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ROAD ENGINEER FROM WASHINGTON ARRIVES

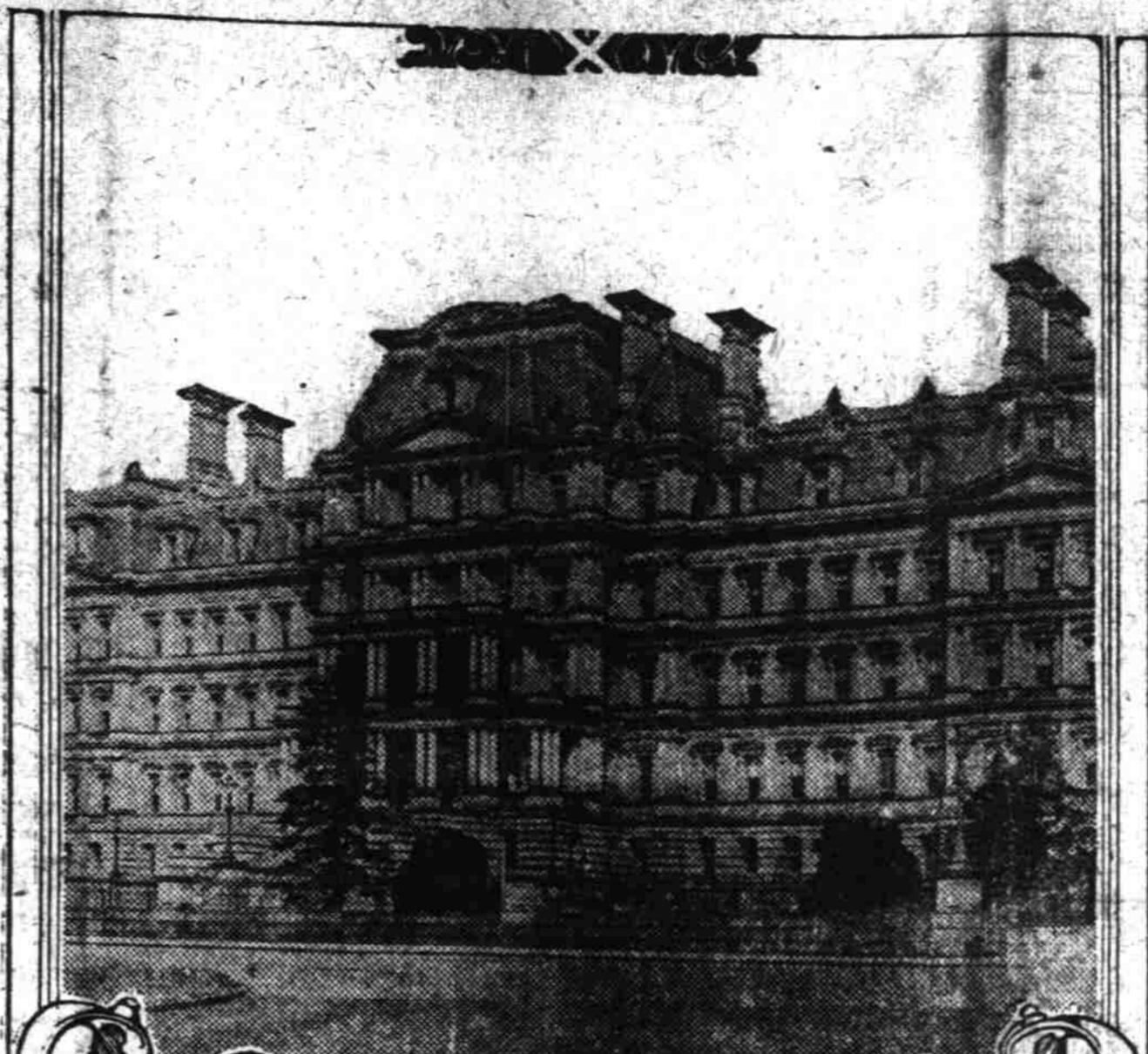
Mr. Raymond B. Toms, senior road engineer of Department of Good Roads at Washington, D. C., is in Sylva in the interest of the proposed new road building.

Mr. Toms went over the road from Sylva to the bridge at John T. Wike's on Monday and is very much pleased with our road proposition and surprised to see that we have such light grading through the territory in which this road is to be located.

Mr. Toms is confined to his room at the Commercial hotel on account of enlarged gland, but expects to be out in a day or two. He has written the Department at Washington to send a man to take charge of the grading and construction of the proposed road as soon as Mr. Toms can make survey and locate road.

Mr. Toms will go over the road from Sylva to Dillsboro' and Sylva up Scotts Creek as soon as he is able to be out.

We are glad to see this good work being pushed forward and are sure that we will soon have this road movement started, and are confident that other townships in the county will soon follow the example of Cullowhee, Sylva and Dillsboro, as Cullowhee has already sold \$20,000 in bonds and Dillsboro has authorized the sale of \$15,000 which added to the \$30,000 sold by Sylva township will give us a good stretch of road that will centralize our business and give us a steady growing market center for the entire county.



ARMY AND NAVY BUILDING WASHINGTON, D.C.

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THE WESTERN N. C. BIBLE CONFERENCE

It has been definitely determined by the ministers of this section interested, irrespective of denomination, that the institute under the above caption shall be held at the Sylva Auditorium, Friday, August 1st, 1913.

This capital idea was the outgrowth of the great Bible Conference recently held in the city of Atlanta. It was the large-minded conception of Rev. T. F. Deitz, freely concurred in by Reverends Caleb A. Ridley and Napoleon Cowan, all of whom are Western North Carolinians and all of whom were present at that conference.

It is proposed that we organize this conference so that it may include all the denominations in the state and the states contiguous.

That this conference shall be held in the oppressive month of August, here at Sylva, in the very middle of the mountains, affording a retreat for ministers and laymen depleted by the blistering days and sleepless nights of the lowlands.

That the sessions shall be held annually in August, permanently at Sylva with its large auditorium and four passenger trains a day, and continue ten days and nights, the days to be devoted to the study of the Bible and the nights to preaching and evangelistic work.

That the management shall diligently seek the finest talent both clerical and lay in the land—men of rare natural ability and special training, to handle the vital subjects which may come before the conference.

At the initiatory conference opening the first day of next August we shall have as participants such men as Judge Jeter C. Pritchard—one of the most distinguished Christian jurists in America, Joseph Edgar Abernethy, the most eloquent preacher in North Carolina, Caleb A. Ridley, one of the most brilliant platform orators in the South, Doc-

tor Rich, of Macon, Ga., our own beloved Napoleon Cowan—a learned and eloquent scion of the gospel ministry of a quarter of a century since, all the local ministers and others.

This movement promises to result in incalculable blessing to Jackson county and our entire mountain country.

It will be a great Bible school and goodness knows we all need to learn more of this great fountain of all literature and life.

It will, if the people so decide, be the greatest religious revival since the days of the "camp meeting."

It will undoubtedly be the richest intellectual feast our people have yet enjoyed.

It will be at the most idle season of the year—just between "laying-by" and "fodder-pulling time".

We older people cannot afford to miss it for the deep stirring it will give our care-worn, callous hearts. We cannot afford to allow our young ones to miss it for the spiritual elevation and the superb cultural effect it will produce on their young minds.

My friends begin now to get ready for the greatest occasion of recent years. Watch these columns for a complete program.

JAMES H. CATHEY.

FRED BROWN.

Rev. Fred F. Brown, who graduates this year at the Southern Baptist Theological Seminary, has accepted the care of the Baptist church at Harrodsburg, Ky., and will enter upon his work there in June. He is a splendid young man whom without reserve we recommend to the Kentucky brotherhood.—Biblical Recorder.

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CULLOWHEE COMMENCEMENT

NEW BUILDING TO BE ERECTED THIS SUMMER.—FINE YEAR'S WORK AND GLOWING PROSPECTS.

Cullowhee Normal and Industrial School has just closed one of the most interesting commencements of its history. The exercises, with out exception, have been well attended and the order at these exercises has been unusually fine. Proceeding promptly the entire machinery of the commencement moved forward with dispatch from beginning to close.

Dr. Vann, the president of Meredith College, delivered an inspiring sermon Sunday morning, and another Sunday evening before the Y. M. C. A. and Y. W. C. A. The genial manner of this splendid man, together with the noble messages he brought in language as beautiful as it was stirring, for him the admiration and gratitude of the entire student body and management of the school, as well as of the audiences that heard him.

Dr. C. B. Waller, of Asheville, spoke Tuesday on the subject "The Men We Need." His analysis of the type of manhood demanded by the times was clear, forceful and interesting. His address rang with good sense and brilliant humor from beginning to end. Many pronounced it the greatest speech they had ever heard.

The annual Grand Concert, under the direction of Mrs. Mary Carter Brinson, the school's accomplished director of music, and Miss Charlotte Young, who has presided with genial manner and persistent faithfulness over the work of the expression department, was a decided success. The participants manifested clearly the excellence of the training they had received.

As a whole the work of the school has been successful beyond the most ardent hopes of its promoters. The new administration, which took charge last September, began its work under difficulties but as the months went by, obstacles vanished, difficulties were overcome and success gradually became an assured fact. The school has enrolled this year one hundred and sixty-eight students. This has taxed, almost to the utmost, the boarding capacity of the school and community. About two-thirds of this number are young men. The student body has been characterized by a large degree of fine intelligence and high moral character.

The future of the institution seems now assured. The General Assembly, at its last session, appropriated \$15,000 for building purposes. This will be used in the erection, this summer, of a modern administration building and in the completion of the girls' dormitory. These buildings will be heated by steam, lighted by electricity and supplied with hot and cold water and sanitary equipment. At the earliest possible moment the management expects a landscape gardener to plan for the improvement and beautifying of the school grounds, which are by nature capable of wonderful development.

Added to all this is the gratifying fact that the Sylva and Cullowhee townships have decided to construct between Cullowhee and Sylva, an up-to-date sand-clay, or macadam, road. This will make the school easy of access and bring it into

convenient touch with the world. The distance of seven miles will then be covered by automobiles and by horse and buggy in from one-fourth to one half the time now required. All these things are but indications of the greater day that is dawning upon the rich and beautiful county of Jackson, and that is fast brightening over the great western section of the state.

DILLSBORO ISSUES ROAD BONDS.

The road trustees of Dillsboro township, appointed under the act of the General Assembly, have authorized the sale of \$15,000 (fifteen thousand dollars) worth of Dillsboro township bonds, to be used in grading and constructing roads in that township, one road to meet the road constructed by Sylva to the Dillsboro line and to the Cullowhee line, Cullowhee to meet it and carry the road through that township.

This action of the Dillsboro township road trustees makes a total of \$65,000 in bonds that have been issued by the three townships, Dillsboro, Cullowhee and Sylva, to be used in road work in these three townships, Sylva having already sold \$30,000 and Cullowhee \$20,000. We understand that Dillsboro will sell her bonds at a very early date.

HEALTH AND HYGIENE

The plain or variety of hookworm is a second cousin of the bug which causes the sleeping sickness and nephew to the microbe that produces the tired feeling. When the hookworm hooks on to the bowels of a poor man the effect is laziness. But if by accident it attacks the entrails of a Plute, the result is called "fatigue."

The female half-inch hookworm lays eggs but does not cackle. As soon as a setting is accumulated it is deposited on the ground and hatched out by any body who happens along.

When the young half-inch hookworm is big enough to start in business on his own hook, he throws his hook into a bare heel of a cotton picker and starts to work his way up in life. If he gets as far as the stomach his fortune is made. He is now safe to marry and assume the responsibility of raising a large family. Occupying a strategic position, so to say, everything has to come his way. Whatever the cotton picker puts in his mouth, masticates, swallows and digest, is examined by the half-inch hookworm. After sorting out the tidbits, he absorbs them greedily.

On account of the fact that hookworms make a living with out any useful labor, they belong to the better class.—The Nat. Rip-Saw.

There will be services at St. Johns Episcopal Chapel Sunday evening, May 4th at 8 P. M., conducted by Rev. J. F. Burg.

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While Mr. Alley has moved to Waynesville, he will continue to take active part in the practice of law at Webster.