

WOOD-WERNE.

A Marriage in Richmond Last Week of Interest to Concord People.

The Richmond Virginian, of June 17, contains the following account of the marriage of Miss Lucile Werne, granddaughter of Mrs. Bettie M. Johnson, of Concord, to Mr. Robert W. Wood:

All Saints Episcopal church was the scene of a beautiful wedding Thursday evening at 7 o'clock, when Miss Lucile Werne, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Barber R. Lockett, was married to Mr. Robert W. Wood, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry W. Wood. The church was beautifully decorated with palms and ferns which were banked about the chancel. Mr. Ernest H. Cosby presided at the organ, playing the wedding march. The ceremony was performed by Rev. J. Y. Downman, rector of the church.

Miss Marion B. Monsell was the bride's maid of honor and only attendant. She wore an exquisite lingerie gown over green, and carried a large bouquet of pink sweet peas. The bride was beautifully gowned in soft white satin, trimmed with real lace and chiffon, and carried the marriage vow, with streamers of white sweet peas. Her filmy tulle veil was arranged with streamers of lilies of the valley. She entered the church with her stepfather, by whom she was given away.

Mr. Thomas Whittet was the groom's best man, and the ushers included Messrs. William T. Johnson, Ryery Wood, McLean Whittet, I. L. Davis, Jacobs and Richard Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. Wood left immediately after the ceremony for a Northern tour, and will be at home after July 15 at 2016 Park avenue.

An informal reception was given in the home of the bride, 300 Fourth avenue, Highland Park, on Tuesday evening, when the decorations were most attractive in pink and green. The presents, including cut glass, silver and rare china, were both numerous and costly.

Among the out-of-town guests were Mrs. B. M. Johnson, Concord, N. C., grandmother of the bride; Mrs. J. R. Card, Dallas, Tex., and Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Johnson, Greenville, S. C.

Cotton Crop Conditions.

The Memphis Commercial Appeal Monday published the following summary of cotton crop conditions:

The past week was favorable to the cotton crop except in the two Carolinas and part of Georgia where the rainfall was excessive, washing the fields and delaying cultivation so that grass is feared. North Carolina fields were damaged by flooding. Elsewhere it appears that a week of bright weather will repair much of the loss.

The crop has not grown rapidly and is still small for the season. The plant generally looks healthy, however, and would grow very fast with high temperatures day and night.

In many sections where there are complaints, correspondents anticipate much better reports next week if the weather is warm. It would seem that a week of dry weather would put the crop in excellent shape as to cultivation throughout the South.

In Texas the soil is dry, but as yet little hurt has been received. Moisture is needed, however, to stimulate plant growth. Boll weevils do not appear numerous, although in Mississippi and some sections of Louisiana they are more so.

In general dry warm weather is needed east of Texas and Oklahoma while rains would be beneficial in these two States.

Hot Weather this Week.

Summer will make its warmth felt over the greater part of the United States during the present week, according to the prediction of the weather forecaster. The temperature will be above the average for the season over the Plains States during the first half of the week, followed by lower temperatures after Wednesday. Temperatures will be near or above normal in the Eastern and Southern States during the greater part of the week, while in the Rocky Mountain and Plateau regions and on the Pacific Coast the temperature will be near or below normal.

Headache Drives Girl to Suicide.

New York World.
Catherine Stalknecht, nineteen, of No. 379 Grove street, Jersey City, complained last night of a severe headache. "I can't stand this any longer," she told her father, John Stalknecht, for whom she kept house. An hour later she was found dead in her room. She had taken carbolic

acid. Tex Rickard announced Monday the Johnson-Jeffries fight would take place in Nevada, July 4, but declines to say what city. The general belief is that Reno will be selected. The Langford-Kaufman fight, which was to have been pulled off in Frisco last Saturday has also been shifted to Nevada and will be held July 24.

LETTERS AND CROSS IN SKY.

Awe-Inspiring Phenomena During Saturday Night's Severe Storm.

The Luray, Va., correspondent of Monday's Baltimore Evening Sun, contains the following account of some remarkable phenomena in Virginia:

For a short time Saturday evening, preceding a violent storm that for hours swept over this valley, some remarkable phenomena was witnessed in the eastern sky, almost at the zenith.

The appearance of a well-defined capital "U" was easily seen in the white colors in a black cloud. Immediately to the right of this was easily discernible a capital "C," which appeared to be inverted. This also was in the midst of a cloud.

Just to the right of the "C" was to be seen the distinct outlines of a perfect cross, the perpendicular part apparently being 15 or 20 feet in height, while the cross-beam was 8 or 10 feet.

Every portion of each of the characters was perfectly formed, and all appeared evenly distanced.

The strips of white, out of which the characters were composed, appeared to be 22 or 24 inches in width.

Local papers a few days ago published a prediction that yesterday was to witness the end of all earthly things and the heavenly spectacle marking the closing of an afternoon which had been full of threatening clouds, heavy thunder and vivid lightnings, reached the climax of fear in those who had looked upon the day with awe.

Many read the heavenly spectacle thus: "You see the cross."

Two streaks of lightning flashing across the clouds, also made a distinct cross, visible just about a second.

Traveled With Dead Child.

Philadelphia Record.
Sitting beside her child in a train for 90 miles, and not knowing that it was dead until the train arrived at Broad Street Station Saturday, Mrs. Grace Maher, of Brooklyn, who was on her way to join her husband in Baltimore, nearly collapsed when she lifted a handkerchief from the child's face and discovered that she was dead. Mrs. Maher left Jersey City for this city about 2:45 p. m., with her five children. Shortly after they started Alverta, 4 years old, the youngest of the five, told her mother that she felt ill. Her mother placed her on a car seat and put a handkerchief over her face to keep the flies off. Thinking that she was sleeping the mother did not attempt to arouse her until they arrived here, when she discovered that she was cold. She immediately sought a physician, who pronounced the child dead. Undertaker Oliver Bair was notified and took charge of the remains, which were sent to Baltimore. A telegram was immediately sent to the distracted mother's husband, and she continued her journey.

No; He is Bound by No Promise Not to Run.

Charlotte Chronicle.

The Concord Tribune is glad to note the Chronicle's recent expression about Judge Pell. "His first court," it says, "was held in Cabarrus, and his conduct on the bench won the admiration and respect of all who came in contact with him. He has more than justified the expectations of his friends, and we think the Democrats in his district should nominate him." And by the way, this reminds us. The Chronicle has it on pretty good authority that Judge Pell is bound by no promise not to stand for nomination by the convention, the general understanding to that effect to the contrary.

New Officers Stokes Lodge.

At the regular communication of Stokes Lodge, No. 32, A. F. & A. M., last night the following officers were elected:

E. E. Hendrix, W. M.
H. D. Honeycutt, S. W.
F. Swindell Kluttz, J. W.
J. M. Hendrix, Treasurer.
J. S. Lafferty, Secretary.
M. L. Buchanan, Trustee.
Next Monday being St. John's Day the installation of officers will take place.

The lodge decided to have the Oxford Orphan Singing Class with them sometime during the summer.

Young graduates advising the world to hitch its wagon to a star should be careful to warn it not to couple up with the comet's tail, as it would be too bad not to come back again for 75 years.

If we cannot make your sewing machine work as well as a new one, it will not cost you a penny. Ring 308 and let's talk it over.—Griffith, of Course.

President Taft signed the statehood bill at 1:40 o'clock Monday afternoon.

GEORGE JONES IN SONG.

The poetical effusion of the Hon. Mr. George Jones, published in this paper and widely copied in the State press, seems to have had its effect on arousing and bringing to light the sleeping poetic genius of other bards, as witness the following from the gifted pen of Mr. Robert Blackwelder:

There was man in jail named Jones
His occupation was that of a barber,
But ever since court he's gone
And the chain gang is his harbor.

Since to the gang he come,
His occupation is driving a team,
At this he seems to be a bum,
Until he hears the Captain scream.

Then he starts out on his way
And forgets to fasten his line
And it seems as if he had lost
The time of day
Or either had lost his mind.

The team he drives of course are mules
One named Lou the other Rabbit,
They seem to be perfect fools,
But when Captain hollows Jones
Will grabit.

For breakfast he eats his bread and meat,
At dinner his corn bread and peas,
At supper he will sit and eat,
Till you think his mind is at ease.

The job to him seems new,
But in one hundred and twenty days
George Jones with the other few
Will learn some of the chain gang's ways.

The Harris Furniture Co. at Asheville Asheville Gazette-News, 20th.

The Harris Furniture company, with W. R. Harris, proprietor, and T. B. Harris, secretary and treasurer, succeeds the Walton & McLean Furniture business. W. R. Harris was formerly secretary of the Bell & Harris furniture company, of Concord, and Spencer, and has been in the furniture business for the past 15 years. Mr. Harris, it is understood, will move his family to Asheville in a few days and will make this city his permanent home.

It is the purpose of the new concern to carry a complete stock of medium and high grade furniture and house furnishings. T. B. Harris, son of W. R. Harris, is a splendid young business man and will be secretary and treasurer of the company. F. A. Walton, who was connected with the old company, will remain with Harris Furniture company.

The Kaiser Drinks Too Much Beer.

Over indulgence in beer is responsible for the German Kaiser's blood disorders, which have twice incapacitated him during the last month, according to a statement made Monday at Paris by Dr. Boyden, well known cancer authority.

"I am satisfied the Kaiser's kidneys are in a bad condition as a result of beer. The infection was manifested first in an abscess on the right hand and now is showing in an abrasion on the right knee. It is liable to become general unless heroic measures are taken to prevent the spread. Should the infection continue death is sure to result. A man with blood in his condition shouldn't drink beer or other alcoholic beverages."

The Kaiser's condition is very bad.

Advertised List at the Concord Post-office, June 20th, 1910.

MEN.

James Billingsby, J. C. Brooks, Arthur Bundy, Huey Dicks, Harrison Davis, Otter Helms, Eugene Howell, Robert Lee, G. H. Lenby, J. A. Overcash, J. C. Parker, W. Poreher, W. B. Poreher, Jessie Poplin, Erley Sharp, Sam Tucker, Alfred Webber.

WOMEN.

Mrs. J. L. Bost, Minnie Cannon, Mrs. Lucy Helms, Jessie Leach, Rillet Net, Mrs. Frank Peterson, Mary Perute, Annie Sides, Lula Stephens, Miss Ada Stirewalt, Mrs. Annie White.

When calling for the above please say "Advertised."

M. L. BUCHANAN, Postmaster.

Double Track Not Completed.

We published yesterday an article from the Charlotte Observer stating that the double track of the Southern Railway is about completed between Salisbury and Concord. This is an error. No double tracking has been done between the Buffalo cotton mill here, and Coddle Creek, a distance of about five miles. The work is completed from Coddle Creek to Charlotte and from Buffalo mill to two miles north of Greensboro.

The chances of a "vardiet" from the Ballinger-Pinchot investigating committee during the present session of congress are remote.

Miss Martha Moore, of Charlotte, is visiting Mrs. Z. M. Moore.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Some of the People Here and Elsewhere Who Come and Go.

Mr. Sidney Lowe is spending the day in Charlotte.

Miss Mary Heilig, of Mt. Pleasant, is spending the day in the city.

Mr. J. F. Goodson and son, Neeley, are spending the day in Charlotte.

Miss Kate Garrett left yesterday for her home at King's Mountain.

Mr. Arnold Dennis returned home Saturday night from Trinity College.

Mr. W. G. Caldwell left this morning for Morganton on a short business trip.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Odell are visiting Mrs. S. J. Darham, in Bessemer City.

Mrs. H. M. Barrow and Miss Julia Barrow will spend the summer at Tarboro.

Mrs. W. J. Glass left last night for Baltimore to visit her sister, Mrs. A. C. Frey.

Miss Ozama Murr will leave this afternoon for Charlotte to visit friends.

Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Porter have returned from a visit to friends in Charlotte.

Mrs. Sue Williams and Catherine Wheeler returned today from Connelly Springs.

Mrs. Byrd, of Darlington, S. C., arrived this morning and is the guest of Mrs. H. W. Galaway.

Mrs. J. P. Fisher left this morning for Spartanburg, S. C., to visit her sister, Mrs. M. B. Kibler.

Mr. W. H. Childs, of Lincoln, spent last night in the city the guest of Mr. Clarence Norman.

Mr. Frank Brown left yesterday for Black Mountain, where Mrs. Brown has been for some time.

Miss Jennette Lentz will return this afternoon from Mt. Holly, where she has been visiting relatives.

Messrs. E. V. Correll, E. H. Brown and E. A. Moss returned this morning from a ten days' visit to New York.

Mr. James Northey, commercial agent of the Southern Bell Telephone Co., was a Concord visitor this morning.

Miss Mary Heilig, of Mt. Pleasant, passed through the city this morning en route to Jefferson, S. C., to visit friends.

Mrs. Charles Thayer, of Mt. Pleasant, passed through Concord this morning en route to Salisbury to visit friends.

Miss Elizabeth Ashby, of North Wilkesboro, is spending the day with Miss Josephine Kerr, at the home of Mr. E. F. Correll.

Mr. D. B. McCrary, of Asheville, is spending the day in the city on business connected with the estate of the late Dr. J. O. Walker.

Mrs. I. H. Eldridge and little daughter, Mary Lilly, of Greensboro, were passengers on No. 11 this morning en route to Charlotte to spend the day with Mrs. W. H. Lilly.

Miss Margaret Morris, who has been visiting at the home of Mr. W. W. Morris, returned this morning to her home in Mecklenburg county.

Miss Nan Cannon will leave this afternoon for Salisbury, where she will join Mrs. D. F. Cannon and go to Hendersonville to spend some time.

Children's Lawn Party Thursday.

Last week the following invitations were sent out by the Children's Missionary Society, of St. James Lutheran church: The Children's Missionary Band invites you now to be on hand Next Thursday afternoon at four At Mrs. V. L. Norman's door.

Now when you come be sure to bring Some sort of silver offering, If you can't come, you may just send it.

And let us for the heathen spend it. On account of continued bad weather it was decided best to postpone this social meeting until Thursday afternoon of this week.

Accordingly, all who have received the above invitation will be welcomed at Mrs. Norman's on next Thursday afternoon, June 23.

"Has Roosevelt realized his mistake?" inquires a contemporary. Well, anyway, he has realized the mistakes of ever so many other people.

Theodore Roosevelt, Jr., and Miss Eleanor Butler Alexander were married at 4 o'clock Monday afternoon in Fifth Avenue Presbyterian church, at New York.

Congress leaders are now predicting the adjournment of the present session by Thursday, June 23rd.

Vote in Judicial Convention.

The following counties comprise the twelfth judicial district: Mecklenburg, Gaston, Cleveland, Cabarrus and Lincoln. The convention, to nominate a Democratic candidate for solicitor, will be held at Gastonia, July 7. The following shows the vote to which each county is entitled in the convention:

Mecklenburg county	85
Gaston County	51
Cleveland County	46
Cabarrus County	32
Lincoln County	26

Total No. Votes in Convention, 240

Three of the counties have candidates, two of them two candidates each. They are as follows: F. M. Shannonus and D. B. Smith, of Mecklenburg; A. G. Mangum and Geo. W. Wilson, of Gaston, and C. E. Child, of Lincoln. Cleveland and Cabarrus have no candidate.

One Preacher Kills Another in the Pulpit.

Rev. Robert Vanover and Rev. Isaac Perry, of Rock Creek, Ky., rival Baptist ministers, fought with knives in the pulpit of the Rock Creek Baptist church and Vanover's throat was cut from ear to ear, he dying a few minutes later.

Church troubles are said to have caused the fight.

Statement.

sheriff with a view to removing him from office for failure to enforce the State prohibition law or any other law and this is the first I have heard of such a thing. I have never heard it suggested even that the Governor of North Carolina had the power to remove sheriffs," said Governor Kitchin Saturday in answer to an inquiry as to a publication that has appeared in a number of papers of the State to the effect that Governor Kitchin is preparing to remove certain sheriffs who are failing to enforce the State prohibition law.

The story goes on to set out that most of the sheriffs to be removed are Republicans in western counties and adds that the Governor had one before him recently and let him go on a promise to do better.

All this the Governor says is news to him.

Charles Parks, a young married man, who disappeared from his home last Wednesday, was found dead in the woods near his home six miles from Monroe Monday with the back of his head shot off. The body was in a decaying condition when found. The coroner's jury is investigating. No clue to the murderer.

Miss Lillian Lentz, of Denton, is visiting Miss Lee Propst.

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