

# FRANKLIN TIMES.

JAMES A. THOMAS, EDITOR.

THE COUNTY, THE STATE, THE UNION.

SUBSCRIPTION \$1.00 PER YEAR.

VOL. XXXVII.

LOUISBURG, N. C., FRIDAY, AUGUST 30, 1907.

NUMBER 20.

## ENJOYABLE HOUSE PARTY

### GLEN-HELEN ALIVE WITH MANY YOUNG PEOPLE.

#### An Excellent German, A Delightful Card Party and Many other Things of Pleasure Given the Guests.

The guests at Glen-Helen, where Miss Helen Crenshaw's house party is in progress, have been the recipients of many social attentions during the past week, and the gayeties of the season have been at their height.

There was a largely attended and brilliant German at the Opera House on Monday evening, which is elsewhere noted, and on Tuesday evening Miss Crenshaw gave a whist party in their honor. Again on Wednesday afternoon a card party complimentary to the guests of the house party was given by Mrs. F. H. Allen at her residence on Main street.

The whist party on Tuesday evening was quite a brilliant and unique entertainment. The score cards and prizes were of Dutch design, having been brought over from Holland by Miss Crenshaw during her recent trip abroad. The first prize which was won by Miss Julia Cooper, of Henderson, N. C., was a typical Dutch calendar handsomely illustrated with steel engravings of striking and beautiful design. The consolation prize was a pair of miniature hand carved wooden shoes, such as are worn in Holland and the ice cream which was served by Misses Annie and Alba Allen, dressed as Dutch maidens, was in moulds patterned after the fashion of the land of dyke and tulips.

Those present were Misses Hattie Lee Guess of Denmark, S. C. Rena Burwell of Washington, D. C. Mary Sipe of Harrisonburg, Va. Julia Cooper of Henderson, N. C., Kate Blackhall of Kittrell, N. C., Bessie Jacobs of Windsor, N. C., and Misses Mary Malone, Annie K. Malone, Eleanor Cooke, Lucy Hawkins, Blanche Hawkins, Manie London, Sallie Green, Annie Green Messrs. James Guess, of Denmark S. C., James White of Augusta Ga., Weldon Hawkins of Ridgeway, N. C., Thomas Bullock of Henderson N. C., Mack Johnson of Wilmington, N. C., Bennett H. Perry of Henderson, N. C., and P. R. White, K. K. Allen, C. H. Banks, T. K. Allen, Arthur Person, R. F. Yarborough A. A. Clifton, Wilson Green and T. T. Terrell, of Louisville.

The card party at Mrs. F. H. Allen's on Wednesday afternoon was a delightful affair. Mrs. L. L. Joyner presided at the punch bowl, and Misses Bonnie and Alva Allen, acted as scorers for the game of progressive whist which was played. The first prize was won by Miss Rena Burwell. Besides the members of the house party there were present Mesdames L. L. Joyner and B. B. Perry; Misses Virginia Foster, Mary Malone, Eleanor Cooke, Annie Malone, Annie Allen and Alba Allen; Messrs. K. K. Allen, P. R. White, W. W. Boddie, S. C. Ford, A. W. Person.

### Revenue Officers Shoot Each Other Through Mistake.

On Thursday night of last week two squads of Revenue officers, who were after the same "moonshine" still, had a regular pitched battle through mistake. A telephone message from Chapel Hill, near which place the distillery was located, conveyed the particulars to E. C. Duncan, collector, on Friday morning which were as follows:

Two separate parties of revenue officers came upon each other close to a blockade distillery in the woods near there, and each taking the other for blockaders commanded the other to hold up their hands, the result was repeated rounds of shot.

wounded man, as the result, is Deputy United States Marshal J. B. Jordan. A bullet struck Jordan just above the left nipple, glanced around the rib and came out close to the spine. Physicians say the wound is not necessarily fatal.

Deputy Collector J. R. Banks was shot in the hip, possibly necessitating amputation.

Deputy Revenue Agent Henry was shot in the leg, not seriously.

Deputy Collector Riggabee received a bullet in his arm, inflicting a flesh wound.

The facts are that Deputy Collectors Hendrix, J. R. Banks and Deputy Marshal Jordan left Raleigh last evening for this raid. They were joined at Durham by Deputy Revenue Agents Henry Riggabee and others from Greensboro, for the joint raid.

Through some misunderstanding the parties missed each other, each thinking the other had been detained from some cause. Each decided to proceed with the raid lest delay should give opportunity for the blockaders, getting wind of the movement, to escape. The result was that they met as stated above, close by the distillery.

### A Surprise Marriage.

Two of our young folks sprung quite a surprise on our people on Wednesday evening when Rev. L. S. Massey was sent for and requested to pay a short visit to the home of Mr. B. N. Williamson. Upon arrival he was informed that his services were desired in joining in holy wedlock two of our young people—Mr. Ernest W. Furgurson and Miss Ouida Tucker. The minister, in the presence of a few friends who simply "happened" to be there, very solemnly performed the ceremony. The groom is a most excellent young man, member of the firm of Furgurson Brothers, and has the hearty congratulations of his friends. The bride is the charming and attractive daughter of Mr. W. E. Tucker and possesses many traits that go to make up the woman of lovely character. They left yesterday on the 5 o'clock train for Baltimore, and will return via Washington City and the Jamestown Exposition. The editor wishes them much happiness.

### Increased Cost.

Like everything else, the cost of making a newspaper has increased. A dozen or so years ago getting out a paper was comparatively inexpensive. Help was cheap, paper stock was low, and less reading matter was required. Today printers get 60 per cent more in wages than they got twelve years ago. The price of paper stock has risen fully a third and is still rising.

The introduction of linotypes into newspaper offices was felt to be the downfall of compositors, but time has shown that there are more men and women at work today on newspapers than ever before. The reason is that newspapers give more for the money than formerly; give more reading and a larger and better paper in every way than was the case in former years.

There is nothing on the market that people get so much of for their money as they do in newspapers at the present time. It is rich in news, full of entertainment, indeed a necessity for the counting room, the store and the home.

With this increase in the cost of preparing and getting out papers will certainly come increased rates of advertising for there is nothing else left for the papers to do.—Lowell (Mass.) Telegram.

### U. D. C.

The J. J. Davis Chapter of the U. D. C. will meet in the Masonic Hall on Sept. 4th at 4:30 p. m. A full attendance is desired.

Mrs. J. S. Barrow, Pres.

Mrs. H. H. Davis, Sec.

## A HOMICIDE IN NASH.

### OLLY CHAMPION SLAYS HIS BROTHER-IN-LAW.

#### Both use Pistols—Wholesale Killed and Champion Seriously Wounded—The Killing Was Justifiable.

News was received here last Friday of a homicide over the line in Nash county which occurred near Hunt's Cross Roads, the participants being Oly Champion and Henry Wheelless. The particulars, as we have been able to secure them, are as follows:

Wheelless was a brother-in-law of Champion, having married the latter's sister. He and Champion had had some words before regarding the treatment of Mrs. Wheelless, and on last Friday Wheelless went to the home of Champion and called him out, to remonstrate with him again. A spirited conversation took place between them, and Champion turned to go into his house, when Wheelless fired at him the ball entering the back of his neck and coming out lodging nearing his jaw. It is reported that Wheelless followed Champion who grabbed his pistol from a shelf when they both clinched and at short range continued firing. Wheelless was shot five or six times about the head and heart, any one of which would have produced death. He died instantly, but not before shooting Champion a second time. The last we heard from Champion was that the doctor thought he might recover. It was a very sad affair. Henry Wheelless is a brother of our highly esteemed countyman, Dr. J. R. Wheelless, of Centreville, but was inclined to be wild and fussy when under the influence of whiskey.

We learn that Coroners jury has investigated the affair and decided that the killing was justifiable.

### Off for Jamestown.

The following party of six left here Tuesday, for the Exposition: J. H. Weathers, S. J. Alford, J. P. Wright, E. L. Pippin, J. A. Pippin and P. B. Clifton. Before returning Mr. Weathers will go to Baltimore to lay in his fall stock of goods for his store at Bunn.

### To Advertisers.

Did you know that when you place your advertisement in the FRANKLIN TIMES that it goes every week to twenty-one hundred homes? A proof of this can be had by visiting our press room, where you can see the paper printed, and then go through the folder which folds and cuts it—ready to be mailed.

### Johnson and Glenn.

A Southern man who has always been a regular Democrat furnishes some advice to the National Democracy as to its next presidential ticket in the following couplets:

"If you want two successful available men,

For your candidates nominate Johnson and Glenn,

In the former you'll get the best man in the West,

And the latter, of Southerners, now seems the best."

There may be truth as well as poetry in this suggestion.

### Two Enjoyable Occasion.

The good people in the localities of Pine Ridge and Pearce's Schools in the good old township of Dunns had two very enjoyable occasions last week. On Thursday the grown folks and children in large numbers assembled at Pine Ridge, where they listened to a fine and very entertaining speech from R. B. White, the popular and able Superintendent of Schools of Franklin County. On the next day, Friday, a similar occasion was had at Pearce's School,

where it was claimed the crowd was equally as large, if not larger than the day before. Mr. White could not be present on Friday on account of a previous engagement, but the people were highly entertained with speeches upon educational and Sunday School topics by Prof. W. J. Ferrall, Prof. W. D. Poe and Rev. C. C. Williams.

The editor of the TIMES had the pleasure of attending the picnic at Pearce's and it did our heart good to see so many nicely-dressed, well-behaved and happy people assembled together, all vying with each other to make the day pleasant to everybody. When the hour for dinner was announced it seemed that nearly everybody had brought a wagon load of good things to eat. Large spreads were placed on the ground under the shade of the trees and the contents of baskets and boxes nicely arranged on the the spreads. There was enough for all, and when the hundreds were fed, there was almost enough left to feed half as many more. It was the editor's pleasure to dine with Mr. Kearney Pearce and his good lady, and we dare say that among the large number who dined with this hospitable pair, none did greater justice to the spread than you scribe—unless we might be allowed to except our good friend, Dr. R. P. Floyd. It was a fine day and everybody seemed to enjoy being there.

In the afternoon a game of baseball was pulled off between the teams of Pearce's school and Little River. It was a pleasant and interesting game and resulted in 11 to 22 in favor of the Pearce boys.

### A New Postal Card.

A new postal card will shortly be issued by the Postoffice Department. The portrait to be used will be a profile of President McKinley in a circular frame, with the date of his birth and death—1843, McKinley, 1901" inclosed in a ribbon.

### Concert To-night.

A musical concert will be given in the Opera House to night, under the auspices of the Daughter of the Confederacy, the proceeds to go to the monument fund. The following young ladies will take part:

Miss Annie Spencer Jones, of Raleigh, Mr. J. A. White, of Augusta, Ga. Miss Mary Sipe, of Harrisonburg, Va. Mrs. Dr. Fleming, Misses Sallie Williams, Ava Aycock, May Jones. General admission 25 cents. Reserved seats, on sale at Boddie & Perry drug store, 50 cents.

### Revival Meeting at Flat Rock.

On account of the recent illness of our pastor, Rev. A. A. Pippin, of Wakefield, Rev. G. S. Stevenson of Raleigh, conducted the services at Flat Rock Baptist Church the past week. We were glad to have our pastor with us, but he was not able to preach. However, Mr. Stevenson preached a series of as good sermons as we expect to hear soon, and many who had not known Jesus as their Savior found him precious to their souls. He worked very faithfully preaching two sermons a day, and one at night during the whole week.

It was a pleasure to the people to have him in the community and hear him preach, and he was of tried chief, which he said, was making Mr. Pippin and himself much fatter. He didn't eat enough to make him fatter, but the few that were left seemed to know the work. There were over fifty conversions and twenty-eight presented themselves Sunday as candidates for baptism. Quite a number were restored. We all hope to hear Mr. Stevenson preach again soon, and in the mean time we hope he will be spared to preach the gospel many years to come.

## THE MOVING PEOPLE.

### THEIR MOVEMENTS IN AND OUT OF TOWN.

#### And Those Who Come and Go, Some for Pleasure, Some for Business and a Large Number Because They Like It.

E. S. Green went to Raleigh Tuesday.

J. S. Howell visited his parents near here the past week.

Mrs. W. H. Ruffin and little son spent Tuesday in Raleigh.

J. R. Jones and D. T. Hopkins took in the Exposition this week.

Among the visitors in town are Miss Mamie Aycock, of Warren.

Miss Edith Yarborough returned Tuesday from a visit to friends in Raleigh.

Mrs. A. J. Cooke, of Chase City Va. is visiting relatives in and near Louisville.

The editor was pleased to meet Col. J. S. Cunningham in town the past week.

Messrs. Robert and Walker Currier, of Winston-Salem is visiting at M. F. Honck's.

Mrs. A. H. Fleming, who has been visiting in Warren, returned home this week.

Mr. P. A. Reavis, accompanied by his family, spent Sunday with his mother in Carey.

Harry Davis returned Tuesday after having spent the week with his people in Apex.

Miss Lily Hayes left on Wednesday for Henderson, to join a party for the Exposition.

His friends were pleased to see Dr. E. S. Green, of Monroe, in Louisville this week.

Rev. E. H. Davis and wife of Goldsboro are among the visitors in Louisville this week.

Mrs. R. A. Bobbitt and Miss Annie Wilder returned last week from a visit to Washington City.

Mr. J. A. Taylor and wife have returned to Louisville and taken rooms at Lancaster's hotel.

Mr. D. E. Miller has returned from a visit to his old home in Virginia and reports a pleasant trip.

Mr. E. C. Barrow returned from Jamestown this week. He says that the Exposition is immense.

Mr. E. H. Meadows and wife, and Miss Mary Mitchell, of Newbern are visiting Mrs. E. F. Early.

Mrs. Ida Pearce, Mrs. R. A. Pearce and Mrs. Bud Murphy are at the Exposition this week.

Mr. T. F. Terrell came over from Raleigh and spent last Sunday with his wife, who is visiting her parents.

Rev. W. H. Puckett, of Oxford, who has been assisting in a revival meeting at Sarapka, was in Louisville this morning.

Mr. T. W. Lee who has been visiting near Louisville for the past few days, has returned to his home in the eastern part of the State.

Mr. R. H. Davis made a short visit to Hillsboro this week. He returned yesterday accompanied by Mrs. Davis and son Joseph.

W. R. Timberlake returned one day this week from Hickory, where he went to visit his people who are spending the summer there.

Engene Jones spent Sunday with his people here. He has been living at Duke but left Tuesday for Dunn.

Mr. W. Horton came over and spent Sunday night with him.

Miss Dora Crawley, of Littleton, who has been visiting Mrs. W. S. Sledge near Mapleville returned to her home this week accompanied by Miss Irene Sledge, who will take in the Jamestown Exposition before her return.

Mr. E. Odum and wife returned this week from Nashville where they were summoned to the sick bed of his brother. We are glad to learn that his condition is more favorable.

Our annulet was illuminated last Monday by the bright countenance of that excellent and popular lawyer, A. C. Zollinger, of Vance. He has a host of friends in these parts, who are always glad to have him come among them.

Misses Lucy Allen and Florence Terrell attended the funeral last Sunday at Greensboro, of Miss Y. A. Hawkins, the widow of the late Madison Hawkins, formerly of Louisville. The deceased had a number of relatives in this county, she being a sister of the late, E. T. Terrell.

Mrs. S. J. Sykes, of Marion, S. C., is visiting her people in this county. She was formerly Miss Claudia Boon and is a sister of W. M. Boon Esq. She paid a short visit to the editor's sanctum this week, and as a result of said visit we are pleased to add her name to the future readers of the TIMES which papers he kindly informs us she can't do without.

A charming German was given in the Opera House on Monday evening last by the local German Club. It was the social event of the summer season, the large number of visitors in addition to our local young people making it a great success in attendance as well as socially. Dancing continued with the early hours of the morning, music being furnished by Levine's orchestra. The German was led by Mr. O. C. Gregory. Those present were:

Miss Kate Blackall, of Kittrell with Mr. Weldon Hawkins, of Hillsboro, Miss Helen Crenshaw with Mr. Bennett Perry, of Henderson, Miss Rowena Burwell, of Washington City, with Mr. Bullock, of Henderson, Miss Mary Sipe, of Harrisonburg Va., with Mr. Geo. Cooper of Henderson, Miss Bessie Jacobs of Windsor, with Mr. Frank Harris of Henderson, Miss Hattie Lee Guess of Denmark S. C., with Mr. A. W. Person, Miss Alice Spruill with Mr. K. K. Allen, Miss Nan Malone with Dr. S. C. Ford, Miss Mary Malone with Mr. P. R. White, Miss Inez McCrary, of Gainesville, Fla., with Mr. W. W. Boddie, Miss Frances Boddie with Mr. Ben Honning, Miss Eleanor Cooke with Mr. Joe Unsell, Miss Alice Masten of New York, with Mr. Blair Tucker, Miss Beulah Mason with Mr. Willie Williamson, Miss Annie Allen with Mr. Bullock, Miss Bessie Boddie with Mr. Elliott Egerton, Miss Martha Boyd Spruill with Mr. Wilson Green, Miss Ouida Tucker with Mr. Southland Williams, Miss Lucy Hawkins with Mr. Edwin Cooke, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Allen, Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Bond, Dr. and Mrs. A. H. Fleming.

Stags—Messrs. Mack Johnson of Wilmington, James Guess, of Denmark, S. C., Tom Boddie, Chas. High, C. B. Aveni.

Chaperones—Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Allen, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Dille, Mrs. H. A. Crenshaw, Mrs. Ann Farhan, Mrs. F. S. Spruill, Mrs. R. G. Hart, Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Allen, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. B. Yarborough.

Death of Hon. E. H. Dunn.

The death of this distinguished citizen and lawyer, which occurred at his home near Rocky Mount on Sunday last, removes a most useful man from earth. He was a gallant Confederate soldier and therefore served his country well and true. He represented his county many times in the legislature, and for six years represented the district in Congress being first elected in 1858. His age was 73 years. From a

Stoll Library