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YORK AND YORKVILLE.

What's Doing Among our Neighbors Just Across the Line.

Yorkville Enquirer, 6th.

Mrs. Fanny Morrow of Gastonia, is visiting friends and relatives in Yorkville.

Mrs. D. T. Woods and children, Master Thomas and Joe, are visiting relatives and friends at Huntersville, N. C.

The people of Anderson started out recently to secure subscriptions for the erection of a city hospital and raised \$15,000 in less than a week. Yorkville hospital is not yet in sight.

Dr. John B. Bowen and Miss Addie Moore were married at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Moore yesterday evening at 8:30 o'clock. The ceremony was quite a pretty affair, and was witnessed by a number of close friends and relatives of the bride and groom.

Rev. W. L. Hughson of Morganton, N. C., performed the ceremony in accordance with the forms of the Church of England. The bride was given away by her father, Mr. Paul T. McNeel acted as best man, and Mrs. Joe B. Sylvau of Columbia as dame of honor.

Miss Alma Bloise Walker, eldest daughter of Dr. and Mrs. M. J. Walker, and Rev. Robert Eugene Sharp were united in marriage Wednesday morning, October 3, 1906, at 8 o'clock. Rev. Dr. J. L. Stokes officiated, assisted by Dr. S. A. Weber. When the hour arrived, Mrs. R. J. Sifford of Gastonia, N. C., began Mendelssohn's wedding march. The bride and her maid of honor, Miss Strauss Walker, issued from one room, while the groom and his best man, Rev. E. K. Hardin came from another. They met at the parlor door, the maid of honor and the best man going in first followed by the bride and groom. The room was simply but beautifully decorated with ferns, palms and cut flowers. The bride wore a going-away gown of green plaid with hat and dress to match.

The same table cloth that was used 50 years ago when they, as happy young bride and groom, cast their lots together, was spread last Tuesday. It is a pure white linen with a circle in the center in the border of which is the name of George Washington and in the center of this circle is his picture. This linen has been used all the while on special occasions, and a lady who was present last Tuesday informs the reporter that "it looked just as good as new."

The Boone Democrat says the buckwheat crop in Watauga county is almost an entire loss on account of the continued wet weather.

also reports seventy-five acres of cotton from which up to this time not a boll has been picked.

Mr. H. C. Glenn is now getting his lath making plant fairly started. It is located on the C. & N.-W. railroad, at the Charlotte street crossing. The machinery consists of a medium sized circular saw and a gang of small saws, all driven by a fifteen-horse electric motor. The capacity of the plant is from 20,000 to 30,000 laths a day.

Old cotton is worth to the mills at least a cent a pound more than new cotton. That is the situation at the present time. The difference is augmented by the fact that new cotton is too wet to work by reason of the continuous rains. Most of the mills are working new cotton; but they are unable to get a satisfactory production out of it.

THE ARTFUL SQUIRREL.

Their Tricks and Manners in Escape and Concealment.

Field and Stream.

You may find many a squirrel in the course of your tramp, but no one alike exactly in their method of attempted escape or concealment. The ways and means of the little rascal are legion. One may flatten himself on the back of a tree trunk, absolutely motionless, and unless in your earnest, steadfast looking you can detect an ear or shoulder in relief against the sky you might as well abandon the search. Another may lie along a bough flattened at full length; but here the tell-tale ears are more easily silhouetted. Still another may crouch drawn up in a fork; and here the thing to look for is the fluffy tip of that little signal flag which always works and waves and jerks and signals so bravely when danger is not in the air. Or one may gather himself up in a bunch to imitate a knot or knob; and here he can very well tell when you have spied him out. He will catch your eye even as you catch the eye of an acquaintance in a crowd and will instantly lunge up for head-long flight, leaping from tree to tree until he vanishes over the ridge.

Mr. S. W. Inman reports cotton sprouting in the bolls with two leaves. There is not a great deal of this; but Mr. Inman says that it is no trouble to find specimens in his field. He

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News and Observer.

Some days ago we printed a statement to the effect that Mr. J. E. and Mr. J. F. Batts who live near Garner, have decided to quit raising cotton and turn their large farm into stock raising poultry and the like. Mr. Batts, says that at present prices, he can make more money on fowls than by growing cotton. Of course, the farmers in Wake who are the most prosperous are those who have not confined themselves to one crop, but have grown truck, raised poultry, and had something to sell nearly all the year. The high price of everything to eat will cause more farmers to do what the Messrs. Batts are doing to their own enrichment and the good of the county.

Rockingham county court house at Wentworth was burned Wednesday night. All the county records were saved. The insurance on the building was \$9,000. The fire originated in Withers & Company's store, which was destroyed, together with their stock of goods. Steps are being taken to have the county seat removed to Reidsville.

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