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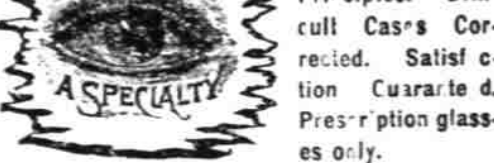
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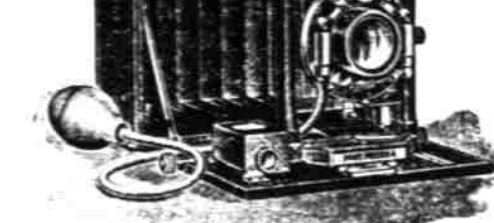
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## THE BALL STARTED.

Now Let Everybody Unite in Earnest For the Gala Week.

There was a fairly good attendance at the meeting of the central committee of the North Carolina Firemen's Tournament and Greensboro Industrial Exhibit, at the court house last night. President J. Van Lindley presided, and made a short address, which showed that he is the "right man in the right place." Talks were also made by Chas. H. Ireland, Mayor Taylor, W. J. Blackburn, R. D. Douglas, H. J. Elam, and others, emphasizing the great importance of every citizen getting down to business in earnest to make the occasion not only one of pleasure to the visitors, but one of lasting benefit to the city of Greensboro.

To carry out the plans mapped out by the various committees will require some money, which must be raised by popular subscription. Every man in the city can do something. It is a Greensboro undertaking. It does not belong to any one man or set of men, and no one man will alone be the beneficiary. The great body of citizens interested here should move as one man with the idea paramount to all others that Greensboro shall not take a back seat. Every man should feel that he has an individual interest in the matter and contribute accordingly. All eyes are on Greensboro, and Greensboro should dress herself up "fit to look at."

Other vital questions have demanded the time and attention of our citizens the past few months; but now that only three months remain in which to prepare for the coming great event, let heads be cleared for action. Let action begin at once. Sidetrack everything in which our people find the slightest cause for division of thought or opinion. We all love our homes and our home city. We can all unite in an earnest, honest effort to inaugurate and push forward to a greater era of industrial activity.

The iron is hot,  
And now is the time to strike.  
Let everybody strike.

## RADFORD-MT. AIRY.

Proposition to Connect Them by Railway Again Considered.

Yesterday's Roanoke Times contained a half column article concerning the proposed construction of a railroad from Mt. Airy, N. C., to Radford, Va., a distance of forty miles. Such a road would traverse one of the richest mining districts in the world. Though the Norfolk and Western will probably construct the line it will be due to the efforts of the owners of the big mines and iron furnaces of that region. The connection by rail, of Mt. Airy and Radford, will be the realization of the hopes of the officials of all the railroads of northern Carolina and southern Virginia. It was the burning desire of former President Gray, of the old C. F. and Y. V. to extend that line to the coal and iron fields of Virginia, but he died without carrying his plans to success. The Norfolk and Western tried to reach Mt. Airy but found it impossible to traverse the mountains by the chosen route.

If the line is now constructed, it will be of incalculable value to Greensboro. Connecting it with the main line of the Norfolk and Western and giving it almost a direct line with the northwest, it greatly improves her splendid railway facilities. Further, the large amount of coke brought here to the Empire St. and Iron Company, from the section around Pocahontas, could then come by a more direct route.

## AT GUILFORD BATTLE GROUND.

Preparations Being Made For the Grand Celebration on July 4th.

Editor Telegram—The Battle Ground has about done its beautiful garb of spring. The new dresses of the young maids are fresh and green as nature produces, and the breezes above and the waters beneath are pure and healthful as ever blessed a noble hill country. Judge Schenck, now upon the grounds, has about finished the repairs made necessary by the winter rains, cleaned up generally and will soon be ready for the visitors of the big 4th. And I might report that the A. & Y. railroad promises the same liberal and fostering course towards the grounds as that pursued by the old C. F. & Y. V. Good men will with us and we will have a rousing time on the coming 4th of July. Many reasons will present themselves to the thoughtful reader why this great annual celebration should never be allowed once to fail.  
Jos. M. Morehead.

## Those Bachelor Girls.

The Bachelor Girls were delightfully entertained yesterday afternoon by Miss Mabel Kase, at her home on Arlington street. Among the number of games played was a guessing contest, which was thoroughly enjoyed by the young ladies, with their thinking caps on. Miss Julia Settle carried off the honors of the afternoon, winning the prize—a most exquisite cup and saucer.

## SAN FERNANDO OCCUPIED

By The American Forces To-day Without Loss.

## REBEL GENERAL LUNA WOUNDED

Brigadier-General Funston, an American, Also Receives a Slight Wound in the Hand.

By Cable to THE TELEGRAM  
Manila, May 5—Detailed reports of the work of Lawton's expedition show that harder fighting took place the early part of this week than earlier accounts indicated. The attack upon San Rafael by the American forces met with a heavy fire from a large number of rebels concealed in the jungle on all sides. Only by the adoption of tactics of Indian fighting in the United States—every man for himself—saved the division from great loss. Lawton, as usual, was at the head of our line with his staff.

The insurgent leaders, Gregorio and Pio Del Pilar, with eight hundred men in Baling, retreated when Lawton approached. Chief Scout Young, with eleven men, entered Baling ahead of the army and rang the church bells announcing they had taken possession of the city. When Lawton's forces were attacking in force outside of Baling, women and children were seen in the trenches. Captain Case and party with a white flag displayed, approached the insurgents and asked that the non-combatants be removed. When within five hundred yards of the trenches our true-bearers were fired upon.

GEN. LUNA WOUNDED.  
Manila, May 5—Gen. Luna, commanding the Filipino forces opposing McArthur's advance, was wounded in the fighting yesterday in the vicinity of Santo Tomas. San Fernando, which the rebels boasted was a stronger position than Calumpit, was captured by our troops today. The natives set fire to the city before abandoning it. Brigadier-General Funston received a slight wound in the hand.

INEFFECTUAL DEMONSTRATION.  
Manila, May 5—The rebels south of Manila attempted to rush through our lines last night. The attempt failed but the rebels maintained a fusillade of musketry on the Fourth Infantry for several hours. The demonstration was ineffectual beyond scaring the inhabitants at Malate. The outposts of the Idaho and California regiments beyond San Fernando were also attacked during the night.

DRIVEN TO THE MOUNTAINS.  
Washington, May 5—Ois cables that the value of the subsistence captured from Malolos will reach a million and a half dollars. Great results are expected from Lawton's sweeping march northward, and it is confidently expected by the war department that such insurgents as are driven to the mountains will be cornered there and effectually cut off from receiving supplies.

SAN FERNANDO OCCUPIED.  
Manila, May 5—General McArthur advanced today and occupied San Fernando without loss.

MONADNOCK IN ACTION.  
Manila, May 5—The monitor Monadnock is bombarding the town of Parangue this morning.

The Town Raked Clean.  
By Wire to THE TELEGRAM.  
Wallace, May 5—Practically all the men have been taken from this town to Warden, either as prisoners or witnesses. Troops A and C, of the Fourth Cavalry, dismounted and made arrests. Arrests began as soon as the troops arrived from Burke. As fast as the men were found they were herded in the street and put under guard. Many were taken from their beds. The special train which left from Burke carried nearly every man from the town, two y soldiers being left as a guard. The mountains are full of fleeing men. The old Gliddon road, the only way leading out, is lined with men.

Attention, Eagles  
Eagles be at your hall at 8 o'clock tonight. Annual meeting and election of officers and other matters of importance will come up. By order of  
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Spain Wants to Go Land-Grabbing.  
Hong, Kong, May 5—Spain is collecting evidence here with a view of claiming a cession of land in China, as indemnity from the Chinese government for permitting the steamer Arroy to leave Canton, last autumn, with arms for the Filipinos.

## NOTES FROM HIGH POINT.

The Local News From Our Neighbor Briefly Told.

TELEGRAM BUREAU  
HIGH POINT, N. C., May 5.

Ed L. Ragan, of Greensboro, came up this morning to attend the Graded School commencement.

Miss Mary Ferrie, of Randleman, is visiting Miss Jessie Woolen during commencement.

Mrs. M. A. Johnson, of Raleigh, the financial agent for St. Luke's Home, was in the city yesterday and left last night for Concord.

Rev. T. A. Smoot, of Greensboro Female College, passed through this morning enroute to Asheboro.

A large crowd of people are in town today to attend the commencement, and for the lack of space today we will give a better description of it tomorrow.

On account of the large amount of shipping done at this place, it has become necessary to put a shifting engine here. An engine was sent up from Greensboro to attend to this work and to make extra trips to Asheboro, as there has been more freight down the Asheboro road than the regular train could bring up. Mr. F. R. Jeffers is engineer and Mr. A. E. Burns is yard master. Mr. Jim Reid has succeeded Mr. Burns as baggage master on the Asheboro train.

Mr. C. T. Westmoreland and Mrs. Minnie C. Farrell were married here yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock. Rev. J. W. Goodman officiating.

Miss Clayton McCreary, of Lexington, who is very popular here among our young people, arrived in the city this morning to visit Miss Annie Ragan for two weeks.

Mr. Frank English, a medical student of Baltimore, stopped over in the city visiting relatives while en route to his home in Monroe.

Curtis Sappenfeld came up yesterday afternoon from Salisbury on his wheel.

Mr. W. G. Brokaw and Dr. Tad, of New York, arrived in the city this morning and went out to Fair View, Mr. Brokaw's lodge.

We regret to learn of the death of Dr. J. L. Robins, of the asylum of Morganton. Dr. Robins was a brother of Mesdames Bell, Wheeler and Gladston, of this place.

TO REBUILD HAMPTON'S HOME.  
A Commendable Movement Now Under Way in South Carolina.  
Charleston, S. C., May 4—The burning of General Wade Hampton's house, at Milwood, near Columbia, Tuesday night, excites warm sympathy throughout the state, and a conference has already been held here to take immediate steps towards rebuilding the burned home. The sentiment of loving regard for General Hampton is universal throughout the state, and it appears that the desire that it shall take practical shape is not confined to Charleston.

One hundred dollars was raised in Darlington today in a few minutes, for the purpose of rebuilding Hampton's home and probably every county in the state will follow Darlington's example in less than a week.

AN EXTRA SESSION OF CONGRESS.  
It is Believed That the President Will Convene It in October.

Washington, May 4.—There is a growing belief among prominent members of Congress that the President will call Congress to meet in extraordinary session this fall, probably early in October. The questions which will come before the next Congress for settlement, including as they do everything growing out of our possessions acquired as a result of the war with Spain and the general legislation, including that relating to currency reform, the Nicaraguan Canal, merchant marine, etc., are of such great importance that the President is inclined to regard it as advisable that Congress should meet earlier than the regular session in December, in order to get the work under way.

McKinley to Pass Through.  
President McKinley is suffering from a slight attack of rheumatism, and will leave Washington next Monday for Hot Springs, Ark., where he will spend a short time. He will probably pass through Greensboro.

For the very best three dollar tan or black vic men's shoes in the city call on Thacker & Brookmann.

Timothy Hogan, the notorious mail robber, escaped from the Ohio Penitentiary by secreting himself in a box that was being hauled away.

Wig—"That fellow Jones is an inveterate smoker." W. g.—"Why, he told me that he never uses tobacco."

"Neither he does; but he's in the carrying business."

## THE RICHMOND CONVENTION

To Discuss New Plan of Electing U. S. Senators to Meet Soon.

## SENATOR DANIEL OPPOSES IT

Assistant Attorney General Boyd, Mrs. Capt. Coghlan and Others Visit Wilmington.

Special to THE TELEGRAM.  
Washington, May 5—For the past few days several prominent Virginia democrats have assembled in Washington. Among the leaders are Senators Daniel and Martin, and Representatives Lamb, Rixey, Jones, Hay, Swanson, and Epes, besides many lesser lights of the democratic party in the Old Dominion. The presence of these distinguished Virginia leaders in Washington, on the eve of the assembling of the much heralded Richmond "convention," which will meet in a few days for the purpose of agitating a change in the method of nominating and electing United States senators, has naturally given rise to considerable speculation and gossip.

While several of the distinguished democrats, headed by Congressmen Rixey, Jones, and Lamb, who are promoters of the coming gathering at Richmond, are here for the purpose of pushing the Richmond convention, the chief cause which has brought the two senators and their personal following to Washington is for the object of consulting with the republican leaders of the state relative to the distribution of the supervisors of the census for the state of Virginia.

It is understood that both Senator Martin and Daniel, as well as a number of their friends in the Virginia delegation, who are opposed to the proposed agitation, will go to Richmond, and will be in that city during the meeting, but they will, of course, take no part nor have anything to do with the convention.

In addition to the senators and representatives, several other distinguished Virginians are in the city, among them being Judge Marshall, of Portsmouth; Judge Christian, of Richmond; Judge Quarles, representative-elect, and many others. Several of the Virginians will leave Washington for Richmond by Saturday night. It is said that nearly the entire congressional delegation will be in attendance, although many of them will only go as spectators.

Among prominent southern men in Washington is ex-Governor Rufus B. Bullock, of Georgia, who is stopping at the Arlington hotel. The ex-Governor says that the condition of Georgia, and other southern states at this time is first-class, and he believes that it will continue so for some time. In speaking of political matters the ex-governor says that he believes that there will appear in the south more opposition to the renomination of Col. Bryan than has been supposed existed. The governor is a republican, but has many friends in the democratic party.

Assistant Attorney General Boyd, of North Carolina, accompanied by Mrs. Coghlan, wife of the commander of the Raleigh, and Mrs. Heywood and several other prominent North Carolinians, left last night for Wilmington, where they go to take part in the celebration incident to the arrival of the Raleigh at that port. Col. Boyd will probably return to Washington early next week. After the celebration at Wilmington the cruiser will go to Charleston to take part in the Confederate reunion, arriving there, it is said at the Navy Department, on the morning of the 9th instant.

Judge Quarles, who succeeds Representative Yost in the next House, is in the city attending the conference of the Virginia democrats. He says that he is in favor of the election of the United States Senators by the direct vote of the people, but that he will not take any part in the Richmond conference, as he believes that members of congress should not identify themselves with such movements. The Judge believes that the re-election of Senator Martin, by whatever method is adopted, is assured.

Among those in attendance from this city at the meeting of the North Carolina State Dental Association, at Raleigh is Dr. W. Stuart Carnes. He will be at Raleigh until the latter part of next week. Acting assistant Surgeon Frank Roberts, who has been stationed in this city has been transferred to Marshall, North Carolina, by the department, to which post he has gone.

The Comptroller of the currency reports his approval of the National Union Bank, of Baltimore, as reserve agents for the Atlantic National Bank of Wilmington, North Carolina. New postoffices in North Carolina have been established at Brookland, Person county and Propst, Catawba county.

Robert L. Harrill has been commissioned postmaster at Darfer, North Carolina. Mrs. Fannie Caldwell, of Salisbury, R. P. Hollowell, of Elizabeth City and R. B. Glenn, of Winston, are among the North Carolina arrivals in Washington.

## A FIRMLY-WORDED DEMAND

Sent by Lord Chamberlain to the Transvaal Government.

By Cable to THE TELEGRAM.

London, May 5—The Outlook publishes a special from its Capetown correspondent which states that the British secretary of state colonies, Chamberlain, has dispatched a firmly-worded demand to the Transvaal government to the effect that it must observe its obligations to the queen as the paramount power, by securing peace and order within the republic. This demand is supplementary to the demand for a cancellation of the dynamite concession, and is taken to mean that the British government deems the time has come to invite President Kruger to observe the letter as well as the spirit of the London convention. It is not stated how far the demand takes the form of an ultimatum, or if a period has been fixed within which redress to the grievances of the outlanders shall be made.

PRESIDENT KRUGER'S REPLY.  
Cape Town, May 5—The reply of President Kruger to the British demand for a cancellation of the dynamite concession contends that the concession was bona fide and constitutes no breach of the London convention. It is added that the amendment to the concession asked by the British government would be a breach of faith as regards other parties.

## GREENSBORO HONORED.

The State Dental Society to Meet Here Next Year.

Special to THE TELEGRAM.  
Raleigh, N. C., May 5.—The State Dental Society will meet at Greensboro next year, May 9.

Cotton.

New York, May 5.—Cotton, July 86, August 91, October 92, December 98, January 601.

Ordered to Bluefields.

Washington, May 5—The converted gunboat Vixen has been ordered from Norfolk to Bluefields to assist the Detroit.

## THE MARKETS.

Closing Quotations by Paine, Murphy & Co.

By private wire to F. A. Burgin, Manager.

NEW YORK, May 4, 1899

American tobacco	218
Atch., Top. & Santa Fe	72
B. and O.	24
C. and O.	175
Chic. Bur. and Quincy	124 1/2
Chic. Gas	169
Del., Lack. and Western	118 1/2
Delaware and Hudson	118 1/2
Federal Steel	118 1/2
General Electric	118 1/2
Jersey Central	115 1/2
Louisville and Nashville	65 1/2
Lake Shore	200
Manhattan Elevated	114 1/2
Missouri Pacific	46 1/2
N. & W. Prf.	234 1/2
Metropolitan and S. railway	154 1/2
Northern Pacific	78 1/2
National Lead	33
New York Central	136
Pacific Mail	50 1/2
Reading	20
Rock Island	114 1/2
Southern Railway	121 1/2
Southern Railway Pr.	51 1/2
St. Paul	125 1/2
Sugar Trust	157 1/2
Tenn. Coal & Iron	61 1/2
Texas Pacific	22 1/2
U. S. Western Preferred	70
W. Leathers Union Tel.	91 1/2
Wabash Preferred	21 1/2

CHICAGO, May 4, 1899

Wheat, May	70 1/2
" Apr	71 1/2
" July	71 1/2
" Sep	71 1/2
Corn, Sep	34 1/2
" Apr	33
" May	33 1/2
" July	33 1/2
Oats, July	23 1/2
" Apr	21 1/2
" May	22 1/2
" July	22 1/2
Pork, Sep	850
" July	862
" Apr	845
" May	825
" July	812
" Apr	505
" May	480
" July	467
" May	455
Cotton, Sept.	589 @ 590
" Jan	601 @ 602
" Feb	604 @ 606
" March	608 @ 609
" April	615 @ 616
" May	625 @ 626
" June	637 @ 638
" July	642 @ 643
" August	643 @ 644
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" Dec	657 @ 658
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