

"This ARGUS o'er the people's rights
Doth an eternal vigil keep;

No soothing strains of Maia's son
Can lull its hundred eyes to sleep."

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ANTE-SEASON BASEBALL GAMES

Goldsboro Will Play Four
Match Contests Pre-
vious to Opening.

CHANCE FOR LADY WINNER

A. & M., Trinity and Atlantic Christian
College Teams Will Play on
Local Diamond This and
Next Week.

Every young lady in Goldsboro will have an opportunity to secure a season ticket of admission to the baseball park through a contest offered by the Athletic Association in selling tickets for the opening game, Monday, May 17, with Rocky Mount on the local diamond. The offer begins tomorrow afternoon, and all contestants should secure tickets from Mr. Edwin Lee, at the office of the Southern Cotton Oil Company.

A series of ante-season games have been arranged as follows, to be played on the local diamond:

Saturday, May 8—A. & M.
Monday, May 10—Trinity.

Wednesday and Thursday, May 12 and 13—Atlantic Christian College.

The price of admission for adults

25 cents, children 15 cents.

The Athletic Association has not received any bids for privileges at the park for the season for a sufficient amount to justify them in disposing of the privileges. The association will not consider any bid less than \$100. Any person desiring to bid upon these terms should make it known by noon, May 6, to Secretary Edwin Lee.

Mr. Crocker Resigns.

The resignation of Mr. B. L. Crocker as manager of the Southern Express office in this city went into effect today and he is succeeded by Mr. F. B. Crowson, of Wilmington.

Mr. Crocker has had in contemplation for some months the step he has finally taken, looking to going into business holding wider opportunities, but as yet he has not definitely decided what line he will take up.

It is to be hoped that he will remain in Goldsboro, for he has made friends here, with all our people, and they would be glad to retain him and his excellent young wife as permanent citizens.

Compromise of \$150 on Lumber.

Washington, D. C., May 1.—All efforts to get free lumber in the tariff bill have been abandoned, and despite the attacks which have been made by Senator Nelson and others upon the so-called lumber trust, it is probable the Senate will advance the duty to \$150 a thousand. This figure is a compromise between the present rate of \$2 and \$1 fixed in the House bill. The Democrats are largely responsible for this added protection to the industry.

Chinese Emperor's Burial.

Pekin, May 1.—The burial of the late Emperor took place today and was accompanied by ceremonies of a most imposing character. The event was attended by all of the high officials of the Chinese government, and by special ambassadors sent by various governments. The United States was represented by Mr. Rockhill, the American minister in Peking.

Two Thousand Bakers on Strike.

New York, May 1.—Two thousand bakers of the east side are on a strike today in demand for the former slice loaf, higher wages, closed shop, shorter working hours and better sanitary conditions. The strike, it is declared, was caused indirectly by the recent Patton wheat corner, which led to a reduction of wages. In consequence of the strike 385 bakeries are crippled and unable to supply their customers.

Counts Come High.

Aiken, S. C., May 1.—It is said that before Count Coloreded Mannsfield, Miss Nora Iselin's fiancé, left for Washington yesterday afternoon papers were signed guaranteeing him the transfer of \$2,000,000 to his name before the marriage takes place this month.

The Iselins will leave Aiken on Saturday for New Rochelle, N. Y. Count Mannsfield will soon proceed from Washington to New Rochelle, where the wedding is to be held.

Advertise in the ARGUS.

EUREKA HAPPENINGS.

Mrs. David Sasser, of Goldsboro, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Missouri Yelverton, this week.

Quite a number from Eureka attended the district conference at Stan-
tonsburg which convened April 28, 29 and 30.

Miss Annie Crow, of the graded school faculty returned to her home in Goldsboro Saturday.

Miss Susie Sauls, of Wilson, attended commencement this week, and stopped with her sister, Mrs. W. J. Yelverton.

Miss Lella Martin returned from Wilson Wednesday, where she attended the marriage of her cousin, Miss Etta Paschal.

Messrs. Charlie Benton and Henry Paschal, Henry Woodard, of Wilson, attended commencement.

The Pikeville and Eureka baseball teams played a match game on commencement day which resulted in Pikeville defeating Eureka by a score of 12 to 3.

The faculty of Pikeville High School attended the concert on Wednesday night.

The first annual commencement of Eureka Graded School occurred on Wednesday, April 28, but the real commencement began on Tuesday afternoon, when the efficient and much loved superintendent treated the faculty and students to lemonade and such good lemonade and such a quantity of it, and how all did enjoy it, especially the little folks.

Wednesday morning dawned cloudy, but by ten o'clock the sun was shining and all hearts were made glad, and not a cloud marred the exercises of the day or night.

The exercises Wednesday morning consisted of recitations and declamations interspersed with music by the talented Miss Susie Sauls, of Wilson, but who was born and reared in Eureka; no one has ever listened to more sweet and enchanting music than was rendered by Miss Sauls that day.

At ten o'clock Supt. E. T. Atkinson made a short and impressive talk in which he congratulated the faculty on their excellent work during the year, after which he introduced Supt. E. A. Woltz, of the Goldsboro city schools. It is impossible to do justice to Mr. Woltz's address. His subject was "Public Education." It has never been our privilege to listen to a more masterful address. The audience was held spellbound for nearly an hour, and each and every one was sorry when he ceased, although it was past the dinner hour. We wish every man and woman in Wayne county could have heard Mr. Woltz's address. I think every one who heard that address will be made better and have higher and loftier ideas in the future.

The dinner was just a one as Eureka people always have, and how every one did enjoy it. There was plenty and an abundance left.

The annual concert began at eight o'clock, and consisted of songs, drills, a flower festival and a short play. The children did much credit to themselves and the teachers. Music was furnished by a band composed of Mr. J. B. Exum and son, John Burt and Mr. Frank Sauls, on the violins, and Miss Susie Sauls on piano. The music was such as you might expect from these talented people. And we extend many, many thanks to them.

Every one pronounced this the first annual commencement, a success, and say they will look forward each year to Eureka Graded School commencement.

The same faculty has been asked to have charge of the school for the coming year.

Mr. A. A. Miller, of Goldsboro, came down with Messrs. Atkinson and Woltz, and at the noon hour took the picture of the building, the teachers and students.

MAGISTER.

Eureka, April 30, 1909.

Dry Territory Increased.

Concord, N. H., May 2.—The changes resulting from last fall's referendum on the liquor question in New Hampshire were put into effect Saturday, with the result that the prohibition territory in this state is largely increased. There are now but twenty-five of the 230 towns in New Hampshire in which saloons or wholesale liquor places can be maintained. These twenty-five towns had a total population of but 29,407, according to the last census. The total population of all the towns in the state was about 350,000, so that as regards the towns by population, more than seven-eighths of them are now no-license. Six of the eleven cities, having an aggregate population of 50,000, are also no-license, so that, including the large cities, about two-thirds of all the people of the state are living in no-license territory.

We are showing the celebrated North Star Refrigerators in the new store. Andrews & Waddell Furniture Co.

PASTORS UNION MEMORIAL SERVICES

Large Crowd Attended Ser-
vices Sunday in Honor
of Rev. Farries.

IN PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Former Brethren of Ministerial As-
sociation of Which He was Pres-
ident Honored His Memory
With Tributes.

Last night's memorial meeting in the Presbyterian Church in honor of its beloved and lamented pastor, the late Rev. F. W. Farries, under the auspices of the evangelical Pastors' Union of this city, was in itself—the great commingling together of all classes and sects of our people—a most eloquent and touching tribute to the esteem in which the good man gone was held in this community, while the spoken eulogies met a tender and tearful echo in every heart in that thronged congregation.

The meeting was presided over by the chairman of the Pastors' Union, Rev. W. G. Hubbard, which office was held by Rev. F. W. Farries during his life, and the special choir rendered during the service several favorite hymns of the dead pastor.

The special scripture reading was by Rev. E. H. Davis, pastor of St. Paul M. E. Church, and the prayer was by Rev. G. T. Watkins, pastor of the First Baptist Church.

Beautiful, true and tenderly loving eulogies were then spoken by the Pastors' Union. These were Rev. W. G. Hubbard, Rev. G. T. Watkins, Rev. S. H. Isler, Mr. George C. Royall, president of the hospital board, and Hon. W. S. O'B. Robinson.

On behalf of the Pastors' Union the following was read by Rev. E. H. Davis, who had been assigned this duty: "We, the pastors comprising the Pastors' Union of Goldsboro desire in this way to give brief expression of our estimate of the life and our appreciation of the labors among us of our late beloved brother and honored president, F. W. Farries.

"The oldest among us by residence knew him comparatively and actually but a short time. His coming to Goldsboro antedated that of any of us by a number of years. But it does not require years to know some men. Conscious of nothing they need to secrete, they are not naturally secretive. They inspire confidence and invite it, and their living day by day is of the sort the Apostle had in view when he wrote, 'Living epistles, known and read of all men.' In such lives God's law appears drawn out in living characters. The love of his God is in his heart, his steps do not slide. His heart is to do the will of Him that sent him and to finish his work. The hand of the Master has been laid upon every part of such a man's being and every part is under contribution, constant contribution to His will. It requires not long for a life of such quality to make its impression or to evidence its flavor.

We wish to say that the impression our brother first made upon us was distinctly of this kind, and during the short years of our association it has never changed except to deepen. He impressed us as a man of God, called to his work, whose will and whose work he loved and constantly strove to subserve. He was no theorist, no vagabond; but whatever promised the uplift of the community and the glory of God commanded his time and strength, both of body and mind. The glory of God did not restrict his efforts to the enclosure of his own denomination. Other folds in our midst as well as the whole community are today the beneficiaries of his prayers, his counsels, his labors.

"Our Union, as far as any one of us is concerned or knows, was his creation; at least, it originated in his thinking brain, ever planning for the good of the community and the extension of the Redeemer's Kingdom. He it was who first called us together, just a little over two years ago in his own study, and after fervent prayer, led by himself, stated what was in his mind and his object in so calling us. The Union, then organized, has continued without a break until now, and up to the time of his death was constantly presided over by himself, always at the earnest insistence of his brethren, though not without remonstrance from himself. He was always present at a regular meeting, save when the will of God ordered otherwise. He never forgot it, and not in-

frequently reminded the rest of us when our presence was due at 10:30 Monday morning. From his sick room in Chase City, when he could not be present, he wrote, and the letter was in due time for the Monday meeting. To us he always appeared and was brotherly in spirit, broad in charity, liberal in view, wise in counsel, prudent before engaging in a conflict and brave when it was actually on. We shall miss him—we have missed him; our association has been profitable—but these are over, here and now; your last grasp of the hand has been felt; your last wise counsel has been heard; your last prayer and benediction have been uttered. But in the general assembly and church of the First-born which are written in heaven we shall strive to meet you again.

"We venture again to remind this audience of Goldsboro people of the loss to this community in the taking away from our midst of F. W. Farries, the citizen. If you have not found it out you will find it out, his place is hard to fill. He did not force himself into your thought or work. He shirked no responsibility that you put upon him or besought him to undertake. Pastors' Unions, Anti-Saloon Leagues, hospital boards, whatever they were if they meant the good of this community, could always ask his time and help and know they could not ask in vain. His work will abide; let his memory—the memory of this patient, true, earnest, upright, patriotic citizen, as well as able, clean, fervent and laborious minister of the gospel, be perpetually and affectionately cherished among us. This, his congregation of believers, to whom he came from his distant home to minister in spiritual things, between whom and himself the tie so long existing has now been broken, we can only commend you to God and the way of His good, which is able to build you up and to give you also part of that inheritance upon which he has already entered. He loved you and you loved him, and, sweet thought, you did not wait until death had stopped his ear until you said so. In one way or another you said so again and again, and though death came to him in a land that once was strange to him, and among people who were once strangers to him, yet, strangers no longer, it was among them that loved him and whom he loved that the summons came, and if we may be permitted so to say, we doubt if a better place for him to answer that summons and to sleep his last sleep could be found in his native Scotland or his beloved Canada than right here in Goldsboro, where as citizen, as friend, as brother, as pastor, we have all loved the man and shall reverence his memory.

"To you, his congregation, and to his afflicted family—blessed even in affliction—we, his brother pastors, bring this unworthy tribute, and with it the assurance of our affection and of our prayers.

"W. G. HUBBARD.
G. T. WATKINS.
J. H. FRIZELLE.
E. H. DAVIS."

The fear is that Mr. Roosevelt will return with a petulant liver. Rydard Kipling says he has no chance to come home with a sound liver.

You can forgive even a politician by being the one yourself.

DO YOU GET UP

WITH A LAME BACK?

Kidney Trouble Makes You Miserable.

Almost everybody who reads the news-
papers is sure to know of the wonderful
cures made by Dr.
Kilmer's Swamp-Root,
the great kidney, liver
and bladder remedy.

It is the great medi-
cal triumph of the nine-
teenth century; dis-
covered after years of
scientific research by
Dr. Kilmer, the emi-
nent kidney and blad-
der specialist, and is
wonderfully successful in promptly curing
lame back, kidney, bladder, uric acid trou-
bles and Bright's Disease, which is the worst
form of kidney trouble.

Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root is not rec-
ommended for everything but if you have kid-
ney, liver or bladder trouble it will be found
just the remedy you need. It has been tested
in so many ways, in hospital work, in private
practice, among the helpless to poor to pur-
chase relief and has proved so successful in
every case that a special arrangement has
been made by which all readers of this paper
who have not already tried it, may have a
sample bottle sent free by mail, also a book
telling more about Swamp-Root and how to
find out if you have kidney or bladder trouble.

When writing mention reading this generous
offer in this paper and
send your address to
Dr. Kilmer & Co., Bing-
hamton, N. Y. The
regular fifty cent and
dollar sizes are sold by all good druggists.
Don't make any mistake, but remember
the name, Swamp-Root. Dr. Kilmer's
Swamp-Root, and the address, Binghamton,
N. Y., on every bottle.

Additional local news on third page.

LETTER DESCRIBES ADANA MASSACRES

Missionary Writes of The
Terrible Slaughter in
Asiatic Turkey.

NORTH CAROLINA ENROUTE

Smallpox Has Wrought Havoc Among
The Homeless Population in
Adana Following Mas-
sacre.

Adana, Asiatic Turkey, May 1, via Constantinople, May 2.—Miss Elizabeth S. Webb, a missionary from Bunker Hill, Ill., has written as follows of the first days of the massacres in Adana when the girls' school to which she was attached was in the greatest danger:

"Our friends came to school as usual on Wednesday (April 21). Although we heard there was much unrest in the city, we went on with preparations for a school entertainment, to be held next day. Soon firing began and before noon we were afraid to send the day scholars home. There was constant firing. We tried to go on with our annual meeting, but were interrupted by the screaming in the streets and the shooting.

"Mr. Chambers attempted to go to the government building for a guard, but found it impossible to get through the mob. Our Turkish children were present and we thought it would be possible to send word of our danger by a Turk who had come to take them home. Accordingly, notes were written, but there was no response.

"As night came on fires began to flare up in all directions and we were fearful that the rioters would break into the school buildings. Finally, about nine o'clock, there came a knock at the gate and in walked the English consul. He left three of his guard of Turkish soldiers to take care of us."

North Carolina Hurrying to Scene of Trouble.

Washington, May 2.—The armored cruisers North Carolina and Montana, which left Guantanamo, Cuba, April 23, under orders to hurry to Alexandria, Turkish Asia, to protect Americans there during the present disorders, were 1,150 miles east of Gibraltar at 8 o'clock last night, according to a cablegram received here today.

Smallpox Epidemic at Adana.

Adana, May 2.—Smallpox has broken out in epidemic form. It is impossible to estimate the number of cases, but during the past two weeks the spread of the disease has been frightful because of the terrible disorders and the homeless element roaming about the city.

PICTURE PRESENTATION.

Portraits of Davis and Lee to the Goldsboro Graded School.

On Thursday of this week, May 6, at the noon hour, Thos. Ruffin Chapter Daughters of the Confederacy will present to the Goldsboro Graded School a picture of Jefferson Davis and a picture of General Robert E. Lee, the presentation to be made by Miss Sallie Kirby and the acceptance to be by Superintendent Woltz.

The occasion is one that calls for a patriotic demonstration on the part of the citizens of Goldsboro, who are cordially invited to the school at this hour on Thursday to participate in the ceremonies.

Every child of the school is asked to bring a penny on that day, or more than a penny if convenient, to be presented in grades to the fund for erecting a Confederate monument in the National Cemetery at Arlington.

DR. MALCOLM BIZZELL ELECTED COUNTY HEALTH OFFICER

New Rule Inaugurated for Orders for
County Home and Convict
Camp.

The county commissioners in monthly session today elected Dr. J. Malcolm Bizzell county health officer, for a term of two years, to succeed Dr. Theo. Ginn, whose term expired today.

The board also instituted a new ruling whereby all provisions bought for the county home and convict camp shall be approved by the chairman before purchase.

Prize a fine day at night.

BASEBALL BUNTLETS.

Pick-Ups From the Diamond Far
and Near—Some Players You
Know—Something About Them.

Four more of the Goldsboro Giants came in yesterday and are ready to begin work. They were Otis, Deviney, Thompson and Prichard. All are pitchers, and that gives us six up to date, with one more to come.

The men, beginning this week, go out morning and afternoon, and some real hard work will be gone through. All the pitchers are large men and look as if they could go some, and Miller will no doubt get some good ones from the bunch. "Handsome Harry" Otis, the big left-hander, is the biggest one in the crew, and when right, has as much speed as any pitcher in the business. Thompson, Prichard and Deviney all have good records and should make good. Deviney is a spit-ball artist and will show the people something new in that line.

Thomas, the other shortstop, should be in today, and we are exceedingly anxious to see him, as he is said to be very good.

When Horace King was asked about the team, he said, "Well, they certainly don't look like that bunch of 'rah! rah! boys' that we had here last season, do they?" All those concerned are very much pleased with the team.

As they will be out both morning and afternoon from now on, the hours of practice will be changed from two o'clock in the afternoon to three, and at ten in the morning.

There are enough of the men here now for the men to go through signal practice, and that sort of work will begin at once. Let's all pull hard for our boys, and help them in their hard fight that is to come.

AS TO STREET SPRINKLING.

Citizen Believes the Most Sanitary
Method Is by Using Sprinkler.

Editor Argus:

Appropos the subject of street sprinkling, permit me to say that there is no simple measure which the city can employ that will be more beneficial to its citizens in a sanitary way, not to mention comfort, than the liberal use of a street sprinkler.

Our soil dries very quickly and the surface of the earth on our streets contains innumerable disease germs, especially might be mentioned among these the tubercle bacilli, the germs found in the lungs and sputum of those who have tuberculosis or consumption; and mingled with the dust they are wafted by the wind into our respiratory apparatus, into our homes and even on the very food that we eat, and thus feeling that our board of aldermen have always at heart the best interests of the people whom they serve, I have no doubt but that they will make speedy and satisfactory arrangements for the proper sprinkling of our erstwhile dusty streets.

MISS MAGGIE McMILLAN NOW MRS. ERASTUS CRUMPLER

Wedding Solemnized Sunday After-
noon at the Home of
the Bride.

The home of Mrs. McMILLAN was the scene of a very pretty wedding Sunday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock, when Miss Maggie McMILLAN became the bride of Mr. Erastus Crumpler, of Clinton. The ceremony was performed by Rev. E. L. Parker.

A large number of friends and relatives attended the wedding. The young bride was the recipient of many beautiful presents.

Mr. and Mrs. Crumpler left over the Atlantic Coast Line Sunday afternoon for their future home in Clinton.

HONESTY IS THE BEST POLICY.

The most astute politician in all Europe, the man who has played one power against another thirty-three years, with remarkable success, has lost power at last. He has fallen because he intrigued against a constitution he had agreed to support. He has fallen, not because of any failure of his complex foreign policy, but because he had lost support at home, especially in the army.

In his great game of playing both ends against the middle, the Hamidian regime never failed to appeal to the fanaticism of the followers of the great Mohammedan faith. All told, those followers number about 175,000,000, or rather more than all the Protestants in the world. Because he was the head of all those religionists, he was retained in the revolution of last July, but his capacity for intrigue has at length been his undoing.

Carrie Nation will raise on her Arkansas farm hickory hatchet handles. It is her best crop.

The affair in Turkey was a compromise. Abdul Hamid lost his throne and kept his head.

NOW YOU HAVE IT.

Let's Translate "Industrious"
Getting rid of Dust.

A Woman of Goldsboro Writes Con-
vincingly And We Hope Effect-
ually on The Impending
Vital Question That
Can Only be Set-
tled by Settling
The Dust.

Editor Argus:

"We the undersigned, for the sake of health, for relief of merchants and housewives, for improvement to our city, beg and implore the mayor, board of aldermen and members of the street committee of city of Goldsboro, N. C., to devise some means and consummate some plan by which the streets of the city shall be sprinkled regularly during the summer months."

The above petition, started into circulation a few days ago by some of the members of the Woman's Club, has met with such cordial response in signature and sympathy of interest from those to whom it has been presented that it seems well to bring before the public at large some of the necessities for the consummation of the plan proposed.

"For the sake of health"—If one believes in the germ theory, he knows that many diseases are due to the presence in the body of living organisms or bacteria, which when taken into the body produce a morbid effect upon the system, or form poisons that are often fatal in their effects. This doctrine no longer rests on indirect evidence alone, but on the positive discovery of such bacteria in such diseases as typhoid fever, etc.

There is no more frequent or sure means of getting such bacteria into the system than with little particles of dust. Doesn't it seem wise to prevent this possibility? Who would not give a thousand worlds to cure?"

"For the relief of merchants and housewives"—Some of the most enthusiastic endorsers of this petition have been merchants and clerks in stores, who say that yards of their fresh summer stock is often rendered absolutely unsalable because of dust that is blown into their stores every time the doors are opened. It settles on counters and stock with such insistent regularity it is impossible to get rid of it before the damage is done.

"For the housewives"—When the housekeeper does her cleaning well once a day, it should be done with for that day. Any daily attentions to all the little household duties, though small in themselves, in the aggregate take much time and thought for the doing, if only once; but when this work is accomplished only to be undone in ten minutes by a flood of dust from the streets household duties become wearisome to say the least. "It's no use," is a phrase used many hundred times a day by housewives who (if it were not for this ever-present dust) would do their work cheerfully and well. As it is, "dust" and "disposition" are very variable quantities, and there's no sure way of keeping either from being very troublesome.

"For improvement of our City"—Why do we dread summer in Goldsboro? It isn't any hotter here than in many other places. We wouldn't want to scratch summertime off our calendar anyway. But we would like to have sprinkled streets! Anyone who has been tempted to take a walk or a drive on a beautiful summer day, knows what it is to start out with dreams in your head and come back with dust in your eyes. When you've gotten it in your hair until it's bristly; your eyes until they're blind; your nostrils until they are afflicted with chronic sneezing; and your shoes until you feel like you're shod with sandpaper—it's rather natural to want to leave Goldsboro for the sea.

Why not second the above petition with industrious efforts to consummate some plan for daily sprinkling of the streets throughout the summer? Let's translate "Industrious" into "getting rid of dust," and make Goldsboro the Garden Spot!

Meeting of Grand Lodge R. A. M. in Winston-Salem.

The annual meeting of the Grand Royal Arch Chapter of Masons of North Carolina will be held in Winston-Salem Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, May 11, 12 and 13. It is likely that several will attend from this city.