

Come to the Big Celebration Saturday!!

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## Saturday is the Day For the Celebration

### Governors of North Carolina and Virginia Will be Present

#### Governor Stuart Delivers Address at 11 a. m.

Parade starts at Hotel—Speaking in Parker's Grove—Football at Athletic Field—Entertainment at Auditorium at night

Saturday is the day for the celebration of the 136th anniversary of the battle of Kings Mountain which will be held in the town of Kings Mountain, N. C. Elaborate arrangements have been made for this occasion and it is expected that the program will come up to former standards. Many thousand people from all parts of the country are expected to be in attendance. Governor Locke Craig of North Carolina will draw large crowds from this state and Governor Stuart of Virginia will draw many Virginians, but the biggest drawing card of all and the one that will bring more people than any other is the underlying motives that give rise to such an occasion. The very fact that the celebration is to commemorate the battle of Kings Mountain sits in the heart of every true American's feeling that he would like to take a part in the exercises. Every school child who has studied the history of the United States knows full well that the liberty that he enjoys dates back to the famous battle which marked the last signal victory resting on British arms in the mighty conflict when the consciences of men who longed for freedom were battling against British tyranny.

Old "John Bull" was doing everything possible to squelch the sentiment of religious and political freedom that was fast rising in the hearts of men who had fled their native heath in pursuit of happiness and "was over this historic battlefield that the American eagle asserted itself and the tide turned. Is not this enough to make every man under American freedom want to be here and join in the celebration? Yes, we expect large and patriotic crowds. We expect people who come through high and noble motives. We expect such people as have great hearts in their breasts—such men as a nation great.

The Herald wants those who come to the celebration to feel at home and to enjoy the occasion. The one great disappointing feature of the entire program is

the inability of Governor Manning of South Carolina to attend. An invitation had been extended him and his staff but due to a pre-arranged trip to New Orleans he could not accept. Owing to the fact the battlefield is across the line in South Carolina the Association regrets very much his inability to be here.

#### RECEPTION AND ENTERTAINMENT.

A reception committee will look after the entertainment of the invited guests and serve in any other way they can to make everybody comfortable.

#### INFORMATION OR "ASK ME"

A number of "Ask Me" streamers will be worn by citizens who will be in position to give strangers information about the program of the day and the town and the battleground.

#### BEST ROOM FOR LADIES

A most suitable rest room for

if it is cold enough to require fire he will have a heater put in.

#### PROGRAM FOR THE DAY

The exercises of the day will be opened with a concert by the Kannapolis band at the Mountain View hotel from nine to ten o'clock.

#### PARADE

At ten thirty the parade will start from Mountain View Hotel and proceed to the speaker's stand in Parker's grove. The parade will be formed about as follows: Kannapolis band, Governor Locke Craig of North Carolina and staff, Governor H. C. Stuart of Virginia and staff, invited guests and newspaper men, floats, visitors and thousands of people in attendance. The parade will reach the speaker's stand at ten forty-five.

#### AT THE SPEAKER'S STAND

There will be a band concert upon arrival at the speaker's stand which will be followed by calling to order by President W. A. Ridenhour of the Battle of Kings Mountain Memorial Association. After prayer by Rev.

#### DRIVE OVER GOOD ROADS

During the afternoon it is now planned to take the governors and their staffs an automobile ride over the good roads of Gaston and Cleveland counties.

#### CONCERT AT AUDITORIUM

At eight o'clock in the evening the the Fairchild Ladies' Quartet will give an entertainment at the school auditorium.

#### MINOR ATTRACTIONS

There will likely be many minor attractions to round out a full program for the day.

#### BARACAS-PHILATHEAS AT BOILING SPRINGS

The Cleveland County Baracas-Philatheas Union meets with the Baptist church at Boiling Springs next Sunday. It is hoped that large delegations from all the organized Sunday School classes in the county will be present. It makes no difference what denomination or what the name of the class just so it is an organized Sunday School class it is eligible to membership and is urged to send delegates. The union undertook to meet at Boiling Springs at its last quarterly session in April but the weather was so bad that the program was not carried out. The Boiling Springs people were so sadly disappointed and the union was so anxious for a full meeting with them that it was decided to hold the October meeting there. Let it be our best yet session.

#### NEW MEETING HOUSE FOR GRACE CHURCH

The work on the new meeting house for the Grace Methodist church is making fine progress. The contractor expects to have it so that service can be held in the basement Sunday, and the contract calls for a turnkey job by November first. This work started about the middle of August and has gone along at an unusual pace. Mr. J. H. Kennedy has the contract for the building and he has had no opportunity to do a good job and do it quick. The contract price of the building is \$3,400 all of which has already been pledged or paid in cash and when the job is finished it will be paid for. It's strictly a cash transaction provided all who have pledged come up with their amounts in time which they will most certainly do. It is estimated that the building complete and furnished will cost \$5,000.

It will be a good building, well designed, well arranged and well constructed. The basement will be used for Sunday school. It has a floor space 52 by 50 feet. Part of that will be converted into class rooms leaving an auditorium. The main building will consist of an auditorium 32 by 50 feet to be used for preaching service, just of which is a lecture room 20 by 28 feet which may also be used as a Sunday school

#### DR. CHARLIE McLEAN HAS MOVED HERE

The Herald takes pleasure in welcoming to town Dr. and Mrs. Charlie McLean and their child, of Belmont, who have moved here. Dr. McLean will have his office at the Mauney Drug store and will cater to a general practice. The family will occupy the house formerly occupied by Dr. Anthong on Piedmont avenue near Mr. C. E. Neisler's. Dr. McLean is a son of ex-Sheriff J. D. P. McLean of Gaston county and Mrs. McLean is a sister of Mrs. J. T. Welch of Kings Mountain. We understand that the doctor has had about ten years experience and comes very highly recommended.

#### PATTERSON GROVE

On Wednesday evening Sept. 20 Miss Minnie Randall and Mr. Theodore Herndon were united in wedlock at the home of the bride's parents Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Randle, Rev. W. R. Beach officiating. We join their many friends in wishing for them a long and happy wedded life.

Rev. J. C. Blanton filled his regular appointment at Oak Grove on the fourth Saturday and Sunday. He has succeeded himself as pastor of this church for the coming year.

The Sunday School report of attendance at this place for the last four months has been made



Landscape scene of the Battlefield showing Federal Monument

ladies has been provided. Mr. H. T. Fulton has fitted up his new store building, corner Mountain and Cherokee, with chairs and will have it over to the ladies for the seventh. This is a most suitable place. The building is new and centrally located and will be easily accessible at all times. Mr. Fulton had intended to put in his line of undertaking this week but on account of the need of a ladies' rest room has kindly tendered the use of the building which is a very commendable act. He expects to have a player piano installed and

W. E. Abernethy of Shelby, Mr. Ridenhour will present Hon. O. F. Mason of Gastonia, who will introduce Governor Locke Craig. Governor Craig will present Governor Henry Carter Stuart of Virginia, the orator of the day, who delivers the principal speech of the occasion.

#### FOOTBALL AND BAND CONCERT

At three o'clock there will be a band concert at the athletic field, and at three thirty there will be a foot ball game played by teams from the Shelby High school and Boiling Springs High school.

#### CONVENTION MEETS AT MARYS GROVE

The Union Sunday School Singing Convention meets with the Mary's Grove Methodist church the fifth Sunday in this month. It is expected that all the subscribing choirs will be present in good strong numbers and that a great day of worship in song may be had. The Mary's Grove people are looking forward to the event with keen interest. They feel that it will be good for them that the convention meet with them.



class room. This room will be provided with either folding desks or other reasonable partition so that it may be opened up to the main auditorium for preaching service.

Every precaution is being taken in the construction of this building. It is a combination of wood and brick. The brick work forms the foundation and extends up the walls through the first story. In the lapping of the wood work onto the brick much care is being given to give the walls all the strength possible. The pastor, Rev. B. A. Culp, is highly pleased with the work and rejoices worthily with his congregation that they are soon to have an up-to-date house of worship.

out. It reads as follows: Class No. 1 made an average of 62 percent of perfect attendance. Class No. 2 made an average of 81 percent. Class No. 3 made an average of 58 percent. Class No. 4 made an average of 36 percent.

None of the teachers were absent more than two Sunday during the four months and one teacher was absent only once during that time.

Miss Essie Bell and Mr. Charlie Bell, who are in school at Boiling Springs, visited home folks in this community the 4th Saturday and Sunday.