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VIEWS AND REVIEWS.

Since 1865 the Shipwrecked Mariners Society of Germany has saved 1,108 lives.

Adelina Patti has snubbed the modistes of Paris by orders for operatic toilettes at Vienna.

The Shah has ordered from Vienna a band master and instruments for thirty-six musicians.

The Buddhist priesthood find the spread of European science in Japan very prejudicial to their influence and interests.

The Richmond colored preacher who holds that "the sun do move," is making a model to illustrate his theory of astronomy.

"Look out for the paint!" shouted a boy in the gallery of a Chicago theatre, when the hero of the play kissed the heroine.

Tufts College students asked for fire escapes, and the Faculty gave them a rule against smoking on the college grounds.

A German jurist warns his countrymen that unless Socialism be quashed a revolution in 1889 will throw that of 1789 far into the shade.

Gen. Sherman sat in a box in a Chicago theatre during a burlesque performance. He applauded the singing of an actress in tights, whereupon she threw him a kiss. He seemed to resent her impudence.

The attempt on the King's life serves as an opportunity to hit out at the Spanish liberal papers, four of which, including the Imparcial, which has the largest circulation in the country, have been suspended.

A father and his son were simultaneously married to a mother and her daughter, in Maysville, Ind. The younger couple had been courting for a long time, but the parents, 81 and 80, went into wedlock on a sudden impulse.

The President of the Berlin police, on the strength of the anti-Socialist bill, has dissolved four Socialist societies in that city, and prohibited thirty-four Socialist books and pamphlets, published at Berlin, Berne, Zurich, Brusse's, Pesth, and Chicago.

A desire to lynch has been expressed in another New England town. A mob in Griswold, Conn., seized Tom Dowley, who had assaulted a woman, put a rope around his neck, and no doubt would have hanged him if officers had not interfered.

At the Salford Sessions, in England, the other day, great amusement was caused by a medical certificate, produced for an absent juryman, stating he was suffering from nervous debility, arising from alcoholic excess. The Chairman said because a man chose to get drunk was no excuse, and he must be fined £5.

The Right Hon. William E. Forster, speaking at Bradford, England, a few days ago, maintained that a reorganization of the business of the House of Commons was necessary, as it was outgrowing the possibilities of dealing with it. The Irish Home Rulers find in this a strong argument for repeal.

The Russian Invalid puts the number of troops engaged in actual fighting during the last war 282,000 infantry, 37,000 cavalry, or 393,000 men, with 1,288 field guns. The artillery used 204,923 charges, and the infantry and cavalry 10,067,764 cartridges. The Turks are reported to have lost altogether nearly 150,000 killed and wounded.

The reason for General Todleben's threatening movement on the Varna-Bourgas road in Bulgaria and Roumelia is now apparent. The Turks were holding on to Varna against treaty stipulations, and the Russians were maneuvering to compel acquiescence. They were successful apparently, as Varna is to be definitely surrendered at once.

The dignified columns of the Court News were recently humiliated by a typographical error that showed that even royalty itself is not exempt from vexations of this kind. The paper was made to say: "The Queen drove two cows yesterday to visit the King and Queen of Denmark at Lisburne House." For "two cows" read "through Cows" and the statement will become less remarkable.

The Russian Government is making preparations for trying 340 Nihilists who are now confined in prison at Odessa. Many of them have been in prison since 1876, and of these six will be tried separately for attempting to murder one of their associates whom they suspected of being in the pay of the police. During the course of the examination the garrison will be increased and the police supplied with revolvers.

JOTURNER AGAIN.

Says the Durham Plant: "It is now said that Josiah Turner is to be the Radical candidate for Governor in 1880. He no doubt hopes with a solid Radical vote and a considerable sprinkling of Democrats to carry off the gubernatorial prize. Are Democrats prepared to longer encourage this wolf in sheep's clothing? He is in full accord with the Radical party, and his own acts prove it."

It doesn't look to us very much as though the Democrats of your district, friend Plant, were ready to endorse Jo. for anything outside of a Radical caucus. Rest assured that we have no use for him down this way. There are none so poor in the Third district as to do him any kind of reverence, even if a great many of them couldn't leave their "craps" to vote for Waddell. They'll do it, though, the next time they have a chance.

THE RESULT.

The general result of the elections held on Tuesday are satisfactory, although they might be better. The Democrats will control both branches of the next Congress and the only hamper to beneficial legislation will be the veto which will rest in the hands of the fraudulent President. As regards the result by states it seems certain that there will be a tie, 19 Democratic States and 19 Republicans, a condition of affairs which does not look well for the peace of the country should the election for President be thrown into the House in 1880.

In North Carolina, if the returns for other portions of the State may be relied on, we have done well, the only regret being the loss of Col. Waddell's election.

This election, as we said yesterday, has gone by default. There was too much confidence on the part of our Democratic friends throughout the District; there were too many who thought that Col. Waddell would need that one particular vote and so these ones counted up into thousands, and the result is that the man who is undoubtedly the choice of three-fifths of the people in this District loses his election. It is too late now for regrets, but it is neither too late nor too early to take to heart the lesson thus inculcated. It may do us good in the future but it is a terribly bitter pill to swallow just now.

Out of 130 grand prizes, 2,470 gold medals, 6,400 silver medals, 10,000 bronze medals, and 10,000 honorable mentions awarded at the Paris Exposition, England takes 20 grand prizes, 231 gold, 341 silver, 459 bronze medals, and 340 honorable mentions; while her colonies carry off three grand prizes, 59 gold, 189 silver, 286 bronze medals, and 318 honorable mentions. England also takes 21 and her colonies 13 diplomas of honor. The United States carry off grand prizes, 10; diplomas of honor, 30; gold medals, 135; silver medals, 200; bronze medals, 220 and honorable mentions, 156.

The Count of Bismarck Bohlen, cousin of Prince Bismarck, committed suicide lately in Venice. He seemed determined that his work should be thorough, as ten razor cuts were found upon his limbs, two upon his arms, and two upon his throat. Covered with blood, and leaving a trail of it upon the floor, he dragged himself to his bed, and, after lying down, shot himself in the head. His age was forty-six. A disease with which he was afflicted caused him great suffering and it is thought that he killed himself in a frenzy of pain.

PEOPLE AND THINGS.

A reporter of a California free fight says: "Colonel—was shot once in the left side, once in the right shoulder, and once in the drinking saloon adjacent."

"The strongest propensity in a woman's nature," says a careful student of the sex, "is to want to know what is going on, and the next thing is to boss the job."

Professor Edison is at present engaged inventing something wherewith to obviate the necessity of getting up at 2 o'clock in the morning to rock the baby.—Buffalo Express.

If Mr. Edison desires to give the people of Pennsylvania something which will be utilized immediately, let him trot out an instrument for stretching election tickets.—Oil City Derrick.

A wealthy, but illiterate man, who was advised by his architect to build his suburban residence in the Tudor style, replied: "One door will do for me. My family is small, and there'll be less to lock up."—Cincinnati Commercial.

A patent-medicine man posted handbills in every available spot in the village the other morning, and before night fifteen goats had enough medical information in them to run an eclectic college.—Turner's Fall Reporter.

"What can you say of the second law of thought?" Student: "It cannot both be and not be. For example, the door over there must be either shut or open; it cannot be both shut and open." Tutor: "Give another illustration." Student: "Well, take the case of another door."

An Anglo-Afghan dictionary is soon to be published.

Charlotte Observer—Report Condensed—NORTH CAROLINA BAPTISTS.

Meeting of the Forty-Eighth Annual Convention.

MORNING SESSION.

The Baptist State convention of North Carolina met in its forty-eighth annual session in the Baptist church in this city, yesterday morning.

In the absence of the president of last year, Hon. John Kerr, the association was called to order by the first vice-president, Maj W A Graham, of Lincoln.

The roll of local conventions was called and the following delegates were enrolled:

RALEIGH ASSOCIATION. H M Norris. Apex Church—T H Harrison, Rev J W F Rogers.

SWAIN STREET CHURCH—N B Broughton, Rev W R Gwaltney.

FLAT RIVER ASSOCIATION. Oxford Church—Rev F R Underwood.

HESTER'S CHURCH—Lawson Knott, H T Knott.

ENON CHURCH—S W Knott.

CEZAR CREEK ASSOCIATION. Fayetteville Church—Rev F W Eason.

CAPE FEAR ASSOCIATION. Rev A L Pittman and W J Tolar.

KING'S MOUNTAIN ASSOCIATION. Rev A L Stough, A T Horc and O F Thompson.

CHOWAN ASSOCIATION. Rev J L Huffham.

PEE DEE ASSOCIATION. Rev N B Cobb.

LILESVILLE CHURCH—J J Sanders.

CATAWBA ASSOCIATION. W A Graham, Rev E A Poe, J G Hill, W H Cheery, M F Pasour, Rev J H Booth and Rev James Brumfield.

BRUSHY MOUNTAIN ASSOCIATION. Rev G W Green.

CUB CREEK CHURCH—J T Privett.

BEULAH ASSOCIATION. Winston Church—Rev H A Brown.

CENTRAL ASSOCIATION. Wake Forest Church—Prof L R Smith, Rev W B Royal and Rev W M Wingate, D D.

NEW HOPE CHURCH—M W Buffalo.

MIDWAY CHURCH—Rev W A Barrett.

SALISBURY STREET CHURCH—Rev T H Pritchard, D D.

FORESTVILLE CHURCH—D W Allen.

SOUTH YADKIN ASSOCIATION. Rev Wm Lambeth, Rev J B Boone, and S F Conrad.

MOCKSVILLE CHURCH—E Frost, J A Williamson, R S Gains.

JERUSALEM CHURCH—S J Tatem and P O Tatem.

CATAWBA CHURCH—J S Bridges.

CHARLOTTE CHURCH—P L Vail, D Stuart Lyon, R D Graham, T M Pittman, W H Hoffman, J M Brewer, T Coleman and J B Franklin.

MOUNT ZION ASSOCIATION. Rev W B Harrell, Alvis Durham.

DURHAM CHURCH—Rev C Durham, J L Clark.

CHAPEL HILL CHURCH—Rev A C Dixon.

LIBERTY ASSOCIATION. Rev Henry Sheets, J M Stoner.

TAR RIVER ASSOCIATION. Rev J A Mandy, C M Cooke, Rev W J Fulford and E W Timberlake.

BRIER CREEK ASSOCIATION. Epoch N Gwyd.

YADKIN ASSOCIATION. Revs Moses Baldwin and O C Haymore.

The convention then went into the election of a president, which resulted in the selection of Maj W A Graham, of Lincoln, Revs Thos J Harrison, and J B Boone, and N B Broughton were appointed a committee to nominate the remaining officers of the association and the following were reported: 1st vice-president, N B Cobb, of Anson; 2nd vice-president, Prof L R Mills; 3rd vice-president, Rev R H Griffith, of Charlotte; treasurer, Jordan Womble, of Raleigh; auditor, W W Vass, of Raleigh; recording secretaries, Wm Biggs, of Oxford and Prof G W Greene, of Moravian Falls.

The president appointed as finance committee for the association, Messrs T L Vail, E Frost and J G Hill. Revs F M Jordan and W T Jordan, reported as corresponding members from the Western Convention of North Carolina, and they were enrolled.

W H Pace, chairman of the board of missions, read the annual report of the board, being a full statement of the work in the State throughout the year. The report was highly encouraging. It says, among other things, that "in spite of the financial stringency of the times, we have been able to do a very considerable amount of work. The blessing of the Lord has rested on our efforts, and we are able to close up the year without debt and with a small balance, a thing almost unprecedented in our history."

In reference to an agency to canvass the churches, impart information and collect funds, the board said that after careful consideration it had come to the following conclusion: "We are of the opinion that the cause will be best advanced by adhering to the plan pursued during the year now closing. The cost of a canvassing agent is very heavy, and attended with other disadvantages. The compensations in other respects are sufficient to counterbalance these disadvantages; at least it seems so to us, though we leave the whole subject to be decided by your body."

In relation to Foreign Missions the report says: "It is a matter of profound congratulation that there seems to be an increased interest in this department of our labor on the part of our churches.

The receipts have been \$3,699.79 for this year, as against \$2,817.26 for last year. This includes \$500, the quota of North Carolina for the chapel at Rome.

Rev F B Mays, of Knoxville, was received as a corresponding member from the convention of Tennessee.

An interesting report on education was read by Prof W B Royall, showing that the cause was in an improved condition, as compared with other years, but the board gave it a slight opinion that when the hosts of Baptists in North Carolina were taken into consideration there was much room for further improvement. The consideration of this report was deferred till Thursday.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

The following committees were announced by the president:

On Time and Place of Next session.—Rev C Durham and E W Timberlake, R D Graham, W H Rogers and W H Cherry.

To Nominate Preachers for Next Session.—Revs J H Booth and A B Pittman and S J Tatem, R S Gains and Alvis Durbau.

On Periodicals.—Revs J B Boone, J A Brumfield, E N Gwyn and O C Haymore and H W Buffalo.

To Nominate School Board.—Revs W B Gwaltney, S F Conrad, and W A Barrett and H W Norris and H T Knott.

To Nominate Board of Education.—Prof L R Mills and W E Royall and Rev O F Thompson and F W Eason, and W H Hoffman.

To Nominate Board of Missions.—Revs T H Pritchard, W B Harrell, and A O Dixon and N B Broughton and W J Tolar.

Religious Exercises.—Pastor and other delegates for Charlotte church.

The itemized report of the treasurer was read and adopted.

A few additional delegates reported. The committee appointed to nominate the board of education for the ensuing year reported the following: Rev W T Brooks, D D, Rev W M Wingate, D D, Rev J S Purofor, Prof W B Boyd, Prof C E Taylor, J M Brewer, Dr A B Vann, W B Smith, Dr L Chappell, S C Dunn, P A Dann, W O Allen, J C Coddell, W L Poteat, F M Purofor, C W Scarborough and Prof L R Mills and W R Simmons.

During an interval which ensued here, while the convention was waiting for further reports from the committees, Rev R H Griffith suggested that several of the ministers who had labored voluntarily in the mission cause during the year make a report of the results of their work.

Rev Mr Gwaltney gave an encouraging account of his labors near Beaufort, and Rev Mr Dixon spoke of successful efforts at Mt Airy, Surry county.

Rev Dr Pritchard, chairman of the committee to nominate a board of missions, submitted the following: W R Gwaltney, J S Bridges, T J Wiggs, J P Mason, H P Smith, R H Marsh, J H Alford, W B Clement, A D Blackwood, J T Webb, J Jenkins, W J Fulford, C B Justice, J D Huffham, F P Hobgood, C M Greene, J L Stewart, S Otho Wilson, E L Davis, W J Tolar, W H Pace, T H Pritchard, J D Joyner, A M Lewis, W D Watson, E Frost, B F Montague, Jordan Womble, Jr, C M Cooke, O B Edwades, F H Jones, Eugene Harrell, Haynes Lennon, O T Bailey, J M Heck, R R Overby, John Armstrong, J A Mundy, N B Broughton.

On motion of R D Graham, it was resolved that a special mass meeting be held Friday evening to take into consideration the church at Charlotte.

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