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SHORT LOCAL ITEMS

THE MOVEMENTS OF GASTON PEOPLE

Personal Items About Gaston Folks and their Friends—Short Items About People and Things That Are of Interest to Gazette Readers Condensed for Their Convenience

Attend the Sweet Pea Show at Kennedy's Friday.

Mr. G. C. Andrews spent Sunday in Greenville, S. C.

Where is the guy who is going to put gas in Gastonia?

Attorney P. W. Garland went to Rutherfordton yesterday on professional business.

Mr. C. C. Clark, of Mountain Island, was a business visitor in the city yesterday.

Masters Billy Glenn and Ewart Knight have returned from a visit to relatives in the Bethel section.

Mrs. H. P. Glenn is visiting at the home of Dr. T. N. Dulin in Bethel.

Rev. R. S. Burwell, of New Hope, was a visitor in town yesterday.

Mr. W. K. Reid has returned home from the University where he has been a student.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Lee, Hanks spent Sunday in Charlotte as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Wooley.

Mrs. J. Leake Carraway, of Charlotte, arrived this morning for a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Glenn.

Mr. E. R. Rankin, one of Gastonia's boys, was a speaker at the D. I. Society banquet at Chapel Hill yesterday.

Mr. Thomas S. Royster, carrier on route one, Bessemer City, was in Gastonia on business Saturday afternoon.

Gastonia Chapter, R. A. M. No. 66, will hold regular communication tonight and work in the P. M. and M. E. degrees will be done.

Attorney A. G. Mangum left Monday for Chapel Hill to attend the commencement exercises of the University of North Carolina.

Misses Marguerite Brittain, of Salisbury, and Essie Green, of Monroe, are expected soon to be the guests of Miss Violet Rankin.

Mr. J. L. McIntock and Mr. John S. Blake, of Blake Car-sten Works, Charlotte, are business visitors to the city today.

Mr. and Mrs. P. P. Rockett and little son spent Saturday and Sunday at Hickory with Mr. Rockett's mother, who has been quite ill but is now some better.

Gastonia Lodge No. 269 A. F. & A. M., will hold regular communication Friday night of this week. Work will be done in the third degree.

Misses Ruth McGill and Eunice Tixaco, of Bethany, and Mr. Grady Adams, of Crowders Creek, left yesterday to attend commencement at Due West, S. C.

Misses Oina Moss and Etta Saunders left yesterday morning for Rock Hill, S. C., to attend the commencement exercises at Winthrop College.

Messrs. Willis Wilson, Leonard Wilson, J. W. Falls, R. S. Loughridge, J. S. Winger and C. L. Winger attended the "Old Maids' Convention at Union school house last Friday night.

Eunice, the one-year-old child of Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Turner, died at their home at the Ozark Mill Sunday morning. The body was taken yesterday to Bethel church in York county, South Carolina, for burial.

Mr. and Mrs. S. P. White, of Archdale, who have been spending some time here with their daughter, Mrs. W. L. Thompson, left today for Salisbury, where they will visit another daughter, Mrs. G. C. Eagle, before returning home.

Mrs. R. D. Lewis and little son and brother, Master Johnnie Foskett, of Republic, Ala., arrived in the city Sunday night on No. 20. They were accompanied home by their mother, Mrs. Hattie Lee, and also Mrs. C. B. Lewis and children, who were en route to Charlotte.

The morning hour at Main Street Methodist Church next Sunday morning will be given over to the Sunday school for the annual Children's Day exercises. Sunday night the presiding elder will preach, this being the time for the third quarterly meeting of the charge.

Mr. W. A. Falls, Jr., list taker for the State and county in Gastonia township outside the city limits, gives notice in today's Gazette that he will be at the court house all day Saturday, June 7th, which will be his last day for listing. He urges everybody who has not yet listed to do so at once and calls their attention to the fact that they can thus save themselves being double-taxed.

Mrs. D. E. McConnell and Mrs. J. F. Thomson spent yesterday afternoon in Charlotte attending the lectures on Domestic Science being given by Miss Dolla Jones under the auspices of The Evening Chronicle. They were greatly pleased with the lecture given yesterday on the first principle of cookery, and the interesting announcement is made that a similar course of lectures will be arranged for to be given in Gastonia this fall under the auspices of the Woman's Betterment Association.

COURT HAS ADJOURNED

JUDGE WEBB GOES TO LAURINBURG

May Term Gaston County Superior Court Adjourned Saturday Morning—Judge Webb Goes to Laurinburg, Thence to Charlotte—Groves vs. Southern Railway Resulted in Mistrial—Stewart & Jones' Cases Appealed.

The May term of Gaston County Superior Court adjourned last Saturday morning after a long and tedious grind on civil issues for two weeks. It is the consensus of opinion that there are not many visible results of the work of the court, the calendar, it is said, not being more than half completed. A great deal of the time was consumed in minor issues. Stewart & Jones, the contractors for the P. & N. Railroad here for the past two years, were the defendants in quite a number of suits brought by merchants of Lowell, McAdenville and Gastonia. In most of these entries were made for an appeal to the Supreme Court.

In the case of Eliza Groves vs. the Southern Railway the jury after being out 22 hours reported that they were unable to come to an agreement and recommended a mistrial. The plaintiff alleges that on January 9, 1911, she was injured alighting from defendant's train in Lowell and asked for damages to the amount of \$3,000. The case of Nantz vs. Smith also attracted quite a good bit of attention.

The following taken from the minute docket shows the disposition of the cases:

G. C. Nantz vs. John L. Smith, plaintiff entitled to recover compensatory damages to amount of \$65.00.

D. M. Rudisill and wife vs. Town of Bessemer City; case was compromised.

D. W. Mitchem vs. C. J. Pasour, First National Bank and S. M. Robinson. It is ordered and adjudged that the plaintiff recover of the defendant S. M. Robinson and that the said defendant recover of the plaintiff his reasonable costs in this case expended.

Emma Oates vs. Gidney Oates et al. It is ordered that the plaintiff take nothing by this action and that the defendant pay the costs.

D. W. Mitchem vs. Stewart & Jones. Judgment in favor of defendant. Plaintiff appeals to Supreme Court, and bond fixed at \$25.

J. W. Groves vs. Stewart & Jones. Judgment in favor of plaintiff. Defendant appeals to Supreme Court and bond fixed at \$25.

Catawba Grocery Store vs. Stewart & Jones. Judgment in favor of defendant. Plaintiff appeals to Supreme Court, bond fixed at \$25 and 60 days allowed plaintiff to make up case of appeal and 30 days thereafter allowed defendant to file counter case.

Craig & Wilson vs. Stewart & Jones. Judgment in favor of plaintiff. Defendant appeals to Supreme Court.

Goulds Manufacturing Co. vs. S. B. Sparrow. Plaintiff entitled to recover \$300 with interest from June 22, 1907.

Gaston County and Board of Commissioners vs. Stewart & Jones and Cornelius and Duke. Plaintiffs recover of defendants \$250 and costs of action.

D. W. Mitchem vs. Stewart & Jones. Plaintiffs recover from defendant \$37.

Craig & Wilson vs. Stewart & Jones. Plaintiffs recover from defendants the sum of \$61.50.

J. W. Groves vs. Stewart & Jones. Plaintiff recovers \$32.80 from defendant.

Mrs. Ida Lineberger vs. Clara Manufacturing Co. Plaintiff is nonsuited.

I. C. Lowe, vs. W. B. Smith. Plaintiff recovers \$249.75 and interest on \$274.75 from March 10, 1911, and the costs of the action to be taxed by the clerk.

FOR COTTONSEED FEED.

Prof. W. A. Withers, of A. and M. College, Discovers Antidote.

Raleigh, May 31.—One of the most valuable discoveries for Southern farmers that has been made in a great while is that of Prof. W. A. Withers, of the North Carolina College of Agriculture and Mechanic Arts in the way of a satisfactory antidote for cottonseed feed poisoning in the feeding of cattle and hogs. It is said that by mixing a small part of the very inexpensive antidote just discovered with the feed it can be fed as freely, as constantly and in as large quantities as the stock need. Agricultural chemists and investigators have been searching for some such antidote for several years, and the news that Mr. Withers has found it and proven its efficacy in a thoroughly satisfactory manner is of great interest to the scientific world. It is now to be tested on a large scale.

District Conference.

The District Conference for the Shelby District, M. E. Church, South, will be held this year at Belmont, beginning Thursday, July 3rd, and continuing through Sunday, July 6th. The meetings of the Conference will be held in the new Methodist church, of which Rev. J. Archie Bowles, is pastor.

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THE CO. COMMISSIONERS

DISPOSE OF ROUTINE BUSINESS

Regular Monthly Meeting Board of Commissioners Held at Court House Yesterday—Routine Business Disposed of—Range and Rolling Chair Bought for County Home—Adjourned Meeting Next Monday to Draw Jury List.

The regular monthly meeting of the Gaston county board of commissioners was held yesterday in the court house with all members present. Routine business only was disposed of. An adjourned meeting is to be held next Monday for the purpose of drawing the list of jurors for the next term of court. The following business was disposed of:

It was ordered that T. L. Ware be instructed to inspect the proposed road as petitioned for by A. Killian and others and report on advisability of changing same.

It was also ordered that the report of T. L. Ware in regard to the location and establishment of a public road leading from Bessemer City to the macadam road leading from Kings Mountain to the Anna Cotton Mills, as per the petition of J. A. Smith and others, be adopted and the same ordered to be opened up as a public road, upon condition that there be costs for damage to land and that said petitioners pay one-fourth of all expenses of building said road. The old public road was ordered discontinued when the above road is completed.

Ed Webb was exempted from paying poll tax on account of physical infirmities, also Pete Howell.

Bertha Crockett was declared a pauper and allowed to draw \$9 per quarter with J. H. Wilkins as agent.

J. F. McArver was appointed a committee to buy a range for the county home and that Dr. L. N. Glenn be appointed a committee to buy two invalid or rolling chairs.

The reports of the finance and auditing committee, treasurer and sheriff were accepted; affirmed and recorded in the record of official reports.

The report of L. A. White and others, registrars and judges of election for Long Creek Drainage Commission was accepted and approved.

The following bills were ordered paid:

C. C. Craig, salary and expenses county home for May, \$200.67.

Ford Undertaking Co., coffins for three paupers, \$15.

R. C. Warren, grate for manhole, \$1.25.

T. L. Ware, stone for road, \$78.40.

T. L. Ware, salary for May and postage, \$101.50.

Gastonia Livery Co., surry for grand jury, \$6.

T. L. Ware, N. G. Todd's grading force, \$679.39.

Mankum & Woltz, expenses court stenographer, \$37.

A. G. Mangum, services in case of County vs. Jones, \$25.

T. L. Ware, chain gang expenses, camps No. 1, \$684.77; No. 2, \$668.69.

Torrence & Rhyme, board for jury \$28.80.

J. D. R. McLean, sheriff, salary for May, \$166.66.

Carl Finger, treasurer, salary for May, \$100.

T. L. Ware, work on Cherryville roads, \$330.09.

T. L. Ware, work on Gastonia roads, \$48.86; River Bend, \$183.30; South Point, \$72.92.

T. L. Ware, work on bridges, \$96.71.

W. M. Nolen, salary and rooms for jury, \$78.40.

L. E. Rankin, salary for May, \$100.

W. M. Nolen, supplies for court house, \$6.35.

City of Gastonia, costs in case in recorder's court and county's cost in maintenance, \$61.80.

C. C. Cornwell, expense of burial of A. M. Anthony, \$20.

A. J. Smith, salary and clerk hire, \$216.66.

C. C. Cornwell, county liabilities less \$120, solicitor's fees in case vs. Thomas Peeler, \$322.72.

R. S. Lewis, services as commissioner, \$20.40.

L. N. Glenn, salary for May, \$41.66.

R. K. Davenport, services as commissioner, \$21.

J. W. Kendrick, services, \$23.

J. F. McArver, services, \$21.

O. G. Falls, services, \$29.75.

J. F. Leeper, services, \$37.75.

G. R. Rhyne, salary and jail fees, \$97.92.

MASONS AT WILMINGTON.

High Degree Masons Assemble at "City by Sea" for Convention.

Wilmington, May 31.—Prominent and high degree Masons from all parts of the State will begin gathering here Monday for the annual convention of the Grand Chapter Royal Arch Masons, assembly of the Grand Council Royal and Select Masters and the conclaves of the Grand Commandery Knights Templar of North Carolina, which will be in session here from June 3 to 5. The social features include a trip down the Cape Fear river, touching at Fort Caswell, and a banquet on the roof garden of the Masonic Temple.

Alfred Austin, poet laureate of Great Britain since 1896, died yesterday at the age of 77 years.

IN SOCIAL CIRCLES

LATEST EVENTS IN WOMAN'S WORLD

TO ATTEND HOUSE PARTY.

Misses Louisa and Aline Reid, Madelyn Thomson and Margaret LaFar left last Friday afternoon for Yorkville to attend a house party given by Miss Mary Fant Herndon.

TWENTIETH WEDDING ANNIVERSARY.

The following cards will be received with interest throughout the city: 1893 "A-A" 1913 Rev. and Mrs. Joseph Edgar Abernethy

Invite you to be present at their Twentieth Wedding Anniversary Thursday evening, June the nineteenth from eight to ten o'clock One hundred and twenty-seven East Main Avenue Gastonia, North Carolina Susan Virginia Allen

Joseph Edgar Abernethy

KISER-WILEY CARDS ISSUED.

Invitations reading as follows have been issued: Mrs. Susan Ellen Wiley requests the honor of your presence at the marriage of her daughter

Kate Lois

to Mr. Ernest Kiser ev Byrs Mr. Ernest Arthur Kiser on the evening of Wednesday, June fourth, at half after eight o'clock First Methodist Church Bessemer City, North Carolina.

Mr. Kiser is a well-known young business man of Gaffney, S. C., and both he and his prospective bride have many friends in Gaston who will be interested in the above announcement.

FOR VISITING LADIES.

Miss Hallie Torrence entertained an elegantly appointed eight-course dinner Friday evening at 8 o'clock in honor of her charming house-guests, Miss Mary Ratliff, of Birmingham, Ala., and Miss Ethel Hamrick, of Gaffney, S. C. The dining room was decorated with sweet peas and ferns, the color scheme being pink and green. The table was beautiful with a chunly mat over pink. The center piece was a gilt basket tied with pink tulle and filled with pink sweet peas and ferns. This was surrounded by smaller baskets filled with pink sweet peas and each was caught with pink ribbon suspended from the chandelier. The place cards were hand-painted baskets of pink sweet peas. The favors were miniature baskets of mints and candy. Covers were laid for ten. The guests were Misses Ratliff, Hamrick, Blanche Gray, Marie and Hallie Torrence and Messrs. Charles Moore, George Gray, Stacy Boyce, Henry Boshamer and George Mason. Misses Ratliff and Hamrick and Miss Hallie Torrence will leave tomorrow for Gaffney where Miss Ratliff and Miss Torrence will be the house-guests of Miss Hamrick.

SWEET PEA SHOW FRIDAY.

The first Annual Sweet Pea Show to be given by the J. D. Moore Chapter Children of the Confederacy will be held Friday of this week, June 6th, in Kennedy's drug store. Mrs. Thomas L. Craig is the leader of the chapter and has been busily engaged for some time past making arrangements for the show and the details are now complete. The show will last throughout Friday and the children and their enthusiastic leader, who have expended no little energy in preparing for the event, hope that Gastonians will show their appreciation by attending in large numbers. There will be no admission fee. Mr. J. H. Kennedy, proprietor of Kennedy's drug store, has very kindly agreed to give the chapter fifty per cent of the gross receipts from his soda fountain on that day. By patronizing Kennedy's Friday will be helping to encourage the young folks in this most laudable undertaking. It is their intention to make this an annual event.

Anybody in the city can enter sweet peas in the show and the promoters hope that a very large number will do so. Through the generosity of local merchants a number of very handsome prizes will be given for the following:

The best in each of the following—pink, red, lavender, purple, white, primrose, white with lavender edge, white with pink edge, cream, pink and white; also for the three best collections, these to consist of not less than six varieties each. All persons who intend to enter flowers are requested to have them at Kennedy's not later than 8:30 a. m. Friday in order that there may be sufficient time to number and classify them. A feature of the show will be good music, which will be rendered throughout the day.

Messrs. E. G. McLurd and P. P. Murphy, of Lowell, are attending the convention of Royal Arch Masons in Wilmington.

Mrs. J. L. Sain, of Greensboro, spent several days here last week as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Coon and left Sunday for Kings Mountain to visit relatives.

TAR HEELS TO FRONT

N. C. REPRESENTATIVES ARE HONORED

Tar Heel Congressmen Given Important Committee Assignments—Godwin, Pou and Doughton Are Chairmen—Six Are on What is Known as Big Ten.

The North Carolina Representatives in the lower House can measure with their conferees, Simmons and Overman in the Senate, is shown in the announcement of the assignments of the Democratic House caucus. The following from Washington to The Charlotte Observer gives the facts:

"In the list of committee assignments announced at the House Democratic caucus this afternoon North Carolina is shown to have added another chairmanship to the list, making three in all for the State. Besides the chairmanship, six of the other representatives from the State are on what are known as the 'Big Ten' committees. This is a remarkable showing and a just reward for the people of the State who have kept their Representatives on the job long enough for them to advance to important positions.

"The chairmen of committees are Godwin, Committee on Reform in the Civil Service; Pou, Committee on Claims; Doughton, Committee on Expenditures in the Agricultural Department. Mr. Doughton has been in this committee several years and has just risen to the chairmanship. Godwin and Pou have been chairmen some years.

"Representative Webb is ranking member on the Judiciary Committee; Gudker on Public Buildings and Grounds; Stedman on Foreign Affairs; Page on Appropriations; Small on Rivers and Harbors; Kitchen on Ways and Means, and Faison on Merchant Marine and Fisheries.

"By a rule passed by the present Congress, members of the 'Big Ten' committees are ineligible for membership on any other committee, thereby confining Webb, Stedman, Page, Small and Pou to one committee. The other five have assignments as follows:

"Gudger, Public Buildings and Grounds, Indian Affairs, Expenditure in the Postoffice Department; Godwin, Reform in the Civil Service, Alcoholic Liquor Traffic, Expenditures in the War Department; Pou, Claims, Rules, Expenditure in the Department of Commerce; Doughton, Expenditures in the Department of Agriculture, Roads, Education; Faison, Merchant Marine and Fisheries, Census, Expenditures in the Navy Department.

"North Carolina is holding her position well on the House side, in keeping with the lofty positions held by Senators Simmons and Overman on the Senate side of the Capitol.

STRONGEST IN SOUTH.

Said of Winthrop College, Rock Hill, Y. W. C. A.

Says a dispatch from Rock Hill, S. C., to The Charlotte Observer: Commencement exercises began at Winthrop College this morning with a sermon before the Young Women's Christian Association by Rev. K. G. Finlay of Trinity Church, Columbia.

President Johnson before introducing Mr. Finlay stated that the Young Women's Christian Association had been a great power for good at Winthrop, that it had a membership of 149 out of a possible 674 students in the dormitories that it was one of the strongest in the South, having grown so that it required the services of a trained general secretary all of her time and that for the past four years the association had supported a missionary in the foreign field. The enrollment on the regular graded Bible study classes is 390, this being a 3-year course and certificates given when the course is completed. There will be seven certificates given this year on the Bible study course and 9 given on the missionary course.

MR. RHYNE BACK.

But Without His Prisoner, "Irish Jimmy."

Deputy Sheriff G. R. Rhyne returned Saturday from New York where he has been for two weeks or longer, endeavoring to lay hands upon, and bring back to Gaston for trial, the person of one "Irish Jimmy" wanted for the alleged safe-cracking at McAdenville. But it seems as if the prisoner is not to come just yet. He is possessed of some friends who, it seems, are wealthy and influential and have some sort of pull with the police machinery of Greater New York. "Irish Jimmy" took an appeal to the Court of Appeals and he has been granted time in which his case might be taken up and heard. It is thought, however, that if he is to be gotten at all, his capture will be effected within the next week or so.

Mrs. W. L. Balthis is expected home to-night from Raleigh after an absence of a month. She has been visiting her mother, Mrs. B. F. Dixon.

Mr. E. D. Long while on a business trip in the High Shoals section last week brought back some fine specimens of wheat plucked from the fields in that neighborhood. He says wheat is fine up there.

NEWS OF THE COUNTY

LATEST FROM OUR CORRESPONDENTS

News Letters from Gazette Correspondents Here and There Over Good Old Gaston—What Our Neighbors Are Doing in the Various Sections of the County—Personal Mention of People You Know and Some You Don't Know.

BELMONT BUDGET.

Correspondence of The Gazette.

BELMONT, May 30.—The pastor of the Baptist church at Belmont has had to give up all his work on account of his failing health. The church and the people at large in this community were very sorry to have to give up Mr. Hobbs at this time. He has done a good work here and there were hopes that what he had done was only a beginning.

The church has no pastor at present. Mr. Hobbs' letter of resignation was read Sunday and sorrowfully accepted. There will be services at stated times by a supply pastor until a pastor can be secured. He was instrumental in the building of the new church, which is to be dedicated at an early date.

Mr. T. C. Holland, a ministerial student who graduated at Wake Forest a few days ago will preach here Sunday, June 1st.

Work has begun on the ground for the new brick building which will be occupied by W. H. and D. P. Stowe as soon as completed.

The early peach crop in this section seems to be rather short. A few are beginning to ripen but they are not perfect.

Mrs. George M. Armstrong has beans for sale on the local market May 30. Who beats that?

Prof. Francis and wife, of Bolling Springs High School, have been in town the past week, but left for Chattanooga, Tenn., and other points a few days ago.

Mount Holly Matters.

Correspondence of The Gazette.

MT. HOLLY, June 2.—Rev. and Mrs. N. R. Richardson and two little grand-children, of Charlotte, and Rev. E. N. Crowder and two daughters, of Stanley, spent one day last week at the Methodist parsonage.

Miss Rozelle Abernethy and little sister, Inez, spent the week-end with their sister, Mrs. Annie Ray Stimpson, at Anderson, S. C.

Mr. C. J. Simson is erecting a beautiful little cottage near the Southern Power Plant, and will remove his family there as soon as completed.

Mr. J. L. Bynum, after being confined to his room for several days on account of a severe attack of mumps, is able to be out again.

Mrs. J. W. Patterson is at the bedside of her mother, Mrs. Cathcart, at Davidson. Mrs. Cathcart has reached the good old age of 86 years, and has been quite ill for some time.

Archie and Hargrove Bowles came over Sunday to see their mother, Mrs. J. A. Bowles, who has been quite unwell for some time.

Prof. J. B. Henson, a former citizen of this place, but who was with the Huntersville High School the past year has been elected superintendent of the Dallas High School in the State.

Miss Mary Bowles has been elected teacher of the seventh grade in the Ashboro graded schools. Ashboro is the county seat of Randolph county, North Carolina.

Mr. T. L. Ware has had his attractive residence beautifully painted. The painters are at work on the Methodist parsonage this week.

Mr. R. F. Rankin, who is building a passenger depot at Concord, spent the Sabbath with his family here.

Mrs. Susan Grice, of Charlotte, spent the Sabbath in town on a visit to her daughter, Mrs. W. L. Tucker.

The Children's Day program at the Methodist church Sunday night was a delightful occasion, enjoyed by a packed house. There was not a balk or hitch anywhere, which was no surprise since the program was prepared by the efficient and skillful hands of Miss Ida Rankin and Mrs. Mame Holland. The music was most excellent and inspiring. The solos of Misses Roxanna Cannon and Esther Davenport were especially beautiful.

Mountain Island News.

Correspondence of The Gazette.

MT. ISLAND, June 2.—Harold, the 13 year old son of Mr. A. B. Cobb, and Buck Hunter, a 15 year old son of Mr. George Hunter, ran away from their homes here last Wednesday and their parents have been unable so far to locate them. Mr. Cobb went to Greenville, S. C. Sunday night to see if he could get on their trail.

Miss Edna Clark, the young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Clark, who has been quite ill for a long time with fever, is now very much improved, being able to sit up a part of the time.

Mr. J. W. Van Pelt's little daughter, who has been quite ill, is improving, though slowly.

A protracted meeting will begin on the fourth Sunday in June at the Methodist church, of which Rev. J. W. Brown is pastor.