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 DUNN, N. C., Nov 5, 1902.

Baptist Association.
 The 27th annual session of the Little River Association was held here last week with the Dunn Baptist Church, beginning Thursday and closing Sunday. By many of the older members it was pronounced the best session in many years.

The introductory sermon was preached Thursday at 11 o'clock by Rev. G. A. Bain. The afternoon was devoted to the reading of letters from the churches, and permanent organization. Rev. J. M. Hollman was re-elected moderator and Rev. J. A. Campbell was re-elected clerk and treasurer.

At 7:30 o'clock the subject of periodicals was taken up and ably discussed for nearly an hour, after which Editor Johnson presented the claims of the Baptist Orphanage in a beautifully tender and effective speech of twenty minutes. At the close of his speech a collection was taken for the orphanage amounting to a goodly sum.

Friday was a busy day, and was taken up with reports and the discussion on Associational lines Ministers Relief, Home a Foreign Missions. Rev. L. R. Carroll, for several years pastor of the Dunn Baptist church, known and loved by all, made an unusually interesting speech on Foreign Missions at the close of the afternoon session. It was truly a great speech and was followed by a good collection for foreign missions.

The night session was devoted to the subject of Temperance, Editor John A. Oates, of Fayetteville, being the speaker. He ably discussed for an hour the workings of the Anti-Saloon League in North Carolina, and a profound impression was made, the great audience by a rising vote putting themselves on record for prohibition.

Saturday morning was given to the subject of State Missions and the Female University. State Missions was discussed by Rev. Livingston Johnston, Corresponding Secretary of Missions and Sunday Schools. At the close of his speech more than \$175 was pledged for this object. Rev. A. D. Hunter then spoke upon the Educational Movement and got a good subscription for the Female University.

The afternoon was taken up mainly with miscellaneous business and Saturday night the subject of general and ministerial education was taken up and discussed by several members and visitors.

Sunday morning the missionary sermon was preached by Rev. L. Johnson. The sermon was an able presentation of the harmonious co-operation between the spiritual and human agencies in the work of worldwide evangelization. The sermon was well conceived and it made a profound impression. At the close of the service the association adjourned. Then closed one of the best sessions in the history of the association.

At night Rev. L. R. Carroll delighted his many friends with a strong gospel sermon which to the young people should be a great inspiration. He had a packed house and all were glad to hear the good grand old man once more.

Fewer Gallons; Wears Longer.

NOTICE.
 Having qualified as an administrator of Mary J. Fowler, deceased, late of Harnett county, N. C. This is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned on or before the 15th day of October, 1903, or this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment.
 This Oct. 11, 1902.
 S. C. NEIGHBORS, Adm.
 Smith & Hatcher, Att'ys.

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County Democratic by About 500 Majority.
 Entire Ticket Elected—Election Passed Off Quietly.

Both the Democrats and Republicans were on the grounds yesterday doing some ardent work for their candidates. It was seen early in the day that the Democrats would carry the county beyond a doubt.

We find it impossible to give any exact figures as it will probably be tomorrow before all the townships can be heard from. There is no doubt about the election of the Democratic ticket.

Johnson county gave Godwin 2,000 majority. Patterson's majority is estimated at about 4,000 or more. Armistead Jones' majority will be 6,000 over Jas. D. Parker for solicitor.

It is estimated that the Republicans used fifteen gallons of liquor and scores of money in this township yesterday. More signs of whiskey were seen on the grounds than any election since local option was passed in Dunn. Fellow citizens how long shall this last? Let every man answer according to his own conscience.

Reports from Cumberland county are that it has gone prohibition by at least 1,000. Nothing up to this time has been heard from Sampson, but the Populist majority is not expected to be over 350.

We will give a full account of the returns from all over the State in our next issue.

There is truth and force in the following from the Virginian-Pilot:
 "The failure of the negro both in North Carolina and Virginia to offer for registration under the ballot laws in any considerable numbers would seem to indicate that the negroes generally are inclined to acquiesce in their disfranchisement and that the noise is all being made by a few mouthy 'leaders' who have been accustomed to trade upon and profit by the negro vote in Republican national Conventions.

It is merely an additional proof that the negro would be docile enough if left alone. But he is so easily led and so easily imposed upon that he must always remain a menace to political stability so long as he is a considerable political factor.

Beyond doubt, if the negro were let alone he would accept disfranchisement, in the main, with stolid indifference. His interest in public affairs has always been factitious and never intelligent. It is a pity the agitators do not allow him to take disfranchisement with the happy indifference natural to him."

Hicks' Capudine,
 FOR HEADACHE,
 LA GRIPPE
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 Round Steak at 10c.
 Loin " 8 1/2c.
 Roast Beef 8c.
 Stew " 5c.
 We have a nice lot of cattle on hand and they must go. Norfolk Oysters daily.
 Yours to serve,
Jernigan Bros. & Motley

Kill Hawks and Turkeys
 Why have hawks about your premises? Others do not.
THE DRAGON HAWK CALLER
 calls them to you. Take your gun and get rid of the pests. A turkey hunt is made excitable and profitable by its use. I will furnish a perfect Hawk or Turkey Caller for 75c each or two for \$1.25 or \$6 per dozen. Sent by mail on receipt of price. All hunters say the Turkey Caller is the best on the market.
 H. H. DRAUGHON,
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B. C. A. Dots.
 Miss Berdie Baker has returned after a visit to her home. Quite a number of our people attended the State Fair.

Miss Carra Spence is visiting relatives at Angier. Quite a crowd of our people attended the speaking at Lillington Monday.

The Stokes visited Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ryals last week. It's a boy.
 Mr. D. L. Delinger left last Thursday for his home at Cherryville.

Mr. Charlie Aycock, after spending a few days here returned to Wilson Monday.
 Mr. J. B. Ward, who has been in Richmond for several months, spent a few days here last week with his sister, who is in school here.

Mr. Ben Grimes, who was in school here for awhile, died last Monday. His remains were interred in Johnston county.
 Miss Rena Bell, who has been in school here for several years, left Monday for her home in Roanoke Rapids.

Mr. Herbert Holland, a former student here, who has been a flagman on the Seaboard Air Line for several months, was killed near Rockingham a few days ago.
 Last Friday evening Jim McAllister, colored, shot George Holliday, also colored, wounding him right badly. McAllister was arrested and placed in jail.

SNOOKS.
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 What everybody says must be so, that they can get the best shoes for the least money at P. G. A. Tart & Son, Dunn, N. C.

E. W. Green
 This signature is on every box of the genuine Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets the remedy that cures a cold in one day.
Hon. D. H. McLean's Speech.

Hon. D. H. McLean, who has been speaking in the interest of the Democratic party all over the State, closed his campaign by speaking in the Opera House here last Monday night to one of the largest and most appreciative audiences that has assembled here during the campaign. Mr. McLean is recognized as one of the ablest speakers in the State. Harnett county feels proud of him and well should she be, for he has few equals as an orator in our State and no superiors. He said he was not here to make new converts (as most of them were already converted) but to comfort the elect. We are always glad to see him.

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Bustles the Main Issue.

It seems almost certain that J. A. Norton will be returned to the house by his faithful constituents of the Thirteenth district of Ohio on the issue that if the women of this free country don't want to wear bustles—whatever that part of the feminine sartorial adornment may be—it is their privilege not to wear them. His Republican opponent, the Honorable A. H. Jackson, plants himself squarely and defiantly upon the doctrine that for the blight of Democratic rule from 4th of March, 1855, to 4th of March, 1859, this fair land would be billowy with bustles, and every whitecap that flecks the raging waves of prosperity would bear upon its crest a bustle. From every stump in his district Mr. Jackson is telling the voters that he was a happy and prosperous bustle manufacturer when the first Cleveland administration came into power, but that Mrs. Cleveland decreed that there must be no more bustles worn. From that dread moment his business began to wane, and almost in the twinkling of an eye his busy bustle mart became the habitat of bats and owls. More than that, the Hon. A. H. Jackson was left with 27,000 bustles on his hands, with no market anywhere upon the face of the earth for his wares. The Hon. J. A. Norton was quick to seize the issue, and from every Democratic stump in the Thirteenth district of Ohio he has gallantly flung back into the teeth of Jackson what he conceives to be a wanton insult to Mrs. Cleveland.—Washington Times.

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 If you wish to please your wife and make your home happy, buy a Ball Bearing New Home Sewing Machine. None run lighter and it excels all others in durability. It has less machinery to wear and consequently it is seldom out of fix. It is not only one of the best machines made but one of the cheapest on the market.

Repairs of All Kind.
 We carry parts an attachments for all first class makes of machines. Any one desiring repair work of any kind will please notify us and we will call and get the machine.
 Yours for business,
M. F. GAINES.

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Dyspepsia Cure
 Digests what you eat.
 Artificially digests the food and aids Nature in strengthening and reconstructing the exhausted digestive organs. It is the latest discovered digestant and tonic. No other preparation approaches it in efficiency. It instantly relieves and permanently cures Dyspepsia, Indigestion, Heartburn, Flatulence, Sour Stomach, Nausea, Sick Headache, Gastric Cramps, and all other results of imperfect digestion.
 Prepared by E. C. DeWitt & Co., Chicago
 For sale by Hood & Grantham.

WHAT THE PARENTS CAN DO.
 Teachers Must Have Their Sympathy.
 An essential element in the prosperity of any institution of learning is the cordial support it receives from its patrons and the people by whom it is surrounded. Without this, the schools of whatever grade may get along in hum-drum kind of way, and do good work, its teachers faithfully but drearily performing duties and the scholars going wearily through with their tasks; but where their is lack of inspiration, approval and encouragement from without, the actors are thrown back on the sole reserve of conscientious discharge of duty, the strongest, the most stable, the most trustworthy of all correct incentives to action, indeed, and yet which, when alone, often leaves the soul in disconsolation and doubt. Even strong men, engaged in arduous work, need the sympathy and expressed regard of their fellows for their support and full efficiency. How much more men of sensitive organism and tender women, employed in the enormous task of developing the intellectual faculties of the young, of placing before them the mental plabulum by feeding on which they will acquire growth and strength and stimulus for higher endeavor and of influencing them by wholesome instruction and example to avoid the evil and choose the right and good in life. Surely the teacher of all men deserves the sympathy and encouragement of right-thinking and virtuous people, and every community ought to and on proper occasions to express its sincere interest in its schools, in their work, in their teachers, in their pupils. No community can afford to leave its schools alone without countenance, sympathy and assistance. Every man, woman and child, be he patron or pupil, or without any direct connection therewith, ought to feel himself under obligation to do all in his power to speed the good work and to cheer on those immediately engaged in it. The influence for good of such sympathetic consideration and action will be two-fold: 1st, in stimulating pupils to higher aims and efforts; and 2nd, by a natural and necessary reaction on the community in elevating its tone enlarging its intelligence and putting it on a higher plane of living and acting. By all means do what you can to promote the welfare of the excellent institutions within your gates, and, so far as in you lies, influence your neighbors in this and the adjoining counties to do the same. In blessing others you will also be blessed.—President Richard McIlwaine, of Virginia.

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 If you are bilious and seeking advisers, take DeWitt's Little Early Risers just before going to bed. You will find on the morning. You are rid of your sorrows. That's all; just enough still.

These famous pills do not gripe, but move the bowels gently and easy, cleansing the liver. Their tonic effect gives strength to the glands, preventing a return of the disorder. Hood & Grantham.

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 I am headquarters for Anchor Brand Lime, and there is none better. Nails, Locks, Hinges, Sash, Doors, Blinds. Special inducements to Contractors and Builders. See me before you buy. PAINTS! I have undoubtedly secured the agency for the best Ready Mixed Paint on the market. The American Luca Paint, every bucket guaranteed.

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