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Democratic Convention.

Pursuant to an order of the Democratic Executive Committee of Alamance county, and also an order of the State Democratic Executive Committee, notice is hereby given that a Democratic Mass Convention of Alamance county, will meet in Graham, N. C., on Saturday, May 23, 1914, at 12 o'clock, noon, in the court house, for the purpose of naming delegates to Judicial, Senatorial, Congressional and State Conventions, and to transact any other business that may come before the convention.

JOHN H. VERNON, Ch'm'n Dem. Ex. Committee, for Alamance county.

Two good newspapers have suspended publication in the past ten days—Webster's Weekly at Reidsville, and the State Journal at Raleigh. Lack of sufficient support is assigned as the reason for suspension.

The settlement of the Mexican trouble is no nearer settled, it seems, than when the mediators first tendered their good offices. To get rid of Huerta, and the way to get rid of him, is the matter at issue, and it is perhaps the biggest obstacle in the way at present. But no sooner will he be disposed of, than others will arise. There are other elements in Mexico engaged in the revolution about as objectionable as Huerta that it will be a serious proposition to humanize. In the meantime America proceeds with war preparations.

Another New Brick Business House.

The old wooden store building on N. Main St. in which Mess. Jas. S. Scott and W. C. Dannel, under the firm name of Scott & Dannel, did business in for many years, is to be torn away to make room for a nice brick store building. The new building will occupy the space covered by the body and wings of the old one and also that occupied by the building now occupied by "Who's Your Tailor" P. S. Dixon. This property has just been purchased by Mess. J. L. Scott, Jr., and H. W. Scott, who will put up the new building. It will contain four nice store rooms and for the present will be only one-story high. The moving of the old store moves another of the old landmarks of the town.

Town Improvement Bonds Accepted.

The \$50,000 town improvement bonds have been accepted by the bidders, they having been satisfied that they were legally and properly issued. The street commission have engaged the services of an engineer and it is expected to begin work about the first of July.

Baseball Team.

An effort is being made to organize a baseball team for Graham. For many years, until the past year or so, Graham had a baseball team that compared favorably with those in other towns. There is plenty of good material here and it is hoped the effort will be successful.

Corn and Tomato Club Movies.

At "The Mexican" here last Monday night a film was put on showing the work of the Corn Club Boys and Tomato Club Girls in this county from the cultivation of the plant to the gathering and putting up of the fruit. These films have been thrown on canvas with similar ones from other States throughout the North and West. A number of persons connected with the club work in this county were easily recognized, among them Miss Margaret Scott, now Assistant Demonstrator of Club Work, who had charge of the Girls' Tomato clubs in the county last year. Miss Scott has had the films shown, besides here, at Burlington and elsewhere in the county this week. These pictures are good and make a fine demonstration of the practical workings of the clubs.

HAPPINESS.

Real happiness is cheap enough, yet how dearly we pay for its counterfeit.—H. Ballou.

One cannot be fully happy until after his sixtieth year.—Bonstetten.

The greatest happiness comes from the greatest activity.—Bovee.

To believe that happiness exists in a feverish ambition rather than in a tender and simple affection is to believe that the immensity of the sea will more readily quench thirst than the pure limpid water of a bubble fountain.—Emilio Castelar.

The rays of happiness, like those of light, are colorless when unbroken.—Longfellow.

To Cure a Cold in One Day. Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Groves' signature is on each box. 25 cents.

UNIVERSITY OF N. C.

Program of 110th Annual Commencement.

SUNDAY, MAY 31.

11.00 a. m.—Baccalaureate Sermon, Rev. Edgar P. Hill Chicago, Ill.

8.00 p. m. Sermon before Young Men's Christian Association.

MONDAY, JUNE 1.

9.30 a. m.—Seniors form in front of Memorial Hall and march to Chapel for prayers.

10.30 a. m.—Senior Class Day Exercises in Gerrard Hall. Orations by members of the graduating class in contest for the Mangum Medal.

5.30 p. m.—Closing Exercises of the Senior Class.

7.30 p. m.—Annual Joint Banquet of the Dialectic and Philanthropic Literary Societies.

9.30 p. m.—Anniversary meeting of the Literary Societies.

TUESDAY, JUNE 2.

10.00 a. m.—Alumni Address, by Judge Augustus Van Wyck, of New York.

Class Reunion Exercises, class of 1894, class of 1899, class of 1903, class of 1908, and 1913, but unavoidable conditions and circumstances prevented the holding of the Institute.

1.30 p. m.—Alumni Luncheon.

4.00 p. m.—Alumni reunion, celebration, athletic field, baseball game, etc.

8.00 p. m.—Annual meeting Board of Trustees in Chemistry Hall.

8.30 p. m.—Annual Debate between representatives of the Dialectic and Philanthropic Literary Societies.

10.00 p. m.—Reception in the Library by the President and Faculty.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 3.

10.45 a. m.—Academic procession forms in front of the Alumni building.

11.00 a. m.—Commencement Exercises in Memorial Hall. Commencement Address, William C. Redfield, Secretary of Commerce. Announcements by the President. Degree conferred. Presentation of Bibles.

A. & M. COLLEGE.

A Quarter Century of Progress.

When the North Carolina College of Agriculture and Mechanic Arts opened its doors in October, 1889, it had one building and sixty-two acres. In 1914 it has twenty-one buildings besides barns, and farm buildings, and the acreage has grown to four hundred and eighty-six.

In the same period the enrollment has grown almost ten fold from seventy-two in 1889 to six hundred and eighty-two in 1914; and the faculty roll has increased from eight to fifty-five. The physical valuation of the College has grown at a rate no less astonishing. In 1889 the College had one building worth \$35,000 and sixty-two acres of land worth approximately \$2,500. The present value of apparatus, furniture and machinery alone (about \$226,000), outvalues about six times the whole initial equipment of the College. With the present value of grounds and buildings added, it will be seen that the State has considered the College a highly desirable investment. The figures in round numbers are as follows: Present value of grounds, \$89,000; buildings, \$587,000; apparatus, furniture and machinery, \$226,000. Total, \$902,000. From \$37,000 to \$902,000 in twenty-five years, even allowing for the natural increment of land value, represents a marvelous story of progress. The State has emphatically and practically indicated that the industrial training of her sons is worth its cost.

When the College was started, heads of industrial establishments and farm managers were shy about employing technical graduates. Now these same classes of business men visit or write to the College seeking its students and the success of the graduates amply justifies the change of attitude. Turn where you will in North Carolina to-day and you will find A. and M. men contributing materially to its industrial leadership. The same is true in other States. The A. and M. man more than holds his own wherever he goes. Some good days he hopes to get them all back into the Old North State.

Sunday School Institute at Trinity College in June.

Arrangements are being made to hold a Sunday School Institute at Trinity College, Durham, N. C., on June 11, 12, and 13, 1914. This Institute is a continuation of a similar work begun in the summer of 1911, and which proved so successful at the time. The purpose of the Institute is to furnish Sunday School workers, of whatever denomination, opportunity to study this phase of church work. Some of the most widely known Sunday School experts of this region have been secured for the work, and the final arrangements will soon be made for it. In accordance with the action of the North Carolina Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, in 1910, a very profitable Institute for training Sunday School workers was held at Trinity College in June.

HAPPY MOTHERHOOD

The happiness of motherhood is too often checked because the mother's strength is not equal to her care, while her unselfish devotion neglects her own health. It is a duty of husband or friend to see that she gets the pure medicinal nourishment in Scott's Emulsion, which is not a drug or stimulant but nature's concentrated oil-food tonic to enrich and enliven the blood, strengthen the nervous and aid the appetite. Physicians everywhere prescribe Scott's Emulsion for overworked, nervous, tired women; it builds up and holds up their strength.

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THE NEW SOUTH

By HENRY W. GRADY

LET me picture to you the footsore Confederate soldier as, buttoning up in his faded gray jacket the parole which was to bear testimony to his children of his fidelity and faith, he turned his gaze southward from Appomattox in April, 1865. What does he find, let me ask you—what does he find when, having followed the battle stained cross against overwhelming odds, dreading death not half so much as surrender, he reaches the home he left so prosperous and beautiful? He finds his house in ruins, his farm devastated, his slaves free, his stock killed, his barns empty, his trade destroyed, his money worthless, his social system, feudal in its magnificence, swept away; his people without law or legal status, his comrades slain and the burden of others heavy on his shoulders. Crushed by defeat, his very traditions are gone; confronted with the gravest problem that ever men human intelligence—the establishing of a status for the vast body of his liberated slaves.

What does he do, this hero in gray with a heart of gold? Does he sit down in sullenness and despair? Not for a day. Surely God, who had stripped him of his property, inspired him in his adversity. As a man was never before so over-whelming, never was restoration swifter. The soldier stepped from the trenches into the furrow, horses that had charged Federal guns marched before the plow, and fields that ran red with human blood in April were green with the harvest in June. The new south is announced in the air. Her soul is stirred with the breath of a new life. The light of a grander day is falling fair on her face. She is thrilling with the consciousness of growing power and prosperity. As she stands erect, full statured and equal among the people of the earth, breathing the keen air and looking out upon the expanded horizon, she understands that her emancipation came because, through the inscrutable wisdom of God, her honest purpose was crossed and her brave armies were beaten.

A War Every Three Years.

Kansas City Star.

In spite of the progress of civilization, man remains a fighting animal. Peace societies begin to think they are making progress toward taming his instincts, and they are confronted by another war. Here is a partial list of the wars of the Northern hemisphere in the last sixty years, exclusive of the minor revolts in Northern South Africa, in Central America, and the West Indies and Africa: Crimean war, 1854-56. Sepoy mutiny, 1857. Italy and France against Austria, 1859. Civil war in America, 1860-65. Mexico invaded by Austria and allies, 1861-67. Prussia and Austria against Denmark, 1864. Seven weeks war, Austro-Prussian, 1866. Franco-Prussian, 1870. Russo-Turkish, 1877-78. Servo-Bulgarian, 1885. Japanese-Chinese, 1894-95. Greco-Spanish, 1897. Filipino-American, 1898. China against the allies, 1900. Boer war, 1900-1902. Russo-Japanese, 1904. Balkan States against Turkey, 1912. Balkan States against Bulgaria, 1913. Mexican war, 1914.

This, as has been said is only a partial list. England has had several small wars, including the important conquest of the Sudan, which are not included, and there have been numerous minor disturbances of one sort or another. But the list includes twenty fair sized wars, or on every three years. There has been no falling off in recent years. Take the last two decades, for instance, and there have been ten wars, or one every two years.

Perhaps there is some encouraging lesson for the peace societies to be drawn from this fairly bloody record. Perhaps it means that wars are vanishing from the earth. But it would take a pretty incorrigible optimist to read this prediction in the history of the last half century. Apparently the world isn't going to be able to get on for some time to come without fighting.

Returns of Births and Deaths Exceed Expectations.

"North Carolina will soon be the best registration State South of the Ohio river," said the chief clerk in the vital statistics department of the State Board of Health this morning. "Why, do you know," he continued, "last month we received over 7,100 birth and death certificates, which means a total of over 85,200 for the year. This, he went on to say is at least 90 per cent. of all the births and deaths that are occurring in the State, and from the way the doctors, undertakers, midwives, and the public generally, are taking hold of the new law it seems that North Carolina means business. The people of North Carolina appreciate that vital statistics are by all odds the most important statistics that a State or Nation can compile.

"Of what real use are such records?" he was asked. "Birth certificates will save thousands of legal complications and other difficulties," he replied. "They will prove legitimacy, lawful age to attend school, to work in factories, to marry, to vote, to hold office, to pay taxes, to enter into contracts, to obtain life insurance, establish inheritance claims, trace lineage, and so on. Death certificates will furnish proof for insurance claims, show cause of death, prevent crimes, and, best of all, they will show the value of health work. Where such work is needed, will show healthy sections, and unhealthy sections of the State, and encourage public health work everywhere. Such statistics will help us solve the negro problem, and many questions of medicine, sociology, etc., and the longer such records are kept the more valuable they become.

On the Banks of the Wabash.

By Paul Dresser. 'Round my Indiana homestead wave the cornfields. In the distance loom the woodlands clear and cool. Oftentimes my thoughts revert to scenes of childhood. Where I first received my lessons—nature's school. But one thing there is missing in the picture, Without her face it seems so incomplete. I long to see my mother in the doorway, As she stood there years ago, her boy to greet.

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