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### THE UNIVERSITY DOWNS DAVIDSON

And by a Score of Twenty-Eight to Nothing.

### THE A. AND M. IS DEFEATED

The Techs of Virginia Win by Ten to Six in a Hard Fought Game, The Virginia Club Having Advantage in Weight.

(Special to News and Observer.)  
Charlotte, N. C., Oct. 18.—The University of North Carolina defeated Davidson College this afternoon by a score of 28 to 0. The game was rather one-sided, but at times Davidson showed up well. The features of the University's playing were Burkley's long run and Groves' two goal kicks from the field. Caldwell, right end for Davidson, played a fine game, as did McLeod at full back. The line up was as follows:

Davidson.	U. N. C.
Carrie.....	J. C. Fisher
Gibson.....	J. L. Foust (Captain)
Lentz.....	L. G. Steward
Johnston.....	C. E. Steward
Hutchinson.....	F. G. Falow
McPayden.....	F. G. Jones
Caldwell (Capt.).....	Townsend
Kirkpatrick.....	q. b. Graves
Fetzer.....	l. h. Berkeley
Dickson.....	P. H. Jarcocks
McLeod.....	F. D. Engel

### A. AND M. COLLEGE DEFEATED

The Virginia Techs win by a Score of Ten to Six.

(Special to News and Observer.)  
Blacksburg, Va., Oct. 18.—The game here today between the Agricultural and Mechanical College football team of Raleigh and that of the Virginia Polytechnic Institute resulted in a victory for the Techs, the score being ten to six. In the first half the teams tied, six to six. The second half the A. and M. failed to score, the Techs making four.

### Another Report of the Game.

(By the Associated Press.)  
Roanoke, Va., Oct. 18.—The first game of the season of the Virginia Polytechnic Institute team to be played on the home grounds at Blacksburg, was hotly contested today, with the strong eleven of the North Carolina Agricultural and Mechanical College. The Virginia boys outplayed their visitors at every point. The A. and M. men made the required five yards in three downs, only once or twice throughout the game. Score: V. P. I. 11; A. and M. 6.

### Techs Smothered by Clemson.

(By the Associated Press.)  
Atlanta, Ga., Oct. 18.—The Georgia School of Technology football team was defeated here this afternoon by Clemson College, of South Carolina, by a score of 41 to 5, the South Carolina team winning by eight touchdowns and four goals. The Georgia team crossed their opponents goal only once, Clemson's strong defense keeping the ball for the most time in the Technology School's territory. Clemson's lightning formations and strong interference time and again smothered the Techs' line of defense, the plays reaching the Georgia Schools backfield with interference that guarded the runner with the ball across the goal lines.

### Five Thousand Watch Harvard Win.

(By the Associated Press.)  
West Point, N. Y., Oct. 18.—Five thousand spectators witnessed the military Academy football team score against the strong Harvard eleven in a fiercely contested battle here today. The game was an exciting one from start to finish, resulting in a score of 14 to 6 in favor of Harvard.

### Yale Drops Pennsylvania

(By the Associated Press.)  
New Haven, Conn., Oct. 18.—Yale defeated the Pennsylvania State College eleven at football today by the score of 11 to 0. Yale's goal was not seriously in danger at any time.

### Other Foot Ball Games.

(By Associated Press.)  
Pennsylvania State College 0; Yale 11.  
University of Pennsylvania 6; Brown 15.  
Princeton 23; Washington and Jefferson 5.  
Cornell 6; Carlisle Indians 10.  
Michigan 23; Notre Dame 0.  
Naval Academy 5; Lehigh 6.  
Chicago 12; Northwestern 0.  
Georgetown 23; Virginia Military Institute 11.  
Franklin and Marshall 26; Columbian 0.

### Society of Cincinnati.

(By the Associated Press.)  
New York, Oct. 18.—The membership of the Society of the Cincinnati was materially increased today by the addition to the general society of the provisional

society of Georgia. The admission took place at the Waldorf Astoria Hotel with Colonel Asa Bird Gardner, of the Rhode Island Society, in the chair.

### CITIZENS OF NEW BERN GATHER IN MASS MEETING.

To Investigate and Report on the Small Pox Situation. No Case Within the City Limits.  
(Special to News and Observer.)  
New Bern, N. C., Oct. 18.—A mass meeting of the business men of the city was called at the court house today to investigate the smallpox situation in the city and to proceed to correct the false rumors circulated through the county and State by people ignorant of the facts, and a committee of three, composed of Messrs. C. S. Hollister, L. H. Taylor and J. R. Parker, Jr., was instructed to have printed circulars with proper sanitary official signatures attached and distributed throughout the county and nearby towns; also posted at court house and public places that the people at large may understand the true situation, as there is not a single case within the limits of our city nor even a suspected one.

### EFFORT TO SAVE A BAPIST.

Forged Letter Purporting to Come From Lillie Lyon Said she had Sworn Falsely.

(Special to News and Observer.)  
Durham, N. C., Oct. 18.—Jones Fuller, city attorney, received a letter last evening purporting to have been a confession from Lillie Lyon, a small colored girl, in which it was said that she swore falsely in the trial against the negro John Parker, who was convicted and sentenced to be hanged for raping her. The alleged confession was a forgery. The little Lyon girl denies all knowledge of it. It is thought that the letter was written either by Parker or a friend of his. This was a bold stroke, but it did not work.

### STRONG SPEAKING AT KITTRELL.

Major W. B. Shaw, Hon. James R. Young and Others Make Ringing Speeches.

(Special to News and Observer.)  
Kittrell, N. C., Oct. 18.—Strong speeches that will unify the white men of this community most effectually, were made here today. Major W. B. Shaw made a broad and eloquent appeal to all patriotic people. Hon. J. R. Young followed with a solid phalanx of facts and figures that swept Republican sophistries and misstatements into limbo. Mr. McCain put in a few telling words. He always hits the nail on the head.

### DEWEY ELECTED PRESIDENT.

Of the Board of Governors of the Thomas Jefferson Memorial Association.

(By the Associated Press.)  
Philadelphia, Pa., Oct. 18.—At a meeting of the Board of Governors of the Thomas Jefferson Memorial Association of the United States, held in Independence Hall, Admiral Dewey was elected president. The board consists of one member from each of the thirteen original States, the District of Columbia and the Territories.

### Christened by the Governor's Wife.

Newport News, Va., Oct. 18.—The steamer Monroe, building for the Old Dominion Steamship Company for service between New York and Virginia points, was launched at the shipyards today. Mrs. A. J. Montague, wife of the Governor of Virginia, christened the Monroe. The new ship will cost about \$800,000 when completed.

### The Treasury Department has decided to anticipate the interest on Government bonds due November 1st, and Monday checks for the payment of this interest, amounting to \$2,233,000 will be mailed to bondholders.

### HAS BEEN MISLED

Treas. Lacy on Statement in Winston Republican.

North Carolina Four Per Cent Bonds did not Bring 111 Under Treasurer Worth, as Stated.

A reporter of the News and Observer yesterday called the attention of State Treasurer Lacy to a statement in the Winston Republican asking why North Carolina four per cent bonds, sold by Former State Treasurer Worth for \$111 were now selling at only \$103. Mr. Lacy said:

### PRITCHARD WAS ASKED POSERS.

Questions That Exposed His Inconsistency. They Put Him in a Nine Hole.

Some of Pritchard's organs, in reporting his speech at Tarboro (they haven't yet found out that Hon. Cyrus B. Watson and Hon. Claude Kitchin spoke there the same day) printed that he was interrupted by Mr. Wm. S. Clark, who asked him some questions. They were careful not to print all the questions or the answers, and this paper wired Mr. Clark to send for publication his questions and Senator Pritchard's answer. Here is his answer:

Tarboro, N. C., October 18.  
Senator Pritchard was boasting of the prosperity of the North Carolina cotton mills. I said: "Senator, I will bet a thousand dollars that the North Carolina mills have had the hardest time the last two years they have ever had." I do not recollect the Senator's reply but I have not gotten the bet from the Senator or any of his followers.

The Senator was attacking the Democratic party as a free coinage party. I said: "Senator, were you not a free coinage man?" He says, "I am not." I said: "Senator, were you not a free coinage man?" He said: "I was, but have learned better sense, you ought to have had better sense; you are too intelligent a man." I said: "Senator, I was never a free coinage man."

The Senator was attacking the Democratic party for educating the negro that he might be qualified to vote after the year 1908. I said: "Senator, are you opposed to that?" No answer. I repeated it, "Senator, are you opposed to that?" and never received any answer that I recollect.

WM. S. CLARK.

These questions exposed Senator Pritchard's inconsistencies, his dodging, his insincerity. No wonder his organ did not print them in full.

In Tarboro his chief appeal was to a

good price at Mr. Worth's sale was that the white people by an overwhelming majority had elected a white Legislature, thus inspiring all investors with absolute confidence in the integrity and credit of the State. Prior to this, under Republican rule, these same bonds having eleven years to run sold at 101, and did not begin to enhance in value to any extent until there was certainty of Democratic rule. Under Republican administration the 6 per cent bonds sold down to 115. They are now bringing 134, although nearer the time of their maturity.

### The Louisburg Budget.

(Special to News and Observer.)  
Louisburg, N. C., Oct. 18.—Court has been in session here for the past week. Hon. Francis D. Winston, judge presiding. The week has been devoted entirely to criminal matters, and the State has been ably represented by Mr. C. C. Daniels. This is Judge Winston's first court here and he has impressed himself very forcibly and favorably upon our people.

There has never been known such sales of tobacco as have taken place here for the past three weeks. It has been utterly impossible to keep the sales up with the receipts of the weed from the farmers. Prices continue to be high and there is no let up in the receipts.

### BARRING OUT ALIENS

More Effective Legislation Urged by Sargent.

Annual Report of Commissioner of Immigration. Suggests Penalties for Bringing in Deceased Aliens.

(By Associated Press.)  
Washington, Oct. 18.—The annual report of the Commissioner of Immigration was made public today. It shows that of the 618,734 immigrants who arrived in the United States during the last fiscal year, 466,369 were males and 152,374 females. Of the entire number of arrival Italy supplied 178,375, an increase of 42,379 over the number for 1901; Austria-Hungary 171,989, an increase of 58,599, and Russia 107,347, an increase of 22,090. Most European countries showed an increase but there was a falling off in the arrivals from Ireland amounting to 1,423, the total from that country being 29,138. The figures concerning Asiatic immigration show a decrease from China of 810, the total being 1,649 and increase from Japan of 9,001, the total being 14,210, or 170 per cent. Of the entire number arriving 162,188 were unable to read or write but 74,063 were under 14 years of age. Comment-

### UNDER MASK OF "CITIZENS."

A Few of the Brindles Will Put out a Ticket in Warren.

(Special to News and Observer.)  
Warrenton, N. C., Oct. 18.—Pursuant to a call from Nathan M. Jones, chairman of the Warren county Republicans, a few disgruntled men straggled into town today. The detail work was done on the street, groups of two or three being scattered in front of the court house. Nothing definite concerning their doings could be ascertained, but rumor has it that they will put out a legislative and county ticket to be known as the "Citizens" ticket. At one o'clock the assemblage in the court house was called to order. Mr. R. B. Davis, of Wilmington, was introduced by Mr. S. L. Crowder. The speaker admitted being a Populist, scored the Democrats and praised the Republicans, endorsing every action of theirs. His entire speech was conservative except his denunciation of the News and Observer and a few flings at its editor. By actual count there were one hundred and ten present, sixty-five negroes, thirty-five Democrats and ten Republicans. In the Republican contingent there was a postmaster, ex-State Treasurer clerk and three census enumerators.

### A Prominent Mason Dead.

Chattanooga, Tenn., Oct. 18.—Dr. J. M. Vandevan, a prominent Mason and citizen of this city, and one of the oldest physicians in the South, died today after an illness of several weeks.

### CASTRO'S HEROISM

TURNED THE TIDE

Rebels Defeated after Seven Days of Battle.

### THE REVERSE IS SERIOUS

Three Thousand Men Killed and Wounded.

Twice Castro at the Head of his Men Charged the Revolutionists Driving Them Back.

(By the Associated Press.)

La Victoria, Venezuela, Oct. 18.—A messenger has arrived here from the scene of the engagement near this place between Government troops and revolutionists, bringing news that after seven days of terrible fighting nine thousand rebels under General Mendoza had abandoned the field, having retired from their last positions, six miles from La Victoria Friday night, retreating in the direction of Villa de Cura. According to President Castro the killed and wounded number three thousand.

### STILL SNAPPING AT KITCHIN.

Patterson Speaks in Exhonor, Walser Opp-Independents, Their Ticket in Person.

(Special to News and Observer.)

Roxboro, N. C., Oct. 18.—The so-called independent movement was formally launched here today, Mr. Lindsey Patterson and Mr. Z. V. Walser addressing a crowd of about three hundred whites and fifty negroes. Mr. Patterson's speech was a weak one and a disappointment to his hearers, who expected to hear the issues of the day discussed; but Mr. Patterson confined himself chiefly to attacking Mr. Kitchin's record in Congress. His speech elicited no applause save from his negro hearers and a few Republicans. Mr. Walser did better and made a strong speech from his stand point, but defended the independents since he practically classed them with the Republicans.

### A Great Masonic Celebration.

(By the Associated Press.)

Philadelphia, Pa., Oct. 18.—Invitations have been issued for the celebration by the Grand Lodge of Pennsylvania of the Sesquicentennial anniversary of the initiation of General George Washington into the Masonic fraternity, an event which took place in the lodge at Fredericksburg, Va., on November 4th, 1752.

### Shaw Speaks at Jackson.

(Special to News and Observer.)

Jackson, N. C., Oct. 18.—Hon. W. B. Shaw addressed the citizens of Northampton county at Jackson yesterday evening. There was a large and enthusiastic crowd present. Mr. Shaw made a strong and forceful speech, holding the closest attention of his audience for over an hour. He struck telling blows at the protection tariff and the trusts and combines, which are sapping the life of the people. His arraignment of the Republican party was truthfully clever, and his bursts of applause.

### Conrad Brotha's Store Burned.

(Special to News and Observer.)

Winston-Salem, N. C., Oct. 18.—The store and stock of goods of Conrad Bros., near Waughtown, was destroyed by fire last night. The firm places the loss at \$300 above insurance of the \$1,900 on stock and building.

### Winston tobacco market broke all former records this week—1,639,114 pounds of leaf sold for \$184,788.55, an average of 11 1/2 cents per pound.