday night November 13th the Baraca Class of the Bunn Baptist Sunday school delightfully entertained the Philathea Class with a banquet.

Prominent Men are in Custody.

Asheville, Nov. 24.—The second chapter in the investigation into the alleged illicit traffic in liquor in Asheville and Buncombe county was written here this morning when Superior Court Judge Frank Carter, sitting as a committing magistrate, exploded a bomb by ordering the immediate arrest of John H. Lange and Gay Green owners and proprietors of the Langren Hotel, and the Century Drug store, J. L. Alexander, proprietor of the Battery Park Hotel, and J. Baylis, Rector, manager of the Langren, together with one other man, Isadore Grant, colored, alleged agent of one of the first four named.

These men are charged with selling whiskey directly or indirectly and a number of them with aiding and abetting in the traffic through their agents.

The second and third counts charge that he "unlawfully, added and abetted the sale for gain of spirituous, vinous and malt liquors to John Doe, a person unknown to the affiant, thereby becoming a principal to said sale."

The same charges are made against Mr. Alexander, Gay Green and J. Baylis Rector, although there are only two counts against each of these included in one indictment.

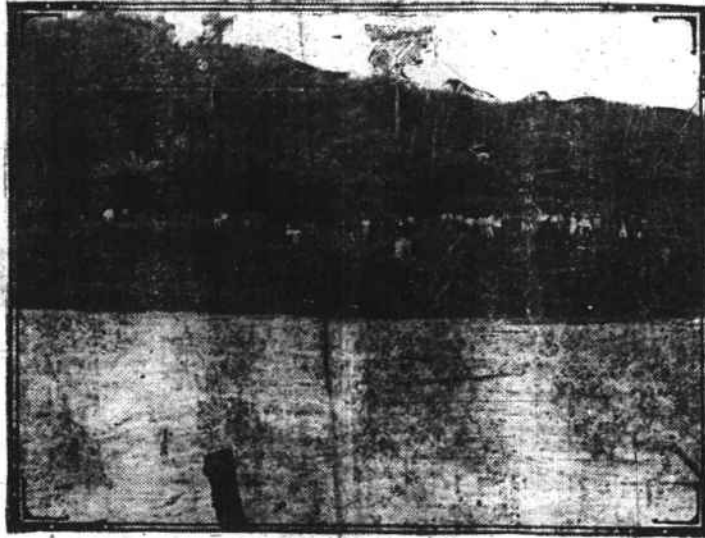
The Man With the Pistol.

The Observer does not believe that the courts, in the South as a general thing deal with the proper degree of severity in cases of pistol toting.

Baraca Banquet.

A banquet of unusual attractiveness will be tendered the business men of Louisburg on Friday night, November 28th at the Lancaster Hotel.

AFTER GAMBOA DIKE WAS BLOWN UP



Water rushing through the opening made by the explosion. Photo by Underwood & Underwood, N. Y.

ever transferred from the United States Navy to the Army, this being made possible by executive order of President Taft in 1909.

Lieutenant Ellington, who was the youngest son of the late Sheriff J. T. Ellington, of Johnston county, was graduated from the Naval Academy in 1907, standing seventh in a class of 300.

He entered the Academy at the age of 16. Lieutenant Ellington was an officer of the third cavalry assigned to the aviation corps. He was well known and popular in Fayetteville, where he has visited his brother, John O. Ellington. He was here in the spring just before going to California to enter the aviation service.

Druggist First Arrested. Asheville, Nov. 24.—The three druggists, Penrose Baldwin, D. McN. Mackay and F. H. McMullen, who were arrested two weeks ago, when the investigation was launched, were called into court this morning to plead the charge against them of violating the prohibition law by making illegal sales under license held to sell intoxicants on prescriptions.

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Judge Carter allowed this plea to be entered. The defendant waived a preliminary hearing in making this plea.

The three defendants remain under the same bonds of \$1,000 each named by Judge Carter when they were arrested.

Co-operation in Buying Farm Machinery.

I have had a great deal of experience in joining in with neighbors to buy farm implements. I remember when we co-operated a great deal more than we do now in corn husking, chopping, barn raising, log rolling and so on, where everything was done by combined physical powers.

er time, when there are several hands needed. We use these tools only a few days in the year and it would not pay either of us to invest his money in these things just for the time he would need it on his own farm.

Installing Telephones.

Cincinnati, O., November 24.—Vice President T. C. Powell of the Cincinnati Railway, (Queen and Crescent Route) announces that a telephone line will be immediately constructed between Oakdale, Tenn., and Chattanooga, a distance of eighty-four miles, upon the completion of which the telephone will be used for dispatching trains on the entire line between Danville and Cincinnati in October 1913.

Woman's Missionary Society.

The Study Circle of the Women's Missionary Society met on Monday afternoon with Mrs. J. A. Turner. An interesting program had been prepared, the subject for discussion being the fifth chapter of "Western Women and Eastern Lands."

wood, Superintendent of Public School of Kinston, will make addresses. Special music will be rendered and a very enjoyable and profitable time is expected.

Burned.

Three room house belonging to Mr. H. A. Kearney in Sandy Creek township on Sunday afternoon. The house was occupied by Robert Neal, colored. Nearly all the contents were lost. The estimated damages were about \$750 with no insurance.

Franklin County Union.

The Franklin County Baptist Union meets at Sandy Creek church on Sunday November 30th.

Captures Stills.

Mr. R. B. Harris, District, Deputy Collector for this district informs us that on November 12th he captured a large still in Gold Mine township within two and one-half miles of Wood's store. He informs us he destroyed three hundred gallons of malt and the surroundings.

List Letters.

Remaining in the postoffice at Louisburg, uncalled for November 23th.: M. H. McBryde, Estelle Dunn, Mrs. C. V. Foster, William Gilliam, Roty Green, Charlie B. Hill, Miss Hananor Jarline, Afmer King, L. H. Hinton, Allen Maynor, Miss Annie Millon, James Nay, Chas. R. Riedell, W. M. Wayson, Mrs. N. P. Williams, Alice Williams, Miss Emily Wynne, Jule Williams, D. F. Sims.

Mr. Gilend Items.

As last week was such a pretty week guess the farmers finished picking out most of their cotton. Miss Sallie Wilder spent last Saturday night and Sunday with her sister Mrs. L. R. Southall.

Successful Co-Operative Marketing.

Successful co-operative marketing must be done through a stable organization, one in which the members have more at stake than their mere word.

The Changeless Past.

If you have said a cruel thing To wound and pain, Nothing you do will ever bring It will back again; You may retract, apologize With heart that's broken, But ever you must realize The word was spoken.

County Meeting.

There will be a regular meeting of the county organization of the Farmers Union in the court house in Louisburg on Saturday, December 6th, 1913.

How to Grow Winter Lettuce.

Please tell me the best way to grow lettuce in the open ground? In the first place, you need to stuff the soil with rotten manure and then fertilizer, heavily applied.

Country Girl.

Charlotte is taking up the anti-tuberculosis work with great energy this year. The city is determined to reduce the death rate from this dread disease.

Card of Thanks.

I wish to extend my sincere thanks and appreciations to my many friends and neighbors who so kindly rendered assistance in the recent illness and death of my son. Your kindnesses will ever be remembered.