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ANNOUNCEMENT.

The undersigned have contracted with the CAUCASIAN Publishing Company to become publishers of the CAUCASIAN. We will strive to keep the paper up to its present standard as a newspaper and advertising medium, and, if possible, improve it. In this effort we beg the hearty co-operation of all the friends of the paper. We are glad to be able to announce that ex-Senator Butler will continue to contribute to the editorial columns of the paper.

Respectfully, CARROLL & WILLIAMS.

A MONUMENT TO SIR WALTER RALEIGH.

A movement has been set on foot to erect a handsome bronze statue to Sir Walter Raleigh in Nash Square, Raleigh, facing the Union Depot. We give up much of our space on this issue to a report of the meeting held in Metropolitan Hall on last Friday night devoted to this project. The speeches delivered on that occasion will be found interesting and instructive. When this monument is erected it will be the only monument in the world erected to Sir Walter Raleigh. It is peculiarly fitting that the town that bears his name and the capital of the State which Sir Walter Raleigh gave so much effort and treasure to try to settle should thus commemorate him.

At the same time we take pleasure in noting that there is a movement on foot to celebrate the 300th anniversary of Raleigh's attempt to establish a colony on Roanoke Island where Virginia Dare, the first white child was born in America, was brought into life. It is proposed to commemorate this event on the spot where the old fort was erected and invite the Government to join with the State in the undertaking.

We also notice that during the past week the Governor of Virginia has issued a proclamation calling upon the people of that State to celebrate the 300th anniversary of the settlement of Jamestown.

The people of North Carolina and the South have done too little in the past to preserve their history and commemorate the lives of their great men and accounts of great events. If Jamestown or Roanoke Island had been in Massachusetts in the place of the Plymouth Rock they would have been known to the world as well as the spot where the Pilgrims landed. Colonial and Revolutionary events that occurred in New England, even when of less importance, are much better known to the world and preserved in history than events in other portions of the United States. This has been our fault. We are delighted to see that there is an awakening along this line and movements on foot to correct our shortcomings in this respect.

MR. GILL'S LETTER ON THE POLITICAL SITUATION.

In another column we publish quite a lengthy letter from Mr. D. H. Gill, late clerk of the Superior court of Vance county. The CAUCASIAN is glad to give the use of its columns, as far as it can spare the space, to subscribers who desire to express their views upon public questions, and will be glad to receive communications along this line for publication. We would request, however, those who intend writing letters to make them shorter than is the one in the present issue.

Many readers of the CAUCASIAN will, no doubt, in the main, agree with Mr. Gill, while others, in some respects, will disagree with him. Mr. Gill very pertinently calls attention to the fact that the great increase in the output of gold has proven the contention of the People's party that it makes no matter what money is made of provided the quantity is sufficient. Every one now admits that our present prosperity is due to the increased output of gold, and, therefore, the increased amount of money.

Mr. Gill might have also called attention to the fact that nearly every other plank in the People's

party platform is growing in popular favor. The Government ownership of railroads is now being advocated by thousands where once only a few were interested in its support. The same is true of municipal ownership of public utilities, postal telegraph, postal savings banks, and other much needed governmental reforms.

We feel sure, however, that Mr. Gill must have been mistaken about Senator Pritchard declaring in his speech at Louisville that he was in favor of keeping the present Democratic election law after the Democratic party shall have been driven from power.

As we have above said, the CAUCASIAN will be glad to have the views of others on the questions discussed by Mr. Gill or on other questions of importance.

WHAT IS THE MATTER WITH FRANCE.

The French Senate on last Saturday was engaged in the discussion of an alarming question to that country. The question was how to increase the birth rate in the nation. In the discussion it was brought out that every year a larger and larger number of those children born went to founding hospitals and that out of the number so put in the hospitals at least 80 per cent died in the hospitals. The members of the Senate who discussed this question declare that France is face to face with a situation where her population would grow less each year unless something was done to avert his great national calamity.

The large cities of the United States are beginning to follow to an alarming extent the lead of France in this matter. The birth rate in all of our large cities is falling off, and, besides, each year a larger and larger number of children that are born die as infants. Were it not for the small towns, the country districts, and the poorer classes in the large cities, as a nation we would be today just in the condition of France.

Among what is called "high society" it is not longer considered "good form" to have many children born in any family and it seems that the whole French nation has the same disease.

There is no necessity to discuss the causes and the remedy. It should be sufficient to call attention to the evil. Just how the French people are going to remedy it by legislation has not yet appeared.

SPECIAL NOTICE TO DELINQUENT SUBSCRIBERS.

During the summer THE CAUCASIAN received many requests from its old subscribers whose subscription had expired to continue to send the paper, stating that they would pay for it as soon as they could market their crops in the fall. THE CAUCASIAN cheerfully complied with these requests and hopes that all who are in arrears with their subscription, will now promptly remit the amount due and enough to cover a year in advance. We trust that this notice will be all that is necessary to our delinquent subscribers to pay up.

SPECIAL BOOK OFFER.

THE CAUCASIAN has made arrangements with a large New York Publishing House whereby we are in position to offer our subscribers good reading books at a trifling cost. On the fourth page will be found our offer which is for subscribers of THE CAUCASIAN only. If you are in arrears with your subscription send in your renewal and order such books as you may select, adding the small addition amount to cover postage and mailing and secure good

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A MONUMENT TO SIR WALTER RALEIGH.

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and not a little of her history and literature in the sculptured remains of her art.

Who can estimate the force in France today, of Les Invalides, or the Column of July, or the pathetic image of Joan of Arc, in the Square of Rouen, where the wonderful maid gave life for country?

What so typifies the blood and iron of modern Germany to the mind of her children, as the colossal bronze of Bismark? Peter the Great, upon his charger triumphant on the giant boulder of Finnish granite in Russian history, told in a single figure.

Especially am I gratified to witness the first fruits of the admirable work set on foot by the State Literary and Historical Society. All honor to those who have patriotic life combined to direct into effective channels the forces for our advancement, and the study and exploitation of our history, so replete with instruction and interest.

You have rightly begun at the beginning. The first fact in the history of the English people, the Anglo-Saxon race in America, is the settlement of Roanoke Island, within our own beloved State. And the first name which challenges the attention and regard of universal mankind, is that of the immortal genius who conceived the founding of an Anglo-Saxon home on the Western Continent; the soldier, sailor, poet, historian, courtier, scientist, explorer and statesman, Sir Walter Raleigh.

This assemblage here this evening, the deep interest already shown in the proposal for a visible monument to unite the history of this commonwealth with the five successive efforts made by his munificence to plant Saxon civilization in the Western Wilds, and the spirit which you manifest, all argue that the time has come, when we will no longer neglect our Laurels and Fetters. The coming generations in all lands shall be taught more respect for the varied and remarkable history of North Carolina, and more reverence will be awakened at the recital of the greatness of her distinguished sons.

I congratulate all North Carolina upon the success this movement has already achieved. To what enterprise of a public character could the State lend its aid more appropriately, than to the effort to perpetuate the memory of the celebrated patriot, the illustrious statesman, the daring navigator, the knightly soldier, the Christian gentleman, who planted the first colony of white settlers upon her shores—for before Jamestown, Roanoke was.

The contemplation of this majestic figure, so versatile in genius, yet as universal in brilliancy of success, as the faces of a diamond, would be a perpetual lesson to youth.

Many hopes and wishes have been lavished upon this object—as I have reminded you—to you has come the hour for action, and from you the men who will guide it to full accomplishment. It is time to dream no more, but to act.

Where is there a more appropriate spot than your beautiful Nash Square, named in honor of Abner Nash, the second Governor of the people's choice, and in remembrance of his heroic brother, General Francis Nash, who gave up his life at Germantown, in the War of the Revolution. How beautiful to link in imperishable fame the names of Raleigh and Nash—one who made possible the discovery of this grand domain, the other who died in defense of its principles and liberties.

This task, in carrying out the duty imposed upon me by the North Carolina Literary and Historical Society, I now commit to the hands of the wise, patriotic and distinguished North Carolinians, who have been appointed as the committee in charge of this pious undertaking.

I present you this box, as a offering for the gifts of the people, who will honor themselves when they crown the memory of Walter Raleigh, by their tribute to his life and character.

Acting Mayor Andrews Speaks.

After music by the A. and M. band, Mayor Protem A. B. Andrews, Jr., accepted the box on behalf of the city in a very neat and appropriate speech. The concluding sentences of his speech are as follows:

For years and ages to come this monument to be erected will stand as a guiding North Star to encourage generation after generation of our

youths so to shape their careers that they may avoid the failures and blunders of others and exemplifying their virtues achieve success and render their own careers and lives a credit to themselves and a blessing to their communities and State.

Again I thank you, in behalf of the city of Raleigh, for this gift, dedicated as it is to so noble a purpose.

The exercises were closed with an excellent speech by State Senator N. B. Broughton, who on behalf of the citizens of Raleigh accepts the box. In concluding he said:

Again, General Carr, in behalf of the citizens of Raleigh, I thank you for this noble deed, and in accepting it, pray the richest blessings of heaven upon you that you may long be spared to us, enjoying the fruitage of glory fast coming to many a life, many a home, many a school, college, to our universities and our whole State because of your generous gift, poured out from the mountains to the sea.

May this chest, like the one prepared for the Israelites in the days of the good king Josiah, be rapidly filled and emptied again and again until the proclamation shall be sent out by your air, saying, "Stop, we have enough."

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NOTICE!

North Carolina, Sampson County. By virtue of the authority vested in me as Sheriff of said county and having in my hands the tax books for the year 1900, and having received the tax books for the year 1899 and 1900 and having levied on 15 acres of land in Franklin Township in said county, listed as the property of R. H. Riddell's estate, I will on Monday the 24th day of October 1901 at 12 o'clock M., at the Court House door in Clinton, N. C., sell so much of said land as may be necessary for cash to pay the person paying said taxes, and the amounting to \$241 as is provided by law in such cases. Said land is described as follows: 15 acres of land in Franklin Township said county.

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North Carolina, Sampson County. By virtue of the authority vested in me as Sheriff of said county and having in my hands the tax books for the year 1899 and 1900 and having levied on 40 acres of land in Franklin Township in said county, listed as the property of Isban Highsmith, I will on Monday the 2nd day of December 1901 at 12 o'clock M., at the Court House door in Clinton, N. C., sell so much of said land as may be necessary for cash to the person paying said taxes, and the amounting to \$241 as is provided by law in such cases. Said land is described as follows: 40 acres of land in Franklin Township said county.

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Advertisement for Fidelity Mutual Life Insurance Company. Features: 'Protect Your Family!', 'By taking a Policy in the Old Established and Reliable Fidelity Mutual Life Insurance Company of Philadelphia'. Includes contact information for W. G. McCullen, Agent, Clinton, N. C.

Advertisement for Marion Butler, Attorney-at-Law. Features: 'GUARANTEED \$5,000 DEPOSIT R.R. FARE PAID 200 FREE'. Located at 505 and 504 Tucker Building, Raleigh, N. C.

Advertisement for Hamilton-Drown Shoe Co's Pignic Lace Shoe. Features: 'Through! Practical! Complete!'. Located at Clinton, N. C.

Advertisement for Woods Commercial College and National Civil Service Institute. Features: 'GUARANTEED SALARY \$900 YEARLY'. Located at 28 Church St., New Haven, Conn.

Advertisement for The Celebrated Farquhar Threshing Machines. Features: 'Simplest, Most Durable, Economical and Perfect in use. Washes no Grain; Cleans it ready for Market'. Located at York, Pa.

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Large advertisement for Daniel Allen and Company shoes. Features: 'SHOES SUITABLE FOR COUNTRY WEAR BOUGHT IN LARGE QUANTITIES, AND CONSEQUENTLY CHEAP, SOLD RAPIDLY AND CONSEQUENTLY CHEAP. Our First Season in Fall and Winter Shoes, and Consequently New. Made Especially for us, and Consequently GOOD AND GUARANTEED. DANIEL ALLEN AND COMPANY. RALEIGH, N. C.' Includes an illustration of a shoe.