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SUPT. S.S. GETS THRASHED FOR PATRIOTISM

A most unpleasant incident occurred at the Dixon school house about five miles south of town Sunday. Sunday School is held at the school building. Mr. H. Y. Belk, one of the most substantial and patriotic citizens of the community, is superintendent and has been for the past two years. Among the announcements at the service Sunday to be given out by the superintendent was a prayer service to be held Thursday afternoon in the building at which Rev. J. E. Berryhill of Kings Mountain was to officiate. The service being announced was of a patriotic nature held in response to the call of the President that the American people meet at their respective places of worship on this day and implore God Almighty to bring the great war to an end. Mr. Belk is said to have grown very eloquent in his patriotic utterances and insisted most urgently that the people turn out to this meeting. He is said to have made the remark that every body was not able to buy Liberty Bonds or War Samps, but all could turn out to their places of worship and do their bit there and whoever failed was a slacker. At this point W. Daley King is alleged to have interrupted the speaker by saying that a man could be just as patriotic about his plowing as he could by observing the service under discussion. After Sunday school had adjourned King is said to have called Belk to one side in the yard and to have demanded that he 'take back' what he had said. Belk is said to have answered that it was utterly impossible for him to do so and was making a start to explain the matter further when King knocked him down and kicked him. Onlookers are said to have stopped the affray. Belk with others are said to have walked on down the road when King in a buggy with Quay Hambricht drove up and made it a point to drive two feet out of the wheel track in order to strike Belk in the back with the buggy giving him a severe jolt. It is said that Belk retaliated and made no reference preferring to let the law attend to that. Dixon community, as a whole, is one of the finest in the county and has some of the best and most patriotic citizens and it will come as a thunderbolt from a clear sky that such a thing could have happened there.

Deputy Sheriff Pat Falls went after King and Hambricht Monday morning with warrants but on finding them across the state line returned with a promise from both that they would report in Kings Mountain in the afternoon which they did. Esquire Kendrick fixed bond for King at \$200 and for Hambricht at \$100 for their appearance before Recorder Falls Thursday. W. A. Morris signed both bonds.

HAMLET TURNER SHOT MARSHALL CAMP

As a culmination of a drunken row at the home of Hamlet Turner near the Dilling mill Sunday about two o'clock Marshall Camp was shot with a 38 calibre pistol through the right leg just above the knee. It is alleged that Hamlet Turner did the shooting. In fact he says that he did the shooting and did it because Camp had put his, Turner's, coat on and started away with it with eighty dollars in the pocket. Turner told the Herald that he ordered Camp to stop and when he refused he fired. When Chief of Police Duncan arrived Turner was standing with drawn revolver and steadfastly refusing to allow anybody to aid the man whom he had shot down and who was weltering in his own blood in the doorway. Duncan, as his custom is, went ahead and took the pistol from the man and then took the man to the city lockup. Camp was taken to the hospital at Gastonia. If Camp's condition is such as to permit Turner will likely get a hearing before Recorder Falls Thursday. Duncan also brought in a gallon of whiskey from the raid. This is said to have been hid in the weeds by a woman about the time Duncan arrived and by the assistance of another woman it was delivered to the officer. Both the men are said to have been drunk. Jim Cash was also taken from the same house in an intoxicated condition.

REV. BAYLUS CADE DEAD

Rev. Baylus Cade of Lenoir, well known Baptist minister and

inventor of the Cade typesetting machine, died suddenly in Philadelphia Saturday, according to news received in Charlotte yesterday. The remains will be taken to Louisburg, N. C., former home of the deceased, for burial.

Mr. Cade is survived by his wife, three daughters and two sons. He was 74 years of age.

At the time of his death Mr. Cade was in Philadelphia on business connected with the proposed establishment of a factory for the manufacture of his type setting machine, which has been perfected and which he was preparing to have manufactured for market. It is said that he had succeeded in interesting a number of Philadelphia capitalists in the manufacture of the machine.

Mr. Cade was well known throughout North Carolina.—Charlotte Observer May 27.

HOOVER-ORMAND MARRIAGE

An attractive home wedding was solemnized at Crouse last Tuesday when Miss Florence Hoover, of that place, became the bride of Mr. Robert Dixon Ormand of Kings Mountain, Rev. M. B. Clegg, of Henrietta, performed the ceremony.

The ceremony was followed by an informal reception after which the bride and groom left by automobile for points in the mountains of western North Carolina.

The bride is the attractive

daughter of Mr. William H. Hoover, of Crouse, and by her winning manners has won a host of friends who will wish her joy and success. The groom is the son of the late Captain Robert Dixon Ormand and is well known as a young man of sterling qualities.

The groom is better known as "Bert" Ormand and lives in the Long Creek section.

THE PRIMARY SATURDAY

The legalized primary will be held in Cleveland county Saturday. The only contest is for clerk of court on the democratic ticket. There is no contest on the republican ticket. The voters of the various precincts will go to their polling places and express their preference for clerk of court from the following list of candidates; H. T. Fulton, J. Farris Leadford, C. H. Shull, J. Frank Williams and Geo. P. Webb.

WILHELM'S FAITH

There has been a general understanding in this country that the Kaiser is a Lutheran. The Catawba County News this week quotes The Lutheran Visitor as taking official cognizance of this understanding and making correct presentation of facts. The Visitor makes explanation that the German Emperor is a member of the Reformed Church, which is united with the Lutheran church in the United States

(uniforte) Church. "Four or five years ago," this Lutheran paper remembers, "The Presbyterian, published at Philadelphia, claim him for a Presbyterian, and indeed the confessional status of the Kaiser is distinctly Reformed and not Lutheran." The paragraph concludes that "the truth is no Christian Church wants to lay any claim to having the membership of the Kaiser." In The Catawba County News this paragraph is not quoted and we are not quite sure it should be given as an accredited expression of the Lutheran paper, but it certainly may be taken to represent American Church sentiment.—Charlotte Observer.

DIXON ITEMS

Kings Mountain R. 5— Mrs. Kate Beam and Carrie Bell Belk visited Mr. and Mrs. H. Y. Belk Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. Gains Wells, Mrs. St. Clair and Mrs. H. Y. Belk spent Thursday in Gastonia.

Mr. Conley Anderson of Monroe visited friends in this community during the later part of the week.

We are to have prayer meeting at Dixon school house by Rev. J. E. Berryhill Thursday, May 30th, at three p. m. Our beloved president has proclaimed this a day of fasting and prayer. Every man cannot buy War Stamps and Liberty Bonds but every person in American can show their loyalty to God and their government by attending these services. The man who willfully refuse to do so is a slacker. H. Y. Belk

MILITARY REGISTRATION WEDNESDAY, JUNE 5TH.

On Wednesday of next week, June 5th, all male persons who have become 21 years of age since June 5th, 1917 are required to register for military draft. They will register in the same manner and be subject to the same requirements and liabilities as those registered June 5th, 1917. The hours of registration are between 7 a. m. and 3 p. m. The same penalty for not registering is in force as last year, viz: a year in prison at the end of which the violator will be duly registered. Medical students and divinity students, although exempt from draft, are required to register. The only young men not affected by the registration law are those now actually in military or naval service. It is estimated that three quarters of a million men will be added to the American army now in process of making through this new registration

MERCHANTS MUST OBEY FOOD RULES

When the new order restricting the merchants to sell flour to the city trade in 24 lb. bags and the rural customers in 48 lb. bags went into effect I found a great number of merchants had only 98 lb. bags on hand and could not secure bags to resack it and consequently I granted them a temporary exception to this ruling until they could secure bags to resack it. This is to serve notice on one and all that I have revoked their permit to sell flour in 98 lb. bags. Now a few merchants have been selling 98 lb. bags and allowing two men to sign for it, this too, is a violation of the food law because the food law says: "That flour cannot be sold in bags larger than 48 lb", and still a few merchants persist in selling flour without an equal quantity of other cereal substitute. Now, sooner or later we will catch you at that and when we do you know the consequence, now, we are going to enforce the law.

Mr. Page has appointed a food administrator for each Township to assist me and I shall appreciate it if you will take up any matter concerning the food administration with your township food administrator. If any further information is needed I shall be glad to assist you.

Below is a list of township food administrators.

- Township No. 1 R. B. McBee, Gaffney S. C. R-9.
- Township No. 2 R. M. White, Shelby, N. C. R-3.
- Township No. 3 W. C. Surrat, Earl, N. C.
- Township No. 4 J. B. Thomson, Kings Mountain, N. C.
- Township No. 5 E. L. Whitworth, Waco, N. C.
- Township No. 6 L. A. Cabiness, Shelby, N. C.
- Township No. 7 S. B. Cooper, Latimore, N. C.
- Township No. 8 A. J. Elliot, Snelby, N. C. R-5
- Township No. 9 E. W. Dixon, Lawndale, N. C. R-2.
- Township No. 10 Carr Mull, Lawndale, N. C. R-4.
- Township No. 11 Clyde Eaker Casa, N. C.