

NORTH CAROLINA DELEGATION LARGE

Representative People of State Will Present Humane Petition for Federal Prohibition.

THE DELEGATION WILL COMPRISE 1000

Will Appear Before Congress President Wilson Wednesday, Dec. 10.

North Carolina will be actively represented at Washington, December 10, by the most important, dignified and significant demonstrations ever made by the American people. More than 1000 men and women will take the highest walks of life will appear before congress as a human petition for an amendment to the present constitution absolutely and prohibiting all traffic in alcohol.

The representation of North Carolina will include Chas. S. Wallace, Morehead City; W. T. Parker, High Point; C. H. Ireland, Greensboro; A. D. Ivien, Leaksville; Rev. D. H. Tuttle, Henderson; A. W. McAister, Greensboro; Archibald Johnson, Thomasville; W. E. Dowd, Charlotte; J. A. Hartness, Statesville; S. M. Brinson, Newbern; Gov. Locke Craig, Raleigh; Rev. H. M. Morton, Raleigh; N. B. Eroughton, Raleigh; W. T. Bost, Raleigh; Rev. John Jeter Hurt, Durham; J. H. Bridgers, Goldsboro; Rev. J. E. Underwood, Goldsboro; S. K. Fountain, Rocky Mount; C. C. Covington, Wilmington; W. B. Cooper, Wilmington; R. O. Everett, Durham; R. V. Glenn, Winston-Salem; John A. Gates, Fayetteville; W. T. Shaw, Weldon; Rev. T. C. Henderson, Quebec; Rev. S. B. Turrentine, Greensboro; Rev. A. Dixon, High Point; A. D. Ward, Newbern; Dr. W. P. Few, President Trinity College, Durham; J. B. Blades, Newbern; J. T. Bland, Washington; Rev. L. S. Massey, Raleigh; N. L. Eure, Greensboro; R. B. Boyd, Warrenton; R. L. Holt, Burlington; E. W. S. Dameron, Burlington; N. B. Josey, Scotland Neck; W. L. Blanks, Wilson; W. H. Burton, Spencer; Dr. L. S. Blades, Elizabeth City; D. C. Moore, Wilmington; W. M. Cummine, Wilmington; B. F. Hall, Wilmington; R. L. Burns, Carthage; H. A. Page, Aberdeen; O. F. Burton, M. Gillet, H. Clarkson, Cheroke; Rev. J. M. Rhodes, Littleton; Col. J. S. Carr, Durham; A. W. Cook, Greensboro; J. Elwood Cox, High Point; J. A. Seay, Gastonia; Dr. R. H. Jones, Winston-Salem; Rev. H. K. Boyer, Winston-Salem; J. I. Moss, Creedmoor; Rev. E. R. Nelson, Salina; H. F. Brinson, Tunis, and Frank Gurley, High Point.

"THE LAST DAYS OF POMPEII"

Great Photo-Drama Coming to Asheville Soon.

The noisy rumble of this busy workaday world is all forgotten when one views the manifold beauties of George Kleins photo drama production of "The Last Days of Pompeii,"—the spectator again to live in the happy days of that lost city on the shores of the beautiful Bay of Naples. To feel oneself a part and parcel of that chattering throng of pleasure seekers, scoffing at the pen sect of Christians so earnest and severe in their mien,—to revel in the gossip of the happy maidens over the handsome Greek youth Glaucus and his beautiful Athenian sweetheart Ione. One can almost feel that presence of the blind flower girl Nydia, her bosom

torpedoed by her hopeless passion for her master whose love for Ione renders him far more blind than the unhappy slave herself. That same spirit of aversion and wonder comes over us when the wise Egyptian priest Arbaeus passes, rapt in his profoundity and contempt of his surroundings. And when Ione and Glaucus take their trips in their gaily decorated barges upon the Bay, you can almost imagine you hear the ripply of the waters as they splash against the oars—and so through every minute of this awe inspiring drama of life, you follow the thread with an almost personal note, until the dormant Vesuvius rouses from its slumber and vents its potent rage in clouds of smoke and fire, pouring showers of molten stone and lava—forever blotting out the records of ages of man's attainment. And when the final curtain falls upon the picture of the beautiful slave girl Nydia floating peacefully upon the bosom of the sea—the spectator flies out into world again dazed by the maddening sounds and feels as though he was awakened from a dream in which he lived and moved more than seventeen centuries ago. Pictures that can do this with a spectator are no ordinary achievement. Last Days of Pompeii will be the attraction at the Galax Theater, 3 days and nights, beginning Monday, December 15th. Performance from 10:00 A. M. till 10:30 P. M. Admission: adults 25c, children 15c.

Buying Christmas Presents in Homeburg.

In the December American Magazine George Fitch, the Illinois "funny man," writes an amusing piece entitled "Christmas at Homeburg." Following is an extract: "There aren't enough people in Homeburg to make a Christmas jam, but we have our own line of troubles. The question in Homeburg is not how to keep from spending so much money but how to spend what we have. The storekeepers don't pamper us. In fact they are severe with us. If we don't buy what they offer the first year, they store it up and we have to take it the next Christmas. When the Homeburg storekeepers have had a bad season, it's up to us to go back the next year and face the same old line of junk, knowing it will be there until we give in and buy it. There are two Christmas gift edition copies of Trilby still on sale in Homeburg, and Dörfling the drugist has had a ten dollar manure set on sale for ten years now. He won't get another, either. Says he was stung on the first one and he's going to get his money back before he goes in any deeper. It goes down about fifty cents a year in price, and last year Steve Larson almost bought it at four dollars and seventy-five cents—for Selma Snood. We have hopes of him this year—unless he and Selma quarrel or get married, either of which will be fatal."

Three Chinamen are among those studying forestry at the New York State College of Forestry, Syracuse, N. Y.

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