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ROLL OF HONOR.—WHAT THE UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA HAS ACCOMPLISHED. NUMBER ONE. The University of North Carolina, as we said yesterday, has performed a most important part in Southern education. Starting with few pupils in 1795, it steadily grew in reputation and influence until the number had swelled to some 450 annually, when the war came on.

most famous Naval officers of the United States. The men before whose name is written "Honorable" were entitled to it by reason of the office they held. They were not members of the Legislature simply, or State officers only, such as Comptroller, Treasurer, &c., but were either Speakers of one of the Houses, or Members of Congress. The bad fashion of cheapening titles and making Legislators, including the ignorant and the wise, "Honorable," came in with the Carpet-Baggers.

There are two Literary Societies—the Dialectic and Philanthropic. We will state the year they joined the Society, and will designate the Society by the initial letter D. or P., and give the nativity, when possible: Hutchins G. Barton, Governor of N. C., 1795, D.; Granville; Charles W. Harris, Professor of Mathematics University of N. C., 1795, D.; Mecklenburg; Jas. Mebane, Speaker of House of Commons, N. C., 1795, D.; Orange; Hon. Ebenezer Pettigrew, member of Congress, 1795, D.; Tyrrell; Hon. Archibald D. Murphy, Judge of Superior Court and Professor in University of North Carolina, 1796, D.; Caswell; Hon. Robert H. Burton, Judge of Superior Court, 1796, D.; Granville; Hon. Daniel Newnan, 1796, D.; Rowan; Samuel A. Holmes, Professor of Languages University of North Carolina, 1796, D.; Orange; William E. Webb, Professor of Languages University of N. C., 1797, D.; Granville; Hon. Nathaniel W. Williams, Judge of Superior Court of Tenn., 1797, D.; North Carolina; Captain Johnston Blakeley, U. S. Navy, 1797, P.; Chatham; Hon. G. W. L. Marr, 1797, P.; Rockingham; Hon. John Branch, Governor of North Carolina, U. S. Senator, Secretary of Navy and Governor of Florida, 1798, P.; Halifax; Alfred Moore, Speaker of House of Commons, N. C., 1798, P.; Brunswick; Hon. William H. Murfree, 1798, P.; Hertford; Rev. Andrew Flinn, D.D., 1798, D.; South Carolina; Jas. S. Gillespie, Professor of Natural Philosophy, University of N. C., 1798, D.; nativity unknown; Hon. John D. Toomer, Judge of Superior and Supreme Courts, 1798, D.; Wilmington; Hon. Thomas H. Hill, 1799, D.; Edgecombe; Hon. Thomas H. Benton, U. S. Senator from Missouri for thirty years, 1799, P.; Orange; Hon. Fleming Saunders, 1767, P.; Virginia; Hon. Lemuel Sawyer, 1799, D.; Camden.

THE AUGUSTA CHRONICLE AND SENTINEL makes the following pertinent comment: "Mr. Jefferson could hardly have, in the wildest flights of fancy, dreamed that this free republic could produce Kellogg's Statesmen, Chamberlains, & Cabinet Ministers." If Mr. Jefferson had lived in our day, and had witnessed the acts of Grant and his party in overriding State rights and trampling down local self-government, he would have had a profounder fear of the concentrating of power in the hands of the President or the Congress than he appears to have entertained, although it is apparent that his view of the finality of a certificate given by the Governor of a Commonwealth was influenced to a great extent by his fears of the encroachments of Federal authority, and by his great anxiety to see preserved intact the reserved rights of the States. The Norfolk Virginian considers the memorandum quite justly, as follows: "From it will be seen that Jefferson, as might have been expected from his love of State-rights, was not willing that the question whether this or that body of men were properly chosen electors, should go before Congress. It should be dealt with by the State, and whatever might have been the suspicion of bad faith, of selling out, or fraud, if his suggestions mentioned above had become law, Congress could not have ventured into them, so long as the Executive of the particular State was recognized by it, but must have recognized his certificate as final. Evidently in Jefferson's mind, supposing that the memorandum mentioned expressed his matured judgment on the matter, the fear of injury from fraudulent action on the part of State authorities, was not equal to that he entertained of the danger incurred in remanding the whole question to the General Government. But there was no law passed on the subject; Jefferson kept the idea to himself, and they only came to light a short time ago. From this, one might argue that he was not fully satisfied with them or considered any action unnecessary."

POLITICAL POINTS. —The Ohio Republicans are calling Bishop a fish. Their own nominee is what the sailors call a landshark. It's a pretty kettle of fish in Ohio. —We quite agree with that Vermont stalwart who said, "Darn your policy," to Mr. Hayes. The Baltimore custom house wrangle took a very large rent in it, and it ought to be darned forthwith.—Baltimore Gazette, Dem. —Postmaster General Key speaks of his "herring Southern Brethren." How rapidly a man twists over when he begins to twist! Key wore the uniform of a Confederate soldier, and was a Democratic-Union Secessionist.—Mobile Register, Dem. —The Edinburgh Review for July comes freighted with articles of great value and interest. There are several papers of unusual power and originality. The most striking—the most original article is on "The Sibylline Books." It is a paper of exceeding freshness and interest to the scholar, and will attract universal attention among that class of readers. Those who remember that famous article on the Talmud that excited so much attention a few years ago, will find this paper equally singular and entertaining. There are several papers we have read with profit and pleasure, among them "Life and Correspondence of Kleber," who was one of the leading French Generals before Napoleon, and who commanded the army in Egypt after the First Consul had returned to France; "Copenhagen in Italy," "Venice Defended," a contribution well worth reading, as it corrects many errors regarding the government of that famous city, and is very full of curious and entertaining information concerning its strange founding and wonderful progress; "The England of Elizabeth," one of the most enjoyable historic brochures we have seen in many a day. It is a sketch of the times of Shakespeare, full of quaintness and humor, and based upon the chronicles and writings of an English Vicar who was born in 1524, and died at the close of the century. There are other papers of genuine value. This first of the great Quarterly holds its own admirably, and we commend it to all who relish pure, vigorous literature. Address Leonard Scott Publishing Co., 41 Barclay street, New York. Price \$4 a year.

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THOUGH DEAD HE SPEAKS. Mr. Jefferson holds the front rank among American statesmen. His political teachings are better appreciated now than ever before. The treatment of the South since the war has made thousands accept his theory of the government who rejected it prior to the war of the States. Hence, it is not without interest that a great-granddaughter of Mr. Jefferson, Miss Sarah N. Randolph, should furnish the New York World with a memorandum prepared by the illustrious Virginia statesman concerning a bill to regulate the manner of counting the electoral votes in case of disputes over the result. It is intended to reach just such cases as that which, through the rascality of the infamous Eight, gave the election to Mr. Hayes over his legally elected competitor, Mr. Tilden. Mr. Jefferson's view would have given Louisiana, Florida and South Carolina to Hayes, and Oregon to Tilden, securing the election of the latter, as he says "that the certificate of the Executive of any State shall be conclusive evidence that the requisite number of votes had been given for each electoral named by him as such."

OUR STATE TEMPORARIES. Petitions are getting to be a nuisance and humbug. Good people are disgusted with them. Any man can get up a petition. A very worthy man remarked the other day that it was useless to send a man to the penitentiary if the people would have him out if anybody were active enough to get up a petition. We trust all men in power will down their foot on great long petitions signed by Tom, Dick and Harry. They are no sign of public sentiment. Why many a man signs his name and then laughs at himself for it. The best guide to what is right is from the mouth of a few witnesses soberly and carefully given.—Tenn. Times.

Let the Democrats of this county look out with unobscured vision upon the whirling elements of excitement all around them. The party of Jefferson was organized as the people's party. Its very name signifies that, and it has grown gray fighting for the people. If now it becomes recreant to its first pledges, its epitaph, like that of the poet Keats, under the Aurelian wall at Rome, will be, "Here lies one whose name is writ in water." It must at once take up the cause of the impoverished and suffering masses of this country, the people who vote, who have grievances which deserve redress, not in a reckless or revolutionary spirit, but with a broad political charity, and its future is secure.—Newbernian.

THE PERIODICALS. The Atlantic rarely fails to lead its competitors in the variety, finish and interest of its papers. The September number contains another instalment of Mr. Aldrich's entertaining story, "Queen of Sheba," part third of Mr. Howell's "A Counterfeit Presentiment," that is exceedingly well done; an essay by Edwin P. Whipple on Dickens' "Great Expectations," a critical paper by Prof. Lounsbury, of Yale, on "Fictional Lives of Chaucer," besides other contributions of interest. Edgar Fawcett, an excellent poet, has a poem entitled "Box." Then there are book criticisms, and the usually enjoyable "Contributor's Club." H. O. Houghton & Co., Boston. Price \$4 a year.

Palmetto Leaves. —Mr. W. A. Moore, who was recently attacked by highwaymen, near Abbeville, is recovering. —The Guardian says nineteenth-twenths of the Ninety-Six voters favor the "new county" movement. —Ninety-Six Township has adopted the fence law, by a majority of forty-five. The color line was strictly drawn. —Alexander Melver, a staunch colored Democrat, who died on Sunday, was buried on Monday evening. A large crowd attended the funeral. —Humphrey Parks, colored, was beaten to death on Monday, in Anderson county, by a white man named Brice, with whom he had a difficulty. Brice is in jail. —An attempt was made, last Friday, to burn the unfinished residence of Mrs. John W. Witherspoon, of Society Hill. It was under heavy insurance in favor of Geo. Lemon, the contractor, who has absented himself from the neighborhood.

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