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TOWN AND COUNTY NEWS LOCAL ITEMS OF INTEREST

Rev. J. H. Carter is conducting a protracted meeting at West Jefferson.

"Tom Thumb Wedding" at the school building in Wilkesboro Friday evening, July 3rd.

The residence of Mr. and Mrs. C. Pearson, the former R. M. Wiley place, has been repainted.

There will be an ice cream supper at the Lewis Fork Baptist church Saturday evening, June 27, 8 o'clock. Everyone is invited.

of hack berry trees for the J. T. Finley are a great comfort to their occupants these hot dry middays.

The ball game last Saturday afternoon between Yadkinville and the Twins at the fair ground was a live game from the beginning to the end. The visitors won—8 to 4.

The price of water in North Wilkesboro after you use the flat rate amount is 20 cents per thousand and in Wilkesboro 25 cents per thousand gallons when over 3,000 is used.

Last summer rains visited the two Wilkesboros sufficiently frequent while some localities of the county suffered long spells of dry. At this writing Jobs Cabin and Walnut Grove had rains last week but around the Wilkesboros no rain for a month.

Members of the Wilkesboro Book Club and a number of invited guest motored to Moravian Falls Saturday evening for dinner at the Moravina Hotel. A splendid dinner, followed by progressive games of rook and bridge, gave pleasure to the party.

The Wilkesboro school board met last Saturday and elected the following teachers: Miss Minnie Day, of Blowing Rock, math teacher; Miss Hellen Bostic, of Greensboro, French and science; Miss Amelia Thomason, Hamptonville, second grade; Miss Margaret Hansel, of Mebane, first grade teacher. This completes the Wilkesboro school faculty.

A big rally will be held at Sparta July 4th for the purpose of raising money to erect a monument to the memory of the Confederate Veterans. It is said that the U. D. C. organization is arranging an elaborate program, including an address by Hon. Z. V. Long, Statesville, aeroplane from Fort Bragg, baseball, etc. Mrs. R. L. Doughton is president of the U. D. C. of Alleghany county.

Lenoir News-Topic correspondence from Granite Falls, Route 3, says: The community was shocked Sunday, June 9, when the news spread that Mr. Billie Hester had dropped dead. The funeral was conducted by Rev. J. W. Watts June 9 and interment was in Dudley cemetery. Those present from out of the county were Fisher and Arthur Hester of Greensboro and others of this county.

Oscar C. Dancy, of Texas, and family are here several days at his father's home, in Mulberry. His daughter came here from Asheville where she had been attending the Boston School of Expression. It has been 20 years since he was practicing law here in his earliest practice and many former friends are pleased to see him again on this his first visit home again in 13 years. He has been invited to speak here to the Kiwanians next Friday night but he did not say definitely Monday morning.

3 COWS BELONGING TO PERCY BOYD DIE OF HYDROPHOBIA

Number of People Had Been Drinking the Milk—Pasteur Treatment.

Elkin Tribune, 18th: Mr. Percy Boyd of the Benham community of Wilkes county, has within the last two weeks, suffered the misfortune of losing three valuable milk cows by hydrophobia. Each of the animals affected manifesting symptoms of rabies. Mr. Boyd brought the head of one cow to Drs. Salmons and Garvey of this city, who forwarded it to Raleigh for examination.

A reply received Tuesday states that the strange condition of the cow was due to hydrophobia. Not suspecting rabies until the second animal fell a victim, many neighbors of Mr. Boyd, to whom he was furnishing milk, had been drinking the products of his herd freely. These persons, for the sake of safety, will be compelled to take the Pasteur treatment.

FOURTH OF JULY BARBECUE-PICNIC

At a joint meeting of the Fruit Growers and other organizations in the towns and county last Saturday a program was out-lined for the big barbecue-picnic on July 4th. It was announced that John Wade, of Wilkesboro, an expert, had been secured to barbecue a pig and a calf for the occasion. The speakers on the program are as follows:

H. I. Niswonger, State Extension Horticulturist.

Mr. Clevenger, State Creamery Inspector.

John A. Arey, State Dairyman.

J. R. Finley, Kiwanis Club, N. Wilkesboro.

Henry Reynolds, Commercial Club, North Wilkesboro.

H. A. Cranor, mayor of Wilkesboro.

W. A. Bullis, mayor of North Wilkesboro.

Songs by choirs

FRUIT GROWERS ELECT OFFICERS

At a meeting last Saturday at the Wilkes Commercial Club a number of fruit growers organized what is to be known as the Wilkes Fruit Growers Association. They start out well as follows:

S. C. Stewart president; F. G. Holman vice president; Mrs. C. F. Bretholl, sec.-treas.; and H. H. Moorehouse, J. W. Fletcher and C. H. Opitz, executive committee.

The aim of the association is to foster the growing fruit industry of Wilkes, and any one interested in growing fruit may become a member. The greatest immediate benefit that the association offers its members is co-operative buying of orchard supplies thro a delegated business agent, and mutual discussion of problems of orchard culture. Good roads and a strong local market, have made unnecessary at this time, co-operative marketing, but this too will naturally come within the province of the association when conditions compel.

WILKES HAS LARGEST APPLE TREE IN WORLD

Wilkes county, Edwards township, on the waters of Little Elkin, stands the largest apple tree in world, so we are told. This tree, three feet from the ground, measures exactly eleven feet and eight inches in diameter. The tree is now owned by a northern man, and has apples on it—yellow skin.

Fight Over Evolution Began Centuries Ago— Present Controversy.

Chapel Hill, June 17.—Due to the misunderstanding in some quarters resulting from the discussion of science and religion, the responsibility of the teacher of today in developing a sane moral, spiritual and religious outlook in the younger generation cannot be stressed too much, declared President Chase of the University of North Carolina last night, addressing hundreds of school teachers at exercises formally opening the 38th session of the summer school.

"Today's struggle over science and religion is but a chapter in the struggle that began centuries ago," Dr. Chase said. "This struggle has shown that religion has always proved vital and big enough to absorb whatever science had to offer. Religion has adapted itself to astronomy, physics, modern medicine and geology. One by one these sciences have come upon the stage, have advanced and religion has absorbed every truth that science has ever promulgated.

"Ever since its infancy people have found in science something which, to their minds, opposed religion. The contest now about evolution, has been fought over and over again. People saw something which tended to promote atheism, in the age of Galileo when they suddenly found their orderly universe broken by the discovery that the earth was not the center of the creative universe, that it moves around the sun. Galileo was brought before the Inquisition and sentenced to make public recantation. The leaders of the Catholic church and men like Martin Luther and Calvin believed that scientific discoveries absolutely upset their religious faith. Roger Bacon in the 13th century spent 24 years in prison because he taught the 'irreligious' doctrine that the rainbow was the product of the sun's rays. Newton was accused of teaching atheism when he formulated the laws of gravitation."

"Without deep faith in spiritual things no nation is going to endure," Dr. Chase said. "There are certain characteristics at this moment which render the position of training young people a very responsible occupation. There are non of us who have not heard grave apprehension for the moral and religious outlook of the younger generation. There is a mode of examination and doubt and question abroad in the world today. We question our educational system, our big business and its machinery, our government and question whether our church is performing its function. There is not a region that is not subject to very close scrutiny. Is it any wonder, then, that young people seemed to be so mixed?"

"If the younger generation are growing up without a sane moral and religious outlook, without a sense of the fundamental importance of spiritual value of life, it will be a great tragedy—a tragedy which every teacher must try to prevent. The responsibility of the teacher in developing a sane, moral, spiritual and religious outlook cannot be to greatly stressed.

"The second problem facing the teacher is the problem of the teacher's responsibility to truth. The attitude of the teacher in dealing with this problem must not be evasive and furtive. Knowledge is the currency in which education deals, and a school without intellectual honesty is like a church without religion."

Born to Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Jennings a son, Fred Thomas, at the Wilkes hospital, last week.

KU KLUX PARADE AND SPEAKING FRIDAY NIGHT

The people of North Wilkesboro and surrounding territory showed a lively interest in the Ku Klux demonstration last Friday evening. Main street was lined on both sides with crowds of spectators a-foot and in automobiles to watch the picturesque parade, which was made up of about 150 robed clansmen. The line was formed at the fair grounds and marched up town, and then returned to the fair grounds. As the van of the parade reached the grounds, a great "fiery cross" was set a-blaze. This mysterious symbol continued burning for many minutes. The clansmen gathered around the cross, and interested on lookers in great numbers thronged the outskirts of the circle. Speakers of the occasion had a place in the center of the group of clansmen. One interesting feature of the evening was the presentation of a medal to a member who had belonged to the original Ku Klux Klan in the 60's. It was difficult for those in positions at a distance from the speaker's stand to hear what was said, owing to the constant coming and going of automobiles.

ERNEST JOHNSON FINED \$25.00 AND COST

Readers of this paper will recall that about 2 o'clock Saturday morning, June 6th, two young men, Ernest Johnson and Carl Roberts were driving a Ford car in the northern part of the county, near Wilkes line, when the car overturned, throwing Johnson out and pinning Carl Roberts underneath, crushing him to death. A neighbor, Mr. P. A. Fletcher, came along and helped turn the car over and release the dead man. Johnson was found to be intoxicated and the car had three pints of liquor in it. In recorder's court this morning, Johnson proved to have been of good character until about a year ago when he began drinking. In view of all circumstances, the recorder let the defendant off with a fine of \$25 and costs.—Statesville Landmark.

Justice-Call.

A pretty home wedding was solemnized at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Call, in Wilkesboro, Saturday evening at 5 o'clock in the presence of a few relatives and friends, when Mr. John E. Justice, Jr., of Greensboro, and Miss Gozell Call were married.

Dr. Allen Banner, of Greensboro, was best man escorting the bridegroom, and Miss Madeline Call, sister of the bride, maid of honor. As Mrs. R. E. Prevette played Miss Justice, of Greensboro, sister of the bridegroom, sang beautifully the songs "Because" and "For You Alone."

Miss Marion Boren, of Greensboro, was a bride's maid. The marriage ceremony being performed by Rev. George Hurlbut, rector of St. Paul's Episcopal church and of the bride, using the ring ceremony.

The bride is the second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Call her father being at the present time the longest-in-business merchant of North Wilkesboro. She attended the high school of Wilkesboro, Fassifern school for girls at Hendersonville and graduated at Goucher College, Baltimore.

Recently the bride has been the honor guest at many social functions in the two towns.

The bridegroom is the son of the well-known druggist in Greensboro and is vice president of the Justice Drug Company.

They will make their home in Greensboro, 615 West Market street, after July 1st.

Wilkes Superior Court.

It seems that the recent term of Wilkes superior court disposed of many civil cases many or some of which have been on the calendar for some time. Some of them are as follows:

Boone Trail Motor Co. vs W. E. Minton, H. G. Minton and C. H. Ferguson. The plaintiff recovered the sum of \$37.50 and interest from September 5, 1923, from W. E. Minton as principal and the other two as sureties.

J. C. Byrd, administrator, vs Hinshaw compromised equally by both.

Pressley E. Brown, et al, vs Williams Mill Mfg Co., Inc. Sale of property at Ronda for \$4-950 confirmed.

Louise Anderson vs J. C. Pound and Whit B. Sloop. Plaintiff recovers \$256 and interest for a year.

Nina Carlton vs Oscar Griffin. Compromised. Def't pays p'liff \$200.00.

J. R. Wood & Son vs Harry La Mar. Plaintiff recovers \$52.02 and two one-half year of interest.

J. E. Mastin vs Laura Mastin. Divorced. Plaintiff taxed with cost.

Zonia Cox vs Hill Cox divorced and husband to pay cost and wife made custodian of the 2 children.

Addie Colvard vs Delson Colvard divorced. Plaintiff to pay cost.

Jeanette Harris vs John. Divorced. Plaintiff to pay cost.

The same judgment was entered in the case of Will vs Fannie Obey.

National Cash Register Co. Inc. vs Forester Filling Station (R. T. Pardue and N. H. Forester, \$260.00 and interest from July 15, 1923, and the plaintiff was declared owner of the property and is to recover \$215 from R. T. Pardue and W. A. Bauguss surety. John R. Jones was appointed commissioner.

American Oil Pump and Tank company vs R. T. Pardue and Central Motor Co. Plaintiff recovers \$160 and interest from March 14, 1924. Plaintiff recovers \$160 from J. C. Reins surety on bond with interest from March 14, 1924.

J. N. Ambler recovers from the Town of North Wilkesboro \$550.00 with interest, all cost including \$200 referee fee and stenographer \$94. Town recovered nothing from p'liff.

L. L. Wellborn against D. J. White appeal to supreme court.

W. D. Howard vs Farmers and Merchants Bank and others: Robey Bates appointed receiver and made a party defendant.

Cass vs Byrd, boundary dispute to be heard by clerk.

W. J. Wheeling, guardian of S. S. Barlow, deceased, et al vs W. A. Jones. Plaintiffs recover nothing of the defendant and had to pay costs of the trial. Plaintiff's appeal Supreme court.

Mr. Sams of Raleigh, apiarian or bee man of the State department of agriculture, was in the county Monday with Farm Agent Hendren and visited some of the larger bee owners—near Ronda, and in Brushy Mountain township. He has recently returned from east Carolina where there is rather a plentiful crop of honey. The sourwood making is just beginning in Wilkes.

Man Named Triplett Shot Near Blowing Rock Sunday.

Blowing Rock, June 21.—Leonard Triplett, aged about 20, is dead and H. W. Wooten, 40, deputy sheriff, of Watauga and former police of Blowing Rock, is in jail at Boone under a charge of murder as a result of an affray about two miles northwest of here last night.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Eshelman last Wednesday, a son, P. Ward, Jr.

PERSONS COMING AND GOING LOCAL AND COUNTY ITEMS

Mr. T. C. Bowie was in the city last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hackett, Jr., of Robeson county, are visiting his parents here.

Miss Ernest Webster left last week to attend summer school at Duke University.

Miss Mabel Hendren left Monday for Boston, Mass., to visit Mrs. George Blevins.

Mr. R. L. Cheely, of Los Angeles, California, is visiting his uncle, Mr. C. F. Morrison.

Miss Francis Hendren, of Charlotte, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Hendren.

Miss Effie Mae Miller, of Deering, N. M., daughter of Mr. Robt. Miller, is visiting Mr. Charles Jenkins.

Mrs. S. R. Joines and children, of Franklin, visited friends here during the week end.—Ashe Recorder, 18th.

Rev. H. M. Vestal, of Yadkin, was here Monday to see his son and daughter, Mr. Paul Vestal, and Mr. Clem Wrenn.

Miss Jettie Miller, of Kensington, arrived last week to spend a month with her father, Mr. C. Y. Miller, in Wilkesboro.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Cassell, of Winston-Salem, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hubbard, in Wilkesboro, last week.

Rev. and Mrs. Joe H. Carter and children, of Elkin, passed through the city last Thursday on their way to West Jefferson.

Mr. E. E. Eller and family, who left here several days ago, arrived in Annapolis, Md., last Thursday to attend the graduation of their son.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Shoaf and children returned home Saturday from Chilhowie, Va., where they visited their father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Shoaf.

Miss Veva Foster, of Wilkesboro, returned to her home today, after a few days visiting at the Sproles home. She was accompanied by Mrs. Sproles.—Watauga Democrat, 18th.

UNION STATIONS FOR BUS TRAVEL

Raleigh, June 16.—Union stations for the accommodation of motor bus travelers at Asheville, Charlotte, Durham, Fayetteville, Goldsboro, High Point, Greensboro, Lexington, Raleigh, Salisbury, Statesville and Winston-Salem must be established by the motor carriers serving these cities according to an order of the corporation commission, announced by Bus Commissioner R. O. Self tonight.

J. I. M'GLAMERY BIRTHDAY DINNER

Last Sunday at the home of Mr. J. I. McGlamery in Stanton township a large crowd gathered from all sections of the county to celebrate Mr. McGlamery's sixtieth birthday. A bountiful dinner was spread by relatives and friends at the noon hour. Relatives from the states of Idaho and Washington were present and enjoyed the occasion. Mr. G. W. Walsh, a neighbor, made a splendid talk, which was enjoyed. Mrs. Horton Finley and daughter, Miss Mary, and Mrs. Hettie Barlow, of North Wilkesboro, were present. The many friends of Mr. McGlamery hope that he may enjoy many more such occasions.