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THE CONTEST AND HOW THE VOTE STANDS

Burlington.	
Miss Lois A. Workman,	12,700
Swannie Patterson,	14,350
Myrtle Isley,	3,350
Myrtle Tate,	1,000
Lillian Turner,	925
Burlington R. F. D's.	
Miss Jennie Whitsell, R. 4,	3,325
Emma Overman R. 1,	2,125
Amie Matlock, R. 2,	400
Ellie Ector, Route 2,	200
Rosa Crouse, Route 4,	200
Snow Camp.	
Miss Mary Stour,	14,550
Spring Graded School,	500
Sevan Graded School,	200
Mebane.	
Miss Grace Amick,	300
Haw River, No. 1.	
Miss Carrie Albright,	14,575
Elon College, N. C.	
Miss Mollie Baldwin,	6,650
Union Ridge, No. 1.	
Miss Lottie Terrell,	300

Party Platform.

The following resolution was introduced and adopted at the Republican County Convention at Graham Saturday Sept. 17th, 1910. Read it, it means something to the people of Alamance County:

The Republican party of Alamance county in convention assembled do hereby resolve, 1st. We are in thorough accord with the National and State platforms of our party and we hereby proclaim our unflinching allegiance thereto.

2nd. We believe our people are entitled to an economic administration of the government in all its grades and its every department, and taking the county as a unit, we demand that our county officers be placed upon a salary basis and that all fees and emoluments now pertaining to said offices be turned into and made a part of the school funds of the county.

3rd. Believing that the safety of our government and our prosperity as a nation depend upon the education of the masses, we emphasize our loyalty to that portion of our state platform declaring for the furnishing, free of charge and under proper regulations, all necessary text books for every child in the public schools of the State.

4th. In the event of the failure, by the legislature, to pass a state-wide law, providing for the purchase of text books for the public schools, we demand the enactment of a law, applying to Alamance county, that will permit and require the savings accruing to the county by reason of the payment of salaries to our officials to be applied to the purchase of books for the children in our own public schools.

R. F. D. No. 8.

Prof. R. W. McCulloch of Georgia School of Technology spent a few days at home on No. 8 last week he is on a year's leave of absence and is on his way to Harvard College to take a course. We wish him much success.

Mrs. W. A. Lewis spent last week with her daughter Mrs. Rud of Alamahaw No. 2.

Prof. R. J. Matlock and family of Hookerton are visiting at R. A. Matlocks.

Chas. Barnett found a purse near Mrs. Bettie Ross mail box Sunday. The owner can get it by describing it and treating this writer to some good soft magnum apples.

Thanks to John U. Sutton for nice Suppernong grapes No. 10 came in Saturday with a nice box full but we can tell him that all the nice grapes do not grow on No. 10.

It is funny how some folks can make excuses to get to town Great Day. One of our patrons got our friend Bob Barnwell to take him a bridle and he could not get it the same day but he said no I will come after it show me for an excuse to come to the fair. Ask Jim McCulloch we will blame Jim we wanted to see the animals too, and we saw them

THE UNIVERSITY LETTER

From our Regular Correspondent.

Crowded out last week.

The University of North Carolina is now well started on its years work and students and faculty of the institution are once again conscious of their debt to the Young Men's Christian Association which has taken such a prominent part in getting things to running. Freshman, more than any other people, perhaps, have a tender feeling for the Association, for it was the Information Bureau which was run by Y. M. C. A. members which enabled them to see some semblance of order in the chase of red tape which seemed to confront them on their arrival here.

The Association had sent each prospective new student a handbook during the summer, which contained all the information that could be compressed into the small space, in regard to the new country into which the men seemed to themselves to be journeying. The Association engineered College Night, when a mass meeting in Gerrard Hall brought together for the first time all the students, old and new—the new men for an introduction to the custom and unwritten laws of the life of the University community, the old men for a noisy, cheering gathering, with everybody clapping everybody else on the shoulder, glad at the realization that he is back. At this meeting talks were made by Mr. C. L. Williams on the Educational Value of the Literary Societies, Mr. Archie Dees, on the Honor System, by which the student body governs itself, T. C. Function of Athletics in a Symmetrical Education by Mr. C. E. McIntosh, E. W. Turlington, the President of the Y. M. C. A. for the coming year spoke of the Achievements and Aims of the Association, Turlington who is also the first scholar of his class and who won the Bingham medal in debate at the last Commencement, told of what the Bible study groups conducted by the Association had meant last year. The groups had included 400 men or half of the entire student body. A startling attainment of the bible study enthusiasts in the eyes of many, was the organization and successful year's work of a class which consisted of members of the football team only. He told of the various ways the Association had made itself a part of the life of college.

According to its time honored custom the Association held its welcome meeting on the first Sunday of the session. Dr. Edwin Mims, Professor P. H. Winston and Reverend R. W. Hogue made short talks. Dr. Mims told of what the Association had meant to him in his student days at Vanderbilt and during the many years he had been a teacher at Trinity College. Professor Winston warned the new men against five evils which the man who lives the life of the college successfully must shun laziness, drunkenness, gambling, immorality and profanity. Mr. Hogue, pastor of the Episcopal church here pointed very forcibly the necessity for development along spiritual lines—a necessity which he considered more stringent than any other and one which he feared college men are prone to neglect. The one thought which ran through all three of these talks was that the work of the Association should appeal and does appeal to the strong men of the student body.

Mr. Ed. P. Hall, the newly elected general secretary of the Association, has had an active part in the engineering of these various meetings of the Association. Mr. Hall graduated at the University of Georgia last spring, where he was a member of the honor board and president of the Y. M. C. A. He has already made a very pleasant impression on the large number of students who have become acquainted with him.

We are requested to announce that there will be preaching at Providence Christian Church, near Graham Depot, Sunday Oct. 2nd promptly at 11 o'clock a. m. by Rev. D. A. Long.

To the Poultry Fanciers:

Our County Fair is soon to be held. We have an advantage this year we have never had viz. We do not pay any entrance fee but we can win a premium. Now if we do not get a money premium we get experience and a good training in Poultry culture which is worth a great deal more than our trouble of exhibiting. So let us be up and doing and get out our best variety of birds and make this the biggest Poultry Show Alamance has ever had. Tell your neighbors and get him to send out his coop. I have been in the Poultry business many years but I learn many things of interest every Fair.

We do not go to the Fair for a Circus, but to learn and exchange our ideas. I remember the first Fair held in Alamance when the Cows were old Red and old Brindle, but now we find the Soft eyed, weak faced, Fawn like Jersey cow in every Stable or pasture.

We remembered when the chickens were old Dominecher, Dung hill or game. Now just look at our nice breeds all over the country. We remember when our horses were in bred and a great many went blind and now we rarely ever see such. These things were improved and brought about by our exchanging ideas at our county Fairs. So let us come in full force.

Respectfully,
W. S. Long.

Hog Pen Notice.

I want the names in writing of any property owner in town who have trouble at night, in the use of their houses, due to filthy hog pens.

The Mayor and other officers of the town have repeatedly been notified of these conditions, and appear utterly indifferent as to any ones comfort.

High legal authority advise me that the States Court's can apply the remedy and if you will act at once, we can get relief and redress at next November court.

This is important it may save the life of your child.

Yours very respectfully,
Augustus Bradley, Ph. G.
P. S. I am not running for any office, or agent for the shipstuf trust.

Republican Speaking.

Following the usual custom the Republican county candidates and members for general assembly will meet the appointments of the sheriff in his rounds-for collection of taxes in the various townships. The Republican party is specially anxious that every voter should hear the issues discussed from a Republican standpoint.

Respectfully,
T. F. McVey, Chairman.
E. S. W. Dameron, Sec.

W. C. T. U. at the Fair.

The Woman's Christian Temperance Union of Burlington, has made arrangements with the County Fair Association to have a "restroom" in Floral Hall at the Fair, Oct. 4th to 7th.

Here the supply of drinking water will be found in coolers of which the ladies will have charge; wraps and lunches may be checked without expense and left in cloakroom; and everything will be made as comfortable as possible for tired mothers, and for all others who, weary with the hours of sightseeing, may wish to rest a while. All Temperance workers throughout Alamance are requested to co-operate with us. Everybody coming to the Fair is cordially invited to the restroom pleasure.

Executive committee:
Mrs. K. K. LIVELY,
Mrs. R. M. MORROW,
Mrs. S. L. MORGAN.

At Airdome All Next Week.

The Hill Edmonds Trio one of the best shows of its kind Touring the South. The manager has gone to a heavy expense to secure these people for the week of the Fair, for the pleasure of yourself and visiting friends. Should you want to see a good show come to the AIRDOME and the manager will make you glad you came.

In Memorium.

Haw River, N. C., Sept. 26.—At the home of her daughter, Mrs. S. A. Vest, on Monday, Sept. 19th, 1910, Mrs. Geo. W. Franklin, in obedience to the inexorable summons from the Death Angel, who bid her lay aside all that was mortal and put on immortality entered the mansions that her Savior had long since prepared for her. She had passed her fifty-ninth mile post in life. She leaves a husband and six children to mourn her loss, two sons and four daughters.

Mr. E. W. Franklin, of Duke, N. C.; Mr. S. Franklin, of Dallas, Tex.; Mrs. R. H. Phillips, of Goldsboro, N. C.; Mrs. S. A. Vest, of Haw River, N. C., and Misses Lola and Ruth Franklin, of Durham, N. C.

No higher compliment could be paid to her integrity than the fact that in all these years no whisper was ever heard affecting her character. In her domestic life she was peculiarly fortunate; she was a devoted wife and affectionate mother, always kind and loving. By her neighbors she was held in the highest estimation and she retained their esteem until the day of her death. If there was anything more marked than another in the characteristics of the deceased, it was the great virtue of charity, the charity that thinks no evil. Her moral qualities were always in the ascendant, honor, fidelity, truth and courage. Conscience was ever with her and of her, she practised what was just and moved on straight lines. She was happy when she saw others happy and was always moved by human sufferings. Mrs. Franklin was a Christian of the highest type. We cannot penetrate the heart or head and know their mysteries, but we believe that faith was in her, and as clear to her as the daily light of Heaven is to the physical eye. She had a Christian courage, a Christians charity and a Christians grace.

Her pity was liberal and just, and it shone in her daily life.

She was a member of the Oxford Baptist church. The funeral was conducted from the home of her daughter, Mrs. R. H. Phillips, of Goldsboro, N. C., by the Revs. Watkins and Smith. Her body was laid to rest in the Cemetery at Goldsboro. We are happy in the belief that we can say of our departed friend she lives, lives in the other and brighter sphere, for which a just and righteous career had fitted her.

With these hopes for our friend, having placed her body in the embrace of Mother Earth, in the presence of a large concourse of friends, with sad hearts, and having commended her soul to God, who gave it, we pay this last tribute to her memory and hold out her upright and virtuous life, for the imitation of her family and friends.

G. W. P. C.

Alamance County Fair.

What promises to be the biggest Fair ever held in Alamance County will be held next week beginning Tuesday, the 4th and lasting until Friday. Some of the reasons why you should attend, to see the exhibits that your neighbor will have there. In fact you should take an exhibit yourself. If every farmer in the county would take the best of what he makes a speciality of raising on his farm, we believe most would receive prizes. After you go to the fair and see the exhibits you say you could have beat that, and no doubt you could, so take our advice and enter your exhibit and win one of those prizes.

The Big Wild West Hippodrome which the Fair Association have arranged to have on the grounds this year will be well worth your time to come to the fair. Besides this Hippodrome there will be Ten Big Shows, which will draw immense crowds each day. Judging from the entries the racing ballon ascension and many other attractions which will be given each day will be free.

The fact that the fair is bigger and better attended each year leads us to the conclusion that more people will be here this year than ever before.

OUR CANDIDATES FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONERS AND WHO THEY ARE

EDWARD TEAGUE. A native of South Alamance, but a resident of Burlington the past thirty years or more, in religion a Quaker, in standing a gentleman popular and well liked by all those who know him, if you want to vote for one of the best men that ever sat upon the Board of county commissioners vote for Ed. Teague.

J. D. ALBRIGHT. Better known as Crack, born and reared in Graham and identified with its business interests long before he attained his majority. Mr. Albright is exceedingly popular and is known by nearly everybody in the county. He will make a good commissioner and we predict for him a large vote outside the ranks of his own party.

J. CAL THOMPSON. Formerly of Thompsons township, but now a resident of Newlins. A sturdy old farmer, who has taken good care of his own affairs, and will be a safe custodian of the peoples interest. Mr. Thompson is a man of decided convictions, and cannot be swerved from what he believes to be right, just the man for commissioner when the affairs of the county are in the shape they are now, if the taxpayers of Alamance County allow Cal. Thompson to be defeated they will slaughter one of their best friends.

SAMUEL J. BUCKNER. A business man of Pattersons township raised a farmers, a school teacher, well educated, was a rural mail carrier from the Hartshorn post office, shrewd enough money in other pursuits, and resigned to enter the mercantile business, if the people of South Alamance want a good commissioner, they should elect Sam Buckner.

RALPH W. VINCENT. Born and reared in Pleasant Grove township a farmer and business man, Mr. Vincent has figured so close that he has been able to accumulate what is considered by most people a snug little fortune. If Mr. Vincent should be elected, and use the same good business judgement for the county that he does for himself, although the county is badly debt ridden he could get it out and have a nice surplus in the treasury within a few years. The taxpayers of Alamance county should think twice before casting a vote against Ralph Vincent.

In the Burlington Sunday Schools, Sunday, Sept. 25th, 1910.

Sunday School Totals.		
	Attendance.	Collection.
M. E.	229	\$5.92
Baptist	209	5.83
Gr'mn Ref'm'd	140	2.74
Presbyterian	117	5.45
Christian	190	4.41
M. P.	201	3.86
Webb Avenue	79	2.36
Total,	1165	\$31.57

MEN'S BIBLE AND BARACA CLASSES TOTALS.

	Attendance.	Collection.
M. E.	25	\$1.34
Baptist	60	2.75
German Reformed	39	1.00
Presbyterian	13	3.05
Christian	32	1.10
M. P.	31	1.60
Webb Avenue	17	.66
Total today	217	\$11.50
Sept. 18th,	220	11.14
11th,	229	17.40
4th,	223	16.19
Aug. 26th,	117	7.91

The above is a report for five Sundays. Men, read the report, study it, and help to make a better one next month. Our next meeting is the first Sunday. Bring the "other fellow" with your girls, together with an excellently prepared lesson.

The members of the association are requested to subscribe for The Dispatch and get a report of your school and class every Sunday.

MEN'S BIBLE CLASS ASSOCIATION OF BURLINGTON.
T. D. DUPUY, Pres.
JOHN H. VERNON, Sec.

With the City Fathers.

Burlington, Sept. 26th.—An adjourned meeting of the Board of Aldermen of the City of Burlington, was held this night in Mayor's Hall: C. R. Love Mayor presiding, and Aldermen Ireland: Freeland; Albright; Cates; Atwater and Apple, present.

Object of the meeting being to hear and consider a proposition by the Southern Railway Company in the matter of opening up of Worth Street.

After some discussion of the question the following action was had, to wit:

"Moved by Alderman Apple, seconded by Alderman Cates, that action looking toward opening a Grade Crossing by extending Worth Street across the N. C. Railroad, be suspended until the 15th, day of October 1910, in order that the Southern Railway Company may make an investigation and report to this Board as to the putting in, at its own expense, Sub-Grade Crossing on said Worth Street, and if the said Railroad Company will construct said Sub-Grade Crossing satisfactory to the Street Committee of the City of Burlington, then the said City will accept this in lieu of a Grade Crossing." On ballott all Alderman vote AYE and the motion is declared carried.

No other business, on motion by Cates, seconded by Atwater, the meeting stood adjourned.

JAS. P. MONTGOMERY
Sec. and Treas.
City of Burlington, N. C.

Marshals for the Fair.

The following marshals have been appointed by Chief Marshal A. E. Holgood, as marshals for the fair. We are going to have a big time and each marshal is expected to attend.

A. E. Holgood, Chief. Elbert Smith, Ossipee Mills. Don Vincent, Stainback. F. W. Graves, Mebane. W. W. Corbett, Mebane. Joe Vincent, Mebane. John A. Holmes, Mebane. Less Ray, Mebane. DeWitt Holt, Graham, No. 1. Floyd Nicholson, Burlington. No. 1. Walter Anthony, Burlington. No. 1. Dock Williamson, Saxpawhaw. Bascom Lindsey, Burlington. Dr. W. D. Moser, Burlington. Dr. W. Watts, Burlington. Dr. Chas. McPherson, Haw River. Joe Albright, Haw River. T. D. DuPuy, Burlington. John Q. Gant Jr. Glen Raven. Kenneth Gant, Altmahaw. John Ingle, Elon College. Don Scott, Graham. S. Earl Lashley, Burlington, C. V. Heritage, Burlington. J. C. Freeman, Burlington. Sheriff R. N. Cook, Graham. Roy Homewood, Burlington. R. F. D., H. C. Anthony, Burlington. R. F. D., M. L. Holton, Union Ridge. Julian Sellers, Stainback, Robt. Barnwell, Stainback. D. M. Andrews, Burlington. W. H. Fleming, Burlington. J. S. Fleming, Burlington. Vritus Holt, Burlington. J. D. Pritchett, Watson, Chas. Laird, Haw River. W. M. Baker, Burlington. J. C. Wyatt, Burlington. R. J. Kernodle, Ossipee, L. L. Garrison, Stainback, J. N. Isley, Rock Creek.

Business Improving.

In conversation with W. E. White of Mebane, we are advised that the furniture business is much livelier than for three years. That he predicts good business this fall, as there was good wheat and oats crops, the corn crop promises the bumper crop of this age. The tobacco crop is fair and bringing good prices, and the cotton crop has improved very much for past few weeks, owing to very favorable weather, and cotton is selling for 14c and 15c three cents per pound higher than a year ago. And the highest price for September for forty years. In fact business is very good with us, and we could now use 20 or 25 more men, notwithstanding the fact that a prominent Democrat, who is a candidate for Congress, in a speech at Mebane a few days ago told our people that the laboring people were getting only three days work each week and were barely able to exist.

Come to Mebane and you can find regular work.

Mrs. C. W. Bynum has returned from a short visit to Bynum N. C.