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"CAROLINA DAY."

Appropriate Exercises Observed by Public Schools at Hemenway Yesterday.

CONVENTION OF COUNTIES.

Large Gathering of Teachers, Pupils and Parents to Witness Rendition of the Highly Creditable Programme. Distinguished Educators.

"Carolina Day" was celebrated at the Hemenway School yesterday by the rendition of one of the most unique, interesting and appropriate programmes ever presented in the city public schools, and to much credit cannot be accorded Miss Jennie Wood, in whose mind the nature of the entertainment originated, and to whose efforts is due in a very large measure the complete success scored on the occasion.

The entertainment was a "mock convention" of the counties of North Carolina, and the costumes, inscriptions on banners, lines recited, and songs sung were all in keeping with the day.

Many visitors, including the school committees and members of the faculties of the Tleston High School and Union School, were present, when Mr. Jas. F. Post, who has so deeply at heart the every interest of the city schools, made the opening remarks. Mr. Post said "Carolina Day" was inaugurated by the Legislature to commemorate the virtues and noble and heroic deeds of the "Old North State," to stimulate with the children present glory and her future possibilities. Mr. J. J. Blair, superintendent of schools, then welcomed all who were present in a few happy words.

Over a hundred boys and girls marched on the stage, some attired in unique costumes, some carrying banners bearing the names of battles, colleges and cities, and the majority of them wearing across their breasts strips of pasteboard on which were printed the names of the different counties. Mr. L. Clayton Grant, the secretary, made a short speech explaining the object of the convention and then called the roll of counties. As a county was called, the boy or girl representing it would step to the front of the stage and recite a few appropriate lines, which in almost every case were full of humor and expressiveness as well as giving a prominent historical event. The audience applauded heartily. Appropriate songs were sung at intervals. Several responses called forth the most enthusiastic and patriotic applause.

The Star regrets that limited space will not permit it to go into details of the convention. When New Hanover was called, three young ladies bearing banners on which were inscribed "Wilmington, Hemenway School," "Tleston High School," came to the front and after appropriate verses by each, a song entitled "Wilmington," composed by Miss Wood, was sung. It was followed by an outburst of applause. At that juncture Mr. Grant rose and paid a tribute to the memory of Mrs. Hemenway and also paid a beautiful tribute to Miss Bradley, who was present.

The entertainment was highly enjoyable and reflects great credit on Miss Wood, on the children who participated in it, and also on the splendid public school system of the "City by the Sea." Miss Yarborough presided at the piano.

ARGUMENT IN THE IMPEACHMENT TRIAL.

Guthrie Concluded His Speech—A Vote Will Hardly Be Reached Before Tuesday or Wednesday.

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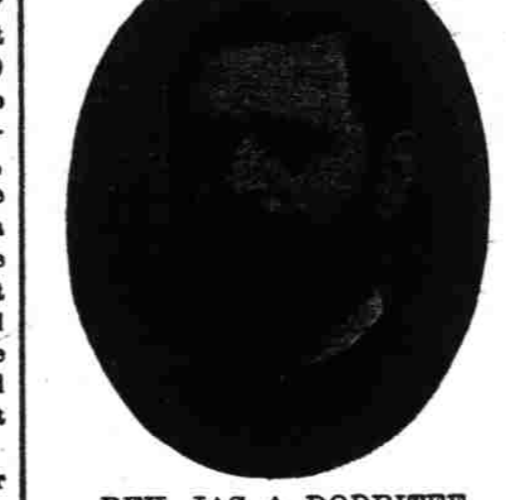
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REV. JAS. A. DORRILLEE, Pastor of Westminster Presbyterian Church, who has charge of the singing at the Y. M. C. A. Convention.

LOCAL DOTS.

The schooners Fred B. Balano and Abbie G. Cole passed out at Southport at noon yesterday.

There was a "shaking-up" yesterday in the local naval store market. Spirits declined half a cent and there was a corresponding decline in crude.

Board and lodging is wanted in desirable location for members of the Wilmington Base Ball Team. Communications may be addressed to the manager.

The chart lecture on the Divine Plan of the Ages will be continued by Pilgrim Frank Draper tonight in the Hook and Ladder Hall on Fifth and Castle streets.

A factory for the manufacture of buggies, wagons, etc., is being talked of for Wilmington. Parties behind the project are said to have ample capital to make the enterprise a great success.

Some of the fire department apparatus ran over a valuable dog belonging to Mr. J. C. Solomon early yesterday morning. The dog was so badly injured that he had to be killed to relieve his suffering.

Friends in Wilmington will learn with regret of the death of Mrs. J. D. Sidbury which occurred at 8:30 o'clock yesterday morning at her home on Topsail Sound. The funeral will be held from the residence of Mrs. Ruth Nixon at 3 o'clock this afternoon.

Fourth class postmasters have been appointed in North Carolina as follows: C. M. Soles at Iron Hill, Columbus county, vice W. A. Inman, resigned; D. W. Carter at Jerome, Bladen county, vice McKenzie Culbreth, resigned; T. H. Sellers at Paris and J. W. Boggan at Pee Dee, Anson county, vice F. Bennett and J. C. Hudson, resigned; M. Rogers at Rochester, Robeson county, vice J. B. Rogers, removed.

The Wilmington Pythians, who visited Clarkton Thursday night and instituted a new lodge of the order there, are profuse in their praise of the Clarkton people for the many courtesies showered upon them while in that enterprising town and are enthusiastic over the personnel of the new lodge, which has been christened "Clarkton Lodge No. 121, K. of P.," and which is composed of many of the most substantial citizens in that vicinity.

The Grand Lodge was called to order by Past Grand Chancellor W. J. Woodward, as instituting officer, and the following Pythians from Wilmington were at their respective stations:

C. C.—J. T. King. V. C.—R. S. Collins. P.—J. Robert Jordan. M. at A.—W. L. Holden. I. G.—A. S. Holden. O. G.—L. B. Rogers.

The twenty men composing the Clarkton lodge were voted for and elected and the following were given degrees of Blue Throat knight:

D. L. Blue, Bladenboro; W. L. Burgess, Clarkton; J. L. Clark and G. L. Clark, Clarkton; K. V. Council, Council's Station; N. A. Currie and M. L. Cromartie, A. S. Cromartie, L. B. Evans, and W. B. Tench, Clarkton; W. W. Lane, Elkton; J. M. McKinnon and Frank McFadyen, Clarkton; M. B. McAuley and A. Pedun, Clarkton; J. R. Singletary, Bladenboro; S. G. Wooten, Clarkton.

The following officers of Clarkton lodge were then installed: C. C.—L. B. Evans. V. C.—J. M. McKinnon. P.—Frank McFadyen. M. of W.—O. L. Clark. K. of R. and S.—M. B. McAuley. M. of E.—N. A. Currie. M. of F.—W. L. Burgess. I. G.—D. L. Blue. O. G.—W. B. Tench.

When the installation of the officers had been completed the delegation of Wilmington Pythians were the guests of the Clarkton members of the order at a sumptuous repast served in the lodge room.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

Capt. W. R. Kenan returned yesterday from New York.

Miss Maggie Williams, of Burgaw, spent yesterday in the city.

Mr. Thomas Pritchard arrived from Washington, D. C., yesterday.

Miss Mary Culbreth has returned home from Littleton Female College, N. C.

Mr. J. W. Norwood has returned from a visit to relatives at Greenville, S. C.

Mr. J. E. Norwood, of Newberry, S. C., arrived in the city yesterday to be with Mrs. Norwood, who is at the bedside of her sister, Mrs. O. Stone, who is critically ill.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Mickey E. Gill was held at 10:30 o'clock yesterday morning from Grace M. E. church, the pastor, Rev. J. N. Cole, officiating. The interment was in Oakdale cemetery, the following gentlemen having acted as pall bearers: Messrs. Harnden Bellamy, W. E. Perdew, R. J. Jones, B. F. Murphy, J. D. Polson, and Capt. Jno. F. Divine.

A week of comedy. The sale of seats for the Phil and Nettie Peters Comedy Company's engagement will open this morning at Gerken's. Mr. and Mrs. Peters are surrounded by a complete new company this season and will give the patrons of the theatre a comedy treat. Ladies will be admitted free on Monday night if accompanied by a person holding a paid 30-cent ticket, if reserved before 6 P. M. Monday.

Perhaps fatal shooting. One man wounded another in a fight at Spring Hope, N. C.

Special Star Correspondence. SPRING HOPE, N. C., March 21.—W. D. Strickland and O. Lewis, two white men living near here, engaged in an altercation last night, in which Strickland shot Lewis and perhaps mortally wounded him. Of the three shots fired by Strickland two took effect in the abdomen and thigh of his adversary. Strickland sets up the claim of self defence and will surrender to Sheriff Warren. It is claimed that Lewis knocked Strickland down with an axe and that the shots were fired by the last named while lying on the floor.

Funeral notice. The funeral of the late Mrs. Sarah L. Nutt will be held from the residence, No. 414 North Front street, at half past 4 o'clock this afternoon.

Dead. SIBDUY—At her home at Topsail Sound, yesterday morning at 8:30 o'clock, Mrs. J. D. SIBDUY.

Funeral from the residence of Mrs. Ruth Nixon at 5 o'clock this (Saturday) afternoon. Friends and acquaintances invited.

THE BASE BALL SITUATION.

Manager Peschau Hopes to Have All His Team Signed This Week.

Manager Henry B. Peschau, of the Wilmington Base Ball team, expresses the hope that he will have signed by to-night all his players for the forthcoming season, and that he will be able at that time to make some definite announcement to the public as to the "winning tossers" that he will put in the field to do battle with the other teams in the Virginia-Carolina League this summer.

He has already learned a lesson that is very expensive when experience is the teacher, and has carefully considered the record of every man before signing him. He has gathered about him an abundance of data concerning base ball and base ball men, and in the light of this information has slowly and with deliberation chosen the very best men obtainable and that, too, at a cost which will not be suicidal to the sport in the outset. In doing this, however, he has not sacrificed the best of base ball material, but has gathered a team that will do honor to Wilmington.

The Star hopes to make a definite announcement of the players tomorrow.

Use Clayton Company. "Miss Roarer" was the bill for the play at the Opera House last evening, and it was splendidly presented, every member of the company having proved an artist of high order. The audience was fairly large, but deserved to be larger. A matinee will be given this afternoon at 3 P. M., when "The Sultan's Daughter" will be played. The price will be 10 and 20 cents, and every child attending will receive a present. The company will close its engagement to-night, presenting the very strong comedy drama, "A Mid-night Masquerade." At this performance \$10 in gold will be given away.

Ordered to the Chinese Station. Charlotte Observer: "Lieutenant E. A. Anderson, who was Charlotte's guest during the last 20th of May celebration and who has been stationed at Bridgeport, Conn., has been ordered to the Chinese station. He will sail from San Francisco on April 3rd on the steamer Solace."

ADOPTION OF THE FOLLOWING REPORT OF THE NOMINATING COMMITTEE, APPOINTED AT THE INITIAL MEETING THURSDAY EVENING:

President—George Stephens, of Charlotte. Vice president—J. H. Chadbourne, Jr., Wilmington. Second vice president—W. H. Burton, Spencer. Third vice president—Prof. S. M. Smith, Elon College. Secretary—A. W. Hicks, Winston. Press secretaries—J. K. Ross, Charlotte, and T. J. Tudor, Spencer. At 10 o'clock J. B. Milligan, of Chatanooga, gave interesting Bible readings from the opening chapters of Hebrews and this was followed by a presentation of the claims of "Association Men," official organ of the Young Men's Christian Association by H. O. Williams of New York.

From 10:40 o'clock until the hour of adjournment the session was profitably taken up with a general discussion of the "Association as a Spiritual Force," Mr. Walter O. Douglas, secretary of the Philadelphia Association, presided and the theme was discussed under sub-heads as follows: (a) "In Saving Men," (a) personal work; (b) Van Horn, of Asheville, "In Training Men for Leadership," (a) committee service; (b) foreign missions; (c) Bible study, G. C. Huntington, of Charlotte. "In Its Relation to Some Community Problems," (a) personal purity; (b) Sabbath desecration and church attendance; (c) intemperance; (d) civic questions, O. L. Gates, of Atlanta.

Just before recess for dinner President Stephens announced the following committees: Business—G. C. Huntington, Charlotte, (chairman); H. P. Lane, Oak Ridge; C. M. Short, Guilford; L. P. Howard, Trinity; Robert T. Kait, Davidson. Devotional—W. L. Latta, John Frank and W. W. Turner, Wilmington; T. J. Hill, Chapel Hill; C. C. Brown, Wilmington. Credentials—D. B. Marks, Elon College; Joe F. Watson, Whitsett; Dalian Harris, Trinity; G. S. Lane, Spencer; L. N. Boney, A. and M. College. Resolutions—J. K. Ross, Charlotte; W. W. Kennerly, North Carolina College; Rev. C. G. Vardell, Red Springs; H. V. Scarborough, Wake Forest; D. M. Norwood, Bingham's School. Executive Committee's Report—O. B. Van Horn, Asheville, (chairman); M. A. Shark, Spencer; H. O. Williams, New York; Prof. O. H. Johnson, Bingham's School; Prof. J. H. Vaughn, Winston.

Yesterday's Afternoon Session. After devotional exercises, conducted by Mr. H. V. Scarborough, at 8:15 o'clock P. M., and a Bible study by Mr. Milligan, section conferences were held. One for college delegates was held in the class room and it was conducted by Mr. L. A. Coulter, of Virginia. Papers were read by many students and general discussion followed. Another section conference for delegates from cities, towns and railroads was held in the parlors, Mr. C. L. Gates, of Atlanta, presiding. Mr. Reuben Humphreys, of Charlotte, spoke on "Work for Boys." Mr. W. C. Douglas made one of his characteristic talks. The afternoon was very profitably spent in the conference.

Yesterday Evening's Session. Mr. J. H. Chadbourne, Jr., first vice president, called the meeting to order. The auditorium was filled. The State Committee, through its chairman, Prof.



A. C. BRIDGMAN, General Secretary of the Columbia Young Men's Christian Association.

C. Huntington, Charlotte, at 7:45 P. M. by Rev. W. H. Willis, Winston. Bladen Street M. E. Church, at 11 A. M. by D. B. Marks and H. B. Scarborough, first Baptist Church at 11 A. M., by W. C. Douglas, Philadelphia; at 7:45 P. M., by H. O. Williams, New York; at 9 P. M. Closing service, Brooklyn Baptist Church at 11 A. M., by C. L. Gates, Atlanta; at 7:45 P. M., by O. B. Van Horn, Asheville, Southside Baptist Church at 11 A. M., by J. M. Haymore, Wake Forest; at 7:45 P. M., by H. B. Chapman, Immanuel Presbyterian Church at 11 A. M., by T. P. Coit and W. Mills, Davidson College.

The Programme for To-day. The Convention will open as usual this morning at 9:30 o'clock with devotional exercises and a bible study led by Mr. Milligan. The consideration of a policy for a new year and the receiving of the report of the Executive Committee, Mr. H. O. Williams presiding, will follow at 10:15 A. M., after which Mr. H. O. Bridgman, of Columbia, S. C., will read a paper on "The Association as a Spiritual Force Among Young Men in Towns and Villages." This will be followed at noon by a paper, "The Association as a Physical Force," by Dr. N. M. Wetzel, of Wilmington.

At 12:30 there will be a short business session and an entertainment of invitations for the next convention. At 1 P. M. the Woman's Auxiliary will serve lunch in the building and at 3:30 P. M. the delegates will be given a complimentary trip to Wrightsville. The game of basketball between representative teams of Wilmington and Charlotte will take place at the City Hall at 5:44 o'clock. There will be addresses by Mr. C. L. Gates and Mr. L. A. Coulter at the evening session.

Some Prominent Convention Figures. There are present at the convention four gentlemen, who have not only added much to the convention, but much to Association history. Mr. Walter C. Douglas, of Philadelphia, has seen over twenty-five years of service in Association work as general secretary. Coming from the ranks of successful business men, he recognized the value of the organization and uncompromisingly gave up the brightest of future prospect as a professional man and is helping to mould, shape and develop this great movement. Mr. H. O. Williams, of New York city, and

WEATHER REPORT.

S. D. DEPT. OF AGRICULTURE, WASHINGTON, N. C., March 22. 48 degrees; maximum, 60 degrees; minimum, 38 degrees; mean, 49.

For the day, .00; rainfall for the month to date, 2.94 inches.

Forecast for To-day. Partly cloudy, with occasional showers, March 23.—For North Carolina, fair and warmer in eastern and western portions Saturday; fresh southerly winds.

Alabama—March 23. 60 A. M., 63 P. M. Georgia—13 to 14 M. Florida—9 to 10 P. M. South Carolina—9 to 10 P. M. North Carolina—12 to 15 P. M. Virginia—12 to 15 P. M.

Latest is reported \$9,000,000 worth of plant to be established at Michoud, to back up against Trust.

Gettaman, a Missouri girl, married a few days ago. She was very pretty and a man, very rich.

English editors are so mad at each other because they are throwing so many editorials at him.

A New York man has bought the rights and will remove it to the States, where he will produce a relic of a dismal failure.

Country was short on leprosy, the acquisition of the 20,000 and some of them pretty good, too.

After in the New York Sun is a respectable man commencing with his wife and a child. What capacious stomach New York men must have!

It seems to be some large colonies in Kansas. A newspaper says that \$10,000,000 of chickens have been raised that county in the past year.

Who lost her mind in getting as much free as she could out of it as she had diamonds. That shows Chicago puts on the show.

Because the hair of baldness is parted in the middle and the doctor says if men would part their hair like that there would be no baldness.

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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Opera House—Matinee. Opera House—Peters Comedy Co. Official vote of New Hanover Co.

Business Locals. Manager—Board and lodging.

City Subscribers. City subscribers are earnestly requested to report promptly at the STAR office every failure of the carriers to deliver their papers. In all such cases steps will be taken to insure prompt and regular delivery.

For Whooping Cough USE CHENEY'S EXpectorant.

OFFICIAL VOTE

Of the City Democratic Primaries held Monday, March 18th, 1901, and of the second Primary, March 21st, as declared by the City Democratic Executive Committee.

WARDS	1st	2d	3rd	4th	5th	Total
MAYOR.						
A. M. Waddell	183	171	221	170	168	853
W. E. Springer	249	186	154	56	246	841
Jno. J. Fowler	84	63	73	146	151	517
Wal. G. MacRae	1					1
	466	370	449	372	590	2247
ALDERMEN.						
First Ward.						
C. L. Spencer	349					349
F. Mauder	117					117
Z. E. Murrell						
Second Ward.						
W. C. VonGlabn	192					192
H. P. West	198					198
J. D. Nutt	150					150
J. H. Sweeney	184					184
Third Ward.						
George Harris	252					252
E. F. Johnson	218					218
Wm. Goodman	148					148
W. E. Perdew	206					206
E. Rango	1					1
W. A. Whitney	1					1
W. H. Yopp	1					1
Fourth Ward.						
E. F. Bailey	213					213
Louis Skinner	265					265
Jno. H. Hanby	144					144
W. A. McGowan	128					128
Fifth Ward.						
W. E. Mann	316					316
W. G. Reaves	411					411
B. F. Peany	67					67
J. M. Branch	12					12
Executive Committee.						
FIRST WARD.						
B. C. Moore	230					230
J. M. Woolard	215					215
J. E. Smith	114					114
James Mote	122					122
SECOND WARD.						
T. C. James	284					284
D. Quinlan	284					284
THIRD WARD.						
T. Donlan	64					64
W. H. Yopp	21					21
F. H. Fechtig	1					1
FOURTH WARD.						
E. A. Low	80					80
W. E. Roberson	188					188
W. E. Yopp	106					106
W. A. French, Jr.	113					113
N. F. Parker	122					122
FIFTH WARD.						
Geo. W. Mills	128					128
S. J. Bryant	56					56
J. P. Montgomery	43					43

RESULT OF SECOND PRIMARY.

WARDS	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	Total
MAYOR.						
A. M. Waddell	182	219	274	286	298	1269
W. E. Springer	292	166	179	91	307	1035
	474	385	453	377	605	2394
ALDERMEN.						
THIRD WARD.						
W. E. Perdew	206					206
E. F. Johnson	260					260
FOURTH WARD.						
N. F. Parker	229					229
W. A. French, Jr.	21					21
FIFTH WARD.						
S. J. Bryant	152					152
J. P. Montgomery	302					302

(Signed) J. G. L. GIESCHEN, Acting Secretary. F. A. LORD, Chairman, mar 23 11

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from save us. We guarantee sale. We guarantee them the most popular Cigar, and if the goods are not all we say they are we take them back at retail prices. Sold in all kinds of stores. mar 10

One Car Load of MATTRESSES

just received. E. M. ANDREWS, The Furniture Dealer, 117 SOUTH FRONT STREET, Opposite Market House.

Opera House

ONE WEEK, COMMENCING MONDAY, MARCH 27th, Phil and Nettie Peters Comedy Co.

In up-to-date Repertory Farce Comedy. Prices 10 and 20 cents. Seats now on sale. Ladies free on Monday night, if accompanied by a person holding a paid 30 cent ticket, if reserved before 6 P. M. Monday. mar 23

Opera House

UNA-CLAYTON CO., MATINEE TO-DAY AT 3 P. M. Prices—10 and 20 cents. Every child gets a present. Last performance. TO-NIGHT. \$10.00 in gold to be given away. mar 23