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PRINCIPLE FIRST

\$1. A YEAR in ADVANCE

JURY LIST

AUGUST COURT

Cleveland County Superior Court convenes in Shelby July 26.

The summer term of Cleveland Superior Court convenes in Shelby July 26th with Judge Shaw presiding. This court is for the trial of both civil and criminal cases and will run two weeks. The jury list as drawn by the county commissioners is as follows:

FIRST WEEK

No. 1 township: E. B. Price
No. 2 township: Eli Turner
Julius S. Goode, A. Reuben Hamrick, Jr.
No. 3 township: W. C. Sur-ratt, J. M. Roberts, Sr.
No. 4 township: Ira Patterson
Rastus B. Dixon, Thomas Arrowood, M. L. Beam, C. H. Roberts, J. J. Logan,
No. 5 township: J. B. Smith, A. J. Putman
No. 6 township: B. F. Wilson, S. O. Andrews, C. C. Beam, J. R. Doyer, G. L. Allen, Chas. H. Wells, C. B. Putman, J. H. Anthony.

No. 7 township: L. O. Hamrick, D. Queen, T. B. Hamrick, Jesse W. Jones
No. 8 township: M. B. Mauney, R. C. Whisnatt, W. I. Gild
No. 9 township: C. J. Yelton, J. J. Stockton, J. E. Hoyle Thomas Costner.

No. 10 township: T. A. Canipe
No. 11 township: Sidney Wortman.

SECOND WEEK

No. 1 township: W. S. Harris
No. 2 township: A. L. McKinney
No. 3 township: W. L. Harrill
No. 4 township: F. L. Ware, R. L. Wells, J. T. Welsh.
No. 5 township: P. E. Ranall, O. R. Eaker
No. 6 township: E. M. Hamrick
William Beam
No. 8 township: W. P. Ledford J. A. Horn
No. 9 township: Buford Spurlin
No. 10 township: Theodore Warlick

No. 51 township: J. S. Hunt
Littleton College, a well equipped and highly prosperous school for young women, whose advertisement appears in another column of this paper is offering \$50 scholarships to acceptable applicants preparing to teach.

The institution awards pedagogical diplomas, has its own practice and observation school and is sending out many efficient and successful teachers, all of whom secure good positions.

MRS. CAMPBELL DIES

Mrs. Fannie Campbell wife of D. M. Campbell of Kings Mountain and stepmother of Attorney E. L. Campbell, died in a hospital at Milledgeville, Ga. on July 14th at the age of 56 years and was buried at the late home at Baxley, Ga. Deceased was a faithful member of the Methodist Church, a loyal wife and a loving mother. She was a native of Robeson County, North Carolina.

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GIRLS' DORMITORY LINWOOD COLLEGE

REVIVAL

AT BETHLEHEM

Rev. Vance Heavner to preach at Bethlehem and Oak Grove First Sunday in August.

Rev. Vance Heavner, the famous boy preacher, will preach at Bethlehem on the first Sunday in August at eleven o'clock and at Oak Grove the same day at 2:30. The Bethlehem service will mark the beginning of a series of revival services.

Pastor J. M. Suttle will be assisted in the meeting by Rev. J. G. Graham.

A ten days singing school be given at Bethlehem this week.

IN CAMP AT LINWOOD

Mr. and Mrs. D. H. McMillan, Austin McMillan, Misses Ella and Annie McMillan, of Gastonia, Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Page and N. Fred McMillan, of Kings Mountain, are taking an outing at Linwood College. They moved there last Thursday and will be there until the end of the week. They have an apartment in the second story of the administration building. It is a most pleasant place to spend the hot weather. The fine mountain breezes sweeping down, the various kinds of healthgiving waters flowing from many springs, the broad acres of thickly shaded campus with its heavy mat of living green together with rural solitude make it the grandest resort at all. The outing party are under many obligations to President Lindsay for granting them quarters in his buildings.

Will Harris of Shelby was the guest of the party for a few days.

Little Marguerite Kendrick of Waco is spending the week here with relatives.

Miss Margie Hord came home Monday to spend her vacation. She has been teaching at Waco three years and will resume her work this fall.

Work is well under way on Yorkville road

The Cleveland County Commissioners are certainly making good their pledge to build the Kings Mountain-Yorkville road in consideration of the County election held in April being favorable to Cleveland County and as soon as they are done with the Yorkville end of the road the other end of the road extending from Kings Mountain to the line of Number Five Township will be built. The Kings Mountain precinct road force is doing the work under the direction of J. R. Gamble who is recognized as an expert road builder. This means that the work will be done right. When this road is completed a gateway will be opened to South Carolina commerce and travel a lack of which the town of Kings Mountain has felt keenly for forty years. It will open up a large area of good farming country just across the mountain and make it easily accessible to our town. That trade logically belongs here but the extreme difficulty heretofore encountered in crossing the mountain has turned the business to Gastonia, Clover and Yorkville. We understand that the people over there are already rejoicing that they are to have the great wall broken down and that they are to make our acquaintance more fully. Kings Mountain holds out a glad hand of welcome to these people and pledges herself to do them good.

The prospect now is that the mountain road will be open for travel by Spring, possibly earlier.

At the hands of Esq. W. A. Mauney we were given an automobile trip over the road Thursday morning down to where the hands were at work on the Clear Creek culvert. From there J. B. Thomasson took us on his buggy over the balance of the road that has been partly worked.

The road being already in

good passable condition as far as the gold mine, the work was begun opposite the gold mine where the rear end road began. Departing from the old road, a new short-cut road was made from the starting point at the gold mine to the hill of Muddy Branch. The grading is practically finished on this section. The road crosses Muddy Branch at the old crossing and follows the old road to where a straight line strikes Clear Creek. A new crossing is described at Clear Creek. The road bed from Clear Creek to the state line will not coincide with the old road but will cross it a time or two. About a quarter of a mile of the new road has been graded beyond Clear Creek.

We found the force divided. Part of the hands with the teams were finishing up the grading on the new section of road extending from the gold mine to the hill of Muddy Branch. The other part of the force was putting in a concrete culvert over Clear Creek. This will be a splendid job. It is said to be much better than a bridge and is certainly more desirable to the traveler. At the culvert works we found County Commissioner L. C. Palmer in the garb of a laborer executing what he knew about the construction of the culvert. There was Mr. Gamble, the road supervisor and Mr. C. C. Martin an experienced culvert man, all butting their heads together to make it the best job possible. A similar culvert will be built at the Muddy Branch crossing also.

The biggest job on the Yorkville end of the road or on the road anywhere is yet to be tackled. That is about a quarter of a mile of the mountain which must be blown away and graded through. After crossing the Mountains there will be about a mile of easy work.

The Commissioners are to be commended for their prompt

NEW ROAD

TO SHORTEN HIGHWAY

Bridge is in and most of grading done—Shortening distance to Linwood.

Work is still going on upon the new road connecting King street with the National Highway at J. T. McGill's place near the Anna mill. The road has been graded except a few hundred yards on either side of the little creek over which Gaston County has built a steel bridge. The bridge is finished and the road is being worked up to it. This road shortens the distance to Linwood about a mile. This road and the Yorkville road which is being built by the Cleveland Commissioners will prove a great boon to the town of Kings Mountain. The avenues of opportunity keep opening up to the town.

Work has been started at the gold mine. Some building is under way and preparation is being made to put the mine in operation soon.

J. B. THOMASSON TO BUILD SUMMER HOME

J. B. Thomasson has discovered an outcrop of seven springs all in close proximity on his farm out on the Yorkville road beyond Clear creek. He says that there are different kinds of water present but he doesn't know how great the variety. The place looks so inviting that Mr. Thomasson is building him a summer cottage there and will move to it in a week or so.

ness and fidelity in the execution of their pledge to the people of Kings Mountain and vicinity. The town is to be congratulated for the great avenue of trade and opportunity being opened up to it through the construction of this road. The building of the road not only opens up a channel of communication to York County but serves as a connecting link of a great highway from Asheville to Columbia.

PICNIC SAT.

AT DIXON ACADEMY

Annual Sunday School picnic held—N. F. McMillan speaks.

We had the pleasure Saturday of attending the annual Sunday School picnic at Dixon school house which is about 5 miles from town on the Battle-ground road. The day was oppressingly hot but the splendid shade in the grove made it altogether bearable. A good crowd was present. The picnic was put off in the best of style. Mrs. St. Clair, the very able and apt Superintendent of the Sunday school was mistress of the ceremonies. In the forenoon music and exercises by the children formed the order. The children acquitted themselves most splendidly and reflected credit alike on their home training and the Sunday school. Mrs. St. Clair explained that owing to the fact that the children had to work in the field they had been able to do but little rehearsing. No apology was necessary however, for the children did well.

At 11:30 the indoor program was suspended and the crowds assembled on the grounds for dinner. Lined up around the long table were as hale and hearty a set of good looking men, women and children as ever embarked a festival board. That board was laden with the finest variety of well prepared eatables any man ever faced and was underscored with big tubs of delicious lemonade all free and without money and without price.

After the bounteous repast and a good social hour the picknickers reassembled in the school building for further singing and speaking.

Attorney N. F. McMillan was the speaker of the day. Mr. McMillan was at his best and gave a most interesting address on "The Young Man of Today." He dealt in comparison of the young man of today and his outlook with the young man of twenty-five years ago. The speech was to the point and well taken. After Mr. McMillan's speech the editor was called upon but his having an engagement in his office in Kings Mountain prevented his talking any more than extending congratulations and encouragement to the good people for their splendid work along religious and educational lines.

The Dixon people have a good Sunday School attended by about 75 farming people. They say that they could have much better crowds at their Sunday School and public meetings if they had a bridge across the Dixon pond. The lack of the bridge cuts off their people and they hope that the commissioners will soon build the bridge. They need it.

KERR-MARTIN

(Newberry Observer)

The marriage of Miss Eleanor Martin, daughter of Mrs. J. N. Martin, to Rev. Gilbreth Lawson Kerr of Kings Mountain, N. C. which has been anticipated with interest for some time, was solemnized Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock at the home of the bride.

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