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The eleventh baker has been sent to the Ohio penitentiary. They might form a "penitentiary clearing house."

The American Protective Tariff League suggests an appeal to the courts to compel the United States to pay Dingley tariff rates on any Panama Canal supplies bought in foreign countries.

Some of the best citizens, of Texas and Missouri, announce that they propose to stop the habit of "toting" pistols in those states, even if they have to shoot the life out of men addicted to the vice.

Constitutional adviser Rufus T. Covel Lyon, of Texas, is talking in his tent since President Roosevelt declared in a public speech that Sam Houston was the greatest man Texas ever produced.

If President Cleveland should accept the presidency of the Equitable Life Assurance Society it would at least insure a pleasing absence of "innocuous desuetude" on the part of certain "dummy directors."

When the Senate consents to pay \$250 of the people's money for an inkstand destined to become a souvenir for the Vice President, it is time to return to the simplicity and economy of the Jeffersonian era.

The Kansas City, (Mo.) Journal points to a fact that is worth making note of in connection with Rider Haggard's admission of "back to the soil." The fact referred to is that while farmers compose 50 per cent. of our population, they commit only 2 per cent. of our crimes.

BARON ALPHONSE DE ROTHSCHILD, head of the French branch of the banking house bearing the name of Rothschild and governor of the Bank of France, died Friday morning from acute bronchitis aggravated by gout. The eminent financier had been sinking slowly for many days, but there was no apprehension that his death was imminent. He passed away peacefully, surrounded by his family. The announcement of the Baron's death caused widespread regret for besides his position in the financial world Baron Alphonse was known for his lavish charities, one of the latest being the gift of \$2,000,000 for the erection of workmen's homes.

State Callings.
AS GATHERED FROM OUR STATE EXCHANGES.

Warren Plains is to have a cotton seed oil mill.

The State Superintendent reports a steady increase in the number of rural school libraries.

Eighty-eight new doctors were licensed at Greensboro last week. All they need now is practice and patients.

The state charters the Greensboro Life Insurance Company capital stock \$100,000, J. W. Fry and others stockholders.

The Supreme court in opinions handed down holds that the anti-bucket shop act passed by the last legislature is unconstitutional.

Dr. R. H. Lewis, of Raleigh, secretary of the State board of health, has been elected president of the national board of health.

A grass green calla lily was found on the hillside of Jacob's Fork river near Hickory by Miss Kittie Yoder, says the Charlotte Observer.

A 10-year old son of Lewis T. Adams, who lives near Pilot Mountain, was bitten by a snake a few days ago and died four hours later.

Postmaster Bailey says there are now 950 free rural routes in North Carolina, 125 having been added to the number within the present year.

Governor Glenn authorizes the acceptance of companies of infantry at High Point and Lenoir subject to inspection by Inspector General Bain.

The Asheboro town commissioners have called an election June 30th, to vote on the issue of bonds in the sum of \$10,000 for the purpose of building a graded school building in the town.

Will Douglas, colored barber of Gastonia, was a dope fiend. Last week, in addition to his usual supply of various concoctions, he drank quantities of hay rum, and that was the last of him.

A number of Trinity college men have organized a Trinity College Alumni Association in New York. Dr. Geo. B. Pegrum '95, was elected president; W. H. Adams '99, Secretary, and B. E. Dixon, Jr., '03, Treasurer.

A horse bitten by a mad dog developed hydrophobia, at Kernersville, and broke down his stable and the fence and went on a rampage. He ran into a house occupied by negroes and scared them nearly to death. He was shot.

The First Baptist church of Raleigh is to be enlarged and improved. The capacity is to be increased from 600 to 1100. \$18,000 will be expended upon it, and when it is finished it will be one of the largest and handsomest churches in the state.

Bears must be plentiful in Martin county. They have been destroying so many hogs in one neighborhood of late that the farmers gathered for a hunt one day last week. They succeeded in killing two, one of them weighing two hundred and sixty-five pounds.

LITTLETON FEMALE COLLEGE.
TWENTY-NINE DIPLOMAS AND CERTIFICATES ISSUED TO THE GRADUATING CLASS.

The commencement exercises of Littleton Female College began Tuesday evening of last week with a fine sermon by Rev. J. H. Shore, before the Y. W. C. A. of the institution.

On Wednesday morning Bishop Casdler preached the Baccalaureate sermon before a large audience from Phil. 2:5-11 which made a profound impression. He is a very brilliant and versatile man and easily held the attention of his audience throughout the entire discourse.

The Class Day Exercises Wednesday evening were witnessed by an enthusiastic audience of admiring friends and were of a very high order.

The young ladies taking part were Misses Betts, Holick, Breedlove, Bryan, Buffalo, Cordie, Evans, Foy, Harmon, Lee, Myrick, Bettie and Helen Perkins Rose, Spirey, Spruill, Stallings and Stanford.

Graduating Day.—The climax of interest was reached on Thursday morning when, before a very large audience of cultured people, 29 diplomas and certificates were issued to the young ladies completing the various courses of study. Miss Belle Evans, president of the class, Miss Emma Myrick, the valedictorian, and Miss Nora Foy, who had the salutatory, read essays. Then followed a polished and timely 15 minutes address by Col. W. H. S. Burgwyn, President First National Bank of Weldon, who presented the diplomas, after which the Bibles were presented by Rev. Dr. Swindell and the badges by President Rhodes, who immediately after this introduced Hon. T. W. Mason, the polished orator and distinguished speaker who had been chosen to deliver the Literary Address. Expectation was very high for the great audience disappointed. It was a magnificent oration well prepared, clothed in ornate language and splendidly delivered. His subject was "The Earnest Worker," which he said was suggested and the entire address inspired by the marvellous achievements of the institution which he had watched with great interest as he had passed the campus on the train and which he had seen "rise up from the ground."

The Annual Concert on Thursday evening in the elegant Chapel packed as long as there was standing room, notwithstanding a general admission fee of 50 cents, closed the exercises of a very delightful commencement and marked the end of the most successful year in the history of this flourishing school, which now has a patronage of 250 pupils and which is equipped with all the modern conveniences of the best schools of its kind for young ladies.

NOTICE.
Notice is hereby given that for an election to be held in the Weldon School District on Monday, July 17th, 1905, there will be a new registration of the qualified electors of that portion of the school district lying outside of the Corporate limits of the town of Weldon, the same to commence on the 10th day of June, 1905; there will be no new registration for that part of said school district within the town of Weldon, the election to be held under existing registration for municipal elections; for the town of Weldon the registration books will open from June 20th for the registration of those electors who are qualified to vote until the second Saturday before the said election.

For the outside Ward, W. L. Scott is appointed Registrar, and the registration books will be open at the office of the Weldon Lumber Company. For the town of Weldon, M. L. Mabry has been appointed Registrar, and the registration books will be open at the office of the Weldon Lumber Company.

Those electors who reside within the following described boundaries, within which is located the school district, are entitled to vote in said election, said boundaries being as follows:

Commencing at a point where the western line of the land of G. W. Fulgham intersects the southern boundary of the canal of the Southern Navigation and Water Power Company, thence along the line of said land of G. W. Fulgham to the line of the land of the West Weldon Land and Improvement Company, thence along the western boundary of the Western Piece of said land and Improvement Company to the public road leading from Tighman's Cross Roads to the town of Weldon, thence along the said public road towards Weldon to a point where said public road crosses the Seaboard Air Line Railway, thence along the line of said Seaboard Air Line Railway to Chockyotte creek, thence up Chockyotte creek to the southern line of the Glenview tract of land owned by the heirs of R. W. Daniel, deceased, thence along said line until the railroad of the Atlantic Coast Line Company is reached, thence a straight line to the public road leading from Weldon to Halifax, thence down said public road to a point where the Halifax road forks and goes to the H. J. Pope place, thence along the road to the Pope place until the line of the Bell place owned by M. W. Ransom is reached, thence along said line to Long's Bayou, thence down said Bayou to Roanoke river, thence up Roanoke river to a point thereon opposite the first station, Fulgham's line, thence a straight line from said point to the beginning.

This the 15th day of May, 1905.
T. T. GOODE, Mayor.
W. T. SHAW, Clerk Protem.

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SALE FOR TAXES.
I will sell to the highest bidder for cash at the court-house door in the town of Halifax, Monday, June 5th, 1905, the following described real estate in Halifax township, for state, county and town taxes, TAX AND COSTS:
Bart Gatling, 1 town lot, 4.09
J. H. Arrington, 400 acres, 9.85
Milan Brown, 1 lot, 6.10
Augustus Cheek, 1 lot, 7.15
Peter Epps, 1 lot, 2.15

R. H. DANIEL, Tax Collector Halifax Township.

NOTICE.
State of North Carolina, In the Superior County of Halifax, } In the Superior Court before the clerk.
Nella Gertrude Drew and Minnie Etta Drew and William Percy Drew, appearing by their guardian Lucy T. Drew and by their next friend Sam A. Dunn.
By virtue of an order made by Sterling M. Gary, Clerk of the Superior Court for Halifax county at the court house in Halifax, on the 1st day of May, 1905, and approved by his Honor Judge R. B. Peebles at Jackson in said state on the 3rd day of May, 1905, in that Special Proceeding entitled as above, I shall sell for cash in the town of Scotland Neck on the 9th day of June at 12 o'clock, the interest of the above named wards, subject to the dower right of Mrs. Lucy T. Drew therein, and to the following described tract of real estate, lying, being, and situate in the county of Halifax and state of North Carolina, to wit:
That tract of land which was conveyed to William Drew by Benjamin Drew and wife by deed of record in the office of the register of deeds for said county, in book 74 B, at page 71, and beginning at a persimmon tree on the Painsyrs and Tarboro road, thence S 89° W 50 poles to two elms, thence N 82° E 23 poles, thence S 8° W 17 poles to a sweet gum, thence S 8° W 52 poles to a black gum, thence S 21° W 39 poles to a pine stump, thence E 83 poles to a pine, thence N 21° W to a division line established between William and Benjamin Drew, thence along said line to the said road, thence along the said road to the beginning, and being a part of the Benjamin Drew tract, and containing 132 acres, less 25 acres sold to one N. B. Joney during the life of the said W. H. Joney. This the 12th day of May, 1905.
ALBION DUNN, Commissioner.
W. A. & Albion Dunn, Attorneys.

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