

NEWBERN SCHOOLS CLOSE.

Literary Address by Dr. Edwin Mims...

Special to The Observer.

Newbern, June 3.—The commencement exercises of the city graded schools were held Tuesday in the school auditorium.

The literary address by Dr. Edwin Mims was a gem of its kind.

Tuesday night in the high school building the reception to the graduating class was held.

DURHAM SCHOOLS CLOSE.

Forty Seniors Turned Out—Sermon by Rev. Melton Clark...

Special to The Observer.

Durham, June 3.—The closing exercises of the Durham graded schools...

Forty seniors sat under his preaching and Trinity Methodist church was well filled for the occasion.

Henry F. Edwards, Broken by Grief and Illness, Is Dying.

Special to The Observer.

Durham, June 3.—Henry F. Edwards, whose wife figured in the sensational scandal with ex-Policeman A. V. Sorrell...

Durham Merchants to Banquet June 18.

Special to The Observer.

Durham, June 3.—The merchants have named June 18 for their big banquet to the directors of the Erwin Cotton Mills Company...

Woman's Home Missionary Society in Session at Louisville.

Special to The Observer.

Louisburg, June 3.—The eighteenth annual meeting of the Woman's Home Missionary Society is now in session here...

Wadesboro Man Badly Injured by a Freight Train.

Special to The Observer.

Wadesboro, June 3.—Jeese McQuaque, a well-known former policeman, had a narrow escape from instant death this morning.

Burlington's Newest Industry.

Special to The Observer.

Burlington, June 3.—The Elizabeth Hosiery Company is the name of the latest addition to "Industrial Burlington."

TROUBLE MAKERS OUSTED.

When a sufferer from stomach trouble takes Dr. King's New Life Pills he is mighty glad to see his Dyspepsia and Indigestion fly, but more—he's tickled over his new, fine appetite, strong, healthy vigor, all because stomach, liver and kidneys now work right.

SPENCER FIRE-FIGHTERS.

New Officers Elected For the Coming Year—Preparing to Attend the State Tournament.

Special to The Observer.

Spencer, June 3.—The Spencer Fire Department, a volunteer company composed of eighteen employees of the Southern Railway Company...

Chief Burton made a detailed report of the work of the firemen for the past year showing that much progress has been made in the development of the company...

Drops Dead While at Work in Field.

Special to The Observer.

Anderson, S. C., June 3.—News was received yesterday of the death of Mr. Jesse Kay, one of the most prominent and best-to-do farmers of the Honea Path section...

Alamance Loan and Trust Company to Have New Home.

Special to The Observer.

Surging at Anderson, S. C.—The handsome new home for the Alamance Loan and Trust Company at the corner of Main and Davis streets...

Wadesboro's Chief of Police Re-Elected.

Special to The Observer.

Wadesboro, June 3.—The Wadesboro town board at its called meeting yesterday re-elected J. T. Williams as chief of police and H. H. Reister as deputy chief of police...

Colorado's Hungry Coyotes.

Greely, correspondence Denver Republican.

The decrease of song birds on the plains is said to be due to the raids of the increasing bands of coyotes...

Coyotes have been driven in off the plains by hunger this winter in large numbers and have become so bold that they have entered the farm-house yards and gone to the back porches and drunk milk from the pails.

Y. M. C. A. Membership Campaign on.

Special to The Observer.

Anderson, S. C., June 3.—The Young Men's Christian Association of Anderson is fast spreading out, and strong in membership...

THE WEATHER.

Washington, June 3.—Forecast: Virginia, showers Friday; slightly cooler in east portion; Saturday partly cloudy, warmer in the interior; moderate variable winds.

North Carolina, showers Friday; Saturday partly cloudy and slightly warmer; moderate south to southwest winds.

South Carolina, showers Friday; Saturday partly cloudy, moderate south to southwest winds.

West Florida, occasional showers Friday and Saturday; light to moderate south winds.

West Florida, Mississippi, Louisiana, generally fair Friday and Saturday, variable winds.

Alabama, fair Friday and Saturday; slightly warmer Friday in the interior; variable winds.

West Texas, fair Friday and Saturday; Arkansas, fair Friday and Saturday.

Tennessee, showers Friday except generally fair in extreme west portion; Saturday fair, warmer in east portion.

Kentucky, showers Friday; Saturday partly cloudy, warmer in east portion.

West Virginia, showers Friday; Saturday partly cloudy.

LOCAL OFFICE U. S. WEATHER BUREAU. Charlotte, June 3.—Sunrise 5:09 a. m.; sunset 7:33 p. m.

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Norfolk & Southern Receivership to End July 1.

Special to The Observer.

Newbern, June 3.—It is said here under what may be classed as good authority that the receivership of the Norfolk & Southern system will end July 1...

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Newbern Daughters Give Banquet to Veterans. Special to The Observer. Newbern, June 3.—This afternoon at 2 o'clock the Daughters of the Confederacy gave a dinner on Redmen's dock to the Confederate veterans in this county.

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