

A PRETTY MARRIAGE.

AT BAPTIST CHURCH AT FRANKLINTON.

Miss Bessie Joyner becomes the bride of Mr. Joseph Green Jr. Takes trip to Northern Cities.

A marriage of much social importance and of exceptional brilliancy occurred here Wednesday evening. The bride, Miss Bessie Durham Joyner, daughter of Mr. Thomas G. Joyner, is a most attractive and charming young lady, widely known and admired.

The groom is Mr. J. O. Green, Jr., the son of Mr. J. O. Green, of this county, a young man of fine character and attainments. The great number of friends of both parties made the event one of unusual interest.

The ceremony was celebrated at the Baptist church and was performed by Rev. G. P. Harrill, pastor of the church, assisted by Rev. W. W. Rose, pastor of the Methodist church.

In anticipation, the church had been exquisitely decorated with palms, ferns, smilax and white chrysanthemums and was lighted with candles. Before the ceremony, Mr. James Thomas, of Raleigh, on the violin, accompanied by Mr. Wm. F. Joyner at the organ, gave expression in beautiful music to the thoughts and dreams of the occasion. Then they swept in to the magnificent strains of Mendelssohn's wedding march, the doors opened, and the bridal procession entered.

First came the ushers, Messrs. Grady Harris, of Raleigh; W. J. Cooke, of Youngsville; Henry Mitchell, J. D. Joyner, B. T. Green and J. W. McGhee, of Franklinton. The bridesmaids entered in pairs, one down each aisle, followed by the groomsmen in like order, and grouped themselves behind the ministers. Miss Susie McGhee with Mr. Robert Wyatt, of Raleigh; Miss Elizabeth Brewer, of Danville, Va., with Mr. William Simpson, of Raleigh; Miss Eleanor Vann with Dr. Burton Ray, of Raleigh; Miss Carrie Vaughan with Mr. Leonard Henderson.

The bridesmaids wore pink embroidered chiffon over pink satin with crystal trimmings and carried yellow chrysanthemums.

Next came the winsome little Misses Margaret and Lavinia Green, twin nieces of the bride, carrying between them the basket of pink sweet peas in the midst of which on its cushion was the wedding ring. They wore white chiffon over pink silk, trimmed with Mehlina lace.

The dames of honor followed, Mrs. B. T. Green and Mrs. W. J. McGhee, sisters of the bride attired in yellow spangled chiffon over pink satin, trimmed with crystal and pink rosebuds, carrying baskets of pink roses. Immediately preceding the bride was the maid of honor, Miss Josephine Henley, who wore pink crepe meteor with crystal trimmings and carried pink roses.

The bride, who was given away by her father, was charmingly gowned in ivory satin, trimmed with point-lace and pearls. The veil was fastened with orange blossoms. The only jewelry worn was a cameo brooch which had been her grandmother's. She carried a shower bouquet of lilies of the valley.

Just before reaching the chancel, she was met by the groom who had entered from the rear accompanied by his best man, Mr. Andrew H. Green, Jr., of Raleigh.

The ceremony was deeply impressive. The church crowded to its capacity with friends, the beautiful grouping of the attendants against the rich background of palms and ferns, the soft light from the myriad of candles, the subdued notes of violin and organ in "Hearts and Flowers," all unconsciously calling up in the hearts of the listener the echo of the past or a dream of the future, and above all, the clear tones of the minister as he pronounced the old, old words by which man plights his troth to woman. After the last word had been spoken to the quickening strains of Lohengrin, the flower girls, scattering flowers along the aisle led the way, and the newly wedded pair, followed by the bridal procession passed out.

Following the wedding a charming reception was given to friends and relatives at the home of the bride.

Mr. and Mrs. Green left on the northbound train for New York and other points of interest.

In connection with the wedding and on the night before, a most enjoyable smoker was given to the men of the wedding party at the beautiful new home of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. McGhee. Covers were laid for fifteen and an elegant repast in seven courses was served. Decorations were in pink and green.

On Wednesday before, at the home of Miss Susie McGhee a boisterous shower

was given the bride. Immediately preceding the serving of salads and less, little Jack Joyner, costumed as the traditional cupid, pulled the cord that released from the bell the shower for the bride.

On Friday, Miss Eleanor Vann gave a delightful tea in honor of the bride, at which Miss Grace Ward received in the hall, Mrs. J. A. Moore, of Henderson, served tea in the parlor, and Miss Josephine Henley presided in the dining room where cream and other delicacies were served.

Baptized With Water From the River Jordan.

Little Florence Harvey Cheatham, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas F. Cheatham, was christened on the evening of November 15, 1911, by her grandfather, Rev. W. W. Staley, D. D., Miss Mary Lou Pitt and Miss Annie Staley sang. She wore a lace handkerchief, which her grandmother wore on her wedding day, and was baptized with water which Dr. Staley brought from the River Jordan in 1895.

A Tardy Social.

The Woman's Club met with Miss Kate Ballard Tuesday afternoon.

At the hour for the meeting to come to order the president and others expressed surprise that so many of the members were absent or possibly tardy. Immediately the ladies began to count what the fines for tardiness would amount to. Following the opening of the society the door bell began to ring, and, with several minutes intervening, continued to ring until six members were added to the number present, each one apologizing for her tardiness. Business concluded, a delightful contest was participated in, the answers to the contest being given in words ending in "late." The score cards were clock faces, the hands pointing to twenty minutes' late of hour for meeting. Fifteen minutes was given to the contestants, and Mrs. A. S. Joyner and Miss Frances Winston tied for the highest score. They presented the prize, a tiny clock, to the out-of-town guest, Miss Elizabeth Brewer, of Danville, Va. The hostess then asked the secretary to erase all tardies, since all the ladies had arrived on time, and those credited with tardies had been concealed just for the occasion. Refreshment were served in two courses.—Franklinton Department.

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The receipts have been somewhat heavier on the local market here the past week than usual and the price continues to climb by degrees. The price paid yesterday was 9 1/8 cents per pound.

Produce.

There is a good strong demand for country produce on this market and the price on fowls and such things as eggs and butter continues good. The absence of turkeys has been especially noticeable this season.

Celebrated.

The people of Justice neighborhood celebrated the completion of their new academy with appropriate services on Wednesday among which were splendid speeches and a big barbecue. Supt. R. B. White was among the speakers and the occasion was one of great enjoyment to the large crowd present. Quite a large number attended from Louisburg and many from adjoining towns.

Gets Hand Mashed.

Superintendent Metz, of the good road force, had the misfortune of getting his left hand badly mashed while operating a stump puller on Monday afternoon. He came in town and summoned Dr. J. E. Malone, who with the assistance of Mr. S. P. Boddie, dressed the wound. At this writing he is doing well.

Of Interest to Louisburg.

There has been a desire for the exhibition of some first-class shows in the local opera house expressed upon the part of the citizens of Louisburg, who enjoy these pleasures. The management of the opera house has succeeded in contracting for several of the high class performances to appear here, only upon the condition of a very heavy guarantee. The first of these shows has already given its performance here, and where a reasonably good attendance was had, there was not a sufficient number to equal the guarantee. The second one will perform here next Monday night and is under a larger guarantee, and it is up to the citizens of Louisburg to turn out in large numbers if they wish to have such high-class performances given here. The one to play here Monday night is The English Opera Singers and come highly spoken of by both press and pulpit and gives the promise of being the best of its kind that has visited Louisburg in some time. It is a performance that will appeal to the most pious, and will be enjoyed by all. Let everybody go and see it.

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Big Hogs.

The following killings of big hogs have been reported to this office: W. S. Tharrington, Dunn's township, three weighing 340, 278, 210. Bud Pippin, Dunn's township, two weighing 308, 340. S. B. Mullin, Dunn's township, two weighing 303, 308. Sheriff W. M. Boone informs us that he killed four hogs on Wednesday the lightest of which weighed 215 and the heaviest 258. He also killed a pig that weighed 572. S. B. Nash, of Louisburg, two weighing 321, 304.

Fire at Oil Mill.

The alarm was turned in on Thursday night of last week at about 2 o'clock from the cotton oil mill. Although the people seemed hard to awake, the fire companies soon were on the scene and at work. It was learned that the fire was in the new seed house and was soon extinguished. The damage was very small. The members of the local fire department deserve much credit for their splendid work and prompt answer to calls, especially at such late hours.

Comrade Breedlove is Dead at Soldiers' Home.

The funeral services over the remains of Comrade N. H. Breedlove, who died at the Soldiers' Home yesterday afternoon at 4:30, were held this afternoon at 1:30 from the little chapel at the home, and were conducted by Elder W. A. Simpkins.

Comrade Breedlove was a native of Franklin county and served in Co. G, 43d regiment. He entered the home October 6th last and was 82 years old. He is survived by one daughter and three sons. Mr. Breedlove was a member of the Primitive Baptist church.—Raleigh Times of Monday.

Death of Miss Yarborough.

Miss Bessie Yarborough, daughter of the late R. F. Yarborough, died at her home on Wednesday night. She had been a sufferer for many years and although her death was not expected so early, it was not unexpected. She was the sister of Messrs. E. F. Yarborough and W. H. Yarborough, Jr., Misses Mary and Edith Yarborough and Mrs. J. R. Collier, and besides these she leaves her mother to mourn their loss. The funeral was held from the Episcopal church yesterday afternoon and was conducted by Rev. Isaac Hughes, rector of the Episcopal church of Henderson. His remarks on the life and character of the deceased were pretty and portrayed a beautiful disposition. The remains were interred at the cemetery amid a large concourse of sorrowing friends. The pall-bearers were J. M. Allen, W. H. Allen, J. J. Barrow, M. S. Clifton, G. W. Ford, D. F. McKinne. The floral tribute was profuse and beautiful.

Recognition Service.

The Rev. Walter M. Gilmore arrived in Louisburg last Saturday and on Sunday morning preached his first sermon as pastor of the Baptist church. At the evening hour there was held a special service in recognition of the new pastor in which all the churches in town took an active part, there being services no where else.

Addresses of welcome were delivered by Prof. W. R. Mills who spoke for the deacons and members of the Baptist church; Mr. W. H. Ruffin who spoke for the Episcopal church and for the town, R. W. Bailey who spoke for the Methodist church. After these cordial words of welcome were said, Rev. W. B. Morton, a former pastor of the Baptist church spoke on the relation of pastor to citizen and citizen to pastor. Concluding the service Mr. Gilmore in a speech of acceptance expressed his warm appreciation of the many nice things said in his behalf and the welcome he had received by all the churches and the town at large. Special music was rendered by the different choirs and the services were very impressive. Mr. Gilmore has moved into the pastor's home and will soon be joined by his family. All join in wishing him a long and successful pastorate.

THE MOVING PEOPLE

THEIR MOVEMENTS IN AND OUT OF TOWN

Those Who Have Visited Louisburg the Past Week—Those Who Have Gone Elsewhere For Business or Pleasure.

J. C. Hudson returned Tuesday from a visit to Fayetteville.

P. A. Reavis and wife returned Tuesday from a visit to his mother at Cary. M. S. Davis and J. R. Collier visited Raleigh the past week.

Malcolm McKinne spent several days in Princeton this week on business.

Mrs. B. R. Lacy, of Raleigh, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. R. Y. McAden. Mrs. Edgar Hartsell of Henderson visited Mrs. J. W. Mustian the past week.

F. B. Avery, of Syracuse, N. Y., is spending several days visiting Louisburg.

J. S. Conway and wife, of Syracuse, N. Y. are visiting friends and relatives in Louisburg.

Capt. L. L. Joyner left Monday for Garysburg, to attend the funeral of his father, Mr. Wm. T. Joyner.

M. S. Davis left Wednesday for Spring Hope where he will do a lot of surveying for the good roads.

J. L. Ridout, of Warren County, visited his daughter, Mrs. J. B. Fulghum near Cedar Rock the past week.

Attorney-General T. W. Bickett and wife, who have been visiting the Northern cities, returned home one day this week.

L. J. Pernel and wife spent Sunday with his people at Alert. He informs us that his brother, who recently got cut up so badly in a cotton gin, was improving as rapidly as could be expected.

Tobacco.

The tobacco market has been fairly lively the past week, having had pretty good sales each day. The price remains good and many people are expressing themselves as especially well pleased with the results of their sales.

On Northern Markets.

Mrs. A. M. Hall left this week for the Northern markets, where she will replenish the stock for the Big Racket. She informs us that she will take especial interest in selecting a lot of the biggest bargains and upon her return you may expect to find what you want at a very cheap price. Watch her advertisements.

George Yates Dead

A telegram received here Tuesday night by L. F. Yates brought the news of the death of his son George. No details were given but it is presumed that he came to his death from some accident connected with a railroad of which he was an employee. The body will be interred at Springfield, Ill., the place where he died.

Federal Court.

According to the reports the Federal Court to be held in Raleigh, on the eighteenth of December will take up the cases from Franklin and Vance on Tuesday the 19th, and those from Nash on the 20th. Those from this county who have been selected as jurors are J. M. White, of Bunn, D. A. White, of Franklinton, W. S. Goswick, of Franklinton, J. J. Wilder, of Franklinton.

The Seoggin Drug Co.

The attention of our readers is called to the new advertisement of The Seoggin Drug Company in another column of this issue. It will be seen that they have decided to tell the readers of the TIMES about the advantages they will receive by trading with them. This company is a wide-awake one and will make it to your advantage to see them before making your purchases.

Off for Conference.

Rev. R. W. Bailey and wife, pastor of the Methodist church here, and F. B. McKinne and wife, Ivey Allen and wife and Miss Kitty Foster left Tuesday for the Annual Conference of the Methodist Episcopal church for the eastern part of the state that convened at Kinston on Wednesday morning. Rev. Mr. Bailey has served this charge two years and has proven himself an earnest and conscientious gentleman and an interested and conscientious pastor. In his last sermon Sunday he expressed his appreciation of the treatment he had received at the hands of the "generous and noble-hearted" people

of Louisburg and we feel safe in saying that the feeling existing between him and the people generally of Louisburg on the part of the people is just as strong and warm as his to them. He has labored faithfully for the cause of Christ here and our people are open with their expressions of appreciations for his work. Since his coming to Louisburg he has made many friends here who will be glad for conference to return him to this charge.

A Peculiar Incident.

A certain merchant in Louisburg told the editor some days ago that it was strange to him why it was that a person would go to another merchant in town and pay \$6.00 for the same article he would sell them for \$2.00 and even after comparing the articles.

This statement was not strange to the editor as the merchant talking did not advertise his goods while the one referred to carries a strong advertisement and keeps it interesting. It is only another case of where the public is placing their confidence in the man who advertises his goods and right they should as he is the one who could not under any circumstances afford to misrepresent his stock. The people should continue just such practice, not that no other merchants cannot be honest as there are lots of them that are.

Youngsville Items.

Cold weather and excessive rains for the past few weeks have proved a serious impediment to the progress in road-building in Youngsville township. A portion of the newly-graded road-bed on the recently surveyed route from Youngsville to Harris' chapel was exposed to heavy rains before gravel could be applied, and is in very bad condition. Overseer Carrielloff, however, assures us that, with a little more sunshine, he will be able to convert the same into an A1 road. Mr. Joe W. Winston, who some time ago was elected to succeed the late Mr. Charles Patterson, has shown himself an active and efficient member of the board of road trustees.

The good farmers of the county round about seem to be "holding on" to the fleecy staple in the face of a stubborn, precarious market, velling hard times and intently pray for "higher prices." So mote it be.

Mayor C. C. Winston left Monday night for Richmond.

Ask Jones Cooke about the big "Rat Killin'" "NUP SKD."

Castalia Items.

Perhaps the most interesting marriage of the season will be solemnized at the pretty home of Dr. and Mrs. T. A. Matthews, of this place, on the 29th of November, when Miss Jennie Duke, one of Nash's most charming and accomplished daughters, will become the bride of Dr. J. O. Newell, one of Louisburg's prominent and successful physicians. They will take a bridal tour of several days visiting the Northern cities.

Near the Franklin line, two miles north of here, some days ago, Deputy Sheriff John Taylor and posse captured a blockade still, running in full blast. The negro, the only one in charge of the plant, seeing the approaching officers, made for his shot gun, but being fired upon, made his escape into the woods. It seems that it has developed that Scott Leonard, who is still missing, is suffering with a bullet in the back of his head. Leonard is said to be an old offender, and with others who have been connected with him are being closely watched by the officers.

We deeply sympathize with Mr. M. V. Lancaster, one of the oldest and among the best citizens of the Red Bud section, in his recent misfortune.

Misses Eugenia Braswell and Chessie Wheelless, who have been teaching in Franklin, are now doing school work at White Oak and Oak Level in this county.

R. H. Burns, a former teacher here, and Mr. Cruishank, construction engineer of the Georgia and Florida Railroad, were here last week in the interest of the Henderson and Castalia Railroads. They were encouraged but gave out nothing for the public.

PLAIN TOM.

Suggestive Questions

Nehemiah Rebuilds the Wall of Jerusalem. Neh. iv.

Golden Text—Watch ye, stand fast in the faith, quit you like men, be strong. I Cor. xvi. 13.

(1.) Verse 1—What progress had been made up to this time in rebuilding the wall of Jerusalem, and how had the work been done?

(2.) What right hath Sanballat to object to building the wall, and why did

he do it?

(3.) What did he expect to accomplish by mocking at, and jeering the Jews?

(4.) Can you give any instance where mocking and ridicule have stopped or ruined a good life?

(5.) Verses 2-3—What is it in human nature which makes individuals jealous of individuals, towns of towns and countries of countries?

(6.) When a man is down, do the human influences around him tend to keep him down, or help him up? Why?

(7.) Which gets the more hurt from scolding, the scorner or the scorned, and why?

(8.) What influences did the ridicules of Sanballat, and Tobiah, have on the work upon the wall?

(9.) If one is true to God, does the devil mostly hurt or help him, in his life and work?

(10.) Verses 4-6—Is any experience that will give us the opportunity to pray, and to test God's power to be regretted?

(11.) Should the prayer of Nehemiah that God would not forgive them, but that they might suffer for their sins, be imitated by us? Give your reasons?

(12.) Verses 7-8—What reasons are there to believe that those who are jealous of the prosperity of others, will not stop short of actual violence to accomplish their evil desires, if they can do so with safety to themselves?

(13.) Verse 9—What are two effectual things we may always do, when we are surrounded by enemies?

(14.) Is prayer without watching, or watching without prayer, of any avail, if we have the opportunity to do both?

(15.) Verses 10-12—Which, as a rule, does us the more injury, the opposition of enemies, or the pessimistic discouragement of friends?

(16.) Verses 13-14—What effect did the threat of his enemies and the wall of his own countrymen have upon Nehemiah?

(17.) How often is a determined man with God on his side liable to be defeated in things he undertakes?

(18.) Verse 15—What factor is courage alone in winning life's battles? (This is one of the questions that may be answered in writing by members of the club.)

(19.) Verses 16-23—In how many senses is a Christian under obligation to fight and to build all the time?

(20.) Why may we rely on God fighting our battles for us if we fight and work with him?

Lesson for Sunday, December 10th, 1911. Nehemiah and His Enemies. Neh. vi.

JOSEPH P. CALDWELL

Mr. Joseph Caldwell died at Morganton this morning at 5:30 o'clock. This brief announcement, though expected and long anticipated, brings personal sorrow to the hearts of many thousands of North Carolinians. As editor of the Charlotte Observer, Mr. Caldwell made a name for himself second to no other North Carolinian of his day and in the every-day touch with his readers he won an abiding place in the affections of thousands who did not know him personally. These, with the personal friends of the great editor, are sorrowful today. We feel that the man who is gone from us appreciates this sorrow as manifesting their love, as he appreciated every message of friendship that came to him during his long illness. But his life's work was finished and he wanted to go. For days and months he knew that the end was not far away, and he awaited it hopefully but patiently. He has broken the bonds that held him here and entered the life of the other side, even as he wished. There is sorrow at parting, but while sorrowing for the friend that we shall miss, there is comfort in knowing that his sorrow and sufferings are over.—Raleigh Times of Wednesday.

Deputy Sheriff R. W. Hudson, dressed as a hunter went out on Monday afternoon and arrested Charley Davis, a negro from Apex who was charged with an assault with deadly weapon. It seems that Davis was a desperate negro, or by some means he had been evading the officers since June, but Hudson walked upon and arrested him with all ease. He was arrested near the home of Mr. John Mitchiner and was brought here and placed in jail, but was released on Tuesday by paying all costs, according to instructions from the Sheriff of Wake county.

Mosquitoes are not plentiful this year, but occasionally a little fellow which can crawl through the meshes of wire screens makes it interesting for a person who is trying to enter slumberland.