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President General Issues Bulletin to the Daughters, Outlining the Work of the Organization. The Observer is asked to publish this open letter from the president...

THAT ASHEVILLE MEETING.

Much Interest Manifested Here in the National T. P. A. Convention in Asheville May 31-June 4—The Programme. The convention of the North Carolina division of the Travelers' Protective Association of America...

FREE TRIP TO CHARLOTTE.

The Rockingham Post Will Send Five of Its Subscribers to See President Taft May 20. To boost its subscription list, The Rockingham Post has put on a contest...

Mexican Mustang Liniment. CONTAINS NO ALCOHOL. Every drop soaks in—none wasted by evaporation. More economical—you need less—goes farther. Penetrates muscles and tissues—banishes pain—heals all the wounds of Man and Beast.

Weddington Hardware Company, Inc. 29 East Trade St. Our sales of Peerless Ice Cream Freezers have been increasing every year since we secured the agency for this splendid product.

The committees of the general association, which have formulated plans for this purpose, and ask your co-operation. The chairman of committee on education, Miss Mary B. Poppenheim, Charleston, has ably outlined this work...

MONDAY, MAY 31. 10:30 a. m.—Meet at the Auditorium, form in line and march down Haywood street to Patton avenue...

NEW PAPER FOR CHARLOTTE. Republican Weekly Mentioned Several Weeks Ago Chartered—Those in Charge. The Southern Republican Company, a corporation formed for the purpose of publishing a Republican newspaper in Charlotte...

Mr. W. C. Carmichael, of Statesville, spent yesterday in the city on business.

"Get It at Hawley's." Splendid Service and Swell Drinks. At Hawley's Pharmacy. We are leading in fountain specialties now. Our new improved service is a winner and a wonder.

Hawley's Pharmacy. TRYON AND FIFTH STS. Phone 13 and 260. Academy Advance Sale. Independent Candidate Proposed. A meeting of the citizens of Belmont is called for to-night at 8 o'clock at Sam Phillips' store...

IF IT'S USED IN AN OFFICE We Sell It. We are making special prices on Desks to reduce stock as much as possible before our annual inventory next month. Let us show these bargains. Stone & Barringer Co. OFFICE OUTFITTERS.

Black's Transfer Company. We are well equipped to handle the Baggage Business. Office in Southern Passenger Depot open day and night. Phones 105 or 1919. We also give prompt attention to all kinds of Hauling.

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It is well to call your attention to the near approach of the annual reunion of our dear veterans of the Confederacy, which will be held in Memphis, Tenn., June 3 and 4, 1909. Let us rally to their banner, which will be proudly unfurled, and show them by word and deed, that we cherish their service and sacrifice...

TUESDAY, JUNE 1. 9 a. m.—Business session. 11 a. m.—Ladies' card party, Manor, Albemarle Park. Business session. Convention hall, Battery Park Hotel. WEDNESDAY, JUNE 2. Business session. Ladies' Trolley ride. Memorial address. T. P. A. night at Auditorium. THURSDAY, JUNE 3. 9 a. m.—Special carriages for Belmont, N. C., leaving Auditorium, guests of Dr. C. A. Schenck wife on the estate. Business session. Business session. Ladies' entertainment open. FRIDAY, JUNE 4. 8 a. m.—Special train to Lake Toxaway. 2 p. m.—Old-fashioned Southern barbecue. 5 p. m.—Return to Asheville. Business session.

ASK PAY ON YEAR BASIS. School Commissioners to Be Petitioned to Devote the Surplus in School Treasury to Payment of Salaries of White Teachers During Summer. A very interesting proposition which will be presented to the new school commissioners is that to pay the teachers in the white schools their regular salaries during the summer months. Strong support is being given to the proposition...

FUNDS FOR THE LIBRARY.

Ladies of the City to Have a "Tag" Day For the Purpose of Raising Funds For New Books For the Public Library. "The public library," declared a Charlotte woman yesterday, "is one institution that the city cannot afford to allow to stand still or be retarded in its usefulness."

Jury Finds Restaurant Owner Not Guilty of Attempting to Intimidate J. D. Walker.

"Not guilty," returned a verdict yesterday afternoon in the case of L. O. Wilson, proprietor of a restaurant on East Trade street, who was charged with intimidating a witness, J. D. Walker, who testified against him in the Walker case...

MEMBERSHIP CONTEST KEEN.

Mrs. R. L. Gibbon's Team Still in the Lead—Interest on the Increase. A maximum of interest centres about the membership contest now being waged by the local Young Woman's Christian Association. The total number of points secured to date is 323. Mrs. R. L. Gibbon's team is still in the lead with 83 points...

Water Mains Laying in Elizabeth About Completed.

The finishing touches are being put to the work of laying a mile of new 8-inch water main in the Elizabeth section of the city, which has heretofore been without this connection. The mains begin at Torrence street on East avenue, running out East avenue to Crescent avenue and out Crescent avenue to the city limits, something like half a mile beyond Elizabeth College, running through the property of the Suburban Realty Company and the Elizabeth Realty Company. In all, the present city administration has laid about five miles of new mains. Charlotte now has in the neighborhood of 38 miles of main.

Half of the Ironing is Done

for you when you send your family washing to us. We wash all the clothes, starch and dry them, and iron out all the flat work, such as bed and table linen, etc. We can call for your washing on Thursday or Friday, and return it completely finished to you on Saturday, or the first of the next week, as you prefer. This saves you the bother and trouble of having the washing returned late in the week to iron. Try this way—you'll like it.

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TD RATHER DIE, DOCTOR.

"I'd rather die, doctor, than have my feet cut off," said M. L. Bingham of Prater, Ill., "but when I saw the advertisement for Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People, I decided to try them. I had been suffering from a severe case of diabetes, and my feet were so swollen that I could not wear my shoes. After taking a few bottles of the pills, the swelling went down, and I was able to walk again. I am now perfectly cured, and I feel like a new man. I can't say enough for Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. They are the best medicine I ever took."—Bingham's Story, published in the Prater, Ill., News, April 15, 1909.

To Celebrate Odd Fellow Anniversary To-Night.

In celebration of yesterday, which marked the 90th anniversary of the founding of the first lodge of Odd Fellows in the United States and the 60th anniversary of the founding of the first chapter in this State, at Weldon, on April 26th, 1841, appropriate exercises will be held by the local lodges, Mecklenburg Declaration, No. 2, Charlotte No. 48, Catawba River Encampment and Rosalie Rebekah lodge. The first-named was instituted during the civil war. The meeting to-night will be held in the hall of Mecklenburg lodge, at No. 9 East Trade street.