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TUESDAY, MAY 31, 1910

Now, don't let them rub that halter off today.

It is time for the mothballs to begin their summer's work.

Still, astronomy will have to pass for one of the exact sciences.

Just think, it took the tailenders to put a halter on Greenville.

How far is it to Wrightsville Beach? Oh, not far; only about a week.

The impression made by the comet this trip will hardly last 75 years.

But plenty of them are willing to wear an office seeker's castoff old shoes.

Just because the mood butted in Mr. Halley has been set down as a nature fait.

What you are pleased to imagine is your sense is often the other fellow's nonsense.

The Wake insurgents are long on charges, but rather short on making confessions.

There is plenty of "walking" ahead for students of the American transportation problem.

Congressman Thomas issues a card of thanks and quits. Did he see a storm rising in his district?

Probably if Aycock mocking birds would come again, and sing louder, the bonds would sell better.

New York is nearly three hundred years old, and no wonder Atlanta is the smallest of the two.

Somebody should tell Colonel Bryan that the folks are tired of honoring him every time he comes home.

Considering the few first nights of the engagement the farewell performance of the comet are not so bad.

Who says the suffragettes are not hot-headed people? While one of them was making a speech her hair caught fire!

No matter now who is responsible for it, local opinion is in the Wake county row, and is likely to stay in the fish.

Mr. Maxwell was an "original" Kitch. In man, too, which does not in the least disqualify him for the job under the present administration.

Since the insurgents formerly supported the ring they should now make some confession to give their repentance the stamp of sincerity.

When a Democratic officeholder voluntarily quits the race for a job he has fought for years to hold it is a good sign that he sees something "bad" in the road.

The enthusiastic Democratic press should not be in too great a hurry to place Mr. McNinch in the "also ran" class, for they are likely to encounter a tangled web.

The New Bern Sun says: "It doesn't pay a politician to get cold feet; he should stick and fight it out. No one admires a quitter." Haven't any quitters down there, have you? They have to be choked off in other sections.

Says the Anderson Mail: "President Taft will have a big job on his hands if he undertakes to teach all the members of his party good manners." Possibly; but he certainly strikes an impossible one the other day when he undertakes to teach the Democrats good manners.

CIVIL SERVICE RETIREMENT.

Civil service reform, and the retirement of persons employed under civil service rules and regulations have long given much concern to those charged with the administration of public affairs. Discussing a movement for a retirement plan, the Washington Times says:

"The movement for the inauguration of a plan for the retirement of employees of the civil service has been given marked impetus by the advocacy of the compulsory savings system by the President and his cabinet. With the administration, the civil service commission, the congressional committees on reform in the civil service and the employees themselves—25,000 of them—pulling together for the reform, it looks now as if the chances of getting the necessary legislation were excellent.

"One of the most encouraging features of the present movement is the apparent unanimity of opinion of all interests concerned as to what sort of a retirement system should be established. Sentiment seems to be centered on the compulsory savings plan whereby the employee will furnish his own retirement annuities. All possible methods of providing for retirement have been considered and all have been discarded as impractical except that under which deductions are made from each employee's monthly pay, kept in a separate fund to that employee's credit, and paid to him as an annuity, when he reaches the age of retirement or returned to him intact in case he quits the service before that time.

"The only provision over which there is very much chance of serious contention is that which creates annuities for those who have already reached the age of retirement or who will reach it soon. The plan under consideration, which is embodied in the Gillett bill, now before the House, contemplates the payment of these annuities from the federal treasury. It is estimated that this expense to the government will amount to perhaps \$50,000,000, spread over a period of thirty or forty years. Justification for this expenditure is found in the fact that the loss to the government from superannuation is estimated at \$400,000,000 a year in the District of Columbia alone.

"The estimate of \$50,000,000 as the outside expense to the government is made on the whole civil service, while the Gillett bill as it stands provides that the retirement system shall apply only to employees in the District of Columbia. The intention is to try the plan out here. If it works, it can easily be extended to include all employees in the classified service.

"From the standpoint of the needs of the service and the rights of employees, the retirement system should commend itself to Congress. We have been terribly slow in getting started in this reform. It is to be hoped that at this late day no further delay will be encountered."

ELON COMMENCEMENT

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 Dr. Lightbourne began his professional career as a minister, having graduated from the Columbia university as a doctor of philosophy and then from Yale health went to California, where for ten years he edited the "Pacific Agreement," which is a distinctly literary journal of the Pacific coast. He then returned to New York city, and became editor in chief of the "New York Mail and Express," which position he held for eight years until he returned to the ministry.

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Coming to the denouement of the sermon, Dr. Lightbourne said that there was one passage-way which this intellectual faculty, man's supreme endowment, which is unsurpassed by any other natural faculty, could not enter. Over this passage is written in glittering letters the word "Supernatural." It is impossible for man to regenerate and unimpeded by God to understand, to enter into or appreciate the supernatural in himself and in the universe about him. He said that he felt that religion as set forth in the Bible, is the absolute necessity to a well rounded man. Dr. Lightbourne expressed his confidence in the stability of the Bible, for it is in the custody and the protection of the one whose Spirit indited it.

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business department and in English, will also be presented by President Staley as well as diplomas for the master of art degree to Prof. Henry Milton Loy and the Rev. William Thomas Walters.
 At 3 p. m. the literary societies will hold their annual reunion in their respective halls.
 At 4 p. m. the art exhibit will occur in the administration building, first floor.
 At 8 p. m. the alumni address will be delivered in the college auditorium by Miss Jennie Herndon, Ph. B., of Greenville.
 At 9 o'clock in the west dormitory dining-hall will occur the alumni banquet.
 There is profound regret here that President Moffitt's condition does not warrant his physicians in agreeing for him to be present at commencement and to take part in the program.

CITY GOVERNMENT BY COMMISSION.

Editors of Daily News:
 Can a better plan be devised than Greensboro now has and has had in operation in two departments of work for a number of years? First, the cemetery, the longest in operation, then the water and light commission, and perhaps for the present, at least, the only other one actually needed would be to combine the sewerage and street work under one management, and that management could have as many squads of men and foremen for each squad as the work required from time to time, and in every department have the same plan that has been in the two that has been carried on for years, namely: one superintendent giving his entire time, and paid for his services, and two others as his advisers when he may need them, and who are not paid, all selected by the board of aldermen as the cemetery commission was, and all from the citizens at large and because of their fitness for each department of work where assigned. The board of aldermen being relieved of all details of town work are only called on in extreme cases. Good men could be had to serve and they could pass laws or repeal them as at present, representing the people and having the power to employ or discharge where mistakes might occur in getting unsuitable men for the places without calling elections or going back to the people, all necessary remedies would be at hand.

B. E. SEROKANT.

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Baptist's Union Meeting.

(Special to Daily News.)
 Wadesboro, May 30.—The union meeting of the Baptist churches of Anson county was held at Beulah church, three miles from Wadesboro, on yesterday and Sunday. Delegates were present from the various churches in the county, and questions of interest to the denomination were discussed. The institute sermon was preached by the Rev. T. W. Chambless, of Wadesboro, Saturday morning at 11 o'clock. The opening sermon was preached by the Rev. G. H. Church, pastor at Morren.

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IMPORTANT CHANGE OF SCHEDULE.

Improved Service on Raleigh and Southport Railway, Effective Next Sunday.

Effective Sunday, May 22, the following schedule will go into effect on the Raleigh and Southport railway, giving three trains each way daily between Raleigh and Fayetteville.

Southbound—Leave Raleigh, 8 a. m.; arrive Fayetteville, 11:10 a. m. Leave Raleigh, 1:15 p. m.; arrive Fayetteville, 4 p. m. Leave Raleigh, 6:35 p. m.; arrive Fayetteville, 9:35 p. m.

Northbound—Leave Fayetteville, 8 p. m.; arrive Raleigh, 10:50 a. m. Leave Fayetteville, 1 p. m.; arrive Raleigh, 3:45 p. m. Leave Fayetteville, 5:10 p. m.; arrive Raleigh, 8:30 p. m.

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