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ONE DOLLAR A YEAR

THE PRESIDENT ISSUES STATEMENT.

When he arrived at his summer home at Beverly, Mass. President Taft gave out the following statement relative to the passage of the Canadian Reciprocity law:

"That I am very much pleased with the passage of the Canadian reciprocity bill through both houses of Congress goes without saying. I believe and hope it will be followed by similar action by the Dominion Parliament. In my judgment, the going into effect of the agreement will mark a new epoch in the relations between the United States and Canada and it will tend to a marked increase in the trade between the two countries which will be in every way beneficial to both.

"I hope the credit that belongs to Secretary Knox and his special assistants of the State Department in the negotiating and framing of the pact and their lucid explanation and defence of its terms, will not be withheld.

"In a sense, the bill passed was a non-partisan measure, though the Republicans who voted for it, probably did so on one economic theory and the Democrats who voted for it on another.

"I should be wanting in straight-forward speaking, however, if I did not freely acknowledge the credit that belongs to the Democratic majority in the House and the Democratic minority in the Senate for their consistent support of the measure, in an earnest and sincere desire to secure its passage.

Without this, reciprocity would have been impossible. It would not have been difficult for them to fasten upon the bill amendments affecting the tariff generally in such a way as to embarrass the Executive and to make it doubtful whether he could sign the bill, and yet to claim popular approval for their support of reciprocity in its defeat. In other words, the Democrats did not ply politics in the colloquial sense in which those words are used, but they followed the dictates of a higher policy.

"We Republicans who have earnestly sought reciprocity and some of whose votes were necessary to the passage of the bill may properly enjoy mutual felicitations on a work well done. To those who opposed the bill, on the ground that it will do harm to the farmers, we can only say that we who have supported the passage of the bill look forward to the test of the actual operation of the reciprocity agreement to disprove their prophecies and to allay their fears. The satisfaction that actual experience in its working will give, we confidently hope, will secure its permanence. In a decade its benefits will contribute much to a greater United States and a greater Canada."

ATLANTIC COAST INVENTORS.

The following patents were just issued to Atlantic Coast inventors, reported by D. SWIFT & CO., Patent Lawyers, Washington, D. C., who will furnish copies of any patent for ten cents apiece to our readers.

VA., John W. Fawcett, Norfolk, Burial vault.

N. C., E. J. Hearst High Point, Device for straightening matrices; F. A. Macon, Henderson, Pneumatic tire; W. B. Truitt, Greensboro, Dividing engine; S. J. West, Selma, Camera.

S. C. G. C. Johnson, Dillon, Safety hat pin.

DIED IN KANSAS.

Mrs. Viola, Cox a Former Resident of Randolph Suddenly Passes Away in a Far-Off Western State.

The following account of the death of Mrs. Viola Cox, once a resident of Randolph, was clipped from a Kansas newspaper of recent date and will be of interest to many of the relatives of the deceased:

A demise of unusual sadness, surprise and grief is that of Mrs. Viola Cox, wife of Mr. Mahlon Cox, at her home in East Endora after a brief illness of only three days. Dissolution occurred at 12 o'clock last Sunday.

Mrs. Cox died of septic poisoning, due to child birth. Dr. Keith of Lawrence, was called to assist Dr. Schellack and Dr. Woodard, but all that medical skill and willing hands could do was of no avail.

Short funeral service was conducted from the house at 10 o'clock, and from Friends church in Hesper Tuesday morning at 11 o'clock, and was attended by a very large concourse of mourners. The body was laid to rest in the cemetery near Hesper.

She leaves a father and mother, 3 sisters, a husband, a step-daughter and a large circle of friends to mourn her untimely taking away.

Viola May Rush, daughter of James and Luzena Rush, was born near Asheboro, Randolph county, North Carolina, April 19, 1878. While still a child she moved with her parents to Jamestown, Guilford county, North Carolina, where she grew to womanhood. While living there she became a member of Deep River Monthly Meeting of Friends, in which society she was a faithful and valued member until the Lord called her home. While living at Jamestown she entered the Preparative Department of Guilford College and spent three years of industrious pains-taking study in that institution, making a record that was a credit to herself and all who knew her.

In the fore part of the year 1902, she left the scenes of her childhood and came to Kansas to live for a time with an uncle, William Davis, who resided near Hesper. There she remained for nearly four years, winning her way into the hearts and homes of all she met. During this period she was a constant attendant of the Hesper Meeting of Friends and took an active interest in all that concerned the church and its work. Almost constantly during this period she gave her services as a teacher in the Sunday School and a leader in the Christian Endeavor; and though her soul has now departed, yet her life still lingers in the lives of the living; and that sweet and gentle spirit, which so quietly moved among the daily scenes of the home and the community, will ever lend its uplifting influences to generations yet unborn.

In July, 1906, Viola returned to her home and loved ones in Carolina, remaining there until the following April, 1907, when the family moved to Hesper, Kansas. She was united in marriage to Mahlon Cox of Endora, Kansas. The marriage vows were taken at the home, and in the presence of Rev. John D. Mills at Kansas City on January 12, 1910; and the two hearts that were there united, had lived in perfect harmony until death separated them.

REPORT OF GRAND JURY.

To His Honor F. A. Daniels, Judge Presiding we the grand jury for the term beg leave to submit the following report.

We have completed the business before our body and have returned all bills submitted to us for action, and made presentations of all matters which are within our knowledge.

We have examined the institutions of the county by committee and have visited the various county offices in a body.

We find the county offices in first class condition and well kept so far as we are able to ascertain.

We recommend that the county commissioners at once install in the Court House proper toilets for both male and female, and have removed from back of the court house the privies that are now there and the grounds cleaned up; we further recommend that electric lights be placed in the halls and stairways, we also recommend that the basement to the court house be cleaned up and put in sanitary condition, we further recommend that the metal shutters purchased for the vaults in the clerk and registers' offices be put up for the protection of the record.

We visited the county jail in a body and find it well kept but we are badly in need of a new jail as the present one is unsanitary and impossible to be kept in proper condition. We recommend that the jailor do not neglect in his efforts to keep the jail in proper condition until a new jail can be built, we find two prisoners in jail one male and one female.

We sent a committee to the county home and found 19 inmates there, among whom three are negroes, one negro child 3 years old, we recommend that this child be placed in a colored orphanage.

We find everything well kept and in good order at the county home, the inmates are well clothed and cared for and seemed to be well satisfied.

We find 10 head of hogs, 4 cows, 1 horse, wagon, necessary harness and farming implements all in good condition. There is growing on the farm 7 acres of corn, 6 acres of peas as well as potatoes, cain etc. We commend Mr. Prevo, the County Stewart and his wife for the humane way in which they take care of the unfortunate inmates of the county home. We desire to thank your honor and the other officers of the court for courtesies shown us.

July, 21, 1911.
Respectfully submitted,
W. J. STALEY, Foreman.

GIVE SKIN TO COMRADE.

Battle Creek, Mich., July 21.—With more than 400 pieces of skin on his body that originally belonged to his friends, former Fireman Geo. Nelson left the hospital last night to enjoy himself at his old home in Allegan.

A year ago when Nelson was taken from the Grand Trunk wreck at Durand, the physicians said he could not live. But despite untold agonies he survived the first month, and then the doctors put it up to his friends, George Minor, Ole Olson, Frank Floyd, all trainmen, and Fred Ross, a nurse, came forward and allowed 101, 100, 135, and 75 graftings of skin respectively.

Now, after a year in the hospital, Nelson is able to leave and rest indefinitely on the money given by the Grand Trunk as a settlement.

TO COMBAT SOUTHERN PINE BEETLE.

Spartanburg, S. C. July 19th.—To fight the threatened outbreak of the Southern Pine Beetle, a bark boring insect which caused enormous damage to healthy living timber in the Virginias in the early 90's and which has recently been reported in different sections of the South, a Forest Insect Field Station has been established here by the Bureau of Entomology of the United States Department of Agriculture.

It is feared that unless measures are taken for the control of this insect it will cause the loss of millions of dollars worth of pine and the station has been established here for the purpose of securing first hand information and for giving direct free instruction to timber owners on the most economical and effectual methods of controlling the beetle. The Bureau's experts have discovered methods by which the beetle can be controlled in some cases by the profitable utilization of the infected timber and in all cases at a moderate direct expense. Timber owners should communicate either with the Station here or the Bureau at Washington.

Recognizing the importance of concerted action and that the danger is common to the whole South, the Southern Railway is endeavoring to call the attention of timber owners throughout the South to the activity of the Bureau in this matter, in the belief that its interest is identical with theirs.

Some Wonderful Old People.

Margaret E. Sangster, writing of youth and old age in the August WOMAN'S HOME COMPANION says:

"Oliver Wendell Holmes, who retained youth in its sparkling efflorescence to the very end; Edward Everett Hale, whose benignant wisdom and humor never suffered the slightest diminution; Julia Ward Howe, as exquisite in age as she had been charming in youth; Rebecca Harding Davis, strong, cultured and sincere through all the years till the last one came, are fine examples of the imperishable vitality of youth beneath the mask of age. There are plenty of people on the stage still, living and working and serving in the ranks, but they need no mention. As they look in the mirror, Time, peeping over their shoulders, gives them a glance of friendly greeting—Time, the immortal, always young, always old, always going forward."

Escaped With His Life.

"Twenty-one years ago I faced an awful death," writes, H. B. Martin, Port Harrelson, S. C. "Doctors said I had consumption and the dreadful cough I had looked like it, sure enough. I tried everything, I could hear of, for my cough, and was under the treatment of the best doctor in Georgetown, S. C. for a year, but could get no relief. A friend advised me to try Dr. Kings New Discovery. I did so, and was completely cured. I feel that I owe my life to this great throat and lung cure." Its positive guarantee for coughs, colds, and all bronchial affections. 50c & \$1.00 Trial bottle free at J. T. Underwood's.

The wife of a Yale professor has sued for divorce on the plea that her husband termed her ignorant and uneducated. A rolling pin has always been considered the proper remedy for sure disgusting lack of appreciation.—Charlotte Observer.

COUNTY SUNDAY SCHOOL CONVENTION

The committee on Programme for the County Sunday School Convention to be held in Asheboro, August 17th and 18th, have secured Rev. A. G. Dixon, of High Point, as one of the speakers. Mr. Dixon attended the International Convention in San Francisco in June, and is, therefore, particularly well fitted for service, not only in this convention, but in his work for the cause in the State Association and his own denomination. The committee is unusually fortunate in securing his services.

The Executive Committee of the Association again urge the necessity of appointing delegates from the several schools at once, and sending their names to Miss Berta Ellison, the County Secretary, whose address is Franklinville. Superintendents and township county officers who expect to attend should also send their names to her in order that homes may be provided for them.

It is urged that the pledges made last year by the several townships be collected and sent to Miss Ellison at once, that the report of the Treasurer may be completed by the meeting of the Convention.

BIRTHDAY DINNER.

On Sunday morning July 2nd 1911 quite a number of relatives and friends gathered together at the home of Mr. Enoch Spivey to celebrate his sixty first birthday.

There were 31 children and grand children about 75 people in all. After while they arranged a long table out in the yard under the trees and loaded it with many nice things to eat. After prayer by Rev. F. W. Shaw every body was invited to partake of the bountiful feast.

After the table was cleared away the young people went in to the organ and sang many pretty songs, while the older ones remained out in the grove. Mr. Spivey received several nice presents from his relatives and friends. When the parting hour came every body said they had enjoyed it better than any dinner or picnic they had ever attended.

We all wish him many more happy birthdays.

One Who Was There.

FARMERS' INSTITUTE

To Be Held At
Liberty, Thursday, August 3, 1911.

Morning session open at 10 o'clock and afternoon session at 1:30.

SUBJECTS FOR DISCUSSION:

Soil Improvement, by C. L. NEWMAN.
Commercial Fertilizers, by T. B. PARKER.

Poultry on the Farm, by J. S. Jeffrey.

(General Discussion)

AFTERNOON.

Special Crops, by C. L. NEWMAN.
(Opening of Question Box and General Discussion.)

BOYS' CORN CLUB CONTEST

EXPLAINED.

APPOINTMENT OF COMMITTEE.

A full attendance of the farmers is desired.

GREENSBORO DISTRICT LEADS IN GIFTS TO FOREIGN MISSIONS.

Greensboro, July 23.—At the Greensboro District Conference which has just come to a close the lay leader Mr. G. H. Miles, announced that from reports in hand, he had found that the district last year paid to foreign missions over \$10,000, this being \$1.10 per capita. Dr. C. F. Reid who was present as secretary of the laymen's movement for the entire denomination stated that the Greensboro district leads the entire Southern Methodist church in its per capita gifts to foreign missions. Cheered by this unexpected compliment the conference passed a resolution that not less than \$20,000 be set as the goal for next year. This would be \$2. per capita. More than the district consists of country circuits. The district conference was pronounced one of the best ever held the masterly address delivered by Drs. H. K. Boyer and C. F. Reid representing the laymen's movement were greatly enjoyed. Delegates elected to the annual conference which meets in Statesville in November are: B. E. Jones, Greensboro; J. R. Ross, Pleasant Garden; Dr. G. W. Bradshaw and Frank Gurvey of High Point.

GRAND EXCURSION TO NORFOLK AND VIRGINIA SEASHORE, WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 2nd, 1911.

Via Southern Railway.

Special train will leave Salisbury, N. C. at 6:00 P. M. Wednesday, August 2d, consisting of first-class coaches and Pullman sleeping cars, arriving Norfolk early Thursday morning. Returning, special train will leave Norfolk at 6:30 P. M. Friday, August 4th. Two whole days and one night at the seashore, allowing ample time to visit the many points of interest in and around Norfolk. This will be first class excursion in every respect, and nothing will be left undone for the comfort and convenience of the passengers; the train being accompanied by special representative to see that everything is handled in first class manner. Following low round-trip rates will apply from stations named:

Salisbury, N. C.	\$4.50.
Linwood,	\$4.50.
Lexington,	4.50
Thomasville,	4.50
High Point,	4.25.
Jamestown,	4.25
Norwood,	5.25
Albemarle,	5.25
Gold Hill,	5.25
Rockwell,	5.00
Asheboro,	4.75
Randleman,	4.75

Low round trip rates from all other points covered by this train.

For Pullman reservation, or any other information, see your nearest agent, or write,

T. J. ANDERSON, Ticket Agent, Salisbury, N. C.

R. H. DEBUTTS, Traveling Passenger Agent, Charlotte, N. C.

SUMMER SCHOOL.

Because of our apparent demand for such I will teach a summer school of one month or more beginning next Monday July 31. The school will be conducted in the graded school building and the rates will be moderate. Any one who is interested can see me at the school building Saturday morning before the opening of school.

O. V. Woosley.