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THE CONTRACT SIGNED.

Cabarrus County to Have An Iron Bridge Across Rocky River at Black's Mill—To Be Finished By the First of December.

For several months it has been a perplexing question to our county commissioners as to the placing of a bridge across Rocky River at Black's mill, at which place the county's large bridge was washed away from its pillars last year during the heavy rainfall when so much damage, even here in Concord, was done.

The former bridge was too low, judging from the high water mark of the past, and hence extra cost was necessitated in the placing of another one here, in order that the county might not again suffer the same kind of loss. The one which will be placed across the river soon will be eight feet higher than the one heretofore, putting it out of danger during the high water times and besides this bridge can be approached at any time hereafter.

The contract was made today (Thursday) by Chairman Allison, who was given the power for final action in the case. The bridge will be erected by the King Iron Bridge Co. at a contract of \$1,994. This will also include an approach of 128 feet on this side of the bridge. The iron part of the bridge will have two spans and will measure 172.67 feet. There will be one pier under the bridge, and the roadway will be twelve feet wide. Work will be commenced soon and the contract states that it will be finished by the first of December.

In regard to the old bridge which has recently been taken out of the river, nothing will be done at present, as the county has now assumed a considerable cost in this line of county needs. The smaller parts will be put away for safe-keeping and the other will remain there until latter.

THE DEATH ANGEL COMES.

Little John Eddleman Relieved of Pain.

After several weeks of declining health and some days of acute suffering, death, as a mother's soothing hand on the aching brow, gently relieved little John, the year old son of Mr. and Mrs. John L. Eddleman. The end came at 2:30 o'clock p. m. Wednesday at the home of his grandfather, Mr. T. C. Stricker.

Meningitis was the immediate cause, though he was in the critical period of teething and was peculiarly unfitted to battle with virulent disease.

The funeral rites were conducted by the pastor, Rev. C. B. Miller, at the home of Mr. Stricker at 2 o'clock today (Thursday) and the remains were consigned to the little tomb-home in the city cemetery to sleep till the morning waking to meet the now heart-bleeding parents where pain and tears will be replaced with the glad realization that this is best. We mingle our sympathies with hosts of friends for the father, mother and brother of six years and others who weep over the present sadness and bereavement.

Rocky River the Victors.

Concord met a defeat here on Wednesday when the boys from Rocky river came up and beat our second nine. It was a great game and resulted in a score of 4 to 3 against us. Montgomery and Mabrey made up our battery and King and Cope did the work for the Rocky River boys. Luke Johnson also went in the box for the visitors.

FELL UNDER THE CARS.

A Negro Is Released from the Chain Gang and On the Same Day Meets With An Accident—His Arm Amputated.

On Wednesday afternoon Jno. Thompson, a negro, finished his thirty days sentence on the chain gang for beating the trains. After bidding shackles and stripes adieu he came to the railroad and again started to beat a freight train southward on his way to his home in Port Royal, S. C.

In attempting to jump upon a ladder on the side of a car he missed his mark and fell upon the cross-ties. His left arm fell upon the rail and was run over by the cars. He was wounded too on the head and lower leg. Not thinking that he was so badly hurt as he was, the negro came on up town and was here on the streets. Presently some colored people got with him and soon he began to suffer much. He was taken in hand by three of our physicians and an examination made of his wounds.

It was found that his left arm was badly crushed above the elbow and they at once commenced to amputate it. No one knowing him here, there was some difficulty in finding a place for him to be quartered, but arrangements were made with a colored man and he is now nursing his stub.

What Will the Score Be?

The boys of the Tar river arrived here last night from Charlotte and are on the diamond trying desperately hard to win our baseball honors from us and our boys are fully cognizant of the superior qualities of the visitors. The prospects are that this will be one of the hardest fought games ever on our diamond. We are now one and one with them. If either side wins this afternoon the other team has a chance yet tomorrow afternoon to make a tie of it.

The following is the line-up of the visitors: Glavin 1f, Meades, Luskey c, Brake r, Kennac, Fener 1b, Phillips 3b, Withers 2b and Warren p.

Our team needs no naming as we all know them. Lattimer and Graves compose our battery.

Good Threshing Record.

Mr. C. M. Goodman & Company gives us the following splendid record on wheat and oats threshing this season. Wheat threshed 3,428 bushels; oats 1,587 bushels, making 5,015. This was threshed in 17 days which is an average of a little over 297 bushels per day. Mr. Goodman says he had the satisfaction of doing this work within a radius of two and one-half miles from his home. He says, too, that the wheat crop was quite satisfactory, turning out better than was at first expected.

We hope this report will bring us in more, especially if there is a better one to make.

With the Sick.

Two children of Mr. M. L. Blackwelder on South Main street are quite sick.

Miss Pearl Hartsell is sick with malarial fever.

Mrs. S. F. Harmon, on Church street, is sick.

The condition of Miss Edna Pitts continues to improve these days.

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GRAND LODGE MEETING.

The Officers Elected for the Coming Two Years—The Place and Time of Meeting Not Decided—The Closing Session.

To the outside world scarcely anything of interest has passed during the meeting of the grand lodge here, but the meeting has proved of much interest to the members and the time was passed profitably.

The following officers for the coming two years were elected:

Grand Dictator—J. B. Whitaker, Jr., of Winston.

Grand Vice-Dictator—K. R. Jones, of Newbern.

Grand Assistant Dictator—N. D. Fetzler, of Concord.

Grand Chaplain—L. A. Bikle, of Kings Mountain.

Grand Guide—W. J. Newbold, of LaGrange.

Grand Reporter—P. C. Carlton, of Statesville.

Grand Treasurer—S. C. Schofield, of Davidson.

Grand Guardian—W. H. Carstaphen, of Williamston.

Grand Sentinel—D. F. Boyette, of Greensboro.

Grand Trustees—T. F. Kluttz, of Salisbury; W. J. Rountree, of Newbern; U. S. Hassell, of Jamesville.

Supreme Representatives—J. T. LeGrande and T. F. Kluttz.

Alternates—N. L. Shaw and P. C. Carlton.

The meeting closed this afternoon after the installation of the officers. The time and place of the meeting has not been decided and will be left for the grand dictator and the grand reporter.

The members will leave for their respective homes tonight and tomorrow.

HIS LIFE WAS SAVED.

Mr. J. E. Lilly, a prominent citizen of Hannibal, Mo., lately had a wonderful deliverance from a frightful death. In telling of it he says: "I was taken with typhoid fever that ran into pneumonia. My lungs became hardened. I was so weak I couldn't even sit up in bed. Nothing helped me. I expected soon to die of consumption, when I heard of Dr. King's New Discovery. One bottle gave me relief. I continued to use it, and now am well and strong. I can't say too much in its praise."

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PERSONAL POINTERS.

—Mr. C. B. Little, of Albemarle is here today.

—Mr. Jas. Watson, of Salisbury, is here today.

—Mr. Jno. R. Ross, of the Charlotte Observer, is here today.

—Mr. and Mrs. Frank Irvin, of Salisbury, spent today here.

—Rev. B. Lacy Hoge returned home this morning from Mecklenburg.

—Mrs. M. G. Deaton returned home yesterday afternoon from Charlotte.

—Misses Bettie and Mary and brother, Archie Foil, of Charlotte, are visiting Miss Esther Cook on Church street.

—Misses Mary and Lucy Lore returned home this morning after spending several days in Charlotte.

—Miss Essie Plummer arrived here yesterday evening from Charlotte to visit Mrs. Z. E. Scott.

—Misses Kate Gibson and Agnes Moss returned home yesterday evening after spending two days in Charlotte.

—Misses Pearl and Chassie Brown returned home last night. Miss Myrtice Thompson, of Salisbury, accompanied them home.

—Mrs. Springs, of Lancaster, S. C., spent last night at Capt. J. M. Odell's. She left for Hot Springs but returned here this morn. She is not feeling well.

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