

# THE MEBANE LEADER.

"AND RIGHT THE DAY MUST WIN, TO DOUBT WOULD BE DISLOYALTY, TO FALTER WOULD BE SIN."

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## PERSONAL AND LOCAL BRIEFS

### PEOPLE WHO COME AND GO

Items of interest Gathered by Our Reporter

Mr. E. O. Ray spent the fourth of July in Mebane.

Mr. Victor L. of High Point visited Mebane Sunday.

Miss Sue Mebane is at Burlington taking her vacation.

The children day will be observed at Mebane next Sunday July 14th.

Mr. Frank Garrison spent the day in Mebane on the fourth of July.

Mr. and Mrs. Currie Smith of Belmont spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Clark.

Misses Anna and Sallie Breeze of near Cedar Grove spent the fourth in Mebane.

Miss Daisy Ray, one of our "charming country cousins" was here on the fourth of July.

Conductor Gilland, wife and daughter of Greensboro spent the fourth in Mebane.

Mr. A. H. Whitefield of Brashyfork, Pearson Co., is visiting Mr. W. D. Whitefield.

Mr. J. W. Lee one of Mebanes tobacco buyers, has gone to Nichols for a few months.

Mr. Curtis Clark of High Point spent Saturday and Sunday in Mebane with his people.

Sherriff R. N. Cook was up to Mebane with his smiling face on the fourth of July.

Misses Annie and Margaret Cooper and Miss Palmer of Graham spent the fourth in Mebane.

Mrs. T. B. Pettigrew will leave today, Thursday for Washington, D. C., for a short stay.

Misses Gertrude and Mobena Sykes is spending the week with the family of Mr. W. C. Clark.

Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Herring and Mr. Will Pickard of Durham spent the fourth of July here.

There were 16 baptisms and 4 united to church by letter at the Mebane Baptist church Sunday.

Misses May and Inez Reynolds of Orange Grove spent Sunday in Mebane attending the Baptist church.

The Southern Railway was at points completely disorganized on the main line Sunday morning in this state.

Little William Anthony, step son of Mr. Arthur White, drew the Kodak offered by the Mecca Drug Co. on July 4th.

Rev. O. L. Stringfield assistant superintendent of the Anti Saloon League will speak Thursday night at M. E. church.

Mr. J. H. Mebane and daughter Miss Fanny Mebane, father and sister of Miss Sue Mebane spent the fourth of July in Mebane.

Miss Katie Davidson paid a visit to her parents at Carthage in Moore County on last Saturday returning on Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. O. J. White of Durham and Mr. Paul Permar of Greensboro visited the family of Mr. M. N. Wilkerson Sunday.

Mrs. T. M. Tarplan and son Mr. Hank Tarplan aunt and cousin of Miss Fannie Mebane, visited the home of Capt. George Mebane Sunday.

Misses Margaret and Mary Miller grand daughters of Mrs. Stephen D. White are visiting their grandmother and other relatives here, from Asheville.

Mrs. F. L. White, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Grant and Sam Long went out fishing at Back creek Saturday. They said they caught all the fish they wanted.

Mr. Robt L. Holt of Graham in his automobile brought Miss Blanch Stony Miss Mabel Ellis and Miss Norma Moore and Tom Trogdon to Mebane on the fourth.

Buster Brown says we never put anything in our store. Quality is the best thing, and that is what he claims for Holmes-Warren Co. Read their ad. in this issue.

The Mecca Drug Co. claim quality, accuracy, and purity as the leading essentials of their drug store. New stock, new store, and polite attention goes with the other claims. Call and see for them.

Mr. J. R. Freeland and daughter Miss Ethel of Whiteville, Tenn., arrived here Monday to visit his sisters Mrs. M. Isley and Mrs. W. A. Jobe. Mr. Freeland left this country forty two years ago.

If you want a hose, with which goes a liberal guarantee, go to H. E. Wilkerson and Co. They have stock that they recommend. Don't forget them. They carry a full line of dry goods, notions, shoes, etc.

Mr. J. N. Warren left for Nichols, S. C. Tuesday where he in company with Mr. Murry Ferguson will open a warehouse for the sale of leaf tobacco. Mr. Warren says the outlook is bright for large sales of the leaf.

Mr. Archie Stern a prince of good fellows of the McAdoo Hotel Greensboro, did us the honor of a call on the fourth. There was with Mr. Stern who came down from Greensboro and spent the fourth in Mebane Mr. Sprague Silver, Mr. Ernest Delemeter and Mr. P. A. Hays. They all seemed to enjoy themselves very much.

### The Merry Go Round.

The merry go round did a land office business on the fourth. From seven o'clock in the morning until nearly eleven o'clock at night, with stop just long enough to change passengers, it was a continuous run and fairly crowded. Some one ought to have made money.

### Illustrated Pamphlet.

The Southern Railway Company issues a handsome sixty two page pamphlet profusely illustrated on high grade ivory finish book paper, titled the "Western section at a glance" that contains much interesting reading matter, and would be quite desirable to those contemplating visiting in that part of the country. Write for one. They are issued by the Traffic department of Southern Railway.

### Satterfield-Holden.

A marriage invitation that will be of interest to Mebane people generally was sent out last week and reads as follows:

Mr. Adison L. Holden requests the honor of your presence at the marriage of his daughter Koma Olivia

to Dr. Henry Elliott Satterfield on Wednesday afternoon, July seventeenth, nineteen hundred twelve at three o'clock at home

near Durham, North Carolina. At home, after July twenty-first, corner Roxboro and Liberty streets, Durham, N. C.

Dr. Satterfield is by far the most popular man in Durham. He has been a practicing dentist in Durham for a number of years and is known by nearly everyone in Durham. Dr. Satterfield is a native of Prospect Hill, Caswell county, but has been in Durham since the completion of his dental course. He is a man that to see him is to like him, as the smile that is always on his face seems as though it can never wear off.

Miss Holder is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Holden and is one of Durhams really pretty and attractive young ladies.

### Miss Mebane's Bridge For Miss Marjorie Scott

At her home on Ashe street Friday afternoon in Greensboro, Miss Bert Mebane gave a delightful bridge party complimentary to her house guest, Miss Marjorie Scott of Mebane. Miss Imogene Bernard won the prize given for the highest score, it being a beautiful hand embroidered linen work bag. Miss Scott was also presented a dainty work bag. A delightful salad course, sandwiches and ice cream were served.

Those present were: Mesdames Paul Schenck, F. P. Hobgood, C. G. Wright E. J. Justice, C. C. Taylor, John Wilson, C. J. Tinsley, J. Leslie Abbott, W. P. Beall, W. P. Bynum, R. P. Dicks, Thomas Crabtree, W. J. Dorworth and Palmer and Misses Imogene Bernard and Marjorie Scott. Greensboro News.

### More Poetic Than Practical

Some newspaper fellows more poetic than practical says you may expect to see Uncle Sam flying through the air with his mail sack strapped under his back. Uncle Sam had better undertake to do something that is reasonable, and that may be done in a sensible way. With the uncertainty of the flying machine, it is foolish to waste public money in attempting to send mail by them, especially in view of the absolute necessity of sending it on the regular old road route where the roads remain in such poor condition. Uncle Sam had better try to improve his highways, where his hundred thousand mail carriers work in the utmost discomfort. Whether he, or those who have charge of the mail service know this or not it is a fact.

### List of Letters

Remaining unclaimed at this office on the week ending July 6 1912

1 Letter for L. R. Hicks  
1 " " Mr. J. P. Kidder  
1 " " Mr. J. N. Walker  
1 P. C. " Mr. Roscoe Miles  
1 " " Ed. Seawell

These letters will be sent to the Dead Letter Office July 20 1912, if in calling for the above please say "Advertised" giving date of ad. list. Respectfully,  
S. Arthur White, P. M.

### Orange Grove Items

We are sorry to learn that Mrs. A. P. Cates is right sick.

Miss Alire Perry is now at home after spending a few days at Efland.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Lloyd and children of Durham visited Mr. T. D. Lloyd and family last week.

Miss Inez Reynolds of Raleigh spent a few days at home last week and returned to her duties Sunday via Mebane at which place she and her sister, Miss Maie, attended church Sunday.

Mrs. D. F. Crawford is spending a couple of weeks in Greensboro and Charlotte visiting her children Mrs. Ernest Reynolds and Mr. Chas. M. Crawford.

Mrs. Geo. W. Freeman, little son and daughter of Bennettsville, S. C., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Reynolds and family for a few days.

Now that the glorious fourth is passed and the earthquake caused by the big political conventions are over the people should turn their attention to something which is of far greater importance than either—seeing that your child has an opportunity to attend a good school this year.

Mr. Vance Cates, Misses Helen Reynolds and Nannie Lloyd took dinner with Miss Recie Crawford Sunday.

Everybody it seemed went to Mebane the fourth to be entertained by the hospitality of its good people and all report a fine time.

The Baraca and Philathea classes will picnic on the Union Mill pond and Crawfords Mountain on Saturday, July 13th and regardless of the hoodoo date everyone will bring a basket and enjoy to the fullest being in a company where everyone is a true friend to all others.

Things may go wrong in general; friends may turn their backs on you; those who have the greatest power to stink the thorn of unkindness into your soul may not fail to use it, yet, we all have a great and glorious mission to accomplish, and in striving for its accomplishment perhaps we may forget these things.

## A PLUNG TO DEATH THE GREAT BALLON PLANNED TO CROSS

### The Atlantic Ocean Goes Down in Flames a Short Distance From Shore.

Sailing out over the Atlantic Ocean under perfect control and in view of several thousand interested persons, the great airship, Adron, in command of Melvin Vaniman with a crew of four men, exploded while more than 500 feet in the air last week and shot down into the water a tangled mass, carrying to their death the daring aviator and his companions. Death is believed to have come instantly to the five men. This was near Atlantic City, N. J.

In all the tragic history of disasters to air ships or aeroplanes, probably none was as sensational as that which brought to an end the greatest and most costly aircraft ever constructed on the western hemisphere. Built to withstand the storms of the Atlantic and to carry at least a dozen men across the ocean to Europe, the Akron went to her doom in calm weather. Those who went down with the big irigible beside the intrepid Vaniman, who already had had one thrilling experience in an airship in the ocean.

## 41 DEAD IN WRECK

### As Usual Danger Signals Were Not Displayed For Coming Train.

Westbound Lackawanna passenger train No. 9 from New York, due to arrive at Corning at 4:47 a. m. July 4, composed of two engines, a baggage car, 3 pullmans and two day coaches, in the order named, was demolished at Gibson, three miles east of Corning, at 5:25 o'clock last Thursday morning by express train No. 11, due at Corning at 5:10 a. m. Forty-one persons were killed and between fifty and sixty injured. Many of the victims were holiday excursionists bound to Niagara Falls, who had boarded the train at points along the lines.

The wreck was the worst in the history of the road. Its cause according to Engineer Schroeder of the express was his failure to see signals set against his train. The morning was foggy and he said he could not make them out.

Wanted to buy timbered land, also would like to buy a farm.  
W. E. Ham, Mebane, N. C.

### Efland Items.

Misses Allene Perry and Clytie Hooks spent last Sunday with their friend Miss Annie Jordan.

R. F. Brittain spent the fourth in Greensboro.

Clarence Taylor and sister Miss Mary visited at Coll McCadams last Sunday.

We regret to learn of the illness of Alex Clark at the home of his daughter Mrs. Novella Efland, hope he will soon recover.

Vestal Mayes of Greensboro is spending his vacation at home with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Stokes Mayes.

Robert Sharp and Miss Wellie Strowd attended an ice cream supper Saturday afternoon at Milton Bishops near Chapel Hill. Quite a large crowd was present, and all seemed to enjoy themselves.

Misses Lucy Pittard and Myrtle Jordan of Cedar Grove visited Miss Annie Jordan last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Sharp attended services at the M. P. church in Efland Sunday.

Rev. Homer Casto and George Thompson was in Hillsboro Monday.

Will E. Thompson went up to Greensboro Friday night on business.

Robert Sharp Jr. and Miss Wellie Strowd spent the 4th in Mebane.

Messrs. Jack Baity, Charlie Brown and Jessie Baity attended the picnic at Mebane the fourth.

We notice Edgar Mayes is looking "blue and lonely" since his "best girl" left Efland.

Miss Fannie Jordan spent Sunday night with her cousin Miss Annie Jordan.

Willie Sharp of Hillsboro spent Sunday at home with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Robert Sharp.

Mrs. W. M. Smith and children of Mebane and Mrs. Brown Gordon of Hillsboro visited their sister Mrs. J. J. Brown last Friday.

We are having nice rains now, guess the farmers are glad.

I'd better ring off and give some one else the line now.  
Aurevoir till we meet again.  
"Pat"

### Kind Words From Burlington

Mr. Editor:-

In response to an invitation from the managers of the Independence Celebration at Mebane, in company with Capt. Jas. A. Turrentine of this city, I had the pleasure of spending the 4th instant in that progressive and enterprising town of Eastern Alamance. We met there about 150 of our old comrades, and spent our time in living over again in memory, the stirring and thrilling days of the sixties, in doing full justice to a magnificent barbecue dinner, and in watching the various amusements provided by our generous and public spirited hosts for the entertainment of a vast multitude of men, women and children from Alamance and surrounding counties.

It would be impossible to express our full appreciation of the hospitality which we so much enjoyed, there being nothing left to be desired, except the absence of some of the "boys" who were so enfeebled by age or disease that they could not be with us.

The exercises were short and simple. The address by Mr. Dave White, not a long one, but so much to the point that we soon felt as if we owned the most of the town, including furniture factories and all.

Those of us who had not visited Mebane for some time were astounded at the rapid and substantial growth of that future city of the Piedmont section and the general air of prosperity that pervaded everything.

The entertainment provided for all was superb, and would have been creditable to a town of 5,000 population. No expense was spared and no effort on the part of the citizens omitted that would add to our pleasure or comfort. Music and varied amusements for the young people, comfortable seats in shady groves for the older ones and a general good time for all.

Hospitable and enterprising Mebane, we are under all obligations to you, and we shall carry with us through the remaining years that may be allotted to us the memory of this day of real pleasure and enjoyment, and we wish for your progressive and enterprising community the greatest happiness and prosperity.

J. A. Turrentine,  
Comm. Camp Ruffin U. C. V.  
W. A. Hall  
Actg Adgt. Camp Ruffin U. C. V.

As long as one famous pardon that has been much discussed, mars the record of Governor Kitchin he should go slow about condemning any of the jurors in the Lorimer case. —Greensboro News.

For sale a pair of good mules, apply to W. E. Ham, Mebane, N. C.

## A FINE EXHIBIT.

### BY THE AMERICAN TOBACCO COMPANY.

## AT MEBANE INDUSTRIAL FAIR.

### A Large Lot of Manufactured Goods Given Away Free.

Among the many features that attracted attention, and favorable comment during the fourth at the Industrial Fair at Mebane, was the more than creditable display made in the booth used by the American Tobacco Company. At best it was an unusual such an exhibit, as we learned that it had been more than ten years since the company had displayed such an exhibit in this state.

There was 500 lbs of express received here Wednesday from the American Tobacco Company head office Fifth Avenue New York. The arrangement of the display included very attractive advertising matter for Sovereign Cigarettes. The Tuxedo Plug Cut, and the old famous Durham Bull Smoking tobacco. The exhibit was arranged by that artistic advertiser, Mr. P. T. Green assisted by R. C. Shaw, and W. W. Kearn of Durham, Mr. J. E. Boland, the American Tobacco Company's most wide-awake and valuable buyer, and representative at Mebane was here from Durham and gave time and valuable advice as to the arrangement of the exhibit.

Mr. Green in the afternoon of the fourth with a voice that might be mistaken for a fog horn on the Jersey coast called the crowd together, and made them happy by presenting to each a package of the America Tobacco company's finished product, either in smoking, chewing tobacco, or cigarettes.

Mebane is struggling to attract the attention of the commercial and industrial world, and she gratefully appreciates this evidence of a friendly feeling as manifested by the American Tobacco Company.

As a market the American Tobacco Company has treated Mebane well since her people began the sale of tobacco here, and Mebane has duly appreciated this fact. We now have two good size warehouses here, and the indications are that they will have all the tobacco they can give accommodation too, this fall.

### In Honor of Miss Scott

Complimentary to Miss Marjorie Scott, of Mebane, who has been visiting Mrs. Will Bason at the Mock House of Thomasville. Cotillion club gave a delightful and informal dance last Thursday night. The dining room of the Mock House was utilized for the purpose and from 9 until 12:30 the young people and visitors in town had a most enjoyable evening. This was the first visit of Miss Scott to Thomasville and while there she made a host of friends who were captivated with her charming manners.

Those attending the german were: Miss Perry Griffith with J. P. Gilbert, Helen Julian with Charles Griffith, Pat Walser, of Lexington, with Charles Bowen, of Lexington; Cora Lee Montgomery, of Monroe, with Eck Hedrick; Daisy Wilkins, of Gaffney, S. C., with Willie Julian; Gladys Laney, with Leo Julian; Miss Munion, with E. F. Pepper; Miss Grimes, of Salisbury, with Joe Wagner; Miss Rogers, with Mr. Clark; Miss Marjorie Scott, with D. C. MacRae, Harts; Messrs McDowell, Plitt, Kinney, Stigs and Parmham, Chaperones: Mr. and Mrs. Will Bason, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Griffith, Mr. and Mrs. L. V. Crutchfield, Mrs. Strayhorn and Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Mock.

### Georgia Girl Receives Gift of Languages

The strange story that Miss Ethel Ruth Davis, a Georgia girl who lives near Macon, has received the "gift of languages," and can converse in tongues which she has never learned by study, is verified in detail by her relatives.

Mrs. W. A. Scott, an aunt of Miss Davis, is quoted as declaring that the gift is one which other members of the family share with Miss Davis, but that they only have the power of speech in foreign tongues when it is given them by "the spirit."

For instance, it is declared, Miss Davis one day startled a Chinese by conversing with him fluently in his own language, while in her normal condition she knows not a single word of Chinese.

Miss Davis was formerly instructor of art at the St. Louis Teachers' College. It is said that the "gift" came to her after three days of prayer and fasting.

## A GREAT DAY

### At Mebane On The Fourth

## SHE FEEDS FIVE THOUSAND PEOPLE AND MAKES THEM HAPPY WHILE ENTERTAINING THEM AS HER GUEST.

### Not a Jar To Mar The Pleasure Of The Day.

Mebane covered her self with glory on the fourth of July. Just a month ago, Mebanes people decided they would take the occasion to invite their friends to come and help them enjoy it.

Committees were appointed and the work entered into in real earnest, money had to be raised, for without it but little could be done, in the way of entertaining the five thousand people Mebane expected as her guest on that day. This was done with the least bit of trouble, and the other multitude of preparations completed, and carried out. The crowd has come, and gone and the day will live now as a memory, but from the expressions of every one who came here, it will be a pleasant memory. It was a surprise, Mebane people met the crowd with glad hands, and a smile, and bid the visitors welcome. It is all yours, free without price.

For a town Mebanes size to undertake to feed five thousand visitors and furnish them with amusement for twelve solid hours was no easy undertaking, and yet this was what Mebane did, did it with pleasure, in fact was glad to do it and did it with ample compensation, when she considered she was serving guest that heartily appreciated her efforts.

To detail the doings of the day would make an article of extreme length.

The merry go around man Mr. J. R. Gibbs started up his machine at a quarter past seven o'clock in the morning, and kept up her grind until late at night. From the time it started until it stopped there were more than four thousand tickets sold for rides.

The exhibition building was opened to the public at 8:30 A. M., and an immense crowd passed in to see the pretty booths the manufactures and merchants had arranged exhibiting their goods and wares. The first on the right was Mr. J. H. Fowler groceries, the second Messrs Holmes-Warren and Co. Dry Goods and groceries, then on to Mr. A. P. Long Dry Goods and groceries, L. T. Johnson Furniture Notions and Confectionery W. T. Bobbitt Dry Goods and Groceries, J. D. Hunt Dry Goods and Groceries, Home Furniture Company, Mebane Drug Co. The Bingham School booth, Tyson-Malone Buggies and Waggon, American Tobacco Co. C. C. Smith Clothing, J. H. Lasley Undertaker, Tyson-Malone Hardware Co. Mecca Drug Co. These excepting the Bingham School and A. T. Co., were merchants and made a most creditable exhibit, displaying their goods and wares to much advantage.

The manufactures exhibit were of an unusual high order and embraced the finished product of our manufactures, neatly and tastefully displayed in separate booths attractively draped and festooned. The Manufactures making, and unusual fine display. The White Furniture Company, high grade furniture made in all the prettiest woods, finished in piano and mirror polish. The Mebane Bedding Co., Mattresses, Spiral Springs, and other make of Springs. The Iron Bed Co. Iron beds, Settees etc., in a variety of styles. The Continental Chair Co., with several makes of stool and rocking chairs. The Nelson Cooper Lumber Co., Mantels Sash doors, blinds, and all kinds of finished lumber for building, paints etc. The Troilinger Brick manufactures had a fine grade of building brick on exhibit.

The childrens exercises the first on the program which consisted of a flag drill and patriotic songs, followed by a song from Mrs. C. J. Kee, her composition eliciting much favorable comment.

Mrs. Kee sang the following which was much enjoyed.

"We welcome you to our town  
"Cause we like to have you 'round  
Come along  
Come along  
Come along Mebane

In Mebane where we love to dwell  
Everybody'll treat you swell  
Come along  
Come along  
Come along Mebane

Then, one two three for Mebane  
Hoorah hoorah  
Our gay hoorahs and shouts today  
Shall rise to honor Mebane  
Hoorah hoorah hoorah,  
For our town Mebane  
Hoorah hoorah hoorah  
For "our town Mebane."

Address by Mr. D. A. White. Much to the regret of all Col. Julian S. Carr

did not get here. The following arrangement of program was observed.

11:40 a. m. Jr. O. U. A. M. March from depot to grand stand  
12:00 m. Address by Dr. J. T. Burrus of High Point Jr. O. U. A. M. Exercises  
1:00 p. m. Dinner—Free Brunswick Stew and Barbecue.  
2:30 p. m. Base Ball  
4:00 p. m. Tournament  
8:30 p. m. Tournament Ball, Crowning of Queen, etc.

Music by Band

Everything was Free.

Little Miss Ruth Porter of Charlotte the Mascot of the Mecklenburg Camp of Confederate Veterans recited two beautiful pieces at the morning exercises on the fourth at Mebane, the first one was "Lee to the rear," an incident in his campaign life during the war that has become world famous, was the bases for this pathetic, and patriotic recitation, which struck a sympathetic cord in the hearts of the old soldiers assembled here. An other piece of high merit, and much enjoyed was "My Suit of Confederate Gray." Miss Porter added much to the pleasure of the occasion.

Capt. J. A. Turrentine commander of Alamance Camp of Confederate Veterans, delivered an able and interesting address to the Veterans.

The Confederate Veterans was all given printed badges, these badges entitled them not only to every consideration, but it entitled them free of cost to ice cream, soda water and any kind of soft drinks sold at Drug Stores or ice cream parlor in Mebane.

We saw the little remnant of the Confederate Veterans here on the fourth, but they are growing feebler, and their ranks are thinning faster each year. It was once a different day with them. Ah! the light that blazed in these old Veterans eyes in the days gone by, as the great host charged and recharged across fire fringed fields, where the engines of death were mowing down the "flower of the South land," and covering the earth with the bravest and best, sending thousands of cripples home to stagger across the ashes where once stood shelter for loved ones.

Soon the last of these will have answered the bugle call, and joined that great army of heroes in gray who have crossed the river. Neither time, or purpose bent can ever efface from the gleaming pages of glorious renown the brave and heroic deeds that gave birth, and death to the Lost cause, you have won an heritage, the proudest name that ever race or lineage bore, or gave to knighthood chivalry. Goo give you all peace in the end.

At one o'clock the crowd was invited to Will Murrys grove near Mrs. H. A. Bason, where the multitude was fed, fed with some of the finest brunswick stew possible to make, and barbecued lamb and young beef. There was one hundred gallons of stew, eight large lambs and seven beeves all served in the best manner of the culinary art. If you did not get your dinner it was not Mebanes fault it was here for you, but so far as we can learn every one was amply served. We talked to several Veterans who said it was the finest Brunswick stew they ever ate.

After dinner there was three base ball games played, and all who enjoyed that kind of sport was amply amused. The tournament came off at about four o'clock, and resulted in Mr. O. R. Henderson of Graham crowning the Queen of love and beauty, which was Miss Maud Thompson of Greensboro, Mr. G. F. Moore won first maid of honor, Mr. O. S. Richmond of Pleasant Grove won second maid, Mr. M. H. Holt won 4th Maid of Honor. The royal set begun the dance at night, which was kept up until a late hour. At least five hundred people were witnesses, or participated in the dance.

Much credit is due Mr. Felix Graves Chief Marshal for the successful conduct of the tournament and ball. While it seemed to threaten rain in the early morning, the clouds simply screened the sun and kept the atmosphere quite pleasant. It was an ideal day, all conditions seemed to conspire to make it agreeable to those who were sharing Mebanes hospitality. The decidedly successful effort of Mebane to please everyone who visited here and make their stay agreeable on the fourth is due credit to all of Mebanes people, each individual from the highest to the humblest, shared his part in doing what he could to make the day a success in every way that Mebane could wish it, and this was as it should be.