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## THE LARGEST CIRCULATION OF ANY NORTH CAROLINA DAILY.

### FOLLOWERS OF CALVIN

**PRESBYTERIAN SYNOD NOW IN SESSION AT FAYETTEVILLE.**

### IT WILL BE ORGANIZED TO-DAY

The Opening Sermon Preached Yesterday by Rev. W. B. Arrowood But no Business was Transacted--Synodical Communion was Held--Programme for the Session--Many Ministers and Lay Delegates Arriving--Sketch of the Life of Moderator Arrowood.

Special to the News and Observer.

FAYETTEVILLE, N. C., Oct. 22. The advance guard of the North Carolina Synod is here. The ministers and delegates are arriving to-day. No business was done to-day. The opening sermon was preached this afternoon by Rev. W. B. Arrowood, of Laurinburg, after which synodical communion was held. The Synod will be organized to-morrow and proceed to routine business.

The different Synods are represented by the following ministers and lay delegates:

Orange Presbytery: Revs. L. B. Turnbull, D. S. Craig, D. McIver, J. M. Sea brook, W. R. Coppedge, W. S. Campbell, C. Miller, R. E. Caldwell, W. Lee Harrell, S. G. Walker. Delegates: Thomas B. Donner, T. J. Brown, J. W. Paisley.



REV. W. B. ARROWOOD.

Concord Presbytery: Revs. J. M. Rose, D. D., J. M. Wray, D. D., C. A. Monroe, W. R. McLelland, R. S. Arrowood, J. B. Shearer, D. D., A. T. Graham, P. D. Lequeux, R. W. Boyd, B. Sander, J. C. Kennedy. Delegates: J. H. Hill, Frank Brown.

Fayetteville Presbytery: Revs. D. D. McBride, H. G. Hill, D. D., D. Fairly, A. N. Ferguson, J. S. Black, P. R. Law, K. A. McLeod, M. N. McIver, W. T. Thom, W. B. Arrowood, J. J. McKelvey, John A. McMurray, S. M. Rankin, M. D. McNeill, J. L. Wolf.

Wilmington Presbytery: Revs. Otten Shaw, Archibald McFadyen, Kenneth McDonald, P. H. Hoge, D. D., P. McIntire, A. D. McClure, Joseph Evans. Delegates: W. J. Hall, J. M. Whitted, B. G. Worth, W. K. Cromartie, C. F. Bell.

Mecklenburg Presbytery: Revs. W. C. C. Foster, H. M. Dixon, W. R. McCorkle, J. W. Siler, E. L. Siler, W. M. Black, R. J. Campbell, D. D., R. L. Smith, M. C. Arrowood, Jonas Barkley, J. L. Wicker, A. A. Little, R. J. McFann. Delegates: A. H. McComb, C. E. Graham, D. C. McDonald.

Albemarle Presbytery: Revs. W. D. Martin, C. G. Vardell, R. W. Hines, Eugene Daniels. Delegate: Prof. Jas. Dinwiddie.

The following is a synopsis of the principal events and subjects to be discussed during the meeting of the Synod: Wednesday, 9 a. m.—Election of the moderator and temporary clerks, and the transaction of the business of the synod. 7:30 p. m.—Popular meeting in the interests of Foreign Missions. Interesting address.

Thursday, 7:30 p. m. Popular meeting in the interest of Home Missions. Address by the workers.

Friday, 7:30 p. m. The Evangelization of the Colored Race.

All the sessions of the Synod are open to the public.

Of course the routine business of the Synod will be attended to during the daily sessions, and among the most important questions to be considered is whether the synod will approve of the report of the trustees of the Hamden Sydney Union Theological Seminary, for the removal of the seminary to Richmond, Va. Richmond offers a fine site and \$100,000 in cash for its removal to that city. The seminary is the property of the synods of North Carolina and Virginia, and the approval of these two bodies is necessary before the proposed action can be taken.

Rev. W. B. Arrowood, Moderator of the Synod of North Carolina, is one of the most indefatigable workers and one of the best Presbyters in the Synod of North Carolina. He was graduated from Davidson College in 1876, and from Union Theological Seminary, Va., in 1879.

During his first vacation from the seminary, the summer of 1877, he taught a school in Gaston county and frequently on the Sabbath held preaching services in the surrounding neighborhood.

He was licensed to preach the gospel by Mecklenburg Presbytery at Monroe, in April 1878.

In May 1879, he married Miss Mary V. Pharr, eldest daughter of Rev. Walter W. Pharr, D. D., and the first of June he repaired with his bride to Giles county, Va., where he took charge of Walker's Creek, Pearisburg, and Hoge's chapel churches in Montgomery Presbytery. He was ordained to the full work

### THE PASTORAL LETTER

**THE BISHOPS SEE DANGER IN RITUALISM AND GREATER LIBERTY.**

### LITTLE HOPE FOR CHURCH UNITY

There is Need of a More Self-Sacrificing Spirit on the Part of the Clergy--The Wise Thing is Declared to be for the Episcopalians to Hold Fast to Their Position, Leaving Neither to Rome or to the Other Protestant Communions.

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., Oct. 22.—The two houses of the Episcopal Convention met in joint session this afternoon as the final act of a very busy three weeks' session. The pastoral letter prepared by the bishops was read by Bishop Littlejohn, of Long Island. The document is addressed to the clergy and laity of the church, and contains some seven thousand words. The bishops refer to the successful deliberations of the convention, to the progress in the work of revising the constitutions and canons, and to the need of more systematic and general contributing for the work of the church. A paragraph is devoted to the heroic self-sacrifice of the missionaries in China, and to justification of the church's policy in keeping them there, and sending more to join them in the work.

The fact that four new dioceses and two missionary jurisdictions have been created, is pointed to as an evidence of the healthy growth of the church at home. In discussing church unity, the bishops are not hopeful of immediate or general results save in the spreading of the sentiment for unity throughout Christendom.

The bishops complain that while the theological schools are turning out many graduates and candidates for orders are about as numerous as ever, there is a lack of self-sacrificing men willing to spread the faith in foreign and heathen lands. The progress of the work among the Afro-Americans is noted and its needs pointed out. The woes of the sister church in Armenia are sympathized with. The spirit of unrest in the land is commented on, and the remedy for it is declared to be accessible in the church. Fully a third of the letter is devoted to a discussion of certain tendencies in the church toward ritualism, and on the other hand toward too great liberality.

Unauthorized methods of celebrating communion and other offices of the church are severely rebuked, and the letter makes this significant statement: "We are indeed between two perilous tendencies. On the one hand, there is a demand for concessions which will make it easy for members of Christian bodies, not in communion with the church, to enter her ministry and transfer themselves bodily as congregations, with faint and feeble guards of soundness in their forms of worship. On the other, there is a plea put forth by some to enter into negotiations with the bishops of Rome with regard to a reunion which is now known to be possible only by absolute submission to his unscriptural and unlawful demands. The wise thing for us to do is to hold fast to our position."

At the closing session of the House today, Rev. Dr. Elliott, of Washington, gave assurances of the welcome which would be accorded the next convention by the new diocese. The House concurred with the House of Bishops in erecting the missionary jurisdiction of Northern Texas in the diocese.

### A PRETTY HOME WEDDING.

### Marriage of Mr. Walter A. Horton and Miss Etta Piper.

That was a beautiful wedding last evening at 8 o'clock at the home of Mrs. A. E. Glenn, on North Blount street, when Mr. Walter A. Horton and Miss Etta Piper were made man and wife. The ceremony was performed by Rev. D. H. Tuttle, of the Central Methodist church, and was as touching as it was simple, the ring ceremony being used.

Though no cards had been issued in the city a large number of the most intimate friends of the bride and groom assembled to witness the marriage. The halls and parlor had been appropriately decorated and the air was dense with the perfume of flowers. The bride, being in mourning, wore a handsome gown of some gray material. In her hair were orange blossoms, and she carried a bouquet of Marechal Niel roses. The wedding presents were numerous and beautiful.

Mr. Horton is an engineer on the Seaboard Air Line, and a young man of much promise and bright prospects. His bride is a beautiful young lady of eighteen summers, and a sister of Mrs. Glenn. Immediately after the marriage Mr. and Mrs. Horton went to their future home on North Salisbury street, where a reception was held.

### MORE TURKISH BUTCHERIES.

### But Armenians are Preparing to Defeat Themselves.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Oct. 22. Advice received here from Ismid and Hendek, say that the Mussulman attacks upon Christians there continue. Troops have been hastily dispatched to the scenes of the disturbances. According to news received here from Adana and Aleppo, revolutionary agents are traversing the country and enrolling young Armenians, while quantities of arms, ammunition and dynamite are being smuggled across the frontiers for their use.

### GROVER IN ATLANTA

**THE OLD MAN GIVEN A ROYAL RECEPTION BY THE SOUTH.**

### NORTH CAROLINA'S WELCOME

Great Crowds at Greensboro, Charlotte and Salisbury to Get a Glimpse of the President--Ten Thousand People Enthusiastically Welcome Him to the Gate City--To-Day He Will Speak at the Exposition Grounds and To-Night Tendered a Reception.

ATLANTA, Ga., Oct. 22.—For the present, at least, the seat of the government of the United States may be said to have been transferred to Atlanta, for the city harbors to-night the President, the Vice-President and six members of his cabinet, not to mention Treasurer Jordan, Governors Coffin, of Connecticut; O'Fallon, of Virginia; Stone, of Mississippi, and a long list of other dignitaries.

Fifteen minutes after 4 o'clock this afternoon, on time to the minute, the Presidential special running as the first section of the Southern vestibule limited on the Southern railway, rolled into the Union depot. Ten thousand people had assembled in the vicinity of the station, crowding the streets as thickly as the space would allow and overflowing for several blocks in every direction.

The roofs, windows, awnings, telegraph poles and every point of vantage in the neighborhood had been utilized by eager on-lookers. The special was stopped outside the depot, however, the party disembarked and was escorted to carriages by the reception committee, and the drive to the hotel Aragon, their destination, began before the expectant thousands realized that the distinguished visitors had reached the city. Nevertheless, as the President's carriage, drawn by four white horses, dashed around the corner of the station, the crowd recognized the portly form of the President and a mighty cheer went up, which grew and developed into a roar as the line of carriages sped rapidly up Pryor street, through the mass of enthusiastic humanity. Mr. Cleveland was in evident good humor and bowed in response to the continuous ovation he received all the way to his hotel.

Secretary Carlisle, who with Mrs. Carlisle rode in the second carriage, was cheered frequently and Secretary of the Interior Hoke Smith, who found himself on his native heath, was given a hearty reception. At the Aragon the party was made comfortable until 8:30 p. m. At that hour the ladies were escorted to the Grand Opera House, where they were the guests of Mrs. Hoke Smith at a box party to see Rice's "1492." The presence of the brilliant array of cabinet representatives had packed the house, which is by far the largest place of amusement in the South.

At 9 p. m. the President and his cabinet officers sat down to a banquet given by Mayor Porter King, of Atlanta. Covers were laid for eighty, including the exposition officials, the city council, the visiting governors and other distinguished citizens.

The city is crowded with visitors to-night, and the superb weather that has prevailed so far assures an attendance of 100,000 visitors to-morrow. In the morning at 11 o'clock the President will be driven to the grounds, where he will review the military, deliver a brief address, hold a public reception and make a tour of the buildings. To-morrow he will be tendered a reception at the Capitol City Club, and at midnight will leave for Washington.

### Passed Greensboro Early.

GREENSBORO, N. C., Oct. 22.—The Presidential special train passed through here en route to Atlanta before 7 o'clock this morning. A crowd had assembled at the depot on the Southern Railway and was disappointed at not getting a glimpse of the chief executive. It was thought by some that the party would leave the main line here and go down to Raleigh, where the State fair opens to-day, but such was not the case, the train continuing on the regular Washington Atlanta route. The President missed a warm reception here by not being an early riser.

### Had Just Got Out of Bed.

SALISBURY, N. C., Oct. 22.—The Presidential train passed through Salisbury this morning at 8:13. A large crowd was at the station upon his arrival. Mr. Cleveland had just arisen when the train arrived, and the crowd was greatly disappointed at not seeing him.

### Shook Hands With the Crowd.

CHARLOTTE, N. C., Oct. 22.—The Presidential party reached this city at 9:25 o'clock this morning. The train stopped here 20 minutes and the President and his party shook hands with a part of the large crowd that had gathered to see him. He stood on the steps of the rear car with a bouquet of roses in one hand and seemed much pleased with his reception.

There were more than 4,000 people at the station and about 1,200 school children marched by him in line, many of them shaking hands with him. The Hornets' Naval Riflemen, Queen City Guards and Naval Reserves also turned out in honor of the chief magistrate. A round of applause went up as the train pulled out on its way to Atlanta.

### Bowed to the Ladies.

SPARTANBURG, S. C., Oct. 22.—The Presidential train reached here at 11:45 a. m. A crowd of six thousand people, including students of Converse and Wofford Colleges, were at the depot to

greet him. Court adjourned in honor of the occasion. The President appeared on the rear platform and shook hands with hundreds of people and bowed his acknowledgments to the ladies. The train stopped ten minutes and the President was continually cheered during his stay.

### Life Underwriters' Convention.

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 22.—The sixth annual convention of the National Association of Life Underwriters will begin in this city to-morrow and will continue until Friday. Nearly 250 delegates are expected and many of the most prominent insurance men of the country have already arrived. There will be representatives present from almost every State in the Union, and elaborate preparations for their entertainment are being made.

### COL. GREEN AND MR. WILSON SPEAK.

### The Annual Meeting of the North Carolina Agricultural Society Last Night.

The North Carolina Agricultural Society met last night in annual session.

Col. W. F. Green, chairman of the Board of Agriculture, who had been requested to speak on "The Mission of the Board of Agriculture," made a very interesting report in regard to the work done by that department. After detailing what was done by the publication of the Hand-Book of North Carolina, for the State, he went on to show how, by the dissemination of knowledge obtained through this source, the timber and mineral interests had been greatly increased. To-day a single walnut tree in Watauga county (ten inches in diameter) sold for \$150; while the same cut into cabinet work for veneering, would produce \$1,400, and the stumps have sold for \$10. The timber of the State is now largely imported to Europe to be used for veneering purposes. He stated that the Tanning Company at Morganton pays \$40,000 per year for bark for tanning purposes. The investment of Vanderbilt in Western North Carolina, amounting to \$10,000,000, was, in a great measure, owing to the efforts of the Department. Large sums have been invested in the oyster and fish interests. They have always been fostered by the board. Building stones have come into prominence. He mentioned a number of companies which have done a large and lucrative business. Through the efforts of Gen. W. G. Lewis, the phosphate rocks of Eastern North Carolina have been explored and found to be of considerable commercial value. The mining gold in the State has produced \$22,000,000, one nugget of eight pounds having been found at the Crawford mines, in Stanly county. Mining for copper, tin, mica, kaolin, corundum and monzite have yielded good returns. In the line of gems one Hiddenite, which is the rival of the diamond, was valued at \$18,000.

He spoke of the coal interests of the State and their vast importance in the development of the State. A-Heville Blowing Rock, Linville, Southern Pines, Pinehurst, etc., were mentioned as typical of our climate for health.

Col. Julian S. Carr, President of the North Carolina Agricultural Society, after a few words complimenting the work of the Agricultural Department, announced the next speaker, Mr. S. Otho Wilson, who delivered an interesting address on Irrigation and Trucking. He stated that half the farmers in Wake county can irrigate their farms from Neuse River and Walnut Creek. Mr. Wilson exhibited a map showing what an advantage irrigation had proved to him. It would only cost 10 cents per acre to irrigate.

At 9:40 the society adjourned to meet to-night at the capitol.

### MR. W. J. MADDREY MARRIED.

At least, he got a Marriage License Yesterday Afternoon--The Bride's Name is Miss Luvina W. Grizzard--Both from Northampton.

Mr. W. J. Maddrey, of Northampton county yesterday got a marriage license from the Register of Deed's office. The bride's name was given as Luvina W. Grizzard, of Northampton, aged 30. The groom is 55 years of age and the marriage was to take place last night, but the place and time were unknown. Mr. Maddrey is well known to be a prominent and prosperous man in his section, and will no doubt receive numerous congratulations. The ceremony was performed by Justice J. Q. Williams.

### MABLE PAIGE LAST NIGHT.

### A Packed House at the Academy--"Little Egyptians" to-night.

At the Academy of Music last evening the little favorite, Mable Paige, with a good support played before a crowded house. There is little in the plot, but the jolly way that the little comedienne and her support held sway on the boards made a happy hit.

It was an appreciative audience and applause was liberal.

The star, Miss Paige, Miss Ogden and Mr. Frank Morehouse deserve especial mention, as the top of the fun came from them. To-night the company presents "Little Egyptians."

### Scott has Broken With McHenry.

It is said that Mr. James Scott, of the Alamance Farm, has broken with McHenry, the driver of John R. Gentry, and that hereafter the famous racer will be handled and driven by Mr. Scott himself. Gentry will be driven at Reidsville by his co-owner, Mr. Scott, and some breaking of records may be expected.

### STILL THERE IS HOPE

**THE ARKANSAS SPORTS HAVE NOT YET GIVEN UP THE GREAT FIGHT.**

### ANOTHER PROPOSITION MADE

It is to Fight for a Purse not Exceeding \$25,000 and have the Battle Three Weeks Later than the Time Originally Agreed Upon--Fitzsimmons Says if There is not a Fight it will Not be his Fault--An Extra Session of the Legislature May be Called.

HOT SPRINGS, Ark., Oct. 25.—While the big fight has been formally declared off, there is still a deal of hope in the natives' breast that Corbett and Fitzsimmons will come together here. The situation is of course complicated. So far as its relations with the Florida Athletic Club is concerned, the heavy-weights battle under the original Coleman House agreement which was subsequently amended at Dallas, as a thing of the past. In its stead has cropped up a proposition to sign new articles to fight for a purse not exceeding \$25,000 and have the battle here three weeks later than the time originally agreed upon. Corbett, it is known favors this plan, and it is known here that Fitzsimmons will come about and agree to a settlement. It is also thought that he will submit to a reduction of the purse originally hung up by the club and sign new articles.

### Fitzsimmons' Statement.

HOT SPRINGS, Ark., Oct. 22.—Martin Julian, manager and backer of Fitzsimmons, has made a statement to the public of which the following is the most important: Fitzsimmons to-day stands ready to carry out to the letter every word contained in the articles to which he signed his name. He wants to fight James J. Corbett; he wants to fight for the purse offered by the Florida Athletic Club, and the stake of \$10,000 a side. If the Florida Athletic Club is unwilling or unable to carry out its part of the compact, in so far as the purse is concerned, then Robert Fitzsimmons will, on October 31, take James J. Corbett to any part of the globe within reach of both men, and then and there fight him to a finish for the \$10,000 side stake, each man to select six men, and these only to be present at the fight. I do not care to mix matters. I simply want to state, and state it strongly, that if James J. Corbett and Robert Fitzsimmons do not meet and fight on October 31, it will be by reason of no fault of Fitzsimmons'.

### The Pugilists Not Indicted.

AUSTIN, Tex., Oct. 22.—The Travis county grand jury made their findings public to-day. They found no indictments against Corbett or Fitzsimmons for compounding a felony or any other violation of the law.

### Special Session May be Called.

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., Oct. 22.—It is now certain that should the Supreme Court decide in favor of the fighters that Governor Clarke will call a special session of the Legislature regardless of his previous assertions. It is known positively that the Governor has a batch of telegrams already written out to the legislators notifying them of a special session stowed away in a pigeon-hole in the Executive Office ready to put on the wires at a moment's notice. These telegrams were prepared last night to be held in readiness for an adverse decision by the Supreme Court.

### SMASH-UP AT CARALEIGH.

### Came Near Being a Fatal Accident in the Engine Room--Damage \$500.

In the engine room of the Caraleigh Cotton Mills yesterday afternoon there was an accident which came near causing loss of life. The lower pressure cylinder of the compound Corliss engine cracked and the crank arm was broken off, but further action was prevented, it is said, by the prompt action of the engineer, Mr. Guion Dewey, in shutting down the engine. The damage will amount to about \$500. The cause is unknown. The lower pressure side has been stripped, and half the factory is run in the day and the other half at night by the high pressure side. It will probably be a month before the ordered repairs will arrive.

### University at the Atlanta Exposition.

Dr. Venable and Prof. Holmes, of the University faculty, are on the Jury of Awards. Prof. E. A. Alderman has a very prominent position as orator on Educational Day, October 25th. His subject is "Higher Education in the South." President Winston will attend November 25th, and help organize the Southern College Association. The football team will leave Chapel Hill Friday evening and play the University of Georgia Saturday on the Exposition grounds. From fifty to one hundred students will attend the Exposition before it closes. President Winston said yesterday that there would be no suspension of the University exercises for two reasons: 1. At least two hundred men in the University are too poor to spend \$10 or \$15 on such a trip; 2. The University cannot afford to give way to anything smaller than itself.

### Complimentary Concert This Evening.

In the Chapel of the D. D. and B. Institution a concert will be given at 8 o'clock this evening, complimentary to visitors and strangers in the city. The public are invited.