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GOING BACK TO THE WEST.

After Visiting at Their Old Lincoln County Home Messrs. Bert and Louis Dellinger Return to Texas and Nevada-Rather Remarkable Coincidence.

Ten and twelve years ago, respectively, Messrs, Louis and Bert Dellinger, sons of Mr. Lawson A. Dellinger, of Iron Station, Lincoln county, went West to try their luck. They have just been at home for a few weeks' visit and were in the city last night en route to Jamestown, which they will take in before returning to their Western homes.

The latter lives at Miles. Texas, being a prominent man of his community. He was single when he left this State, but fell a victim to the charms of a Texas lassie several years ago and is now the father of several children. His visit home this summer was the first since he left his parental abode. Mr. Louis Dellinger went

farther West-than his younger brother and has rambled considerably more, being still single. He has been up in British Columbia and Alaska, and en-gaged in mining, besides washing dirt in about a half-dozen of the United States. At present his abode is at Goldfield, Nevada, where he has mining property and deals in mining stock. He will accompany his brother to his Lone Star home and after spending some days there will return to Nevada by way of San Francisco, where he has business interests.

Both young men like the West and have succeeded to a marked degree They say, however, that the advantages of the West are not as great as they were only a few years ago. All the best government lands have been taken up, which was not the case but a few years back. Mr. Louis Dellinger says that he believes the South is beginning to arouse itself to such an extent that it will soon offer more advantages to a young man starting out in life than the farfamed western part of the con-

Somewhat of a coincidence is connected with the visit of these | Had Two Wives. young men at their old home. One came in on Sunday and the journey they were only an hour apart, on different trains. Neither had seen the other since they parted twelve years ago.

Fire Alarm.

The fire alarm went off early yesterday morning as a result of a fire in the Star Bakery, which was caused from a gas stove. Post-Graduate Baltimore However, the fire was put out without any damage, before the firemen arrived.

New Milliner.

Miss Ethel Hicks has been engaged for the season as assistant milliner for the Jno. F. Love, Inc., stores. Miss Hicks has had eight years experience in the milline:y business and comes to Gastonia well reccommended

Business Changes.

Mr. A. G. Ellison leaves Sat urday for Columbia, S. C., to accept a position with the Southern Cotton Oil Company. He Begonia Victorious. Falls House in Gastonia on Loan & Trust Company by Mr. Wednesday, September 18th and D. Mason Robinson. Mr. Robthereafter on third Wednesday insou will be relieved as bookof each month for the purpose keeper at the City Grocery by

Map of Gastonia.

Civil Engineer Summey C Cornwell has been surveying the various streets of town this week for the purpose of making a map of the town of Gastonia. Mr. Cornwell is the town engineer having been elected sometime ago to survey the streets. Mr. Cornwell several years ago made a map of Gaston county which is being extensively used throughout the county.

Protracted Meeting.

Rev. J. A. Hoyle, the pastor, is conducting a most successful protracted meeting at the Loray Baptist church, having begun last Sunday night. The services will continue through the coming Sunday. Preaching services are held at 3 p. m. and 8. p. m. daily. Already there have been a number of professions. Pastor Hoyle will preach at Long Creek Baptist church Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

CITY FATHERS MEET.

Regular Meeting of the Board Tuesday Night-Requests for Street Improvements-Mr. Rutter Goes to Baltimore.

egular session in the city hall members were present and Mayor Armstrong presided. The request made to the board by the J. M. Adams 5 & 10 cent referred to a special committee, which means that the rate will not be granted, but the show can enjoy the fellowship of will be allowed to come here home folks. We voice the will be allowed to come here tax. Mr. J. S. Torrence appeared before the board and asked that Third street be extended several hundred yards in order to take in his property. He also requested that the town accept the new Columbus street which has just been opened up. The requests were referred to the street committee and a report will be made at next meet-

Mr. J. L. Beal requested permission to build a brick veneer residence on Airline street within the fire limits. This request was also referred to a committee for a report at next meeting. A request was also presented for a new street on Happy Hill, which was referred to the street committee.

Mr. Harry Rutter superintendent of public works was granted permission to go to Baltimore to inspect the new lighting plant of the Westinghouse Electric Company. Mr. Rutter goes at the expense of the Westinghouse Company.

The meeting adjourned to meet again Thursday night a 7.30 o'clock.

First Shipment.

The Flint Manufacturing Company will make its first shipment of varns this week. All the machinery is now in operation. The product of this mill is yarn Nos. 40's and 50's. The Flint is Gastonia's newest cotton manufactory and is starting with bright prospects for a most successful career.

other the following day, neither the mayor's court yesterday knowing that the other was morning on a charge of bigamy coming. At one point on their and was sent to jail to await a hearing before Judge Ferguson. Arrowood has been living in Gastonia for the past several weeks with a woman he recently married: He acknowledged having a wife at Mooresboro.

Mr. Kendrick Alternate.

Mr. Thomas N. Kendrick returned yesterday from Anderson, S. C., where he went to attend the district meeting of the Improved Order Heptasophs. The meeting was held in the Masonic Hall Tuesday night for the purpose of electing a deputy supreme archon and alternate for district No. 64 which includes South Carolina. There were a number of delegates in attendance and Mr. L. Littman was elected district archon and Mr. T. N. Kendrick alternate. After the district meeting was held the Hampton Conclave of Anderson, entertained the delegates together with a large number of visiting brothers with a banquet.

The Begonia baseball team defeated the picked team of P. J. Lineberger on the Begonia grounds Wednesday afternoon by a score of 5 to 3. Meek and Brandon did the battery work for Begonia and Price and Lineberger did the same for P. J.'s team. Meek struck out 9 men and allowed 6 hits, while Price took in 14 men with only 5 hits against him. This was the last game of the season, the Begonia team having lost only three games out of 12 played. After the game was over Mr. C. H. Parham, manager of the Begonia team, entertained his team and a large number of their opponents and friends with an ice cream supper which was greatly enjoy-

Train Time.

A Kansas editor since the ruling of the inter-State commission cut off his pass, has dropped the time table from his paper and prints this line: "Trains are due when you see the smoke."

The Omaha and Texas Express train, on the Rock Island system, was raided Friday morning, near Murdock, Neb., by three masked men. The robbers went through the chair dar, robbing every passenger therein, securing their pocketbooks and purses, covering the train crew with revolvers and escaped.

LORAY LOCALS.

Loray, N. C., Sept. 11,-Mr. Sid Hull, boss weaver of the Lancaster Mill, Lancaster, S. C. looked through the Loray Mills Friday Mr Hull was on a visit The board of aldermen met in to his brother, Mr. M. L. Hull. -Mrs K C Etters is visiting Tuesday night for the trans-action of town business. All the at Bessener this week.—Mr. Lloyd Dunu, who has been assistant overseer of weaving here the campus is beginning again accept a similar position with after its deserted aspect of the show for a blanket tax rate for the Hoskins Mills, Charlotte, summer time. An unusually go but he is getting back near pected this year, and it is conto his boyhood home, where he provided they pay the regular sentiment of a host of his friends when we say we are sorry to see him go.-Mr. E. T. Harrell has moved back among his old friends again. He comes back from Charlotte, where he has been fixing looms, and takes a similar position here.

Work is progressing on the placing of the new boilers here. A force of hands have been busy on them for nearly three weeks. It will be some time vet before they are ready for operation.

Our chief engineer, Mr. Geo. Hill, has returned from his recent trip to Jamestown, where he took in the wonders of the great exposition.

The new Franklin Avenue church was opened to the public Sunday evening. Services were conducted by Rev. E. L. Bain, who preached a very appropriate sermon for the occasion. There will be services there again next Sunday evening at 3 o'clock, when the church will be organized. Rev. J. M. Downum, the pastor will divide his time between the new church and West End the remainder of this year. The Loray Presbyterian Church will be organized Sunday eve-

ning at 3 o'clock. Rev. A. S. Anderson has been very busy since he came here and has succeeded admirably in his There is a protracted meeting

in progress in the new Baptist church this week. The pastor, Rev. J. A. Hoyle, is doing the preaching himself. Much interest is being manifested and no doubt there will be many conversions and additions to the J. E. Arrowood was tried in our town should be exemplary.

> The Lawyer Had Sized His Pile. Phiadelphia Ledger.

> "What have you to offer to offset these charges?" asked the court severely. "Not a thing, Judge," replied the prisoner, 'not a thing unless you can get my lawyer to divide. He seen me first."

> Georgia's Only Negro Legislator Resigns.

Atlanta, Ga., Sept. 10.-W. H. Rodgers, of McIntosh county, the only negro member of the Georgia Legislature, to-day resigned his seat in the General Assembly. He gave no reason for his action but it is believed that the passage of the negro disfranchisement bill by the last Legislature influenced him.

Easy Victory.

The question of issuing \$100, 000 of 30-year bonds for the purpose of installing water works and sewerage and making street improvements was voted on yesterday and the election resulted in an easy victory for the proposition A very light vote was by not having paid their poll in the holy bonds of wedlock by taxes before May 1. Our forms Esq. Mullinaxe. We extend made but the vote for the propo- happy young couple. sition is at least twice that registered against it. This is fayor of the proposition.

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John Eads, of Siloam, Surry county, was shot down and killed by one of his tenants, Nathan Donathan, Saturday evening. Eads had remonstrated with Donathan for letting his chickens run loose on the place damaging Eads truck patch.

THE UNIVERSITY OPENS.

Eight Hundred Students Looked For This Year-New Library is Being Occupied - Dissecting Hall and Infirmary Building Nearly Completed.

Chapel Hill, Sept 10.-The University of North Carolina opened its doors vesterday, and for several years, has resigned to to assume its normal condition one week during October was N. C. We are sorry to see Lloyd large number of students are exfidently predicted by some that before the year closes the registration will reach the 800 mark.

The new library which was made possible by the generous gift of Mr. Andrew Carnegie and by the lovalty of the alumni, has been completed and the books have been moved from the old building to their new quarters. Owing, however, to the nonarrival of some furniture the library will not be opened for a few days.

The new dissecting hall, to replace the one destroyed by fire in the latter part of June, is almost completed and will be ready in ample time so that the work of the medical school will in no way be hindered.

The infirmary building is fast nearing completion. The furnishings have been ordered for some time, and the building will be ready soon for the reception of students. The proper care of the sick, which heretofore has been an ever present problem in the old inadequate quarters, is now assured. The college physician will have his office in the building, and among the other new features are a kitchin and dining room, where sick students may secure food suited to their condition.

CHERRYVILLE CHAT.

Terse News Notes from Gaston's Northernmost Town.

Cherryville Bagle, 11th. Mrs. Fannie Neill is visiting

her son, J. C. Neill, at Gastonia this week .- Mr. Darius Beam was in the city this week in the interest of The Gastonia Gazette and on a visit to home folks.church. With three new and Mr. M. L. Mauney, the popular beautiful churches the morals of cashier of the Cherryville Bank, was in Lincolnton yesterday .-Miss Lyla Weaver, a charming young lady of Crouse, was in the city Monday shopping.-Mrs. Adaline Weaver, of Crouse, is visiting her son, S. B. Weaver, this week.-Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Leonhardt attended the Carpenter reunion at Lander's Chapel last Saturday .- Mr. Robert Vandyke, a good citizen of Kings Mountain, was in the city this week.—Mr. Mirton Rudisill, teller of the First National Bank of Liucolnton, was among our visitors Sunday .- Mr. and Mrs. W. H. McGinnis and little daughter, of Kings Mountain. were visitors in the community last week .- Mr. T. M. Hurt, who is now holding a lucrative position at Lincolnton, greeted his many friends here Sunday .-Miss Lola Houser, who is taking a business course in stenography and typewriting at Charlotte, spent from Friday until Monday with ber parents.

> Mr. J. L. Gates and Mrs. Lizzie Leonhardt were happily married at the home of the bride just over the line in Lincoln county Tuesday at 11 o'clock.

Mr. William Hasting and Miss Victoria Costner, with their minds running in the same chanpolled, owing to the fact that so nel, hied away to South Carolina many persons were disqualified | Sunday and were joined together closed before the final count is hearty congratulations to this

The Baptist congregation of Lincolnton has extended a call the grandest stride forward our to Rev. S. W. Bennett, of Phoetown has ever taken and it is a bus, Va., to succeed Rev. Baylus cause of congratulation that the Cade whose resignation takes sentiment was so unanimous in effect November 1st. Mr. Bennett is a North Carolinan and is highly recommended by some of the Lincolnton Baptists who know him. It is not known whether he will accept the call or not, but it is believed he will.

W. W. Ellington, aged 54 years, was found dead in his room at Durham Monday morning. Oliver Norden, of Fayetteville, 22

day night by drinking laudanum. An Alamance county man 36 years old has entered school at Whitsett Institute along with his two boys, 10 and 12 years of age.

Mrs. Mary L. Rorschach, wife of a lieutenant in the United States navy, was murdered in her home at Portsmouth, Va., Tuesday morning by an unknown burglar.

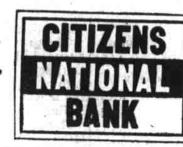
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