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Final Exercises of High School at the Academy.
ing "Dorothea Dix."
Mr. Julian Rand won the boy's medal, his subject being "Cornelius Harnett."
The Charles U. Harris medal for excellence in oratory was won by Mr. Seymour Whiting, of the Sophomore Class.
The J. O. U. A. M. medals won by Miss Smith and Miss Connelly were presented by Mr. Walter Clark, Jr. The order had two great underlying motives—patriotism and education—and it was to encourage these that the medals were offered. He paid a beautiful tribute to the teachers of the graded and high schools.
The debaters medal was presented by Mr. Charles U. Harris, who offered it because he felt the desire to learn to debate should be encouraged as the state is in need of more men like the one who addressed the audience today.
The medals won by the members of the Senior Class offered by the Sons and Daughters of the Revolution were presented by Prof. Morson.
The presentation of these medals was followed by a presentation that was somewhat of a surprise. In a graceful manner, Mr. Neil Ivey, in behalf of the baseball team, presented Prof. Keable with a handsome job in appreciation of the work he had done for athletics.
Two additional medals have been offered for next year and to continue in the future. One for excellence in literary work to any pupil of the High School. The other for architectural drawing to the pupils of any of the other schools.
Prof. Haynes said that next year the High School proposes to have twenty-five graduates and fifty the next year. They intend to convince the people of Raleigh that the High School is not only a good thing but a necessary thing.
The school committee in the last two weeks have decided to add the chair of science, to have physics, physical geography and botany. Other additions will be made from time to time whenever the need is felt.
Prof. Harper also announced that the athletic association had elected as sponsor of the baseball team Miss Betsy John Haywood.
The ceremonies were full of interest being interrupted frequently by the heartiest applause. They were concluded by the benediction by Rev. Milton A. Barber, rector of Christ church.
Class Day Exercises.
The commencement exercises of the Raleigh High School began yesterday afternoon with the class day observances in the auditorium of the high school at 5 o'clock.
The stages were beautifully decorated in United States and North Carolina flags and banners and with numerous vases of flowers. Outlined in letters of ivy on a white background were the words, "Class Day, '09."
The class spirit was everywhere evident, each class being distinguished by their colors, appearing in bows and sashes and rosettes on lapels.
The exercises opened with a short address by Mr. Amzi Ellington, vice-president of the class, who, in the absence of the president, Mr. Carl Betts, was master of ceremonies.
He expressed the hearty thanks of the class to the ladies of the High

School Betterment Association, who had made it possible for the high school to reopen and who had done such efficient work in furnishing the auditorium. In complimenting the senior class he said it was the first real graduating class from the high school, as they had begun in the freshman year and gone straight through.

The class history was read by Miss Myrtle King, the historian. It was written in the form of a diary, beginning in the freshman class, expressing the hopes and desires of the class through the four years, their one aim being graduation.

The class will was read by Miss Corinna Mial, and was decidedly humorous, each request being received with laughter and applause.

The class poem, read by Mr. Frank Smothurst, was very good.

A great deal of merriment was caused by the presentation of the souvenirs to the classes, some special significance, plain to all, being attached to each one.

The president of the freshman class was presented with a bag of salt; the sophomore class with a box of Uneda Biscuits; the juniors were given a long-handled spoon, coupled with the rhyme "With the aid of the moon and a long-handled spoon you'll win your way to matrimony soon."

The class prophecy was very bright and interesting. From an up-to-date air-ship, the prophet, Miss Isabelle Haynes, saw all the members of the class settled down to future wedded happiness, some at Garner, others at a farm at Rambatt, and other such delightful places.

The souvenirs to the members of the senior class all bore a deep significance and were hailed with laughter.

The exercises were interspersed by songs, "Alma Mater" and "R. H. S."

Owing to the weather the ivy was planted in a pot, to be later transplanted to the outside of the building.

With each shovelful of dirt each member buried their greatest trial during their senior year.

DEBATE FOR MEDAL.
Mr. Seymour Whiting was the winner of the Chas. U. Harris medal in the debate at the high school last night.

The exercises were presided over by Mr. Neal Ivey. The query was: "Resolved, That the commission plan of government is best for our North Carolina cities."

Upholding the affirmative were Messrs. Amzi Ellington and Frank Smothurst. On the negative were Messrs. Seymour Whiting and Geo. Strong. Twelve minutes was allowed for the main speech and five for the rejoinder.

The debate brought out some good speeches from each debater, showing thought and study.

The judges, Messrs. Walter Clark, Jr., Wilbur Bunn, and John Hinsdale, after being out about ten minutes, brought in a decision in favor of the negative, awarding the medal to Mr. Seymour Whiting.

The medal was won last year by Mr. Talmage Stafford, who has made a record at A. & M. this year that the high school is proud of.

DEFEATED BY FRIENDS.
Friends of Candidate For Moderator Resorted to Undignified Advertising.

(By Leased Wire to The Times)
Denver, May 21—Defeated by over-zealousness of friends and what the opposition termed "undignified advertising" was the fate of Dr. W. L. McEwan, of Pittsburg, candidate for moderator of the Presbyterian general assembly.

Up to a few hours before the balloting Dr. McEwan easily held the lead and was considered a sure winner. Then advertising matter containing fulsome praise and cock-sure predictions was distributed by his friends and there was a rapid change of sentiment. Dr. James Morrison Barkley, of Detroit, who came here alone and made no remarks or predictions concerning his candidacy was finally chosen on the third ballot.

Four Children Burned to Death.
Toronto, May 21—The four children of Ernest Oldfield, harness-maker in the northern suburbs of the city, were burned to death as the result of the explosion of a lamp in the house.

Body of Meredith Cremated.
London, May 21—The body of George Meredith, the novelist, was cremated at Woking today and the ashes returned to the Meredith home at Dorling.

Lived 152 Years.
Wm. Parr—England's oldest man—married the third time at 120, worked in the fields till 132 and lived 20 years longer. People should be youthful at 80. James Wright, of Spurlock, Ky., shows how to remain young. "I feel just like a 16-year-old boy," he writes, "after taking six bottles of Electric Bitters. For thirty years kidney trouble made life a burden, but the first bottle of this wonderful medicine convinced me I had found the greatest cure on earth." They're a Godsend to weak, sickly, run-down or old people. Try them. 50c at all druggists.

Four Persons Killed.
(By Leased Wire to The Times)
Chicago, May 20—Four persons are known to have been seriously, perhaps fatally injured and five or six persons have been killed as the result of an explosion and fire which completely destroyed the Bartlett apartment house in the extreme north side.

Attempt to Wreck Train.
(By Leased Wire to The Times)
Boston, Mass., May 21—Three attempts were made to wreck trains on the Fitchburg division of the Boston and Maine Railroad in Somerville last evening. A suspect may be arrested today.

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READY FOR FESTIVAL

Musicians Arrive in City this Morning.

Everything in Readiness For the Great Musical Event—First Performance Tonight—Program For Tomorrow Afternoon.

The Pittsburg Festival Orchestra and the artists who are to participate in the North Carolina Music Festival, which opens in the Academy of Music tonight arrived in the city this morning.

This afternoon a mass rehearsal of the Choral Society, artists and orchestra was held in the Academy so that now everything is in readiness for the opening performance, which begins tonight at 8:30 o'clock.

The performance of Haydn's greatest oratorio, "The Creation," will be performed at the opening concert, and judging from the rehearsal this afternoon it will be a performance highly creditable to the Choral Society and one which every North Carolinian ought to hear.

The second concert is of a popular nature and takes place tomorrow afternoon at 3:30. It will be presented by the orchestra and seven soloists. The program of this concert is as follows:

Part I.
Overture—William Tell, Rossini, The Festival Orchestra.
Violin Solo—Hejre Karl, Czardas Scene, Hulay, Mr. Kohler.
Songs—(a) O Let Night Speak of Me, Chadwick; (b) Our Love is Vain, Clayton Johns; (c) Recompense, Wm. H. Hamond, Mr. Strong.
Danse Macabre, Saint-Saëns, The Festival Orchestra.
Trumpet Solo—Werner's Parting Song, from the Trumpeter of Salkingen, Nesler, Mr. Kegel.
Intermission.

Part II.
Ballet Music—Cello Obligato, From "Queen of Sheba", Goldmark, Mr. Goerner.
Harp Solo—Impromptu, E. Schuecker, Mr. Schuecker.
Songs—(a) O Lovely Night, Ronald; (b) Love's Way, Tosti; (c) Blue Bonnet's O'er the Border, Old Scotch, Miss Hussey.
(a) Spring Song, Mendelssohn; (b) Serenade, Moszkowski, The Festival Orchestra.
Songs—(a) The Wanderer, Schubert; (b) Sing Me a Song of a Lad That's Gone, Charles Burnham; (c) Cato's Advice, Bruno Huhn, Mr. Martin.
Second Hungarian Rhapsodie, Liszt, The Festival Orchestra.

PLANTER FIGHTS POSSE.

Convicted of Crime 25 Years Ago and Escaped—Discovered and Fights For Freedom.

(By Leased Wire to The Times)
Noxapater, Miss., May 21—Thomas Atkinson is in the woods defying the sheriff and his posse and 20 members of the militia. Atkinson is wanted for a murder committed in Mississippi more than 25 years ago and for which he was once sentenced to life imprisonment. He escaped within a few weeks after being committed and has since led an exemplary life. He has raised a family and become a wealthy planter.

Detective R. C. McKay is responsible for the charges brought against Atkinson. He was working on another case, the authorities having long since given Atkinson up as lost, when he suddenly ran upon a clue which led to an investigation. When Atkinson was apprised of the suspicion he took his rifle, and going to the woods defied the authorities, refusing to submit to arrest or interrogation.

He is surrounded in a dense thicket and his capture is but a question of time, although for the moment it is deemed unsafe to rush his hiding place.

ALDRICH THE MASTER.
Will Pass Tariff Bill When He Gives the Word, Champ Clark Says.

(By Leased Wire to The Times)
Washington, May 20—Representative Champ Clark was asked in the house today when he thought the senate would pass the tariff bill. He replied:

"Senator Aldrich has shown that he is master of the situation, and has the votes. Whenever he is ready to vote on the passage of the bill it will be done, but he does not seem disposed to take anyone into his confidence."

Great Mansion Burned.
(By Leased Wire to The Times)
San Francisco, Cal., May 21—The magnificent mansion of Joseph D. Grant, millionaire drygoods man and art connoisseur, was completely destroyed by fire last night, entailing a loss of nearly \$200,000.

Famous paintings which never can be replaced were destroyed.

Eight Dreadnoughts for England
(By Cable to The Times)
London, May 21—The Pall Mall Gazette announces today that the government has yielded to the insistent demands of the public and will build eight Dreadnoughts during the present fiscal year. The agitation over heavier armaments has stirred England more deeply than any other national question in many years.

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City Corner Rye	3.00	3.20 6.25
Satisfaction Rye	4.00	4.50 8.75
Greenwood Rye	3.50	4.00 7.75
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N. C. Luchakoe Corn	2.00	2.20 4.20
N. C. Swallow Corn	2.50	2.70 5.25
V. C. Corn Whiskey	3.00	3.20 6.25
Old Berry Corn Whiskey	2.25	2.40 4.75
Swamp Corn	2.25	2.40 4.75
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Peach Brandy	3.50	10.00 3.70 7.25

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