

RALEIGH, N. C., SATURDAY MORNING, JUNE 10, 1893.

carriages and other vehicles filled ruined structure to guard against with the wounded quickly travers- interference with the workmen. Shortly after the cavalry from Fort THE ORATIONS BY THE GRADU-Those who were early on the Myer, Va, reached the spot, and asscene found the body of a colored sisted the other regulars in mainman in the alley in the rear of the taining order. The main duty of building where John Wilkes Booth the soldiers was to guard the rebel- The Award of the Wiley Gray Medal -had his norse hitched the night he lion records stored in the building. The clerks who escaped were M. Arnold, a well known colored pressed into service, and went willclerk appointed from Virginia. He ingly to work removing bundles of had been seen at the third story valuable documents. A great deal window. He was warned not to of the work of the pension office is jump, but despite the protestations dependent on these records, and graduating exercises of Trinity Colof a number of people, he climed their value to the Government and lege. The audience was large and out, and lowering himself from the to individuals is inestimable. They sill, let go. He fell upon the cov- cannot be replaced. Every few ering at the lower floor and slided minutes during the first two hours off into the cobblestoned alley, after the accident, the dead and

the debris. To the onlookers, all One of the bravest and most dar- bruised and maimed, their dusting incidents connected with the covered bodies seemed bereft of

Basil Lockwood. As soon as the with blood, and who was seemingly floors collapsed and the dust had dead, suddenly reised up in the amcleared away, realizing the danger bulance in which he was placeed of those at the rear windows who and swallowed a glass of whisky. were wildly climbing out and calling This brought a cheer from the for aid, he climbed up the telegraph crowd and thereafter every rescue pole as high as the third story and was accompanied by applause. All lashed a ladder to the pole, putting carts and workmen that could be the other end in the window. By secured were pressed into service to this means ten or fifteen were assis- clear away the debris. Workmen shoveled the plaster, brick, docu-

could tell which of the floors first | carts and each load was taken away gave way. To the occupants of each to the dumping ground near by. floor there was but one crash heard, There was much danger to the rescuand instantly the whole building ing gangs for the edges of the fallen was filled with blinding lime dust. floors hung threateningly down-Running directly through all of the | ward over the heads of the workers. floors and in the middle of the It seemed that little progress could | building was a light well ten feet or be made in clearing away the immore long, and nearly as many wide, mense mass of fallen rubbish, but the fatal area was in front of this, the work nevertheless progressed Cunninggim. leaving a space of six or seven feet rapidly. An incident of the day in width undisturbed on either side. was the number of the clergy who,

TRINITY COLLEGE. in a beautiful speech by Hon. A. C. Avery.

ATING CLASS.

by the Durham Band. Prayer was

offered by Rev. R. A. Willis, New

Berne. Then the following pro-

le," Robert H. Willis, New Berne.

ca," Wiley D. Sasser, Goldsboro.

the Bloody Shirt," Henry P. Boggs,

Valadictory, Henry P. Boggs,

Presentation of Bibles, Rev. Mr.

Awarding Prizes, Scholarships

Presentation of Diplomas.

gramme was carried out:

Baldwin, Covington.

Cool Spring.

Shinn, Georgeville.

ville.

Winston.

Winston.

Appointment of Judges

Thomas E. James, Waycross.

als Awarded and Presented.

President Crowell announced the graduates and their degrees, and then presented the diplomas.

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Rev. J. A. Cuningham presented Bibles to the graduates. "The "Braxton Craven Scholar-The Braxton Craven and Other Medship" was presented by President Chas. D. McIver in a most thrilling speech to H. P. Boggs, of Winston, N. C. Messrs. T. C. Hoyle and E. DURHAM, June 8.

P. Carr were honorably mentioned. At 11 o'clock today began the both making higher grades than Mr. Boggs, but they were not in full and regular standing. appreciative. The music was made

The "Historical Prizes" were awarded to R. H. Willis and J. A. Baldwin. These were presented by Mr. J. S. Bassett, Fellow of History in Johns Hopkins University.

THE "WILEY GRAY" MEDAL. Oration, "Our Blood," Jesse A. The most coveted and warmly contested prize at Trinity College is Oration, "The Voice of Nature," the "Wiley Gray" medal which is given by R. T. Gray, Esq, of this city, and is awarded by a com-Oration "The Force of Princimittee appointed for that purpose on commencement day to that Oration, "The Saxons of Amermember of the Senior class who delivers the best graduating speech. ion Breeding Stud Stock Farm, J. Oration, "Origin and Triumphs At the commencement on Thursday H. Harden, proprietor, Leroy, King of Democracy," Charles E. Turner, the medal was won by C. E. Turner, & Co, J. D. Kernodle, of Graham, Oration, "The Eternity of Develof Turnersburg, Iredell county, to N. C.' and Junius H. Harden, of whom it was presented by Hon A Big Falls, N.C. have each filed opment," Frank R. Shepard, Ashe-C. Avery, Associate Justice of the deeds of assignment with J. H. Supreme Court, in a short but hand- Scott, Jr, and Jacob A. Long as Oration, "A Glimpse into the some and touching speech. Twentieth Century," James F. Oration, "Against the Waving of lows:

contest at Gettysburg, a youth of no preferences in his individual twenty summers stood proudly at assignment, not even reserving the the head of a company of stalwart exemptions allowed by law. men, as his regiment, the Fiftyseventh North Carolina, was being aligned at the foot of the famous

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Assignments at Graham.

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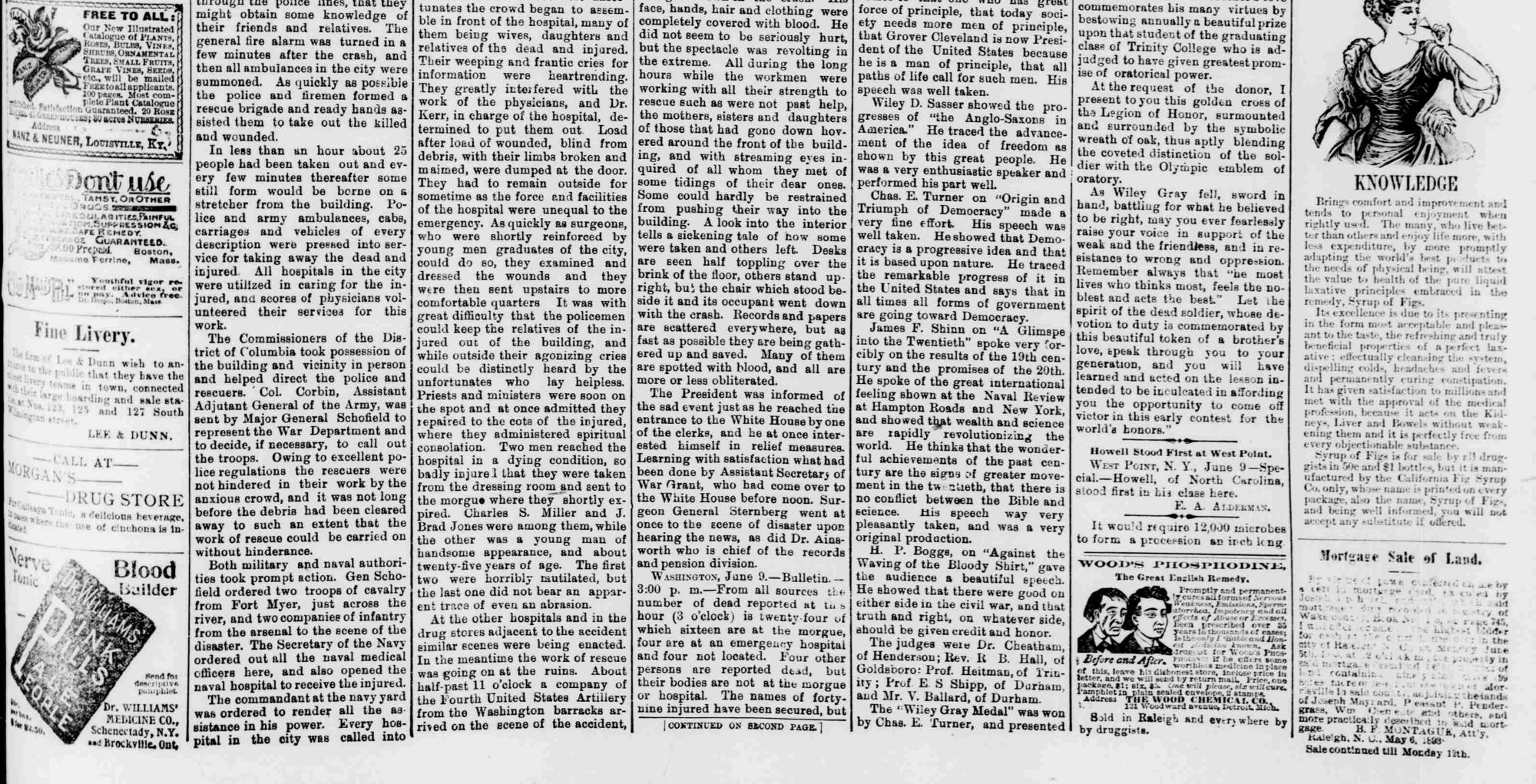
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As can well be understood there

government clerks, employed in the building, and nearly all of these were at work when the building fell. An excavation for an electric light plant was being made in the cellar of the structure-a threestory affair-and according to the best information obtainable, the

workmen this morning had dug beneath the foundation supports in front of the building, weakening them to such an extend that the walls gave way before they could be jacked. This explanation of the cause of the accident is the only one advanced, but it seems somewhat strange in view of the fact that the top floor gave way first.

The men who were in the building say the crash came without warning. Those on the top floor were suddenly precipitated to the floor below, and the weight of the falling timbers and furniture carried the second and first floors with it. Fortunately only the forward half of the floors gave way. The outer edges of the floors and the near part of the structure remained intact. The walls did not fall.

The news that the building had & fallen spread with lightning-like apidity, and soon Tenth street and adjacent throughfares were crowded with people. Within an hour the ne a was known all over Washington, d hundreds of anxious relatives a. friends swarmed the vicinity of the old theatre. Womer

appealed anxiously to every bystander for information about some particular person, while men with tears in their eyes, imploringly besought the policemen to let them through the police lines, that they might obtain some knowledge of

containing more than half of the to the scene, utterly regardless of floor space, remained intact. There their own safety, entered the buildwere many very narrow escapes ing, the rear walls of which were from death. A number of clerks, warningly bulging out, and miniswhose desks rested directly upon tered to the dying and injured. the line where the floors broke away, Ministers of all creeds were present. saved themselves, while the desks at Hairbreadth escapes, narrated by which they sat were precipitated the survivors, were numberless. One down the awful chasm. Others who of the most thrillings scenes of the were walking across the room heard whole affair was the sight of a an ominous sound and stopped just dczen men who were left in a at the very threshold of death | corner of the third story climbing When the crash came, those who down the hose pipe to the ground. survived heard a mighty scream of The last man taken from the buildanguish from their comrades as they alive up to 12;30, was Capt. Dowd sank out of sight, and then groping of Indiana. He was found near the in darkness they found their way to southwest corner of the building, Shinn. safety trembling in every joint, with covered to a depth of two or three the palor of death in their faces. feet with brick and mortar. He

No women were admitted in the had lain there three hours, but a building, but in a few minutes after falling beam had lodged near him the crash came, the wives, mothers in such a position as to break the and daughters of the victims began fall of the brick and timber, and to arrive.

Within a very few moments hun- showing that he was conscious. dreds or more men, stripped for hot When he was lifted into the Garwork, jumped into the building and field hospital ambulance the crowd began throwing out the wreckage in | saw that he was alive and cheered front and under the floors which re- | again and again. mained standing in the rear.

Most of those first taken out of bulances were kept busy carrying the ruins were carried to Emer- away the dead and injured. The gency Hospital. About 10:36 o'clock | faces of many of the victims were the dead and injured began to arrive faster than the corps of surgeons could attend to the injured. could be had; but some of the man-Carried in on stretchers, they were gled bodies were carried out with dumped at the most convenient their faces exposed to the gaze of places. Those who were most seri- the great throng that surrounded ously injured were attended to, the building. while the others groaning and crying from the pain of broken limbs, were many appalling scenes. On lay limp beseeching the doctors the front seat of one of the ambuto dress their wounds. Shortly lances rode away one of those who after the arrival of the first unfor- | had gone down in the crash. His

Doxology and Benediction, Rev. J. J. Renn. GRADUATING THESIS.

and Medals.

"North Carolina Methodism from 1800 to 1837," J. A. Baldwin. "Mathematics in Discoveries," T T. James. "North Carolina Methodism from

1773 to 1800," R. H. Willis. Conscience and its Authority," W. D. Sasser.

'Should North Carolina Establish a Reformatory for Criminals under Majority," Charles E. Turner. "Evangelization of the World," Frank R. Shepard. "Life of Edward Moseley," J. F

Jesse A. Baldwin, on "Our Blood,

made a fine effort. He was very graceful and eloquent. He traced brifly the success of the Anglo-Saxons in all departments of life. He believes that the greatest work when lifted up he raised his hand of the age is the bringing of the heathen from their darkness, and that this work is left for the Anglo-Saxons to do.

> Thomas J. Jarvis, on "The Voice of Nature," made a brilliant and forcible argument in behalf of listening to the voice of nature. He clearly showed the contest and conflict between the lower and higher classes of society. He advocated education as the thing that will settle the struggle between man and man, and that this education should be broad, deep and fraternal. He thinks that nature is the best and safest teacher.

Robert H. Willis on "The Force of Principle," spoke of the great power of men of principle. He says that in our field of work success comes to that one who has great force of principle, that today soci-

beamed from the eye of the boy, ed near the bottom of the package was reflected from the faces of his men.

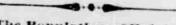
When the evening shadows were lengthening the fateful order came. Ewell's Corps must attack; Early's Division must lead. As the gallant 57th and the historic old 6th North Carolina moved forward in the force of the deadly volleys that thinned their ranks at every step, the voice of the boy Captain was heard above the din of battle, cheering his men, and his hand was seen waving his sword above his head in the very laws of death. At last the heights were gained, and with his hand almost upon the rock wall, behind which the enemy were entrenched, Wiley Gray fell mortally wounded with his face to the foe. His voice was forever hushed, but his spirit Balsam for the throat and lungs. Trial still inspired the brave men of Hoke's and Hays' Brigades, who rushed across that wall, and alone of all the soldiers of Lee's army, won the proud distinction of taking and occupying till long after nightfall a part of the line along that seronghold of the enemy-Cemetery Heights. I trust that I may be pardoned for saying, that to one, whose favorite brother fell in command of Hoke's Brigade, as he rode across that hill to direct the does duty as a guard at the Mayadvance of the 57th Regiment, it is or's office. He is as vigorous as a pleasant duty to praise the prow- the average man of fifty. ess of the here, who gave his life to the cause a few moments later, and now fills an unknown grave on that famous field. A brother's love

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