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Business College (Continued).

It may be said, that the commencement exercises at Davidson College, which closed today, were, all things considered, the most successful of its history. The crowds at each series of exercises in the chapel were, larger, than seen there for some years and the order almost flawless. The increase of the size of assemblages to see bear still take part in the closing work of the institution marks the rapid progress with which the old institution is taking hold on new life and forging in the front in reputation as well as in the high character which it has for so long a time maintained among the highest schools of learning in the land.

The exercises yesterday consisted of two addresses to large audiences in the chapel, one by Rev. J. M. P. Ots, of Greensboro, Ala., before the Alumni Association on "College Education, Its Nature and Value," and the other by Col. J. J. Dargan, of Sumter, S. C., on "This, the Industrial Age," being the literary address before the Literary Societies. Both addresses were carefully prepared and received with great satisfaction.

In the afternoon the Alumni Association convened and admitted to membership the graduates and elected the following officers for the ensuing year: Rev. W. R. McLelland, preside; Rev. E. P. Davis, first vice-president; Rev. D. S. McAllister, second vice-president; and Prof. H. L. Smith, secretary and treasurer. The reunion of the Literary Societies was unusually successful and interesting. The orator of the Philanthropic Society was Rev. D. N. McLaughlin, of Sanford, N. C., and of the Humanitarian Society Rev. E. Mack of Charlotte. Both of these orators were chaste, thoughtful, and won all hearts.

The exercises of last night were in the chapel where the largest crowd seen here in years on a similar occasion gathered to hear the contest between the two literary societies for the orators' medal. There were six speakers, three from each society, as follows:

Orator: A Foreign Hero—W. M. Hunter, of N. C.

Orator: Savanorela—W. K. Forsyth, of Greensboro, N. C.

Orator: Two Types of Southern Character—S. W. Moore, of Huntersville, N. C.

Orator: The Ideal Statesman—A. K. Pool, of Keyser, N. C.

Orator: The Persecution of the Russian Jew—H. R. Murphree, of Davidson, N. C.

Orator: The Importance of Trifles—John Wakefield, of Greensboro, N. C.

All did well. It is a rare thing one hears six so happily conceived and admirably delivered addresses on a college platform. A committee of three made choice of the victor. By a vote of two to one the honor fell on the last speaker, John Wakefield, of Greensboro, N. C.

The degree of L. L. D. was conferred on Dr. Moore, of Union Seminary, and Warfield, of Princeton, and the degree of D. D. on Rev. S. H. Chester, pastor-elect to the Second Presbyterian church, Nashville, Tenn.

Many progressive steps were taken by the Board of Trustees to put the college not only in the front rank of other colleges, but in advance. By a system of temporary endowments it is proposed to so increase the revenues of the institution that it is long felt and only needed wants will be met. Dr. J. M. P. Ots, an alumnus of the institution, and a man of large means made a proposition to place a lectureship in the institution like that which gave the world the Bampton Lectures. The proposition was accepted and is to be consummated by Dr. Ots' own personal liberality and management. This will be a step in advance of any school in the land.

NO BATTLE HERE.

Both Blaine and Harrison fighting for Blaine. After the House of Representatives the Convention takes place at Eight O'clock to-night.

Charlotte went along today, as leading to the business, and as usual, not altogether unexcitedly, of the events at Minneapolis. But it is just not bothering itself about them. A big majority of our people still care whether Blaine, McKinley or Harrison was nominated. Their minds are made up to vote against the old enemy, no matter what sort of bait is offered. In strictly political circles, there was a good deal of interest manifested in the opinion was about evenly divided. Whenever a man spoke up and gave it is believed that Harrison would be the nominee they would be somewhat surprised, and was equally surprised Blaine. The Associated Press bulletin reported that the telegraph office kept the people posted with the progress of the election at Minneapolis.

Today's dispatches say that the convention was called to order at 11:30 o'clock. Senator Callahan offered a resolution that the Columbian Exposition be considered a great national undertaking and that Congress take such action as may be proper to carry this out. It is said the committee on credentials will be ready to report at 8 o'clock to-night and it is also said that an attempt will be made to resolve the committee and have the contest decided on the floor of the convention in order to get the last vote an 11:30 o'clock of the rival candidates.

After two hours of hard fighting and moving with various moves, the convention adjourned until 10 o'clock to-night, at which time it will be in shape to begin the real work. Both the Blaine and Harrison factions are fighting for a delay. Each one is afraid of the other. Harrison seems to be in the lead to-day. Unless a mighty combination is made, he will very probably be nominated on the first ballot.

The North Carolina Crowd.

A break has occurred in the North Carolina delegation at Minneapolis, and there are five pronounced Blaine men among them now, and it is claimed that almost as many more are wavering and would be quite happy if a third man could be brought out and the terrible struggle that is going on between Blaine and Harrison, be thus ended. North Carolina has been heavily raided by the anti-Harrison managers but as so many office holders are delegates from that State they are bound to stick to the president as long as there is any show for his nomination.

North Carolina has not yet elected a national committee-man, and the indications are that Canada will not be the man. The election of a committee-man will not take place till after the contests from the State are settled. It looks as if these contests would be settled so that each side would get two delegates, and that it would give seats to John Williamson, colored, from the Fourth, James H. Young, and A. Brady from the Sixth, and J. J. Matt from the Seventh districts. Young and Brady are officeholders and are for Harrison in all probability, but it is said they are not enthusiastic, though they will have to support him if they keep their seats.

Funeral of Mrs. McGinn.

The funeral services of Mrs. L. H. McGinn, whose death was noted in yesterday's News, were conducted from the Tryon street Methodist church this morning by Rev. W. S. Creasy at 10 o'clock. The pall bearers were J. S. Spencer, R. N. Littlejohn, Walter Brem, Joseph McLaughlin, M. E. Kirby, W. R. Jones. The body was interred at Elmwood.

Our Watchwords

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THE POLK LETTER

He is still in a very critical condition. Considerable interest has been shown in Charlotte over the published reports of Gen. L. J. Polk's condition. It was not thought in Washington yesterday that he could live through a night. He is suffering with heart trouble and from swelling of the bladder, and though he had been sick for several weeks it was only yesterday afternoon that he was in such a alarming condition, when a doctor called and violently warned. Early this morning a private telegram received in the city stated that he had not only survived the night, but is better today and there are hopes of his recovery, though he is a very sick man.

In response to a telegram from the News, Capt. S. B. Alexander stated that this afternoon, he and Gen. Polk is better than he was yesterday.

Personal Paragraphs.

Miss C. A. Misenheimer and child, who left yesterday afternoon for a Baltimore county, Md. Mrs. Misenheimer's boy went along and they are prepared to stay three months. They will first visit Mr. Earl Query Thomas, they will go to J. C. Barnhardt's home at Plow Mill. During the absence of the family, Mr. Misenheimer will board at the Central Hotel.

Rev. J. J. McLean, formerly pastor of the Central street Presbyterian church of this city, passed through Charlotte on the vestibule train this morning on the return to Durham in Greensboro, S. C., from a trip to Europe.

Mr. Walter R. Phillips, of Richmond, who was married in Augusta yesterday afternoon, arrived in the city this morning with his bride. They will leave this evening for Danville, their future home. They are at the Central.

Mr. P. R. Law, one of the trustees of Davidson College, was in the city today on his return to Lumberton from a meeting of the trustees.

Miss Mary Krueger arrived this morning from Lutherville Seminary, Baltimore, Md.

Mrs. Hattie Moore and child left today to spend the summer on the coast.

Miss Beckie Nichols left yesterday to visit friends at Anderson, S. C.

Miss Blanche Mason has gone to Spartanburg.

A Law that is sometimes Violated.

Now that tax listing is in order, it will not be out of place to publish a law which, some list takers say, is sometimes violated. It is this: If, with an intent to evade the law, a tax-payer exchanges a certificate of deposit for non-tax paying securities, and after the date for listing expires, to take such certificate back, the law holds him guilty of a misdemeanor.

Building Railroads for the Northerners.

Northern railroad builders are beginning to appreciate the superiority of Southern contractors. A few days since 300 negroes left this section to work on railroad construction in New York, and this morning a contractor passed through Charlotte with his entire outfit for Pennsylvania. He got the contract for building a railroad in that State and moved there with his railroad outfit, including a lot of mules, 100 negroes, ploughs, shovels, picks, barrows, etc. He chartered a special freight train to carry him through to his destination.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

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