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G. PAGE, Editor and Owner PRINCIPLE FIRST SEVEN CENTS A YEAR IN ADVANCE

SHORT NEWS ITEMS LOCAL AND OTHERWISE

Condensed for the Convenience of Busy Readers

Certainly.

October 7th.

Shall we Celebrate?

The folks are expecting it.

Come out Tuesday night and talk it over.

Grady Watterson's baby has been right sick but is improving.

Esq. G. W. Kendrick made a business trip to Kannapolis and Chinn Grove Friday.

Mrs. M. A. Rankin left Friday after a visit to her daughter, Mrs. J. T. Welch.

Mrs. A. L. Little of Wilkinsville, S. C. arrived Friday to visit her uncle, W. P. Faltor.

Miss Crawford Stodge returned last week from Columbia, S. C. where she visited relatives.

Mrs. White of Gastonia visited her daughter, Mrs. M. L. Summers there last week.

Jake Hambright, a prosperous farmer of near Grover was here Saturday.

Miss Agness Youngblood arrived Friday to visit her sister, Mrs. J. A. Allison.

Mrs. A. R. Rodisill returned Saturday from Clover where she had visited her daughter, Mrs. J. A. Page.

J. T. Welch returned Friday from Roanoke Rapids, N. C. where he had visited his brother, J. F. Welch.

Mrs. M. L. Summers left Friday for an extended trip to Washington, Philadelphia and other northern cities.

Mrs. W. A. Baile of Charleston, S. C. left Friday after a visit to her step mother, Mrs. Jacob Hevaer.

Since his last operation in Atlanta last week the specialist thinks that Willie Parker has one normal eye and the other improved considerably.

J. R. Federline, Spinner at the Phenix mill, attended the meeting of the Southern Cotton Textile Association at Asheville Friday and Saturday.

Rev. J. R. Miller returned Thursday from Gibsonville where he assisted Rev. S. F. Morton in a very successful revival. The meeting resulted in ten accessions to the church and a number of other professions.

J. J. Alexander left Saturday for Lumberton where he is visiting his sons, W. J. and J. F. Alexander. He will return Saturday accompanied by his daughter, Miss Mabel Alexander, who is a visitor in Lumberton.

Dr. J. G. Hard is figuring on moving back his residence on the corner of Piedmont and King Streets and building on the site a handsome brick residence. It may be several months, however before the work is begun.

Where informed that contracts are let for five new brick store buildings in Blacksburg and that the Kiser Lumber Company is to figure largely in the work and that J. A. Falls is to make the brick for these and the school building at his new Blacksburg plant.

The new overhead bridge put up by the Southern at the East end of the yards here last week is a good one. Folks who know about bridges say that it is an exceptionally substantial bridge. It's built eight inches higher than the old one which was that much below the standard.

The annual meeting of the Battle of Kings Mountain Memorial Association will be held July 6th. Let everybody turn out and let's have a movement for a big celebration this fall. The people away from here are expecting us to make good this fall.

Miss Caroline Campbell left Friday after a visit to her nephew, E. L. Campbell, her brother, D. M. Campbell and niece, Mrs. G. G. Page. She stopped in Gastonia to visit her sister, Mrs. D. H. McMillan and then went on home near Lumberton in Robeson county.

M. Sidenberg, our local Jew dry goods merchant, is planning to change his place of business to some other town sometime this month. He is undecided where he will go. Mr. Sidenberg came here little more than a year ago and engaged in the dry goods and clothing business in the Plank building on Mountain street.

W. Frank Goforth had a serious accident last week when a young horse kicked him in the side in the region of the floating ribs. He was in the wheat field and had mounted the older horse and expected to lead the younger horse by a sign to dinner. The younger horse got too much reign and gained sufficient head to give him the proper range of heels and he kicked Mr. Goforth off the other horse.

The Sevier mill village has come out in a brand new summer suit which is both elegant and attractive. Supt. Claude A. Hamilton has had the houses of the village painted. It is not a one color monotonous appearing sight either. The colors on the different houses varies and the trimmings are artistic and well in keeping with the good tastes of Mr. Hamilton who takes great interest in his people and town.

Shelby, June 24—Lightning played a strange prank on Gilbert Wylie, a white farmer living in lower Cleveland. Wylie was sitting on his front porch holding his little boy in his lap when a bolt of lightning was carried to the porch by an iron pipe from the well. His shoes were torn to smithereens and his feet so badly burned that he is confined to his bed. The boy was shocked, but unharmed.

Farmers in the small mill stricken area have given up all hope of cotton coming out and are planting corn in the devastated cotton fields.

F. M. McDaniel of Lumberton was in town last week.

Miss Laura Plank was a Charlotte visitor Friday.

Clotilde Finn of Charlotte has been visiting relatives here.

Been to Mr. and Mrs. Campbell, Philip on Saturday June 26, sons, Wendell, Lorette, Philip.

Mrs. Fernal Warlick of Newton left Saturday after a visit to her mother, H. M. Henning and brother in law, O. A. Ellis.

J. T. and Andrew McMillan went over in Catawba county Saturday to visit their father at the home of their brother, D. P. McMillan.

M. J. Frazier will give his few days for the fall to an exhibition. He will also visit his mother, T. N. Harmon, Thomas, Cal.

P. J. Goforth arrived Saturday and had a birthday dinner Sunday with his sister, Mrs. J. W. Ford. It was the occasion of his 6th and her 7th anniversary.

There was a special music service at the Methodist church Sunday night especially designed for the promotion of prohibition sentiment in the community. President G. L. Kerr of the Law and Order League preached the sermon from the text "Wine is a mocker, strong drink is raging and whoever is deceived thereby is not wise." A collection was taken to help defray the expenses of prosecuting whiskey cases. The League has about broken up the liquor business here and nearby.

In honor of her mother, Mrs. E. J. Terry, Mrs. E. A. Roper gave a dinner Saturday to a number of relatives and friends. Those present were: J. A. Terry and sister, Mrs. Carswell, of Canton, N. C.; J. N. Terry and family of Gossemer City, Joe Terry and family, Ray Wallace and family, H. W. Altman and family, Mrs. Sue Enlard, Harvey Smith and family, Mrs. J. J. Alexander, Rev. E. A. Calp, Rev. E. O. Cole and the editor of the Herald.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Lindsay will leave sometime in July for Tennessee where they will visit among their children and relatives for probably a year. They have three sons in Tennessee: Rev. E. P. Lindsay, Memphis; Dr. W. E. Lindsay, Chattanooga; and J. E. Lindsay, Fayetteville, and one son in North Carolina, President A. T. Lindsay of Linwood College, Kings Mountain.

They also have more than a hundred and fifty nephews and nieces in Tennessee. They will leave their furniture all intact. Rev. E. L. Kerr will occupy the house and furniture.

Mr. and Mrs. Lindsay are exceedingly popular here and will be greatly missed. The Herald hopes for them a most pleasant sojourn among their kinsmen and will look forward to their return to our town.

DR. PALMER PASSES AWAY

Preminent Cleveland County Physician Dies at age of 74

Cleveland, June 24.—Dr. J. J. Palmer, physician of the soul as well as the body, died at the age of 74 on Wednesday, June 24, at his home in Cleveland. Dr. Palmer was a prominent member of the medical profession in this county and had a wide reputation in the State. He was a member of the American Medical Association and the North Carolina Medical Society. He was also a member of the Kings Mountain Battle Memorial Association. Dr. Palmer was born in Cleveland, N. C. on February 10, 1841. He attended the University of North Carolina and received his medical degree in 1864. He practiced medicine in Cleveland for many years and was highly respected by his fellow citizens. He was a man of high character and a devoted family man. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. J. J. Palmer, and several children. His funeral will be held on Friday, June 26, at 10 o'clock A. M. from the First Methodist church in Cleveland. Burial will be in the cemetery at Cleveland.

REV. G. L. KERR MARRIED YESTERDAY

Takes popular Newberry lady for his bride at Newberry, N. C.

A most interesting wedding was celebrated yesterday evening at Newberry, S. C. when Rev. G. L. Kerr of Kings Mountain, N. C. was united in matrimony to Miss Mary E. Barber of Newberry, S. C. The ceremony was performed by Rev. G. L. Kerr at 8 o'clock P. M. in the presence of a large number of guests. The bride was accompanied by her father, Mr. J. M. Barber, and her mother, Mrs. J. M. Barber. The groom was accompanied by his father, Mr. G. L. Kerr, and his mother, Mrs. G. L. Kerr. The wedding party consisted of the bride, groom, bridesmaids, and best man. The reception was held at the home of the bride's father. The wedding was a most successful one and was highly enjoyed by all present.

E. W. NEAL IS MARRIED

St. Gallway of Dur. West. S. C. becomes bride of E. W. Neal

Mr. E. W. Neal of Kings Mountain was united in matrimony to Miss St. Gallway of Dur. West. S. C. on Friday, June 25, at 10 o'clock A. M. in the presence of a large number of guests. The ceremony was performed by Rev. G. L. Kerr at the home of the bride's father, Mr. J. M. Barber. The bride was accompanied by her father and mother. The groom was accompanied by his father and mother. The wedding party consisted of the bride, groom, bridesmaids, and best man. The reception was held at the home of the bride's father. The wedding was a most successful one and was highly enjoyed by all present.

GASTONIA VOTES SCHOOL BONDS.

Gastonia, June 22—Gastonia today almost without opposition voted a bond issue of \$100,000 for the city schools. Out of a total registration of 847 there were 631 votes for and 116 against the issue.

Three new buildings are to be erected for the schools. One is now under construction.

SURVEY OF THE CASAR RAILROAD

Shelby, June 24.—Prof. W. C. Riddick and son, W. W. Riddick and Prof. L. C. Mann of A. & M. College, Raleigh, arrived this week and have commenced surveying a line for the proposed Casar railroad to upper Cleveland. These gentlemen were engaged to do this work during the summer on a private subscription raised locally to ascertain definitely what it will cost to build the road. Outside capital has been slow to accept the \$120,000 voted in bonds for the 26 miles of standard gauge road, so local men are having this survey made with the view to supplementing the bond money, if the cost does not appear more than they can afford to build the road themselves.

Barber-Hartley.

Miss Annie M. Barber, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. G. Barber of Kings Creek section, and Rufus Hartley of Lenoir, N. C. who operates a saw mill over the mountain, drove up to Esq. G. W. Kendrick's Sunday afternoon were married. She is a sister of Mrs. L. M. Logan.

GASTONIA NEWS ITEMS

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Mr. Clark R. Starnes, of Rock Hill, is visiting his son Mr. Starnes.

Mr. Pump Child, of Lincoln, was in the city on business yesterday.

Mrs. Purvis Summey, of Dallas was in Gastonia on business yesterday.

Mr. Joseph Patrick of the Union Station, was a business visitor in the city yesterday.

Miss Mildred Patt, of Charlotte arrives today to be the guest for some time of Miss Katherine Mason.

Mr. Chester Rankin who has been attending Massey's Business College in Richmond arrived home a few days ago.

Mr. Robert W. Adams, of the Westinghouse Electric Co., Atlanta, is in the city visiting his parents Mr. and Mrs. John E. Adams.

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