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COLUMBUS COLUMN Personal and General

Mr. Forest B. Williams left for Shelby Monday.

Mr. N. T. Mills is a good "electioneer" for the News.

New subscriptions are always acceptable—renewals too.

Writing-paper and envelopes for sale at the News office.

Mr. Davis Elliott's name is now on our subscription list.

Mr. T. M. Ruppe of Coopergap was a visitor to the News office last Thursday.

Mr. T. Ellis Walker and son, Herman, of Green's Creek, were visitors in town yesterday.

Mrs. Emily B. Hill has gone on a ten days visit to relatives in Taylors, S. C., leaving last Friday.

Are you getting acquainted with the rare bargain cash counter at Ballenger's? Worth your while.

Rev. T. C. Croker, of Forest City, will preach on third Sunday at 11 A. M. in Presbyterian Church.

James Ormand left Tuesday for his home in King's Mountain to visit his aged grandfather, who is very ill.

Atty. J. E. Shipman and B. F. Williams were in Landrum and Spartanburg several days last week on legal business.

Sheriff and Mrs. A. L. Hill and family and Miss Mary Sue Hill, the sheriff's sister, passed through Columbus last Friday, enroute for Rutherfordton.

Deputy R. F. McFarland went to Rutherfordton Saturday to attend the unveiling of the monument erected to the men and women of the Confederacy.

Registrar F. M. Burgess and Deputy R. F. McFarland went with Mr. A. L. McMurray to the Tryon Jr. O. U. A. M. meeting Tuesday night to witness his expert skill in managing a boat.

"Uncle Charley" says: Mr. J. P. Arledge is the luckiest man in the country in having a physician to doctor him, a lawyer to defend him and enough democrats to elect him right in his own family.

The two weeks continuance of the big shovel-'em-out shoe sale at Tryon Hosiery Company keeps their shoe salesmen on the jump; so many of us couldn't get over sooner to buy up big bargains in leather.

The pleasure is all "Uncle Charley" Page's to carry the mail these fine wintry mornings when the wind comes howling through the Gap like a mighty wail sent up from a multitude of lost souls. A little fire for ours, please, and another "turn-over."

A GOOD POSITION

Can be had by ambitious young men and ladies in the field of "Wireless" or Railway telegraphy. Since the 8-hour law became effective, and since the Wireless companies are establishing stations throughout the country there is a great shortage of telegraphers. Positions pay beginners from \$70 to \$90 per month, with good chance of advancement. The National Telegraph Institute operates six official institutes in America, under supervision of R. R. and Wireless Officials and places all graduates into positions. It will pay you to write them for full details at Memphis, Tenn., or Columbia, S. C.

ARLEDGE—SHIPMAN.

Popular Columbus Couple Wed Wednesday.

A wedding of much interest throughout the western part of the State occurred yesterday morning, when Atty. J. E. Shipman and Miss Sallie Arledge, both contracting parties of Columbus, were married at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Arledge, on Peak Street.

The parlor was tastefully decorated in ferns and flowers and presented a beautiful appearance—justly suiting the occasion.

The wedding was a quiet home affair, only near relatives being present.

Rev. W. W. Jones, of Campobello, S. C., performed the ceremony in a most impressive manner.

The bride is the youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Arledge and is a young lady of many accomplishments and charms. The groom is one of the County's leading attorneys and stands high both in political and social circles.

The popular couple left immediately after the ceremony for a Northern trip for two weeks. They will visit in Dayton and Columbus, Ohio; Philadelphia and Washington. After their return they will make their home in Columbus, on Walker Street.

The many friends of the popular couple join the News in wishing them all the happiness that can possibly be in store for any young couple starting in life.

The following out of town guests were present at the ceremony: Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Shipman, Mrs. J. Williams and son, James, and Mrs. R. F. Freeman, of Hendersonville; Miss Mamie Shipman, of Greenville, S. C., and Dr. and Mrs. W. C. Bostic and family of Rutherfordton.

MAKING SURE.

Puck. Madge—Let's play, "He Loves Me, He Loves Me Not."
Marjorie—Wait, dear, till I get one with the right number of leaves.

TRYON NOTES.

Correspondence of The News

Mr. T. C. Mills was in town Monday.

Mr. Samuel Hill spent Sunday in Spartanburg.

Mr. C. P. Rodgers was a visitor here last Friday.

Mrs. J. W. Kennedy was in Spartanburg Tuesday.

Mr. James E. Shipman of Columbus was here Monday.

Mr. Claude Ballenger is off on a hunting tour this week.

Both Mr. and Mrs. Ferris are on the sick list this week.

Captain Johnson of Washington, D. C., is here this week.

Mr. Walter Hevener was in Spartanburg last Wednesday.

Mrs. John Rhodes is doing dressmaking over this week.

Mrs. E. P. Erskine left Monday for Racine, Wisconsin, for a month.

Mrs. Chatman of Brookside Cottage spent last week in Spartanburg.

Miss Mary Andrews is helping the Misses McFee in the sewing room this week.

Miss Lizzie Weaver, who has been visiting the Van Wrinkles in Florida, returned Monday.

Mr. John Gaze of Greenville, S. C., is visiting his daughter, Mrs. James Lankford, who is quite ill.

Ed. Jarette, son of Mr. Tom Jarette, of Inman, died at the home of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Kellgore (near Landrum) last Wednesday, at the age of 18 years. Ed was a favorite among his friends in Tryon, who feel the loss deeply.

Mr. C. H. Craven, the young druggist, who has been with Dr. Missidine for some time, has accepted a position in Charleston, S. C., and left Sunday night to enter his new field of duties. Mr. Craven, by his pleasing personality and accommodating spirit, added many friends to his already long list while in Tryon, who will receive the announcement of "Charlie's" departure with much regret.

OFFICIAL RETURNS OF ELECTION BY PRECINCTS.

	Green Creek	Jackson Mill	Columbus	Saluda	Pea Ridge	Big Level	Mill Spring	Tryon	Totals
Representative in 62d Congress 10th District									
James M. Gudger, Jr.	161	7	75	54	29	39	66	184	615
John G. Grant	114	100	63	121	29	36	61	76	600
Solicitor—14th Judicial Dist.									
Andrew Hall Johnston	174	9	78	60	29	40	73	201	664
William C. McRorie	95	98	61	120	29	35	58	59	555
State Senate 33rd Sen. Dist.									
O. Max Gardner	174	9	76	59	29	40	68	200	655
James C. Fisher	172	9	71	60	27	38	67	187	631
Decatur F. Morrow	94	97	63	120	29	35	59	58	555
George W. Conner	94	98	62	120	29	36	63	59	561
Clerk Superior Court									
John P. Arledge	173	8	65	59	29	41	64	187	626
Samuel B. Edwards	96	99	65	117	29	36	64	73	579
Sheriff									
A. Lynch Hill	175	10	78	63	31	45	73	207	682
Chester M. Howes	94	97	57	116	28	32	56	53	533
Treasurer									
William B. Feagan	173	6	72	56	28	39	56	194	624
Hampton P. Arledge	95	100	64	123	30	36	75	64	587
Register of Deeds									
Frank M. Burgess	177	9	82	63	29	46	81	213	700
Harris W. Hill	92	96	53	117	30	31	49	49	517
Coroner									
L. Cornelius Gibbs	174	9	75	59	29	40	68	176	630
Mance Shipman	95	98	60	118	29	36	62	83	581
Surveyor									
James Early	174	8	72	59	29	36	65	200	643
John T. Gilbert	95	98	62	119	29	39	65	59	566
County Commissioners									
Martin A. Cornwell	168	6	69	59	29	39	60	193	623
John W. Kennedy	174	8	77	61	20	40	67	202	658
G. Barrett Wamack	174	7	79	59	32	41	69	197	663
Charles A. Carson	96	98	54	120	28	31	67	62	561
John L. Jackson	95	96	59	120	27	31	70	61	559
Andrew G. McMurray	95	100	62	118	29	32	58	58	552

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