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# CHARLOTTE DAILY OBSERVER, WEDNESDAY, MAY 5, 1909.

#### CONFERENCE TO-MORROW. PROGRAMME FOR MAY 20

# THREE CROWDED DAYS COMING

Official Announcement Made of Arrangements For the Gala Affair Which Will Attract the Attention e United States-United States Cavalry to Give Drills and Execute uvres-Charlotte Drum Corps and Several Bands to Take Partident Taft to Speak to Students of Biddle University in the Alternoon-Speaks at 3:30 From the Reviewing Stand-League Baseball Every Day, Too.

Official announcement is made of the programme for the celebration of 20th of this month, in honor of the 134th anniversary of the Mecklenburg Declaration of Independence. As will be indicated by a perusal of Its details, the exhibitions and exercises planned will be well worthy of the occasion and will push the affair into the front rank of its kind. The exhibitions and races by the fire companies, the United States cavairy drill and other manoeuvres, the Charlotte Drum Corps drill in front of the reviewing stand and the fine band concert, besides the carnival companies, will make the first day, the 18th, notable. The second, the 19th, Governors' day, will contain a number of features which marked the first day besides many others. And as for the 20th itself. every minute is crammed with something interesting, beginning with the arrival of the President of the United States at 10 o'clock.

If the celebration of the 20th were to be held in Atlanta, that town would say that the civilized world would look on breathless. That is true to some extent in this case, since the President of a world power is to make Charlotte his abiding place for a day, but Charlotte can afford to be conservative and merely call attention to a fact which is indisputable, that it will attract the attention of the United States.

Journals far and wide have commented on it, some in one spirit and some in another. The important thing is that they have taken notice.

Give eye and ear to the programme. It speaks for itself:

## MAY 18, FIRST DAY.

12 m .- Charlotte fire companies exhibition and races.

3 p. m -- United States cavalry drill and military manoeuvres. Concert by United States Regimental Band at fair grounds.

4:30 p. m.-League baseball. p. m -Exhibition drill by Charlatte celebrated drum corps in front of reviewing stand.

p. m.-Concert from reviewing stand by United States Regimental Band and Concord and Cliffside bands. Three carnival companies giving continuous performances.

MAY 19, GOVERNORS' DAY. 1:30 p. m -Athletic meet at fair

grounds 2:30 p. m .- Short address by Governor Kitchin, of North Carolina, and by Governors and Lieutenant Governors of other States, at fair grounds. 3:30 p. m --- United States cavalry drill and military manoeuvres. Concert by United States Regimental Band at fair grounds.

5 p. m .- League paseball. 6:30 p. m-Exhibition drill Charlotte celebrated drum corps in front of reviewing stand.

7:30 p. m .- Concert from reviewing stand by United States Regimental and Concord and Cliffside bands. 8:30 p. m .- May Music Festival at Auditorium.

9 p. m --- Red Men's illuminated pa-

Annual Event of Charlotte District in the Western North Carolina Methodist Conference to Occur-First Meeting in Charlotte in Several Years-Tryon Street Congregation Entertains.

The Charlotte District Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, convenes in this city tomorrow morning at Tryon Street Methodist church. Three counties are included, Mecklenburg, Union and Anson. There are \$3 clerical members and 115 lay. At least a majority of these will be here. Practically all the ministers

will come. All the delegates will be entertained in the homes of members of the congregation. There are 23 pastoral charges in the district.

This district conference will be the first in a long time, probably in a decade, to meet in Charlotte. It will be presided over by Rev. H. K. Boyer. the presiding elder of the district. Among the topics discussed will be: The spiritual state of the Church; missions; financial systems; Sunday schools and education.

Examinations will be given candidates for license to preach and any who pass will be recommended to the Annual Conference for trial. Dr. J. Kilgo, presdent of Trinity College, will be here Friday, Saturday and Sunday, and will probably speak Friday. Mr. W. B. Stubbs, general secretary of the Laymen's Missionary Movement, of Nashville, Tenn., will

also be here. THURSDAY, MAY 6 10 a. m. 1.-Devotional Service. 10:30 a. m. 11.-Organization. 111.-Minute Business. 11:30 a. m. IV -Sermon. AFTERNOON SESSION.

2.30 p. m.-Minute Lusiness. 3.30 p. m.-Report of committee on the spiritual condition of the Church-Open discussion

8 p. m.-Sermon FRIDAY, MAY 7.

9:30 a. m - Devotional service.

10 a. m.-Reports from committees. 11 a. m.-Education-Addresses by rep-esentatives of our schools. 1-Devotional services. 2-Our share of the work proposed-J. B

(a)-The Methodist Episcopal Church. South

(b)-Western North Carolina Conference

c)-The Charlotte district.

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3-Better leaders, and how to get them to work-W F. Harding.
4-The plan adopted by Chattanooga Conference\_J W. Gulledge.
5-Open conference, conducted by W. B.

Stubbs

(a) The practical work of the plan (b)-Difficulties, and how to meet

them 6 30 p m - Banquet for members district conference.

8 p. m - Address by W. B. Stubbs, of Nashville, Tenn., general socretary of the Layman's Missionary Momement of the Address by W. B. Stubbs, of

M E. Church. South. SATURDAY, MAY 8-6 30 A M 6 How can I work the plan in my church?-T W. J. Broom

7-The relation of the leader to the pas-or and presiding elder Dr J E. Kerr 8. The relation of the leader to his com-

mittee-E A. Cole. (a) Pray. (b)-Study.

(c)-Pay (d)-Work Election of delegates to annual confer-

AFTERNOON SESSION 2 30 1 m-Reports from committees-

Open discussion -Minute business, and selecting 4 p. m.-Minute business, and se place for next district conference.

Following are the charges and pastors embraced in the Charlotte district. An-sonville, P. L. Terrell, Belmont Park, L. A. Falls; Brevard Street, C. M. Pick-ens; Calvary, E. E. Williamson, Chad-wick-Seversville, J. P. Hipps; Dilworth-Ble Scring, A. L. Cohurn, suppl. Northwick-Severaville, J. P. Hipps, Dilworth-Big Spring, A. L. Cohurn, supply, North Charlette, W. O. Goole, Trinity, E. L. Bain, W. L. Nicholson, supernumerary, Tryon Street, G. H. Derwiler, W. W. Have, supernumerary, Derita, S. Taylor, Lilesville, E. J. Poer, Matthews, O. I. Hinson, Montoe, Central Church, H. F. Cirlesville, W. W. Werker, W. D. McCher, C. Stevers, W. P. McCher, C. Starberg, Marchever, M. F. Marker, M. Starberg, Marchever, W. P. McCher, M. Frank, Neuroper, M. McCher, M. Starberg, Marker, M. Starberg, McCher, McCher, M. Starberg, McCher, McCher, M. Starberg, McCher, McCher, McCher, McCher, M. Starberg, McCher, Marthewa, McCher, McCher

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Brown and Mr. W M Long.

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of the accident. County Commission-

ers Newell and McKee, who were al-

so passengers, in the meantime car-

ried the boy in a quilt for a hundred

yards or so to the home of a colored

family where he was attended to. Dr. Abernethy was also secured. Unless

there is internal injury, the physicians

said, the boy is not badly hurt. Not

Mr. Brown had taken the commis-

sioners up to Cornelius to inspect the

road and on their return they de-

Veterans to Meet.

11 o'clock at the usual place.

Mecklenburg Camp. United Con-r-derate Veterans, will meet in

rangements will be made for attend-

Memorial Day and for assisting in conducting the President from the

onthly session Saturday morning at

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a bone seems to have been broken.

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### WITH THE COLLEGES.

ome of the Commencements Announced For the Near Future and Those Who Will Take Part in the Exercises.

An invitation has been received to he commencement of Oak Ridge Institute. The programms follows:

Sunday, May 16, 11 a. m .- Annual sermon by Rev. W. A. Lambeth, of the Western North Carolina Confernce, Methodist Episcopal Church, South.

-Sermon before the Y. M. 8 p. m. A. by Rev. William A. Porter, of the Methodist Protestant Conference. Wednesday, May 19, 3 p. m.-Class day exercises.

8 p. m.-Annual debate.

Thursday, May 20.-Commence-ment day, Alumni address, Henry P. Lane, Esq., Reidsville. Literary address, Clarence H. Poe, editor Progressive Farmer, Raleigh. OXFORD SEMINARY.

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The programme of commencement exercises of Oxford Seminary is now ompleted. It follows:

Sunday morning, May 16-Bacca aureate sermon, by Rev. G. C. Kelly. D. D., pastor of the Broad Street Methodist church, Richmond, Va. Sunday evening-Sermon before the foung Women's Christian Association by Rev. G. B. Strickler, D. D., of the Inion Theological Seminary, Richnond, Va.

Monday morning, May 17-Class exercises. At 3 p. m., art reception; 5 p. m., annual concert; 8:30 p. m. address before the literary societies, by Rev. Oscar Haywood, D. D., New York City. President Hobgood states that the

usual reduced rates on the railroads will be given and that a large attendance is expected. The programme is full and rich.

WINTHROP COLLEGE. The following invitation has been

received: The Winthrop Normal and Industrial

College equests the honor of your presence at the commencement exercises of the 14th class from May 30 to June 1

hundred and nine nineteen Rock Hill, South Carolina. Commencement programme:

Sunday, May 30-11 a. m., sermon efore the Y. W. C. O., R. G. Finley, Trinity church, Columbia, S. C.; 8:30 baccalaureate sermon, the m Rev. Thomas F. Gailor, D. D. ight S. T. D., bishop of Tennesse and chancellor of the University of the South

Monday, May 31 .- 11 a. m. inspecion of buildings and departments; 6 p. m., class day exerci≤es; 8-30 p. m., joint celebration of the literary socie-

Tuesday June 1 -9 30 a.m. slum nae reunion, 6 p. m., dalsy chain procession, 8 30 p. m., address to the graduating class, George Hutcheson Denny, M. A., Ph. D., LL, D. Awarding of diplomas and certifi-

cates. STATE NORMAL The following has been received: The faculty and senior class of

the North Carolina State Normal and Industrial College invite you to be present

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MAY 20. PRESIDENT'S DAY

10 a m-A salute of 21 guns by Charlotte Artillery on arrival of the President's special train. Special committee to receive the President and Mrs. Taft at station and escort them to Selwyn Hotel, where they will be welcomed by Governor W. W. Klitchin, of North Carolina; Senators Simmons and Overman and the mayor of Charlotte.

11 a. m .- President and Mrs. Taft to receive reception committee and all committeemen and their wives at Selwyn Hotel.

12:00 m -Old soldiers to escort President and Mrs. Taft and Mrs. Stonewall Jackson, the Governor of the State and mayor of Charlotte and distinguished visitors to the reviewing stand to review the grand parade. Grand parade

2:30 p. m .- May Music Festival at Auditorium.

3:30 p. m .- President Taft to address the public from reviewing stand.

4:30 p. m --- United States cavalry drill and military manoeuvres, concert by United States Regimental Band at fair grounds.

4:80 p. m.-League baseball.

5:30 p. m .- President Taff to specially address the colored people and students of Biddle University. 6 p. m .- Exhibition drill by Char-

lotte celebrated drum corps in front of reviewing stand. 7 p. m .- Concert by United States

Regimental and Concord and Cliffside bands. sician, securing Dr. Craven, who lives about four miles south of the scene

8 to 9:30 p. m .- President and Mrs. Taft to receive the public in large parlor of Selwyn Hotel.

8:30 p. m - May Music Festival at Auditorium. giving

Three carnival companies continuous performances.

#### CHILD THROWN FROM AUTO.

Little Son of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Dowd Figures in Slight Accident-Machine Hit Telegraph Pole.

Yesterday about noon as the colored driver of Mr. W. Frank Dowd's cided to cut across to the ford road. the The trip was strictly one of business. automobile attempted to turn machine around on South Tryon The automobile is said to have been street at the intersection of Fourth going about 20 miles an hour. and Tryon and to go down South Tryon street, he miscalculated the turn. As a result he ran into a telegraph post in front of the Long-Tate Clothing Company's store. One of Mr. and Mrs. Dowd's younger children, who was sitting on the front seat of the car, was knocked from the mia-ing the reunion in Memphis the lat-chine and fell on the bitulithic pave-ter part of the month; for observing ment

Mrs. Dowd with two other children were on the rear sent, and received Selwyn to the reviewing stand May only a slight jolt, as the car was running at a low rate of speed One or two people passing on the sidewalk rushed to the little one who was thrown from the machine, and, picking him up, discovered that he had not suffered a scar. His arm and head were slightly bruised, but otherwise he was uninjured.

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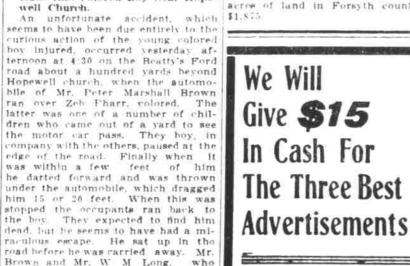
per year. Session begins Sept. 9, 1909. Summer Session June 16, 1909. e Address Registrar. University of N. C., Chapel-Hill.

Hinson, Menton Christzberg, Morven, W. P. McGnee, Mount Zion, S. T. Barber, A. W. Plyler; Mount Zion, S. T. Barber, A. W. Plyler; Land Which Changed Owners Yester Monroe Pineville, and Icemoriee, M T W S Hales, Polkton Messrs, R. C. McManus and Henry tenle Hayman have sold to Messrs E L. T. Cordell, Prospect, G ( Brinkman Wilson and M. Unionville A J Burrus, Wadesboro J H West Waxhaw, C M Campbell Wed dington J H. Bradley, Prin Weidding ton Academy J M Downum, Prin Pied the corner of Post and Mint streets

for \$2,200 The property is a portion of that formerly owned by the Cathmont Ind. School, J. A. Baldwin, Mission ary to Japan S. A. Stewart: student Vanderbilt University, N. S. Ogburn, student Columbia University, F. S. Love erine Rudisill Gold Mining Company. Mr. C. L. Cannon sold yesterday to Ir. J. C. Linder a lot on East Fifth Mr. street, for \$1,100.

«Mrs Ina Melloy has sold to Mr. C. Valaer a lot at the corner of Brevard and Sixteenth streets for \$2,350. Mr. P. M. Brown's Machine, Contain-Mr. Peter Valaer has purchased

ing Three County Commissioners, from Mr J. Arthur Henderson several Runs Into Colored Boy Near Hopeacres of land in Forsyth county for



\$5.00 for the best Stieff Piano advertisement.

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Charlotte Observer and Chroni. cle; Mr. Birch, of The Charlotte News; Mr. Withers, of The Columbia State, and Mr. J. F. Jacobs, of The Religious Syndicate. Clinton, S. C., will act as judges. Contest open until June 1, 1909. Open to every one. Send your ad to

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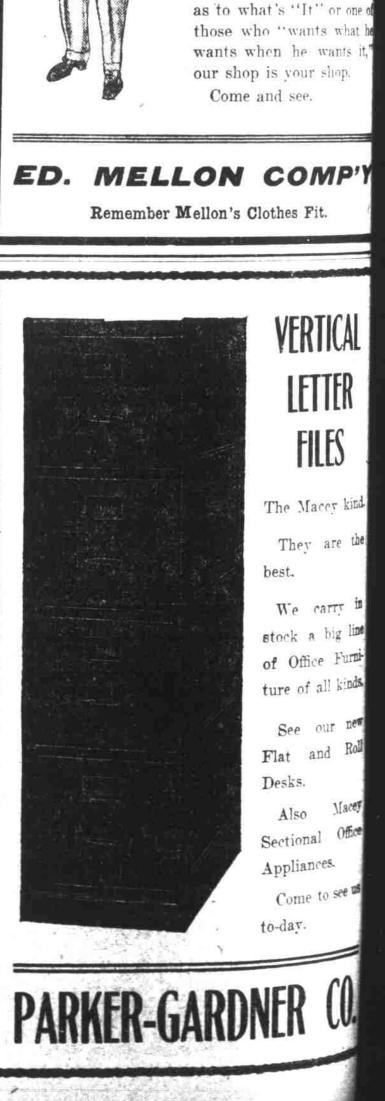
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