

PERSONAL AND LOCAL BRIEFS

PEOPLE WHO COME AND GO

Items of Interest Gathered by

Our Reporter

Train to Raleigh Fair passes Mebane at 7: A. M. Thursday

Mrs. Margaret Smith of Robersonville has returned to her home.

Miss Barbara Shaw spent a few days in Hillsboro last week visiting friends.

The postal laws says the legible post marking of mail is of the greatest importance.

Mr. C. Harris and daughter, Miss Emma attended the Fair at Greensboro Thursday last.

Miss Jennie White left Tuesday for Raleigh to visit friends and take in the fair.

Big auction sale by Mebane Store Company all day Saturday, see ad in this issue.

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Mrs. F. J. Faison, mother of Mrs. Huhman spent Wednesday night in Mebane, enroute to Danville.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Mebane, parents of Miss Sue Mebane have returned to Burlington after a visit to Mebane.

Miss Daisy Miles and Miss Dorsey Vaughn from near Corbett went to the Fair at Raleigh Wednesday morning.

Miss Catherine White, Mrs. Frank Holt, Mr. Crockett Fitch, and Mr. Charlie Cates and son went down to the Fair Wednesday morning.

The fire extinguishing arrangement of the Mebane Bedding company is now completed. This system will do very much to reduce insurance rates.

A protracted meeting will begin in the Methodist Protestant church next Sunday night. Rev. T. M. Johnson of Ashboro will assist in the meeting.

The advertising streamers of Gov. W. W. Kitchin on the jackasses and through the clowns was howled down by the people at Elkin Monday in Sun Brothers circus. They got sick.

Hon. Frank D. Winston was here Saturday night and delivered a forceful talk on State and National politics. There was a good sized audience to hear him.

Mr. W. S. Cook of Rochester N. Y. stopped over with Mr. Buhman on his return from the Wills-Crawford marriage at Greensboro, and spent Tuesday night.

The resolution of Buster Brown that we are all living for comfort and you can secure it at moderate cost by trading with Holmes-Warren Co., is a wise suggestion.

Mr. and Mrs. Hudson who have been stopping at the White House, have moved into the house Mr. Jackson recently moved from, and will keep house. Mr. Hudson is one of our clever warehouse men.

The Protracted Meeting

The protracted meeting conducted at the Methodist Episcopal church for the past week closed Sunday night. Rev. Mr. Sikes who conducted the meeting preached some very able and interesting sermons, and we feel sure much good was accomplished through the meeting.

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Col. Roosevelt Shot.

Colonel Roosevelt was shot by a man said by some to be a Socialist Monday, just as he was leaving the Hotel Gilpatrick for the Auditorium at Milwaukee, Wis. His injuries are said to be trifling.

The Col. proceeded to the auditorium and made his speech, saying he was not seriously hurt, but upon examination it was found that the ball fired at him penetrated his left breast three inches, and it is feared his injuries are more serious than first thought.

Caught in a Wreck

Mr. W. E. White, a citizen of Mebane and President of the White Furniture Co., was caught in a railroad wreck near Cunningham switch twelve miles North of Birmingham, Ala., last Saturday shortly after 3:30 o'clock. Several were injured, but none serious except the engineer who was caught under his engine and fatally hurt and the postal clerk and three passengers. We learn that Mr. White was in a car that turned over, but aside from a severe shaking up was not hurt.

Sick headache is caused by a disordered stomach. Take Chamberlain's Tablets and correct that and the headaches will disappear. For sale by All Dealers.

Thundered Their Denunciation.

The citizens of New Bern, and among them some of the best in that famous old city held an indignation meeting last week and passed a series of resolutions denouncing in the severest language Mr. Kitchin's wanton and vicious attack upon Senator Simmons political character. An indignation of citizens in mass meeting is the severest denunciation to which an individual may be subjected.

At The Tobacco Warehouses.

The tobacco sales at our two warehouses was good the whole of the past week. A large volume of tobacco was sold and good prices ranged.

The Planters warehouse people tell us that last Thursday's sale was splendid they made an average in price of \$17.90 per hundred. Mr. J. H. Kirby, Warren and Gun, and Sattire Bird all made excellent sales. The Piedmont warehouse people have had their hands full, large sales and good prices ruled all the week.

A New Brick Store

Mr. A. P. Long began the erection of a new brick store last Thursday next door to W. T. Bobbitt's store. Mr. Long's store will be sixty feet long by twenty five foot front with two store and a basement. As soon as Mr. Long complets his store he will put in a stock of merchandise and resume business. Since the fire last spring which destroyed his stock entailing a loss above insurance of more than three thousand dollars, he has been looking around with a view of resuming business. Mr. Long is an active, energetic and thrifty man, and we are glad to see him fixing to resume business.

Alamance County People Marry.

Dr. Charles E. Kernodle and Miss Bertha B. Barker of Alamance county went to Greensboro by automobile in the early dawn Thursday last and at 8 o'clock in the parlor of the Guilford Hotel plighted their troth. The bride party was accompanied to Greensboro by Dr. and Mrs. Loftin Kernodle, aunt and uncle of the groom. They were met at the hotel by Dr. J. F. Kernodle a brother of the groom, and Mr. Charles A. Hines, a classmate, who were witnesses to the nuptial event.

Following the wedding, the party breakfasted at the hotel and left on train No. 44 for Washington and Baltimore. Upon their return to the state they will be at home at Elon College where Doctor Kernodle is a practicing physician. Dr. and Mrs. Kernodle are members of prominent families in Alamance and the announcement of their wedding will bring pleasurable surprise to many.

Sickening Spectacles

Mr. Thomas B. Davidson, the clever traveling representative of the International Harvester Engine Co., was at Reidsville last week during the performance of Sun Bros. Circus, and tells us he saw a sight that sickened the hearts of a number of those who had civic pride sufficient to appreciate the shameful performance. He said in the parade the Elephants, Zebras and Jackasses were adorned with cloth banners upon which was painted or printed the sign "Vote for Kitchin, he is with you always." He said the idea of using the animals of a circus to advertise the political aspirations of the Governor of North Carolina to one of the highest offices in the gift of the State was one of the most disgusting and nauseating spectacles it had been his misfortune to witness in a long time. Nor did the thing end here, the clown took it up and championed Mr. Kitchin cause under canvass.

A Day Party

Miss Emma Harris invited the members of the Aid Society of Mebane Presbyterian church to spend the Day Party Tuesday October 22nd from 10 A. M. Also the following ladies: Mrs. Buhman, Mrs. T. M. Cheek, Mrs. Jim Cheek, Mrs. Ed Cheek, Mrs. Will Cheek, Miss Lou Cheek, Mrs. A. V. Craig, Mrs. Walter Crawford, Mrs. J. T. Dick, Mrs. Douglas, Misses Douglas, Mrs. John Fowler, Misses Alice, Della and Lillie Fowler, Mrs. Owen Fowler, Miss Eunice Fairchild, Mr. P. L. Gray, Mrs. Ed Holt, Mrs. Jennie Holt, Miss Maud Holt, Mrs. John Holmes, Mrs. Henry Jobe, Miss Lessee Jobe, Mrs. L. T. Johnston, Mrs. Charlie Lasley, Miss Jennie Lasley, Mrs. Walter Malone, Miss Magada Malone, Mrs. Geo. Mebane, Misses Bettie and Fannie and Sue Mebane, Mrs. Menton, Mrs. Pettigrew, Mrs. Ella Pearson, Mrs. Patton, Mrs. Rice, Mrs. Snipes, Mrs. Shaw, Miss Barbara Shaw, Misses Margie and Mary Scott, Mrs. Mell Thompson, Mrs. Thornton, Mrs. Mollie White, Misses Mary and Kate White, Mrs. W. O. Warren, Mrs. Ben Warren, Mrs. Wilkinson.

Bring your needle work, and some thing toward a picnic dinner, and have an old fashioned good time.

Elated Items.

Mrs. F. R. Britain and Mrs. Alice Pratt visited Rev. Roland Stubbins' family at Buck Horn last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Coll McCadams and little daughter Cassie spent last Sunday at Mr. Robert Sharps.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Smith of Mebane visited Mrs. Smith's aged mother Mrs. Carolina Reeves last Sunday.

Mrs. Thomas Tapp and son George attended the funeral of Mrs. Julia Pickard at Orange Chapel last Monday.

Miss Jennie Bacon and Miss Mary Crabtree spent last Sunday with Mrs. Dud Thompson.

Mr. Will E. Thompson spent last Saturday in Hillsboro on business.

Mr. Thomas Tapp and daughter Miss Maggie visited relatives in Chatham Saturday night and Sunday.

Messrs George Thompson and Frank Roggs spent last Wednesday in Hillsboro.

We are glad to note D. E. Forrest Post Master, is able to be handing out mail again.

Mrs. W. W. Smith whose illness was noted last week is some better we are glad to learn.

Master Dan Frank Taylor is convalescent, and we hope he will soon be well for Dan is a bright little lad, much loved by all who know him.

Mr. and Mrs. John Sharp and baby Elwood of Hillsboro come out Sunday and spent the day with their parents Mr. and Mrs. Robert Sharp.

Miss Bessie Baity and brother Jack spent Tuesday in Hillsboro shopping.

Mrs. Dud Thompson has been on the sick list for the past week.

Guess I'll sit down now and give some one else the line.

Orange Grove Items

Mrs. L. M. Cates is spending a few days in Burlington with relatives.

Mr. Jasper is very sick with pelegra at the home of Mr. Jesse Dodson two miles east of the Grove. Mr. Jasper's relatives all live in the far West, but he has many friends in this community where he has been engaged in saw milling for a number of years.

S. M. Roberson continues very sick at his home at Mr. J. W. Cheeks, Jr., we hope to see him out again soon.

Mr. Charlie Carroll, recently of the Birmingham B. B. Team spent a few days with his many friends around the Grove last week. Charlie is now at Whitsett Institute rounding up his players for next season.

Messrs Chandler Cates and John Crawford spent Saturday night and Sunday at Mr. C. W. Carroll's near Durham.

Messrs. Walter O'Neal and Wade Sykes of Durham spent a few days with relatives last week, come back again boys the opossums will be fatter later in the season.

Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Cates spent Sunday at Mr. Henry Kings, we are sorry that Mr. Cates will soon leave Orange Grove.

Mrs. A. A. Perry spent last Thursday with her sister Mrs. D. F. Crawford.

Gathering corn and sowing wheat and oats keep the farmers busy now, but the rain that began Sunday night and is still falling Monday will cause him to call a halt, this is the first rain of any consequence in many months.

Mr. Marshall Cates spent Saturday night with Mr. Broady Thompson.

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The Truth in a Nutshell.

The British Board of Trade and Navigation closes its latest annual report with a statement in which there is wholesome food for thought for the people of these United States. The declaration reads in this wise:

Free Trade, in short, has made us not merely the carriers of the world, but the shipbuilders of the world.

The truth of this statement is fully borne out by the facts in the case. When Great Britain, about the middle of the last century, threw tariff protection overboard and entered upon the policy of virtual free trade, British merchant tonnage was second in volume to that of the United States. Today the British merchant marine is larger than that of all the rest of the world combined.—Va. Pilot.

For Sale

For sale two horses and one mule. For rent one four horse farm, and one two horse farm. The farms have all necessary buildings.

W. E. Ham, Mebane, N. C. October, 10th.

The premium list in the tomato contest was crowded out of this weeks paper but will appear next week.

Road From Cedar Grove.

Cedar Grove, N. C. Oct. 12th, 1912

Editor Leader:—

I want to thank you for your remarks on the need of a road from Mebane to Cedar Grove.

"There are a number of people living out in the direction of Cedar Grove that would be glad to see a good road running in from Orange county East by Captain Graves."

Since the supreme court has decided the Orange county bond issue valid, it seems to the writer that there should be a road built from the Harmony neighborhood by Mr. Joe Picketts to Mebane, or to the Alamance county line, and then the Mebane people to build into Mebane. There is a very large territory lying between Cedar Grove and Mebane that has no public road to Mebane without going two or three miles out of the way. The Mebane people are as much interested in this matter as we are, and we trust that they will help us to get this road. It will help the tobacco market at Mebane very much. I would suggest that a public meeting be held at Hughes Mill to discuss this question and see if something can be done to get this road. I know that our next county commissioner, Mr. John P. Hughes will do all he can to get in this road. I hope you will discuss this matter and get your workmans to get busy. I hope you will print this letter.

A friend to Mebane.

NOT SORRY

Tearing Up Party Furniture.

Judge Clark, of The Statesville Landmark, who was attracted to Charlotte, Monday afternoon, by Peter Pan, and was attracted to The Observer office by the fraternal and social magnet, advanced the proposition that The Observer was glad the State campaign would be soon over. To this he replied frankly that it was not. Before the beginning of the campaign when Governor Kitchin outlined his plan of warfare, we knew the campaign would be one out of which no good could grow to the Democratic party and we have not been mistaken. The Simmons plan, in self-defense, have had to party thrusts. They have contented themselves with that. The situation has permitted of no attempt at the preservation of party harmony but the retrospect that is to be written will show that the disturbance within the party was forced by Governor Kitchin and his friends. As the election has drawn nearer, they have become only the more recklessly disrespectful of the interests of the Democracy of the State. Governor Kitchin will not only be badly defeated in his coveted designs upon Senator Simmons' seat, but he is going to strew the State with party wreckage which the managers in the next campaign will have a sad time in assembling and putting into shape again. We want to see to what lengths they will go in this battering up of the household furniture of the State Democracy. It is an interesting process and we shall not be glad when the arrival of November 5 will call time on it.—Charlotte Observer.

Where Is The Money Coming From.

Where is all the money coming from that Kitchin's campaign managers are spending in Davidson county and the other counties of the state? It is being spent very freely to employ men to travel about and circulate falsehoods and to abuse everybody who is not for Kitchin, the mighty "trust buster," who "eats 'em alive!"—Lexington Dispatch.

The Sowing and the Reaping.

Be not deceived; God is not mocked; for whatsoever a man soweth, that shall he also reap. Gal. 6 chap. 7 verse 6. The above was the subject of Rev. T. A. Sykes discourse at the Mebane Methodist church last Wednesday night. They were the solemn and pathetic words uttered by St. Paul, and they carried with them the most pertinent meaning to the world of any ever uttered. "For he that soweth to the flesh shall of the flesh reap corruption; but he that soweth to the spirit shall of the spirit reap life everlasting." To which are you sowing. He divided his text under three separate heads, the natural, or physical condition, the mental, or condition of the intellect, the spiritual, or soul condition. If you violate nature's laws and do something, that is imprudent and improper your physical body must suffer the penalty, if you stress your mind and do violence to your mental well being then suffering follows. If you become a violator of the great moral, or religious code, then the severest penalties follows. Devine attributes are outraged, and the scourge of a wronged conscience lays on the lash with relentless fury and in any and all ways in which you violate these laws, natural, moral, or divine swift and sure punishment follows, not in proportion to what you have done but a hundred, and sometimes a thousand fold in excess. It is the sowing, and the reaping, and according to every known law the reaping is always in excess of the sowing, sow unto the flesh and of the flesh you shall reap corruption, sow unto the spirit, and of the spirit you shall reap life everlasting. Be not deceived God is not mocked. There are so many ways in which you may sow. You will find in some communities, in fact in all, men and women, sowing evil words about each other, slandering, and libelling each others character, many an innocent girl has been driven to the mad house, or a premature grave by these mouthing harpies, these assassins of character, whose chief concern in life is to stab ones reputation. Ah! the miserable wanton, reckless wreckers, some of these characters destroying things are starting me in the face. He said the reaping was always in excess. A little girl once heard her parents criticizing and old minister for a lengthy sermon he had delivered it sowed in her heart the seed of dislike for the minister. Suppose the little girl was on her death bed and her parents had called in this good man in this last sad hour, the child would possibly turn away from him, how truly sad the picture, and yet how distressingly true. Mr. Sykes preached to a full church and those who listened to him enjoyed his sermon.

Mr. Kitchin announces himself as the only true-blue, all-wool, yard-wide, east-'em-alive opposer of the Southern Railway; he said so four years ago; but all that he has done has been to make speeches and run for another office. Great corporations can do great harm. They can crush competition, lower the prices of the raw material and raise the cost of the finished; and hence they are to be properly controlled."

Mr. Lockhart illustrated with the American Tobacco Company, and for a little while he handled that corporation without gloves. Then he referred to the position of Governor Kitchin. "Kitchin is the great self-announced trust-buster, who has never even attempted to bust a trust. If chosen as United States Senator, he will bust just as many trusts as he has busted during the past four years."

IMPALES KITCHIN

Upon His Own Spear, James A. Lockhart Flays The Governors Record.

We reproduce extracts from the speech made at Madison Saturday by Mr. Lockhart in which he tears into ribbons some of the presumptions claims of Mr. William Walton Kitchin.

When the people of North Carolina were groaning under the oppression of negro domination, Aycock came to the front and said: "Elect me, and I will do the work." He was elected and negro domination is buried forever. Governor Aycock was also heartily in favor of educational reforms, and the reforms were accomplished. Later Governor Glenn determined to bring about prohibition and the adjustment of the passenger rate question, was elected, and the history of his service shows how well he accomplished his promises.

Then the people having heard the fair promises of William Walton Kitchin elected him as successor of Aycock and Glenn, and the result has been simply four years of whinning, "I can't do anything." At this point with tremendous emphasis, Mr. Lockhart shouted. "Do we want a man who can't in the United States Senate?"

Immediately a strong response "No! No!" came from the audience.

Mr. Lockhart said that Governor Kitchin reminded him of—

"An infant crying in the night, an infant crying for light, only a cry and nothing more."

Then he asked, "Do the people of North Carolina want a cry-baby in the United States Senate?" The ap-

CLARK AND VICTORY

(Fayetteville Daily Observer.)

Don't let them deceive you. The farmers do not talk much but they cast 80 per cent of the votes. They remember their friends and they know that Walter Clark has been their consistent friend for many years, and they are going to stand by him now. And remember that from the battle of Sharpsburg in 1861 to this day, Walter Clark has faced all kinds of enemies and opposition and fought in many battles, and he has never surrendered and he has never been DEFEATED.

POLITICAL ADVERTISING

SENATOR SIMMONS AT DURHAM

A Brief Summary of His Great Speech at Durham as Taken From The Durham Sun.

While the Sun in the main gives the gist of this great speech, but it does not attempt to give it verbatim, and only in this way could its depth and strength be appreciated.

After thanking Mr. Umstead for his kindly words of introduction and the Trinity boys for their cheer, Mr. Simmons began his speech in earnest. He said he didn't know how to make a speech without upholding the democratic party and the democratic candidates. "I do not claim that during my twelve years in the senate that I have not made some mistakes, but on my record, taken as a whole, either during my twelve years in the senate or before that time, and this is the only way it should be taken, I stand and confidently appeal to the democrats of North Carolina for re-election. I do not come here this evening to make defense or an apology for my record, for it defends itself. I do come to protect that record against the wilful misrepresentation."

"Three-fourths of the members of the state executive committee are my friends." Referring to the much talked of test that this committee has fixed for participation in the senatorial primary. Mr. Simmons said that he asked his friends to fix a test that would be best for the democratic party, without regard to his personal interest or benefits in the matter. "They fixed that test and if it cuts me out of a few thousand votes I shall have a few thousand votes to spare."

NO PARTY FIGHTER.

When the senator expressed his intention of making no fight against any member of the democratic party holding high official position, the sentiment was highly applauded by the audience. "I can fight republicans as hard, and scratch them as deeply as any man but I will not assail the party of the party organization. When any man bears me attacking the democratic executive committee or the convention, I will give them the permission to kick me from the stump on which I make that charge."

"MY DEMOCRACY ASSAILED"

"My democracy has been assailed" said the senator, referring to the Kitchin charges, "for votes I cast four years ago. The man who is now assailing my democracy is the same man who assailed the democracy of Locke Craig four years ago. His democracy was assailed and you were told that he was a tool of the railroads and the interests. There is a remarkable coincidence in this, in that Lock Craig was in this man's way four years ago, just like this year you people of North Carolina are going to put him out of my way."

He took up in detail the three different times which congress had handled the tariff question while he was in the senate. "The first of these was in 1909, when the Payne-Aldrich tariff bill was passed. This was a republican measure framed along high protection lines, and involved three thousand items. I voted in the committee of the whole against every one of these items except thirteen, and for these I voted just as all the other senators of the south voted."

The senator here expressed his views as to protection. He said that he voted for a duty on these thirteen articles because they were southern products, and that he was unwilling to see the products of the north come in for protection, and all the manufactured products of the south put on the free list. On the article for which he voted for a duty, there was an average reduction of the tariff of 35 per cent. "Included in this list: were lumber and iron ore. I voted to reduce the duties on these articles, but when the senators of the north wanted to put them on the free list we of the south declined to agree, since the north refused to have any reduction on their products."

Asleep at the Switch

Why is it that practically all the officials of the tobacco trust and the railroads are for Kitchin? Four years ago he said these people were his bitter enemies and that he was going to destroy them? Did he ever go to sleep at the switch? Did he ever try to do anything to disturb their slumbers?—Lexington Dispatch.

Saves Leg Of Boy.

"It seemed that my 14-year old boy would have to lose his leg, on account of an ugly ulcer caused by a bad bruise," wrote D. F. Howard, Aquone, N. C. "All remedies and doctors treatment failed till we tried Bucklen's Arnica Salve, and cured him with one box." Cures burns, boils, skins eruptions, piles. 25c at Mebane Drug Co.