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WE WERE ERRORLESS.

Not a Better Game Has Been Played This Season By Our Boys Than Was Thursday's Game—Kings Mountain Fails to Score.

Our people for some reason are not laying as much stress on any game this season as when we go against the Mountain Island boys, but we missed a great treat in ball when we did not see the game in Charlotte Thursday, the 6th, between our team and the Kings Mountain boys. Not a better game on the part of our boys has or will be seen this season, as their playing was devoid of errors. When a team plays nine innings and fails to have a single error against any member of the team then we know that they are playing a game for which they should receive commendation. The Charlotte Observer speaks of the game thusly:

"The game between Kings Mountain and Concord Thursday was disappointing. The Mountaineers were not in it with the Invincibles of Cabarrus. They went down in a Waterloo defeat, the score being 9 to 0 in favor of Concord.

"Mountain Island has Parker and Concord has Weddington. She had him Thursday, as King's Mountain learned to her sorrow. It was said Wednesday that Weddington had lost his arm, but he found it, or a good imitation of it, Thursday, and put 'em over the plate with his old-time speed. The boys from down the Air Line could not manage him. The team, however, didn't allow him to play the game alone; they backed him up in great shape, hence the whitewash. Caldwell at second played practically well.

"The Mountain boys fielded well, but were weak in the box. Ragan was knocked out in the fifth, and Stewart was substituted. The game opened up well. Neither team scored until the third, and the spectators thought there was a treat in store for them, but their expectations were not realized.

Score by innings:
Concord..... 001051020—9
Kings Mt'n. . . 000000000—0
Struck out, by Weddington 8; Ragan 3; Stewart 1. Base on balls, Weddington 0; Ragan 3; Stewart 0. Errors, Concord 0; Kings Mountain 6. Umpire, Upchurch; scorer, Hoover."

Kings Mountain adds to her team today several of Charlotte's players and hopes to do somewhat better with their Mecklenburg aid. Our boys will return home tonight and get in shape for their trip next week.

An Unusually Good Meeting.

The Woman's Missionary society of Trinity Reformed church met in the lecture room at 4 o'clock p. m., Thursday, the 6th. All joined heartily in the Bible study, both members and visitors. The program was unusually good and all felt spiritually strengthened till the meeting adjourned. After which all present were invited to the parsonage where the president, Mrs. J. N. Faust, had some refreshments awaiting them. We all enjoyed ourselves and rendered due thanks to our hostess for the enjoyment.

MARY FOIL,
Corresponding Sec.

Improvements on the Street.

Mr. Herbert Smith, who has charge of the street work for the town, is making improvements on West Depot street. The pavements have been ridden of their grass, ditches cleaned out and the pavements levelled. A new pavement is being made along in front of the lumber yard and down in front of Mr. Charlie Wagoner's new houses.

FOR WAR IN EARNEST.

Ten Regiments of Volunteers to be Raised—Gen. Wheeler Goes to Manila.

The national government is entering upon the task of ending the Philippine war in earnest. Orders have been issued for raising ten regiments of volunteers in the United States beside what Gen. Otis can raise in the Philippines among the volunteers whose time has expired.

There will be recruiting stations in each State and the regiments, which will number from 26 to 35 inclusive, will be rendezvoused as follows:

Twenty-sixth at Plattsburg barracks, New York; Twenty-seventh, at Camp Meade, Pennsylvania; Twenty-eighth, at Camp Meade, Pennsylvania; Twenty-ninth, at Fort McPherson, Ga.; Thirtieth, at Fort Sheridan, Ill.; Thirty-first, at Fort Thomas, Ky.; Thirty-second, at Fort Leavenworth, Kan.; Thirty-third, at Fort Sam Houston, Texas; Thirty-fourth, at Fort Logan, Col.; Thirty-fifth, at Vancouver barracks, Washington.

The period of service will expire June 30, 1901, unless sooner discharged.

These troops are expected to be ready for the campaign when the rainy season is over.

Gen. Wheeler has at last been assigned to duty and is ordered to report to Gen. Otis at Manila. He will pack and be off at once. He is reported as much pleased with the order. He said:

"I believe now that the rebellion is on, that it should be stamped out. The sooner it is done the better it will be for the Filipinos, as well as for the United States. Every loyal American should support the administration in its effort to terminate the strife and to set up a good government in the Philippines. I am glad to be able to lend my aid to the government at this time, when it is in need of support. I shall place myself at the disposal of General Otis, and endeavor to do my duty as a soldier."

They Noticed the Difference.

Without saying one word in our columns to that effect, The Standard came out Thursday with an entirely new body type. We thought it best to let the actions come before the words, and would wait results. The result was that numbers of our readers noticed it and complimented it very highly. Yes, after most diligent endeavors, our office has been equipped with four hundred pounds of new long primer type and we will now expect a much cleaner-looking sheet still. Now one thing more.

We are doing our part and let our people continue their interest in our daily paper and we will continue to try to make its columns still more newsy. Any newspaper, in order to prosper, must have the co-operation of its people about it.

Install Their Officers Tonight.

Tonight is the time for the installation of the newly elected officers of the Knights of Pythias Lodge, which officers will serve for six months. It is necessary that the Past Chancellors and the newly elected officers be on hand tonight.

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Cuba As An Ore Producer.

Cuba is rich in iron ore, and is looming up a great ore producer and exporter. In 1896 the United States imported from Cuba 409,883 tons, in 1897 397,171 tons; in 1898 the war cut the importations down to 164,177 tons. The estimated importations for this year are 1,000,000 tons, and it is predicted that this will be more than doubled within the next year.

This is a peculiar kind of ore and is used mainly for mixing with American ores in the manufacture of steel, in addition to which it can probably be delivered at our Atlantic ports more cheaply than ores from inland mines, which have long transportation by rail can be. Some of the principal mines now being worked are owned and operated by Americans, who, of course utilize all the labor saving machinery possible and mine on the economical methods. These mines will prove of immense advantage to the steel industries along our coast, because that kind of iron is needed and the competition they create will insure iron at a moderate cost, and protect manufactures from combinations that might be formed if they were dependent exclusively upon the home mines. Some of the owners of Cuban mines are adding largely to their facilities for production in view of the large business they are doing and expect to do.—Wilmington Star.

On the Blue Back Speller.

Mr. Jno. R Morris, the traveling man, whose face is familiar here and who is both a prosaic and poetic contributor to the Charlotte Observer, was here today (Friday). He is now preparing a piece of poetry on the "Blue Back Speller" which ere long will be in the hands of a printer, very probably.

They Play the Union Team Next Week.

Our baseball boys will be home tonight from Charlotte and will start out again Monday morning. On Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday our team will be on the diamond at Union, S. C., trying to beat the South Carolinians.

The Horrors Grow.

The horrors of the Texas flood are not only confirmed but grow with every dispatch. Drownings continue. In some instances persons who took refuge in trees have become exhausted and tumbled into the floods. Starvation awaits many and threatens whole regions, everything being destroyed. The war department is rendering relief in rations and boats but relief can not reach a goodly number in time to save life.

Cut In Two On the Rail.

Mr. A. W. Wagoner, a white breakman, was killed on the yard at Greensboro Thursday, the 6th at 12 o'clock. He had just stepped off his train and was struck by the shifting engine. He was thrown down and cut in two just above the hips.

Prisoners May Be Released.

The Spanish commissioners sent to effect the release of Spanish prisoners in the hands of the Filipinos received encouragement that the release will be effected. It is understood, however, that Aguinaldo will take a neat little ransom as a condition.

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Formed a Partnership.

From the Newberry Herald and News, we see that our friend, Mr. Jno. A Blackwelder, who is from Cabarrus, has formed a partnership with Mr. J. B. Daventport, of that place and will engage in a wholesale jobbing and grocery business in their new comfortable quarters. Of Mr. Blackwelder the paper says he has been in the brokerage business there for some time and is a solid good fellow.

PERSONAL POINTERS.

—Mr. W. C. Lindsay, of Salisbury, is here today.

—Miss Ruth Caldwell has gone to Charlotte to spend several days at Sam Mr. Caldwell's.

—Mr. E. W. Brawley, of Mooresville, was here this afternoon.

—Mr. J. D. Hatchett and family will leave to-morrow morning to spend a few weeks at Ruffin.

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