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WITH Sullivan trading Bryan votes for Stevenson votes in Illinois, and with Murphy trading Bryan votes for Chanler votes in New York, the vociferation of a "united democracy" sounds somewhat hollow.

PERHAPS the president-elect might save himself a lot of worry if he would let the newspapers choose his cabinet for him. They are evidently willing to do it, but the trouble is that no two lists of appointees exactly agree.

To grow old gracefully, to find the heart becoming more mellow with the passing years, is some thing everyone should seek after. Such a life's evening is like a lovely sunset whose parting rays and glorious tints flood the earth with beauty.

PRESIDENT DIAZ, of Mexico, who has the habit of practically reflecting himself to the great satisfaction of his people, must regard with mingled wonder and pity the strenuous times presidential candidates in this country have to undergo.

THE man who gives liberally reaps bountifully. This may not always be true of money, but it is of kind words and deeds. They multiply in the giving and besides brightening and helping the lives of others they cause a thousand benedictions to descend upon the head of the giver.

THE Washington Herald says: "In last week's issue of The Commonwealth, under the heading, 'Mr. Bryan's favorite hymn,' appears a poem called, 'I'll go where you want me to go, dear Lord.' We suspect the Nebraska is convinced, however, that the White House isn't one of the places."

Ambitious young men and ladies should learn telegraphy, for, since the 8-hour law became effective there is a shortage of many thousand telegraphers. Positions pay from \$50 to \$70 a month to beginners. The National Telegraph Institute of Columbia, S. C., and five other cities is operated under supervision of R. R. officials and all students are placed when qualified. Write them for particulars.

THE killing of former Senator E. W. Carmack, of Tennessee, in a street duel in Nashville is the saddest tragedy the South has known since the killing of Editor Gonzales, of the Columbia State, by Jim Tillman. It is a public misfortune and a public sorrow. But they were editors of convictions, they were fearless in the discharge of duty as they saw it, and editors of that stripe are bound to make enemies.

ALL the world is wondering what Holland will do with Castro, who has ignored the ultimatum sent him. He seems to be having a little respite at present, but when the Dutch do move he will probably find that they do things thoroughly. Not unlikely it may prove another instance of the mill of God grinding slow but grinding exceedingly small.

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THOUGH the South fought for State rights and was defeated on the field of battle, yet that principle survives and is strengthened every time the question comes before the Supreme Court of the country. This court in deciding the case of Berea College against the State of Kentucky favorably to the State, held that the States of the Union may constitutionally legislate to prevent the coeducation of the white and black race. The case was instituted to test the validity of the State law, prohibiting white and black children from attending the same schools. The higher State court took the position that the white and black races are naturally antagonistic, and that the enforced separation of the children of the two is in the line of the preservation of the peace.

UNDER NEW MANAGEMENT.

The Scotland Neck Commonwealth now comes to us under new management, with Mr. V. C. Moore, late assistant business manager of the News and Observer, as editor and manager, Mr. Moore comes to Halifax county highly recommended as a young man of sterling worth and highly capable of editing such a splendid county paper as The Commonwealth. While deeply regretting the retirement of Mr. Hilliard from its management, we take this occasion to welcome Mr. Moore to Halifax county, sincerely trusting that the paper under his control may merit a continuance of the confidence and support of its many friends.

MR. E. E. HILLIARD

We regret very much to learn that Mr. E. E. Hilliard, for many years the able, energetic and conscientious editor and owner of the Scotland Neck Commonwealth, has retired from the editorial management of that paper.

In severing his connection with The Commonwealth Mr. Hilliard said:

"On the 23rd of December, 1887, I assumed editorial control of the paper, and from that day until the present it has been my one care and purpose to give to its readers the best paper that its environment would permit. As a result of a long and serious illness just one year ago, together with what physicians and oculists call overwork from long and continued service, my eyesight has so failed that I can no longer do the work of an editor. For 21 years the very heart-throbs of my life have gone into the columns of this paper, and its readers will pardon me for saying the personal words that it is with indescribable regret that I have to lay down this work and retire from a service which has been the chief delight of the strongest years of my life. In spirit I now shake hands with the thousands who have read these columns and whom I fondly call my friends, and surrender the trust to another."

A SURGICAL OPERATION



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HALIFAX COUNTY TEACHERS.

Meeting Held at Halifax Friday—Teachers' Association and Woman's Betterment Association Organized—Superintendent Latham Elected President.

Friday was a great day for education in Halifax. The Scotland Neck correspondent of the News and Observer in reporting the meeting says:

"At the instance of the district vice-president of the Woman's Betterment Association, Miss Eleanor Smith, of Scotland Neck, the County Superintendent of Schools, Dr. A. S. Harrison, called all the teachers of the county together in a meeting at Halifax for the purpose of organizing a Woman's Betterment Association. Nearly every teacher in the county responded to the call. There were more than fifty teachers present and quite a number of men and women who came out because of their interest in the school work."

Dr. Harrison, the most efficient and capable county superintendent, called the meeting to order and gave all a hearty welcome. He complimented the teachers upon the excellence of their work and said he had long wanted to organize an association, but had hesitated for the reason that the county was so large and so many difficulties were in the way. He said that through the Betterment Association the teachers would learn how to secure the cooperation of their respective communities, how to get rid of the dingy, dirty and ill-equipped school houses and succeed in their effort to uplift the community.

He said that he was glad to have present Mrs. W. R. Hollowell, the president and leader of the Woman's Betterment Association of the State, and Mrs. Hollowell then addressed the meeting.

She is an accomplished and attractive speaker and her address was listened to with marked interest by ladies of the association. She stated that the Betterment movement was born at the State Normal College at the instance of the late and much beloved Dr. McVey. She spoke of the great work the organization had accomplished, and recited incidents that brought vivid illustrations to her points. She asked how many men teachers were in the rural districts of this county. Only one was the response. Then it is the women that hold the destiny of Halifax county in their hands, said she, because children get their inspiration from their teachers. "You must also get the children interested," said she.

Her address was greatly enjoyed by the teachers as well as being most instructive. The teachers were inspired to greater and nobler efforts, and the meeting will bring forth good fruit.

At this juncture the organization of the association was gone into. A committee of three, composed of Prof. C. W. Wilson, Miss Minnie Dunn and Miss Theresa Dickens were appointed to recommend the officers of the association. They reported the following, who were unanimously elected: President, Miss Mary Wills, vice-president, Mrs. Ida Wilkins; secretary and treasurer, Miss Bessie Hancock. The following were named as an executive committee: The Officers, Mrs. C. F. White, Mrs. T. W. Fenner, Miss Minnie Dunn, Miss Nettie Gilliam.

While the committee were deliberating, Superintendent Wilson, of the Scotland Neck graded school, Superintendent Latham, of the Weldon graded schools, Superintendent Akers of Roanoke Rapids graded schools, and Superintendent Albright, of Aurelian Springs, were called upon and made appropriate remarks.

Miss Smith, the district district secretary, also spoke.

In the afternoon a County Teachers' Association was organized and the following officers were elected: President, R. H. Latham; vice-president, W. H. Albright; secretary and treasurer, Miss Minnie Dunn.

It was decided to hold the first meeting of the association at Weldon, the time to be set by the committee.

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