

SURVEYING CORPS AT WORK.

North-South Crew Busy Surveying Line to Concord.—To Cross River at Stokes Ferry or Swift Island.—Survey From Mt. Oiled Also.

From a phone conversation this morning over the wires of the Concord Telephone Co., between Mr. J. A. McAuley, a prominent merchant and business man of Mount Oiled, and a representative of The Tribune it was learned that the North-South line is going forward with the work of extending its line on to Concord.

The road has a surveying corps at work from Troy toward Albemarle. The crew started Monday from a point about a mile from Troy and is now surveying in what is known as the ride of Uwharrie mountains. The line now being surveyed will cross the river at Stokes ferry. On account of the fact that the surveyors started work from a point about a mile from Troy there is much speculation as to where the depot will be located should this line be adopted.

As soon as this route is surveyed a survey will be made from Mount Oiled to Albemarle. The route of this survey will likely go out from Mount Oiled and run along the course of the river, going probably by Livingston's old mill and crossing the river at Swift Island. The route from Troy to Albemarle will be about 20 miles and the route from Mount Oiled to Albemarle about 16 miles.

Mr. McAuley was asked if the citizens of Mount Oiled were making a very determined effort to get the road to go out from there. "We are very anxious for the road and have been all the time but are not making any effort now because we do not think it necessary," he replied. Mr. McAuley added that he was practically certain that the road would go out from Mount Oiled. He stated that he based this opinion on information of a private nature he had received about the matter.

Mr. McAuley said that he was very much gratified that his section of equity and progressive little town were to be brought into closer communication with Concord and that he only regretted that the road was not already in operation.

Concord can easily reciprocate such a feeling for any town will be inestimably benefited by being in closer communication with men of the type of Mr. McAuley and such a section that abounds in untold natural resources and possibilities of wealth that only need the touch of railroad development.

The Killies Last Night.

Killies band performed at the opera house last night to the largest crowd of the season. Their performance was excellent and the large audience showed its appreciation by demanding encore after encore. From the high class entertainment here last night the Killies gave such a classy performance that many of the audience decided that they were a superior organization to a certain band made famous in a season's song hit and to them rightly belonged the title, "the best band in the land." The programme was made up of selections from composers of high standing and well known reputations, such as Wagner, Puccini and Rossini. The two Wagnerian selections, "Overture" from William Tell and the "Prelude" to third act from Lohengrin, were well rendered and were perhaps the best numbers on the programme. The piccolo solo by Master Willie Lawrence elicited high praise and the juvenile musician was a decided favorite, especially so with the feminine element present. The Killies are all to the good from the big seven foot two inch drum major down.

Organization Forces Fitted Against National Commitmentman Dumas.

Raleigh, N. C., Jan. 22.—Leading Republicans in North Carolina declare that the purpose of the "organization wing" of the party is to run Thomas Bettle, now attorney-general to the Federal Tariff Court, for Governor of the State to make former District Attorney A. E. Holton, of Winston-Salem, State chairman and give the national commitment, the place now held by E. C. Dumas, to J. M. Morehead, former Congressman and now State chairman of the Republican Executive Committee.

Fitted battles will be fought between the Morehead, or "organization" forces, and the followers of Dumas.

The Mr. and Mrs. Morehead have not yet reached such proportions that they battle one another.

LETTER FROM MR. FOREACRE.

Superintendent of Southern Will Meet With Aldermen And Go Over Depot Plans With Them.

City Clerk W. H. Gibson received a letter this morning from Superintendent Foreacre, in answer to one he wrote him on instructions from the board of aldermen concerning the plans for the new depot.

Mr. Foreacre stated that he had received the letter containing the request of the aldermen that the depot be changed and that it would have his immediate attention. Mr. Foreacre stated further that he would be glad to meet the board and go over the matter with them. He stated, however, that it would be impossible for him to do so until after January 30th, as he had engagements until that time.

Latest Version of the Harvey-Wilson Affair Sensational.

Mr. W. A. Hildebrand, Washington correspondent of the Greensboro News, sends the following under date of January 22:

"Some exceedingly caustic, harsh things were said today about Col. Henry Waterson, who has borne the fond appellation of Nestor of the Democracy. Moreover, it may be said that these unkind things border on the sensational. The latest version of the Wilson-Harvey episode is that the editor of Harper's Weekly suggested to Governor Wilson the wisdom of meeting his (Harvey's) friend, Thomas F. Ryan, with a view to raising money to finance the Wilson presidential boom. As the story goes here Colonel Waterson confided this intelligence to friends at Charlotte, when a banquet was held there a few days ago, and with a bitterness of spirit at once manifest the Wilson adherents are pointing out that Waterson and other opponents of the Jersey man are endeavoring to make capital out of the strained relations between Wilson and Harvey when they were necessarily aware of the fact that Governor Wilson could have pursued no other course that would have been at all compatible with a desire to maintain his own self-respect. Colonel Waterson, who is still here, has thus far declined to comment on this Ryan aspect of the affair, in which he has figured so conspicuously."

Population of Cabarrus County.

We have just received from the Census Department a bulletin showing the population of North Carolina by counties and townships. The following figures are given for Cabarrus, the total population being 36,240:

Township 1, Rocky River	1,062
Township 2, Poplar Tent	2,100
Township 3, Deweese	1,216
Township 4, Cooks Cross Roads	3,310
Township 5, Mount Oiled	917
Township 6, Fagarts	859
Township 7, Reed Misenheimers	805
Township 8, Mount Pleasant	1,693
including Mt. Pleasant town	753
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Township 9, Smiths	1,093
Township 10, Bethel Church	1,743
Township 11, Baptist Church	1,827
Township 12, Concord, coextensive with Concord city	8,715
Concord city:	
Ward 1	3,369
Ward 2	2,253
Ward 3	505
Ward 4	2,698

North Carolina has seven cities with over 10,000 population, namely: Charlotte, Wilmington, Raleigh, Asheville, Durham, Winston and Greensboro.

Prominent Men Killed in Railroad Accident.

Centralia, Ill., Jan. 22.—James T. Hazahan, Sr., former president of the Illinois Central; Frank O. Meleher, second vice president of the Rock Island; E. B. Pierce, general solicitor of the Rock Island, and Eldridge E. Wright, son of Luke E. Wright, former secretary of war, were killed in a collision of two Illinois Central trains at Kimmsdy, Ill., about 20 miles from here early today.

Three trainmen were injured and the passengers in the coach were badly shaken up and bruised.

Train No. 25, known as the New Orleans express, was taking water at Kimmsdy at one o'clock, when train No. 3, the Panama limited, ran into the rear of No. 25.

The killed were in the private car of Mr. Meleher. Their bodies were found near the berths they had occupied.

Frank E. Katsambash, former mayor of Trenton and for many years a prominent figure in New Jersey politics, is mentioned for Vice President.

ROADS MUST HAUL BEER.

Liquor Interests Win Important Victory in Supreme Court.

Washington, Jan. 22.—Liquor interests today won a far-reaching victory in the United States Supreme Court by a decision that railroads must carry beer, when offered for transportation into "dry" counties of another State. The decision affected particularly shipment from Indiana into Kentucky.

Justice Lurton, who announced the court's decision, also laid down some limitations on the jurisdiction of the Interstate Commerce Commission. He upheld the action of shippers in going before judicial tribunals to test the validity of laws rather than to the commission. He said that the commission had jurisdiction over administrative questions and matters of fact, but the courts over questions of general law.

Justice Lurton declared decisions of the Supreme Court had undisputedly determined:

"That beer and other intoxicating liquors are the recognized and legitimate subjects of interstate commerce.

"That no State can forbid any common carrier to transport such articles from a consignor in one State to a consignee in another.

"That until such transportation is concluded by delivery to the consignee such delivery to the consignee such commodities don't become subject to State regulations, restraining their sale or disposition."

Bishop Kilgo Blocks Durham Y. M. C. A. Rally.

Durham, Jan. 22.—Bishop John Carlisle Kilgo, of this city, is blamed for the blocking of a great revival meeting which was to have begun at the local home of the Young Men's Christian Association. For weeks the ministerial association of the city composed of all the ministers of the city, have been planning for a big meeting to be held at the Y. M. C. A. Mr. D. H. Wilcox, secretary of the local association says that he has been "hoping for the time when the meeting could be held, and says that he thinks the time is now ripe for the meeting to be held, and that he is certain that a great amount of good could be done among the young men of the city at this time. At the meeting of the Ministerial Association last Monday, plans for the beginning of the meeting were perfected, and all was in readiness for the start which was to have come within the next few days. However, on last Thursday afternoon, Bishop Kilgo held a meeting at his home on Trinity Campus of all the Methodist ministers in the city. At that time he offered a resolution condemning the local Y. M. C. A. because of the fact that it had in its lobbies several pool tables, and "other evils." Several of the preachers stood with the bishop and some would not exactly agree with him. The resolution was changed so that it did not "condemn the local association, but at the same time condemning the pool tables, and the "other evils." The resolution in its amended form was passed, and enough of the Methodist ministers went over to the side of the bishop as to block the meeting. As it stands now it is highly probable that the meeting will not be held, or at least at the present time. Practically every one of the Methodist preachers finally went over to the bishop's side.

Farks-Belk Co.'s Big Cleaning Up Sale.

The big January Cleaning Up Sale at Farks-Belk Co.'s will begin Thursday, closing Saturday, February 3. Everything will be remarked and reduced. The store will be closed all day Wednesday to tag and remark goods, and the sale will open at 9 o'clock Thursday morning, sharp. On Thursday morning when the store opens they will sell to the first customers Barker Mill Bleaching for 5 cents a yard, only 10 yards to a customer. Read the two page ads in today's paper and find about some more of the great bargains they will offer.

Citizens Bank and Trust Co.

A new face in The Tribune today is that of the Citizens Bank and Trust Co., which occupies a whole column in our advertising pages. This bank and its officers and directors are well known, and the latter are among our best citizens, both in city and county. The Citizens Bank will extend to their patrons every courtesy and accommodation consistent with sound banking principles.

Judge Montgomery Operated On.

Judge Montgomery underwent a very serious operation at the Charlotte Sanatorium this morning. A phone message from Mr. Richmond Montgomery stated that he came from under the influence of the anesthetic nicely, and is getting on as well as could possibly be expected.

A later message received at 1:30 o'clock stated that Judge Montgomery was getting along as well as could be expected. He is perfectly conscious and his physicians entertain strong hopes for his recovery.

Butter Drops Three Cents.

Elgin, Ill., Jan. 22.—The break in the cold wave and an increased output from the creameries were declared responsible for a three-cent drop today in the butter quotations, which a week ago was placed at 40 cents, an advance of four cents.

Pretty hard to find anything to rhyme with 1912, which perhaps is a mercy.

PERSONAL MENTION.

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

Dr. R. M. King is spending the day in Charlotte.

Rev. T. W. Smith is spending the day in Charlotte.

Mr. E. C. Barnhardt is spending the day in Charlotte.

Mr. J. F. Harley has gone to Salisbury on a short business trip.

Mr. Cameron Melton, of Greenville, S. C., is a Concord visitor today.

Messrs. J. M. Odell and J. P. Allison are spending the day in Charlotte.

Mrs. D. L. Best went to Salisbury this morning to attend the funeral of Mrs. R. F. Kiser.

Miss Kate Leonard has returned to her home in Salisbury, after visiting Miss Nellie Dry for several days.

Miss Ashlyn Love has returned from Lancaster, S. C., where she has been visiting friends for a fortnight.

Messrs. W. S. Bingham and Sam Morgan left this morning for Jackson Springs on a hunting expedition.

Mrs. Sarah Canble has returned to her home in Salisbury after attending the funeral of the late Mrs. Ellen White.

Mr. Dave Fowkes left this morning for Brower's Mill, Randolph county, where he will spend several days hunting.

Miss Margaret Lantz returned last night from Morganton, where she has been visiting Miss Annie McDowell for several weeks. Miss McDowell accompanied Miss Lantz and will be her guest for some time.

Hard on Charlotte's "Square Meals."

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A fellow was in a hotel in Geneva, Switzerland, and one day at dinner he began to complain in a loud voice at the quality of food that we being served. He said: "This is the worst I have ever seen in the way of a meal in all my travels," and other things in the same strain. Finally a fellow sitting not far away rose up and asked: "Say stranger, were you ever in Charlotte, North Carolina?"

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NO COLD WAVE IN SIGHT.

Temperatures Will Average Near Normal This Week, Predicted.

Washington, Jan. 22.—There is nothing at the present time to indicate that a general cold wave will cross the country this week.

The bulletin issued by the Weather Bureau last night says temperatures will average near or above the normal throughout the country.

"Generally fair weather," the bulletin continues, "will prevail east of the Rocky Mountains, except that a short period of rain and snow will attend a disturbance that will appear in the Far West Tuesday or Wednesday, cross the Middle West about Thursday and the Atlantic States Friday or Saturday.

There are indications that general rains will set in over the Pacific States by the middle of the week and continue several days.

Moderate weather and wind conditions will prevail over the North Atlantic steamship routes during the coming week?

Taft Uneasy as to South.

Washington, Jan. 22.—The fight on Mr. Taft by anti-Taft men of the Republican party is demoralizing the Taft organization in the South. Anti-Taft literature has created the impression that Taft cannot be elected if nominated, and the Southern Republican leaders want to get on the band wagon of Colonel Roosevelt, or some other promising racer.

It is predicted that the Republican Southern machine will be broken inside of 10 days by Cecil Lyon, national committeeman from Texas, coming out for Roosevelt. Being a power among the Republicans of the South, Mr. Lyon will carry many other leaders with him.

Polls taken all over the country indicate that the masses are not in favor of Mr. Taft, the Progressives say, and will not enthuse for him.

The Democratic State convention of Missouri will be held in Joplin on February 20.

POLITICS AND POLITICIANS.

Governor Woodrow Wilson, of New Jersey, will arrive in Chicago on February 12 to begin a short campaign tour of Illinois and Wisconsin.

The Socialist party has inaugurated a campaign in St. Louis to incorporate the recall into the constitution of Missouri.

George A. Neely, the new representative in Congress from the Seventh Kansas district, is a brother-in-law of Governor W. B. Stubbs.

Among the first of the conventions to elect delegates to the Republican national convention will be those of Florida, on February 6, and Virginia, on March 12.

Woodrow Wilson, Governor of New Jersey, will be a speaker at the Washington day dinner to be given by the Kansas Democratic Club in Topeka February 22.

Asheville Will Have New Kenilworth Inn.

Asheville, N. C., Jan. 22.—This city is to have a new Kenilworth Inn to be constructed at an early date and will cost \$250,000. The new structure is to be of concrete and steel and will occupy the site of the old inn of that name which was burned on the morning of April 14, 1909. The inn that was burned was of wood structure and was built in 1891 at a cost of \$140,000 by a number of Philadelphia capitalists. Six months before it was burned the property was bought by Senator Joseph M. Gassam and extensive improvements were planned for it.

The Colonel And the Major Agree at Last.

Colonel Harris and Major Sherrill are now agreed that Concord is some town, and all is lovely.

The Democrats of Oklahoma will hold their State convention in Oklahoma City, February 27, when twenty delegates to the national convention in Baltimore will be named.

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