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Since our last issue we have received the following subscriptions and renewals:

- Rich Square, N. C.—J. S. Chap-pell.
- Jackson, N. C.—J. E. Barkley.
- Philadelphia, Pa.—Richard Martin.
- Rehoboth, N. C.—Junius Barnes.
- Como, N. C.—Mrs. S. P. Winborne.

The University of Tennessee admits all properly qualified young men and young women from any State of the Union free of charge for tuition. Students from Tennessee enjoy no advantages not open to those from other States. We believe that it will not be many years before all our schools for higher education will abolish tuition fees. The University of Michigan not only admits students from the United States free of tuition, but its doors are open to the whole world. Tuition is absolutely free.

CLERK FLYTHE of the Superior Court has appointed Dr. A. J. Ellis, of Garysburg, a county commissioner to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Mr. Crocker. This is a most excellent appointment. Dr. Ellis is well and favorably known all over the county, is a man of large experience and good executive ability, and will add strength to the board. The change in the school law requiring the commissioners to attend to all school matters greatly increases their work and doubles their responsibility, and to successfully manage the county and school affairs requires the services of such men as Dr. Ellis and the other members of the board, all of whom are good and true men. It is known that Dr. Ellis did not desire the appointment, but for the good of the county we trust that he will accept it. His services are needed.

WHEN Chairman Crocker, of the Board of Commissioners, resigned as member of the board first Monday in June the other members of the board postponed the election of a chairman until the vacancy was filled. Next Monday the board will elect a chairman. The school fund in Northampton is larger than the county fund, and under the new law the chairman of the board of commissioners will have to approve the orders for the disbursement of all the school funds. There are about three hundred school committeemen in the county who will issue orders on the school fund, and for the protection of that fund, it will be necessary for the chairman to become somewhat familiar with the handwriting of the committeemen. With all the vigilance of the officers there have been two successful attempts at forgery of school orders in this county during the past decade. The county treasurer, and not the schools, was the loser in each case.

NEWS FROM RALEIGH.

The Arrington Committee a Thing of the Past.

DEATH OF R. S. PULLEN—SENATOR BUTLER STUDYING LAW—SALARIES REDUCED—COLORED TEACHERS IN SESSION—OTHER NEWS.

RALEIGH, N. C., June 24th, 1895.

The "Arrington Triangle" is a thing of the past. "Chief-Justice" Campbell, of Cherokee, came here, called the committee, (although he was not chairman and had no right to usurp Bryan of Chatham's prerogative) summoned witness and made ready for work. The populists were doing all they could to prevent Bryan of Chatham and Phillips of Pitt, the rest of the committee, from coming here. They did not come. Campbell has a lovely jag on him, and in the mean time the limit of time for the committee to exist has expired, and Mrs. Arrington is no nearer her rights than she was six months ago.

Mr. Al Fairbrother, who figured so prominently in newspaper work in this State last year, and who went to Virginia has now bought the Durham Recorder, and will again become a North Carolina journalist.

At the Teachers' Assembly at Morehead City Thursday Dr. W. A. Mowry of Massachusetts lectured on "The Supreme Moment in the History of North America and Some of its Results," and in the evening there were poetical and humorous recitations by Miss Virginia Culbertson of Ohio, who was in Raleigh recently. Friday there was an instrumental music contest for the assembly gold medal, by pupils of the schools for girls in North Carolina. In the evening Dr. Mowry again lectured on "Napoleon's Easter Sunday in 1803." To-day Superintendent Scarborough delivers an address before the assembly.

The University Summer School for Teachers at Chapel Hill will begin to-morrow. There will be a large attendance. Senator Marion Butler will take a course of study in higher law at this school. It is a rare thing to have a U. S. Senator a student at a college.

The State colored teachers association has been in session here, their meeting being held at St. Augustine, the school for negroes under the supervision of the Episcopal church. Normal instructions in the shape of lectures and papers were given. There was a good attendance. It is the 9th annual session.

Many letters are being received by the department of agriculture in regard to making a display at the Atlanta exposition, the writers desiring to contribute exhibits. All the letters are referred to the Atlantic Coast Line, Seaboard Air Line and Southern railway, which are to take exhibits to Atlanta and display them there. Interest in the exposition is great in this State and is increasing daily.

The Baptist Woman's College in course of construction here is making good progress. The foundation is complete. It will be one of the handsomest school buildings in the State.

Salaries at the institution for the blind have been reduced by the trustees. The total reduction is \$1,200. The trustees say that the reduction is made because money is worth more, and will buy more now than formerly. Steward Grimes, who has been there for a number of years, has resigned, and will retire Sept. 1st. His successor has not been appointed.

Mr. William H. Kerr, the only son of the late State Geologist Kerr was drowned near Baltimore last week while trying to save his little son who had fallen in the water. His funeral was held here and the love and respect in which he was held was shown by the attendance of the remains of friends from Baltimore, Winston, Concord and Durham.

Mr. Charles D. Upchurch, who for years was clerk of the court in this county died near Rutherfordton last week. His body was brought here for burial.

Mr. Ernest P. Maynard, one of Raleigh's lawyers, was married in Meridian, Miss., last week to Miss Crudup of that place.

Public Printers Stewart Bros sent 16 copies of the acts of legislature of 1895 to the Secretary of State four days after they were all due. These were to constitute a delivery, but as there had been a delay in sending the indexes to them the \$50. a day penalty will not be enforced.

Mr. R. S. Pullen, one of Raleigh's wealthiest citizens, died here yesterday. He had been sick for some time, but he was not considered critically ill until a few hours before his death. He has done more for the city than any man here in many ways. He among other things gave the State 70 acres of land upon which stands the splendid A. & M. College. He also gave the city 70 acres and laid out graded and terraced it for a park. Now Pullen Park is a fashionable resort and will stand a fitting memorial for a good and charitable man.

An act of the legislature of 1891 gave bodies of convicts to the university for purposes of dissection, yet very few bodies were ever obtained, the penitentiary people claiming that only unclaimed bodies could be sent, and also that most of the deaths occurred on the farms. One year not a single body was obtained. The result was that bodies have been purchased in New York at a cost of \$35 each. The last legislature entirely repealed the act of 1891 in regard to the bodies.

Mr. Robert Ransom, son of Minister Ransom, writes that his father has improved so rapidly that he now walks about his plantation and will go to Washington City, July 1st.

The opinion of the Attorney General is asked by the State Treasurer as to whether a brothel in which people remain at night is a lodging house; also whether boarding which are connected with colleges are subject to the 50 cent room tax.

Mr. Bradley in his fight against Dr. Carr as druggist at the Insane Asylum is heartily endorsed by the Alumni Association of the Philadelphia college of Pharmacy.

The Philadelphia Lethia Water company was incorporated here on Saturday.

Raleigh will be represented at the convention of the Epworth League of Canada and the U. S., to begin at Chattanooga on Thursday the 27th.

The executive committee of the board of trustees of the University did not have a quorum Saturday so the meeting was postponed. When they do meet the question of lighting the building and campus by electricity will be considered.

A Tour Through Europe and the Holy Lands.

Dr. Geo. H. P. Cole, formerly of Northampton county, has been appointed manager for this State, and will accompany The Whittle-Hale, Popular Classical and Oriental Excursion, leaving New York August, 24th, 1895. This party was organized and will be accompanied by Rev. P. T. Hale D. D., of Birmingham, Ala., and Rev. W. A. Whittle D. D., a well known oriental traveler and writer. The trip will embrace England, France, Switzerland, Italy, Greece, Turkey, Asia, Minor, Palestine, Syria, the Islands of the Mediterranean etc., to be gone three months. A short section has been arranged for members wishing to travel as far as Southern Italy, and return home. In arranging this tour, three things have been held in view: Education, Comfort and Economy. This is to be a strictly select and limited party. For catalogue giving full information, rates etc., write to Dr. Geo. H. P. Cole, Hendersonville, N. C.

When are we Old?

It has been said that a man is as old as he feels, and a woman as old as she looks. The author of "How to be Happy Though Married" contributes a chatty paper on old age to Chambers's Journal. Some of us, like this contributor, know middle-aged men who think it a hardship not to be allowed to play marbles and leap-frog. The death of Matthew Arnold was caused, in his sixty-fifth year, by leaping over a fence in a fit of juvenile high spirits. The writer says:

"Old age, then, does not depend on years so much as is generally supposed; but if we think only of years, when does it tap us on the shoulder and say that it has come to keep us company? This varies with each individual and the circumstances of his life. Aristotle said that a man is not at his best until forty-five. Other writers say that he is old then. The three-score years and ten of the Psalmist has been adopted by most people as the normal standard. Dr. John Gardner, who has written on 'Longevity,' remarks: 'Long observation has convinced me that sixty-three is an age at which the majority of persons may be termed old.'

"This last age, however, is mere infancy compared with the ages said to have been attained by many people. Mr. C. Walford, in his Insurance Guide, gives a list of two hundred and twenty persons who, he thinks, can be shown to have reached the age of one hundred and twenty years and upward. An American (Mr. Joseph Perkins) has published a work in which he records over ten thousand cases of centenarianism.

"It is not natural for the lives of men to be as short as they are. The law of Nature is that every animal should live five times the numbers of years it takes to reach maturity. In the case of man, this is twenty-one, so that the child born with a good constitution should, if he lived a perfectly healthy life, and were not cut off by accidental destructive agencies, live one hundred and five years. There must be something wrong somewhere when he does not. There has been more or less of a murder or a suicide, or the environment has been unsuitable."—The Literary Digest.

Thanks for Help.

MR. EDITOR:—Permit me space in your paper to return sincere thanks to the good people of Northampton for help.

On the 6th of June at 3 o'clock a. m. the house I lived in was burned down, together with all my provisions and a part of my furniture. I have a wife and six children dependent upon me, and I had been unable to work for two months. Rev. D. Cale kindly took up a collection at two of his churches and received \$5.00 at Galatia and \$7.30 at Hebron for me. I have also received \$12.30 through Bro. J. E. Blanchard of Woodland, for all of which I return my sincere and grateful thanks. G. F. ROSE.

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NOTICE—SUMMONS.

North Carolina, Superior Court, Northampton county, vs. C. A. Coman, plaintiff, vs. W. R. Coman, L. A. Coman, Susie P. Coman, and J. S. Coman, defendants. Notice of summons. The defendants, W. R. Coman and L. A. Coman will take notice that the plaintiff has commenced an action in the superior court of Northampton county returnable on the 2nd day of August, 1895, for a dower in the lands of her late husband, W. H. Coman, when and where you are required to appear and answer or demur to the complaint or the relief demanded will be granted. Witness my hand this 25th day of June, 1895. J. T. FLYTHE, C. S. C. S. J. CALVERT, Pifs. Atty. 6-27-95

Weather Crop Report.

The reports of correspondents of the Weekly Weather Crop Bulletin, issued by the North Carolina State Weather Service for the week ending Saturday, June 22, 1895, indicate further improvement in all crops. The week was very favorable for harvesting grain and hay. The first three days were below the normal in temperature; the last part of the week was warmer and beneficial. The amount of sunshine was above normal. The rain-fall was deficient for the week, but local showers occurred on four days. Though crops continue late very few unfavorable crop reports are received, and the prospects are brighter. The next week will be very warm, with showers in the middle portion.

Eastern District.—With the exception of the first three cool days the past week was favorable in this district, especially for farm work, a good deal having been accomplished. A heavy rain fell on the night of the 15th, with some hail from Greene and Pitt counties up to Perquimans; the rest of the week was dry, and showers would make crops look better. Scattered showers did occur on 22nd and 23rd, just in time at a number of places. Other points are still dry and needing rain. Some worms still troubling tobacco, and corn in bottom lands. Corn is doing very well; some farmers are hilling up. Cotton improved, though still very small, with not a very good stand. Rice is up and growing rapidly. Sweet potatoes are still being set with plants scarce and many wanted. Most of the Irish potato crop has been shipped, and the shipping of truck will soon be over. Fruit still falling off, but reports are so diversified it is difficult to tell whether the crop will turn out more than an average one. Apples and peaches are ripening, and some peaches have come to market. Huckleberry crop is large. Melons not doing so well; too many insects.

Exposition Notes.

The general council of Philadelphia, at its session last Thursday, decided by a unanimous vote to send the Liberty bell to Atlanta. Some months ago the management of the Exposition asked for the bell, but the request was refused. The matter has been put to the Philadelphia council in a new light since the legislature of Pennsylvania decided to make a State exhibit at the Cotton States and International Exposition, and this unanimous action of the council in favor of taking the Liberty bell to Atlanta was the result.

Dr. Daniel C. Gillman, president of Johns Hopkins University, has accepted the position of Chief of the Department of Awards for the Cotton States and International Exposition. This is a guarantee of the high merit upon which the awards will be based. President Collier has sought to make the Department of Awards the best ever organized in America, and in securing the services of Dr. Gillman, he feels that he has succeeded. The name of Dr. Gillman commands respect all over the world.

Lucy Cobb Institute, one of the most famous female colleges in Georgia, will make a very fine display at the Cotton States and International Exposition. Wesleyan Female College, which is the oldest institution for female education in the world, will also make a handsome display at the Exposition.

President Bonilla, of Honduras, writes to President Collier, of the Cotton States and International Exposition, that the Minister of Foreign Affairs of that country will collect material for a fine exhibit and send it to Atlanta. A commissioner will represent Honduras at Atlanta and see that the exhibit is properly installed.

In all good things, give the eye and ear the full scope, for they let into the mind; restrain the tongue, for it is a spender.—Bishop Hall.

NOTICE—SUMMONS.

State of North Carolina, Superior Court, Northampton county, vs. W. H. Hughes, as executor of W. T. Stephenson, plaintiff, vs. L. C. Selden, W. W. Selden, Armita Selden, Jos. N. Selden, Laura A. Selden and John G. Selden, defendants. Notice is hereby given to the above named defendants, L. C. Selden, Armita Selden and L. A. Selden, who are non residents of this State to appear at the next term of said court at the courthouse in Jackson on the 1st Monday in August, 1895, and then and there to answer or demur to the complaint on file in said action or relief will be granted as demanded in the complaint. The subject of the action is real estate, and a part of the relief demanded is to exclude the defendants from an interest therein. Witness, J. T. Flythe, Clerk Superior Court Northampton county. This June 24, 1895. J. T. FLYTHE, C. S. C. 6-27-95

NOTICE—SUMMONS.

North Carolina, Superior Court, Northampton county, vs. S. M. Lassiter, Administrator of W. H. Coman, plaintiff, vs. C. A. Coman, W. R. Coman, L. A. Coman, and J. S. Coman, defendants. Notice of summons. The defendants, W. R. Coman and L. A. Coman, will take notice that the plaintiff has commenced an action to sell the real estate of the late W. H. Coman to make real estate assets and that the summons in said action is returnable on the 2nd day of August, 1895, before the Clerk of the Superior Court of Northampton county at his office in Jackson when and where you are required to appear and answer or demur to the complaint or the relief demanded will be granted. Given under my hand at office in Jackson, this 25th day of June, 1895. J. T. FLYTHE, C. S. C. S. J. CALVERT, Pifs. Atty. 6-27-95

NOTICE—SUMMONS.

North Carolina, Superior Court, Northampton county, vs. Roberta Drewett, plaintiff, against James B. Drewett, defendant. Notice is hereby given to the defendant in the above entitled action that the plaintiff has commenced an action against the defendant for divorce, and has filed her complaint in the office of the clerk of the Superior Court of said county, and that the defendant is hereby notified and required to appear at the next term of said court to be held at the courthouse in Jackson, on the first Monday in August, 1895, and during said term to answer or demur to said complaint, or judgment will be rendered for the relief therein demanded. Witness my hand this June 24th, 1895. J. T. FLYTHE, C. S. C. W. W. FEEBLES & SON, ATTY. FOR PIFS. 6-27-95

NOTICE!

Having qualified as Executrix of the estate of E. J. Thomas, deceased, notice is hereby given to all persons holding claims against said estate to present them to me for payment on or before July 1, 1895, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. Debtors will please pay promptly. This June 25, 1895. 6-27-95 S. A. THOMAS, Executrix.

NOTICE!

By virtue of a decree of the superior court of Northampton county in the proceeding of J. W. Boone vs. Charles Boone, I shall, on Monday, August 5th, 1895, at the courthouse door in Jackson sell by public auction the following described tract of land to wit: the tract of land on which the said J. W. Boone now resides, and known as the "Jesse Boone" tract, situated in said county on the east side of the road leading from Jackson to Boone's X Roads and bounded by the lands of Mrs. G. R. Calvert, Mrs. M. M. Randolph, the "Polly Jackson" tract, J. E. Grant and others and containing 130 acres, more or less. TERMS OF SALE: One-third (30) cash, the balance in one year with interest thereon from date of sale until paid; title retained until full payment. This June 15th, 1895. 6-27-95 B. S. GAY, commissioner.

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