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WORDS FROM GREAT MEN

It has been said "If half the evidence presented against N. C. Cranford, the Albemarle road boss, is true, he should be hung." There is something in it. We know he had a bad crowd to deal with, but we can't understand how any one could be so cruel.

Some steps should be taken to remove the old storage house on the corner of Perry street and Kenmore avenue. It's a menace to public safety. Blocking the streets is wise, but we see no need to keep the streets blocked unnecessarily long. The house could have been torn down a week or more ago.

Judge Meekins has appointed W. G. Bramham, of Durham, receiver for the Eastern North Carolina Warehousing Corporation, a subsidiary of the Tobacco Cooperative Association. Lets hope the business of these two organizations may be settled up in such a way as to preserve confidence of the public in the institutions.

It has been suggested that the town authorities enforce the law against driving cars or trucks in town with the cut out open. This is a good suggestion. There are so many cars now with defective mufflers and that operate with cut outs open that it is very annoying when they pass the streets. In fact all conversation has to cease until they pass. There is a State law against driving an automobile or truck through town with the cut outs open and we think, also a town ordinance against same. We hope the officials will give the public some relief from the unnecessary racket.

Quite a big lot of complaint is being heard of the local telephone service. Telephones are allowed to remain out of commission for weeks at a time and ordinary communication is very unsatisfactory. Something should be done to remedy these conditions. Regardless of the loss of service the company insists on collections for full time. Therefore the patrons should be just as zealous of obtaining one hundred per cent service. It is to be hoped that the service may be improved, else the city commissioners and business men should take some action.

THE DAY THAT WAS A PERFECT FLOP

By A. B. CHAPIN



WHEN STUBBY WOOD'S CITY COUSIN TRIED TO MAKE A HIT WITH A FANCY BATHING COSTUME ON THE OLD SWIMMIN' HOLE GANG.

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met the party was Miss Downing, Secretary of the Chamber of Commerce of Fredericksburg. The party visited the Glendon Guernsey Farm of Judge R. H. L. Chichester, and proceeded to the fair grounds at Fredericksburg where they camped for the night.

Saturday morning before leaving Fredericksburg the party visited the home of Mary Washington, the monument of Mary Washington, the lodge wherein George Washington, was made a Mason, saw the court house one of whose columns has two shell holes as a mark of battle and other places of interest. Several of the party spent the night in a hotel built upon the spot that was at one time owned by John Maury, author of Maury's Physical Geography.

From here the party passed on to Richmond where they were met by a committee of Kiwanians and shown through Kingham's packing plant, conducted down Monument avenue where they saw the monuments of Jeff Davis, Lee, Jackson, Stuart and others rode around the capital and about over the city to the beautiful park beside the reservoir where a rest was had, lunch served by the county agent and the picture of the crowd made. Leaving Richmond the party proceeded on to their homes without stopping arriving about sundown, bringing to an end a most enjoyable and profitable trip to all.

It was most interesting in passing through the valley to see the many wheat fields, some several hundred acres in size, filled with shocks of the golden grain so thick that only comfortable room for a two-horse wagon to pass was left. Usually four to six large heavy horses were hitched to each wagon loaded with grain or hay. Many instances of hreshing was in evidence and the harvesting of hay was in process. Different from us they cut the hay and house it the same day, not waiting for it to cure. The corn looked as if it had been

sown in about three foot rows and was in the finest kind of growing condition. Timothy hay was in abundance and blue grass grows wild. The farmers practice diversification of crops, planting wheat and timothy in drill at the same time and following with clover or corn or both.

Many of the homes were real pictures. Well located, the houses splendidly spaced and beautifully painted, with good fences either wire or board, and when of the latter they were painted. Large orchards of apples with the trees full of fruit, but only in one or two instances were peaches observed. Chicken farming was one of the important industries. Practically every farm had a nice drove of fine chickens, but many conducted large poultry yards with thousands of birds, producing eggs and chicks in great quantities. The stock horses, cows and hogs were all in tip top shape and everything was evidence of prosperity and profit. It was in this valley that the homes of several retired farmers were pointed out. The natural scenery of the Blue Ridge, the Shenandoah and the Alleghany mountains and the caverns and streams added much to the interest of the party and contributed its portion of the value and pleasantness of the trip.

Most striking was the enthusiasm and pleasure displayed by all whom we met, especially of the county agents and the committees in what they had to show us and the courtesies extended. There was nothing too good to be given us by them and their hospitality was true Southern and generously extended all of which was more than appreciated by every member of the party. The success of the trip was largely due to the willing and enthusiastic efforts of the farm agents of each county through which we passed. They were on the spot to meet us as we reached each county line and gave to us their undivided time in showing us through their bounty, all the places of interests and

remaining with us until we were met by the next agent. The Kiwanis Clubs, Chambers of Commerce, and other business organizations combined to make our visit through their cities most pleasant and profitable.

Too much cannot be said in praise of the generous and unselfish efforts of county agent A. H. Harris and Dr. A. H. Fleming, who are responsible for the trip and the entertainment provided all along the line. Mr. Harris secured the cooperation of the county agents in all the county's thru two-thirds of the party, while Dr. Fleming secured the cooperation of the Kiwanis Clubs and Business Men's organizations. All of these arrangements were made in advance with great outlay of time and effort on their part. And in addition they remained with the party all the while and gave personally their time to see that each member of the party received amon and accommodations. The entire party expressed the deepest gratitude and appreciations for the splendid and unexcelled service of County Agent Harris and Dr. Fleming on this trip. Much credit is also due Mr. Sam Nash and his assistants for the splendid cooking done by them for the physical welfare of the party.

The entire party were very appreciative to Hon. Frank Hampton, Secretary to Senator Simons, and Mr. T. W. Harvey for the interest they took in making our stay in Washington City both pleasant and profitable and also to the officials of all the counties and cities through which we passed for the many courtesies extended the party. It was these attentions that added much to the pleasantness of the trip and they will be long and pleasantly remembered.

And the drivers must not be overlooked as the careful and undivided attention to duty given by them added much to the comfort and pleasure of the trip. To show their appreciations of the splendid service of the drivers each bus made a donation to its driver. E. E. Stevens, of bus No. 1 received \$8.80; R. D. Baker, of bus No. 2, received \$10.00; B. B. Bunn, of bus No. 3 received \$5.11.

It will be interesting to know that a check up on the expense of the trip to the individual revealed a minimum cost of \$19.10 and a maximum cost of \$34.00. This included everything, tips, admissions, eating, sleeping and all.

Among those making up the party were the following:

Franklin County
Hugh Harris, county agent; D. N. Nelms, Z. L. Cheaves, S. B. Nash, A. H. Harris, R. L. Conyers, J. O. Purnell, M. D. Wilder, F. G. Banks, Wood Eaton, W. A. Dickens, J. E. Nelms, Joseph T. Inscow, J. H. Joyner, A. B. Alston, J. L. Dorsey, W. R. Dean, H. J. House, T. H. Dickens, C. H. Moore, J. H. Medlin, J. L. Bowden, Jr., R. H. Jones, J. H. Goodson, Arthur Strickland, C. T. Hudson, S. C. Foster, Nick Perry.

W. D. Bowden, H. H. Hobgood, Marvin Smith, J. D. Newman, John Wilson, H. F. Mitchell, W. H. Tharrington, F. E. Boyd, A. F. Johnson, A. H. Fleming, C. R. Bohannon, W. F. Mitchner, W. G. Ball, A. W. Wilson, William Person, W. E. Roe, W. S. Goswick, W. A. Mullen, William Joyner, H. L. Strickland and J. H. Goodson.

Wake County
J. C. Anthony, county agent; J. E. Gill, R. C. Gary, E. G. Watkins, H. Stewart, P. H. Gill, S. P. Brummitt, H. E. Hicks, W. H. Greenway, J. G. Pickett, E. S. Glover, W. H. Crews, W. T. Barnes, W. W. Grisson, R. L. Kitzell, J. P. Rowland, E. L. Fuller, C. E. Fuller, E. O. Young, H. L. Wright, John H. Bullock, George T. Ayscus, J. E. Kimball and G. B. Harris.

John C. Anderson, county agent; H. P. Green, T. E. Holding, W. I. Holding, W. M. Fuller, F. N. Shearon.

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June 30, 1926

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Summary table showing TOTAL resources and liabilities, and DEPOSITS for June 30, 1925 and 1926.

Total Deposits June 30, 1925 \$1,820,691.19
Total Deposits June 30, 1926 \$2,121,922.35
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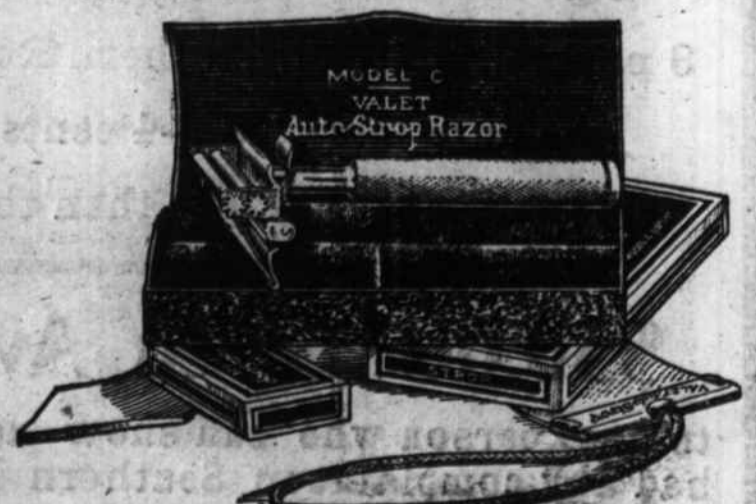
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