

Mr. E. G. Foust and family spent some time last week at the seashore.

Misses Eva and Nannie Moore of Wadesboro are visiting their uncle, Mr. J. C. Smith.

Miss Eunice Wafford of Clinton, S. C., is visiting Misses Fannie and Bessie Austin.

Mrs. J. S. Hasty and Miss Bonnie Hasty and Mrs. T. B. Brown and children are visiting at Sanford.

The little son of Capt. T. B. Sales was taken to Chester last night to the hospital, it being feared that he had an attack of appendicitis.

Mrs. Dr. James R. Durham of Kershaw, S. C., will visit her cousin, Mrs. J. F. Laney, this week.

In the absence of Rev. Mr. Ware, who was attending a missionary rally at Mill Grove on Sunday, Rev. L. E. Mann of Waxhaw preached in Central church Sunday morning.

Mr. A. M. Stack addressed the children of the Sunday schools of the Presbyterian and Methodist churches, in the Presbyterian church, Sunday afternoon.

Monroe is now a second class postoffice town. This entitles the office here to more help and Mr. Lee Williamson has been appointed money order clerk.

Three members of the family of Mr. J. W. Pressley of north Monroe township have typhoid fever. About ten years ago there were ten cases of the disease in Mr. Pressley's family at one time.

Dr. T. W. Redwine returned from Knoxville, Tenn., Saturday. His daughter, Mrs. Julia Price, went to attend the Knoxville Summer School and the doctor accompanied her.

Mr. J. W. Rowell, masonic lecturer, and family are visiting Mr. J. J. Goffrey in Jackson township. Mr. Rowell, who now lives in Randolph county, is lecturing at Lumberton.

Mr. W. J. McGuire and Mrs. Emily C. Langley were married last Wednesday morning, at the home of Mr. G. W. Flynn in north Monroe. Rev. S. R. Brock officiated.

Capt. T. J. Carleton will be in Monroe on the Fourth and asks all the members of Company B, 20th Regiment, to meet him at J. R. Simpson & Co.'s store at 9 o'clock. Capt. Carleton lives at Wimsboro, S. C.

The Jackson Club will be open to all members and their wives and friends and all the young ladies of the town the night of July 4th. A good view of the fireworks display can be had from the building. Refreshments will be served.

Mr. R. V. Houston, Capt. S. G. Howie and the Clerk of the Court, forming the county board of pensions, met yesterday and received applications from the old soldiers desiring pensions next year. There were about one hundred applications for new pensions or for an increase.

The committee having in charge the arrangement for the old soldier's dinner ask that all who will, whether the committee was able to call on them or not, to send their contributions to the Lee building early Thursday morning. If there are any who are not prepared to send eatables, money will be accepted.

Rev. J. W. Thomas, presiding elder of the Charlotte district, A. M. E. Zion church, died in Charlotte this morning at 8 o'clock of tuberculosis of the bowels. He was an able minister, well known here, and did a good work for the colored race. He was the father of Dr. E. L. Thomas of Monroe and was about 53 years old.

Dr. L. E. Guin of Unionville has located in Waxhaw for the practice of medicine. Dr. Guin graduated at the North Carolina Medical College at Charlotte this year and successfully passed his examination before the State board a few weeks ago. He is a most excellent young gentleman and gives promise of high success in his chosen profession.

Kate, the sixteen-months-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Harrell of Marshville died last Tuesday afternoon. The little girl was a very bright and interesting child. She had been sick eight weeks and death came as a great relief to intense suffering. The young parents have the sympathy of all in this their first great sorrow.

Mrs. H. L. McMann died Tuesday evening at her home in the Bond's Grove neighborhood. She was 58 years of age and had been a member of Bond's Grove Methodist church for many years. Besides her husband, seven children survive her. Mrs. McMann had been afflicted for more than a year and had been in the hospital at Monroe part of the time. Her remains were buried at Weddington Wednesday.

The board of education met yesterday, consisting of Dr. J. E. Ashcraft, Messrs. J. E. Broom and Jas. A. Marsh, and elected Dr. Ashcraft chairman and Mr. R. N. Nisbet county superintendent. Mr. F. B. Ashcraft, the retiring member, was unable to be present on account of his health. Mr. Ashcraft wound up a service of eight years on the board, much of which time he was chairman, and the county never had a more faithful, sensible and valuable servant. The board will meet again on Monday, the 12th, for appointment of school committeemen.

Visit the Cosmorama, the moving picture show, over Lingle's store, on the Fourth.

Endorses Plan for County Hospital.

To the Editor of the Journal:

The plan proposed by Mr. Geo. H. Atkinson for a county hospital is both feasible and proper. I commend it and hope the scheme will materialize speedily.

W. S. BLAKENEY.

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The distressing news was received here yesterday that Mrs. Lillian Stewart, wife of Rev. S. A. Stewart, had died at Kobe, Japan, on the tenth of June. Mrs. Stewart was from Spartanburg and she and Mr. Stewart were married last August and immediately sailed for Japan as missionaries of the Methodist church. Mrs. Stewart leaves a little baby, which at the time the letter was written, was being cared for by a lady missionary. The letter from Mr. Stewart was very brief and stated that he would write more details as he could later. It is a sad blow to the young man and he has the most sincere sympathy of his many friends and relatives at home in his sad bereavement.

Mrs. Sarah Sheorn, wife of Mr. Wiley Sheorn of Camden, S. C., died here at the home of Mr. J. H. Benton last Tuesday afternoon. About two weeks ago Mrs. Sheorn came to Monroe to visit her sisters, Mesdames J. H. and Frank Benton. She had been sick about three months and soon after arriving in Monroe was taken a great deal worse. Mrs. Sheorn was 64 years old. She was a native of Camden, S. C. She leaves a husband and nine children. Mrs. Sheorn was well known and greatly beloved in Monroe, as she had visited here a number of times. The remains were taken to Camden for burial.

The Tirzah Bible Society will celebrate its fiftieth anniversary on Friday and Saturday, July 26th and 27th. Rev. L. T. Mann, pastor of the Waxhaw circuit, will address the society on Friday afternoon, and Rev. G. A. Blackburn of Columbia, S. C., on Saturday morning.

Both of these gentlemen are able and thoughtful speakers and will no doubt have something of unusual interest in store for this occasion. Capt. T. R. Nisbet of this place will on Saturday read a historical sketch of the society.—Waxhaw Enterprise.

The public sale of the Colossus gold mine property yesterday was a very quiet affair and the property was bid in by Mr. John L. Hipple of Pennsylvania. It is supposed that the sale was for the purpose of reorganizing the company, paying the balance due the mortgage, Mr. John C. Bates, and getting in shape to resume work. The old company was capitalized at ten and half million dollars, a good deal of which was water. Much money has been spent on the property and the men who put up the cash are supposed to be the ones to have now gotten hold of the property.

The report of the clerk of the Recorder's Court to the county commissioners yesterday for the three months that the court has been doing business was gratifying. It showed that the costs collected and turned over by the court, which is divided between the town and county, approximately paid the salaries of the recorder and the clerk, and that the fines, which go into the school funds, \$571 so far, is clear profit. Not only this, there has been a great saving to the county in jail fees.

The new rates went into effect on the seaboard yesterday and all the conductors now carry a pocket full of pennies to make change. As an example of the difference locally, it may be mentioned that while the rate at 31 was 80 cents, the new rate at 21 is 54; old rate at Waxhaw 40 cents, new 27. There is now only one rate, the first and second class rates having been abolished.

Mr. B. W. Hatcher, grand lecturer of the State Masonic lodge, died at his home in Albemarle yesterday. He had been sick for some time but was thought to be on the mend until suddenly taken worse. He is survived by his wife and son. He had been masonic lecturer for 38 years and devoted all his time to the cause. He had many warm friends here, as all over the State, and his death is a real loss.

The surveying party running the line from the Catawba river is now in Monroe, having completed the survey from the works on the river by way of Lancaster. It is just 30 miles from the power plant on the river to Monroe. Surveys will now be made to all the principal points about town where power may be distributed later. While there has been no sale of power here, the company is getting in shape to dispose of it later.

There are quite a number of cases of scarlet fever in and around Monroe. Please keep your children away from these cases and make them stay away from you.

Scarlet fever is never to be considered lightly. It is very contagious and in some epidemics very fatal.

All doctors are requested to enforce the strictest quarantine over their cases and to fumigate all infected rooms before leaving them.

No family should move into an infected house nor leave an infected house until the patient is well and the house carefully disinfected.

The law requires you to observe strict quarantine when you have a case in your family. You are also required to call a physician in any eruptive febrile disease.

All houses where the disease prevails will be placarded and you will be kept posted as to all houses where the disease prevails.

Very respectfully,  
H. D. STEWART,  
County Supt. of Health.  
July 2nd, 1907.

Church Notices.

Subjects at the Baptist church next Sunday: 11 a. m., "Copying the Divine Pattern"; 8:15 p. m., "Is Stealing a Popular Pastime?" 9:30 a. m., Sunday school. You are invited.

Lutheran—Rev. R. H. Cline, pastor. Regular services next Sunday. Subjects: 11 a. m., "The Church Christ's Bride," Rev. xxxi:9; evening, "The Loving Kindness of God," Psalms lxxiii:3. Sunday school at 3:30 p. m. Welcome to all. Ladies' Aid Society meeting tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock.

We have a few more 5 and 10 gallon kegs of molasses. Quality right, prices right.  
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County Commissioners' Meeting.

Petition for new road beginning on point on Lancaster road near J. W. Fincher's, to Plyer Mill road near J. W. Lathan's, ordered advertised.

Petition for change and extension of Austin road, in Buford township, granted, petitioners to bear all cost and expenses.

Cotton Weighers Wier and Trull offered official bond, which is accepted.

T. L. Price gives bond as constable of Goose Creek township.

Settlement with medical depository: Four hundred and twenty-nine prescriptions filled in June, amounting to \$256.30, as follows: Massey, 85; Thomas, 29; Nance, 63; Stevens, 25; Blair, 42; Stewart, 42; Ashcraft, 49; Neal, 50; Whitely, 3; Houston, 1; Arnfield, 13; Austin, 1; Price, 8; Smith, 11; Ralings, 2; Boger, 1; Gilmore, 1; Jerome, 2.

The following jurors were drawn for Civil term of court, beginning 3rd Monday in August: J. L. Broom, J. L. Williams, C. L. Bivens, Jas. W. Haney, E. J. Griffin, R. B. Parker, Geo. S. Lee, C. T. Bailey, Joe Stephenson, Geo. A. Taylor, J. Baxter Williams, J. P. Fowler, R. C. Newsom, C. P. Helms, A. L. Loeke, R. Edgar Williams, H. C. Marsh, W. R. Griffin.

Second week—Luther Little, S. D. Moore, Isaiah McIntyre, J. M. King, J. A. Bennett, J. T. Bass, E. R. Snider, J. W. Dees, J. S. Bacon, Moffit A. Osborne, A. W. McManis, Geo. W. Dees, Jr., E. F. Haney, H. W. Belk, J. K. Bivens, C. C. Lowry, J. Vernon Griffin, C. W. Stegall.

Recorder's Court.

Since the last issue of the paper Recorder Stevens has disposed of the following cases:

J. M. Williams, assault and battery; \$5 and costs.

W. T. Phillips, drunk and disorderly; \$10 and costs.

John Greenlee, drunk and disorderly; \$20 and costs.

John Black, drunk and disorderly; judgment suspended on payment of costs.

J. D. Parker, assault and battery; penny and costs.

Ed McClelland, obstructing and delaying officer; judgment suspended on payment of costs.

Sam Thompson, false pretense, not guilty.

Frank Dalton, drunk, prayer for judgment continued on payment of costs.

The Price-Byrum cases were all not pressed this morning, each side paying its own cost. It will be recalled that Miss Price and Mr. Z. V. Byrum went to South Carolina and were married; Mr. Price, the father, indicted Byrum for abduction, alleging that his daughter was under 14; that Miss Byrum took out a peace warrant against Price.

A. F. Russell and Quin Russell, assault and battery; not guilty; prosecution taxed with costs.

Sudden Death of Mr. Pinkney Walkup.

Mr. Pinkney Walkup, a well known young man of Jackson township, brother of Mr. John L. Walkup of Waxhaw, fell dead last Friday. He was apparently in perfect health and had never been sick a day in his life. He had gone from his work around the farm to a colored cemetery where a grave was being dug, and while looking at the work fell dead on the newly thrown up dirt. Death is supposed to have been due to the rupture of a blood vessel about the brain.

Mr. Walkup was only thirty three years old the 20th of last January. He had been a member of Tirzah church since his fifteenth year and was in all respects a noble young man. He is survived by his wife, but no children, their only child having died about a year ago. He was the first of nine children to die. It is unnecessary to say that his sudden and untimely death was a great shock to his community in which he stood so well.

Another Mine Deal in Sandy Ridge.

Wesley Chapel, July 1.—There will be an educational rally and picnic at this place on Saturday, the 27th of July. Good speakers will be present and a good time is in store for every one who may come. Those who do not come will miss the chance of a lifetime to see everybody, for they are going to be here from almost everywhere. Come one and all, and don't forget your dinner baskets, and let's have a general jubilee. The speakers will be announced later.

Crops are looking better. Cotton is coming out, though bad stands. The corn crop is very late, but is promising. The small grain crop is good, both wheat and oats. The blackberry crop is only about half what it is generally.

The old Phifer gold mine near here, formerly owned by Messrs. J. M. Price, A. J. Price and J. W. Price, has recently been sold to Mr. R. L. Welch, manager of the Winona Mining Company. This property adjoins the Winona company's property and is an excellent mine. Though it has never been worked very deep, thousands of dollars worth of gold have been taken from it. Mr. Welch expects to work these mines on a large scale in the near future, and it is hoped that he will meet with great success.

Mr. John Lise, a young lawyer of Philadelphia, Pa., spent a few days with Mr. H. L. Price last week, looking after his mine, which adjoins the above mines.

Everybody is preparing to go to Monroe on the Fourth.

Mr. Dan Paxton reports a cotton bloom on the 28th of June.

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26th Annual Session will begin on September 18th, 1907. For catalogue, address

REV. J. M. RHODES, President,

LITTLETON, N. C.

In Memoriam.

Whereas it has been the will of the Omnipotent God, before whose divine will we bow with humility, to remove from our midst without warning, our late lamented brother,

John E. McCartney:

Resolved, That in the death of our brother Knight, Monroe Lodge No. 38, has lost one of its truest, most devoted and loyal members; one who was ever loyal to our brotherhood and who by his daily life was a true exemplification of the high and noble principles for which it stands.

His sudden demise brings not only great sorrow to every member of this order, but he is also deeply conscious of the irreparable loss we have suffered of one who so truly represented the spirit of Pythianism. Cut off suddenly as he was in the flower of his young manhood with every promise of a long and useful life, it impresses upon us the uncertainty of life and the certainty of death.

Resolved, That this order through its committee express to the surviving, aged father and to his grief-stricken sisters their heartfelt sympathy in our common loss, and may the Almighty God give them a spirit of humility and obedience to accept this bereavement as an expression of His mighty will.

Resolved, That these resolutions be spread upon our official records and a copy of same be forwarded to his father, also be published in the city papers and Carolina Pythian.

C. W. JONES,  
JAS. A. STEWART,  
R. W. LEMMOND,  
Committee.

Castle Hall, Knights of Pythias, Monroe Lodge No. 38, Monroe, S. C., June 11th, 1907.

Three Days of Baseball.

This afternoon, tomorrow and next day there will be games of baseball between the Monroe and Laurinburg teams. Professor Durham Bundy hands in the following remarks concerning the games: "These games will decide the championship of North Carolina. Laurinburg arrived last night with her college stars and claims. She is going to return to the old sand hills of Scotland with three straight victories, but the home boys say, Fullewider, Monroe's crack pitcher, will pitch this afternoon and Thursday, the 4th. Go and help root our boys to victory. The price is in reach of all, only 25 cents for both men and ladies, and 15 cents for children. It will be well worth the price of admission. The games will be called sharply at 4:30 o'clock. These games are very expensive, so give the boys your hearty support."

It is to be added if any body hasn't a taste for watching the games he can get his money's worth by watching Bundy in action.

Whistler's Pastels.

One evening there was a convivial gathering of men from many different nations seated about a table in an open court of the Bauer Grunwald, a well known Venetian restaurant. The conversation, I believe, was in English, and the subject of Whistler's pastels was brought up by one of his enthusiastic American admirers. A Russian named Wolkoff was flippant and depreciating, ridiculing them as works of art, jeeringly saying that he was willing to bet that he could make half a dozen pastels as good as Whistler's, and, if they were mixed with his, nobody could tell them apart. The American was surprised at this attitude and remarked: "I'll bet a champagne dinner for all present that you can't."

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All this was unknown to Whistler, who was innocent of the reason for the will of his Russian guest. He received him charmingly and showed him all his pastels. They were pinned on large cardboards, carefully, almost ceremoniously, and placed them before him upon a chair that served as an easel. This was the usual way he exhibited his pastels or etchings at home. The Russian was not heard from for six weeks. Then the committee in charge was informed that he could not go on because he found it impossible to purchase in Venice the peculiar brilliant pastels with which Whistler obtained his effects.

The American would not let him slip through in that way, so he managed to make it possible for his Russian friend to select numerous small pieces from Whistler's own pastel boxes. He selected all he wanted or thought he needed for the easy task of making a Whistler pastel and after this exceptional accommodation returned to his work, saying he would be ready for the jury in a week.

How or by whom the six jurors were selected I do not know, but I remember that two strangers, an Austrian and a Dutchman, were among them. Spain was represented by Martin Rico, England by Henry Woods, R. A., and America by Frank Duveneck and myself. By this time Whistler knew the wager. The jury met in a house on the Riva not far from the Casa Jankovitz, near enough for him to bring his pastels conveniently. The meeting was a very long room facing the lions. The American who had accepted the wager was not there. Whistler was in the darkest and farthest corner, with his back to the company and his pastels on a long table. I was selected to bring each exhibit from Whistler's hands and place it on a high backed chair. It was an extraordinary position in which Whistler was placed and a veritable ordeal which he faced. He was serious and wore a troubled look, the truth being that he was nervous at the possibility that the jury might let one of the Russian's pastels slip by as one of his own. I am glad to say, however, that whenever a Wolkoff appeared it was instantly received with groans and shouts of "Take it away!" Not for one moment was there the least doubt or a dissenting voice.—Otto Bacher in Century.

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Tragedy in Mitchell County.

Bakersville Dispatch, 1907, in Charlotte Times.

J. C. Randolph killed Anderson Burleson at Glen Ayre Thursday afternoon. Mr. Randolph was tax-lifter and Mr. Burleson accused him of lifting his property too high. Burleson slapped Randolph a time or two with open hand and then struck him on the side of the head with his fist. Mr. Randolph drew a pocket knife and cut Burleson three or four times, killing him instantly.

Randolph went to his home, put on other clothes and started to Bakersville to give up to the authorities, when he was met by some of Burleson's brothers, who beat him badly, but a young man or two who happened to be at hand, put a stop to that part of the business.

Both of these men stood high in the community, Mr. Randolph having been treasurer of the county and Mr. Burleson a county commissioner.

I visited Mr. Randolph in jail this morning and found him able to talk. He deploras the affair very much. Both men have large and excellent families. Burleson was a brother of State Senator Burleson.

At Mocksville Tuesday a horse driven by Miss Sallie Hanes ran away, throwing Miss Hanes from the buggy. She was injured but not seriously. Mr. A. A. Duggins, a country merchant living three miles from Mocksville, was driving a team into town and attempted to stop Miss Hanes' horse. He was knocked down and run over. The shaft struck him on the side of the face, making an ugly wound, and he was seriously hurt about the back. His injuries are serious. The run-away horse was stopped a half mile away without damage to horse or vehicle.

A RIVAL OF WHISTLER.

The Russian Wolkoff's Attempted Imitation of the Pastels.

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NOTICE Monday, July 29th, has been set apart by the Board of County Commissioners for hearing complaints of assessments of property by the taxpayers. On that day all parties having claims of unjust assessments will be heard. W. G. Long, Chm.

YOU can get ice at the ice house for half a cent a pound if you do not want us to deliver it. Levy & Parker.

ALL kinds of canned goods, cakes, crackers and candies at Flow's.

DR. H. SMITH, the eye-sight specialist, has returned to Monroe and can be found at his office in McCauley's drug store till further notice.

FIVE-POUND package Gold Dust for 25c. at Flow's.

WANTED—Three of the very best fresh milk cows in the county. O. C. Curlee.

TEACHERS: There will be an examination of applicants for teachers' certificates, at the court house, on Thursday, the 11th inst., for whites, and for colored applicants on the following day, 12th inst. Nisbet, Co. Supt.

TYPEWRITER for sale. Come quick. Price \$15. W. M. Gordon.

TO the Property Owners of Monroe and vicinity: I have this day thrown my individual sign to the breeze. I have no connection in a business way with any painters bearing the same name as myself. If you want me to do your work, phone me on No. 39 or drop me a card. Walter McCorkle, Practical Painter and Paper Hanger, Monroe, S. C.

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SPECIAL TERM OF COURT.—Notice is hereby given that a special term of court has been called by the Governor of North Carolina, to be held for Union county, beginning July 15th, 1907, to continue till all criminal business is disposed of. W. G. Long, Chairman Board of County Commissioners.

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