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THE COMMISSION MEETS.

To Consider Propositions for Consolidations of Lenoir College and the Collegiate Institute.

Mr. B. L. Umberger returned last night from Salisbury, where he went to attend a meeting of the Lenoir commission appointed to consider propositions for the consolidation of Lenoir College, of Hickory, and Mt. Pleasant Collegiate Institute, of Mt. Pleasant. Nothing is given out for publication, but it is understood that the question has been carefully gone over and the result of the conference will be withheld for the present, in fact the matter has not been definitely settled and further deliberation will be required before any final decision is reached in the matter. The Salisbury Post says: "The aim of the Lenoir people in North Carolina is to provide a school system that will provide a real first class male college at one place and a real good female college at some other place in the territory of the State. The aim is to build up this system at the earliest possible date. With this in view the Lenoir commission appointed by North Carolina Synod is holding its second meeting in Salisbury today, in St. John's church. Meeting with the commission today are members of the boards of trustees of North Carolina College and Mont Amoen Seminary. Rev. B. S. Brown, chairman of the commission is presiding over the meeting and the discussions are earnest and pointed. It cannot be stated with any degree of certainty just what the commission will accomplish but it is believed the wisest course will be followed. A few members of the Rowan Lutheran Pastor's Association, M. B. Stickle, Esq., of Concord, and several others interested are present at the meeting today.

The Lutheran church has, from the beginning, been an educational church. She requires an educated ministry and appreciates an educated laity, hence the stress she always places on the education of the masses by the denominational schools and colleges. This grows out of the primary principle of the Reformation—Religious training and instruction shall constitute a part of the education of every child and youth.

Cabarrus County Democratic Convention.

At a meeting of the Democratic Executive Committee of Cabarrus County, held on the 10th day of April, 1910, it was ordered that the primaries be held on Saturday, June 25th, 1910, at 3 o'clock p. m., in all townships, except No. 12, and in the respective wards of No. 12 township at 8 o'clock p. m.

It was further ordered that the County Democratic Convention be held in Concord on Saturday, July 2nd, 1910, at 1 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of electing delegates to the Judicial, Congressional and State Conventions, and for the purpose of nominating candidates for the Legislature and the various County offices. JNO. L. MILLER, Chairman, Cabarrus County Democratic Executive Committee.

Chicken With One Head and Two Bodies.

Let all the cities that have been bragging about eggs with tails to them take a back seat—Tacoma, Wash., has hatched a chicken with two bodies.

Three weeks ago A. J. Lunan, a city lineman's helper, of Tacoma, set an old hen. All the eggs hatched out but one and this one seemed to be having trouble inside from all indications. The shell was broken a little and out popped a chicken's head and then followed a great combination of bodies and legs. Fastened to the one head and neck were two separate and perfect bodies, each having two wings and two legs. The chicken or chickens, which ever you want to call it, did not live. Lunan has it in alcohol.

Kinsman Heard from After Thirty Years.

Mr. J. C. McLean, of Mooreville, has received a letter from J. W. Coakran, an uncle, who had been supposed to be dead for 30 years past. He is at the Mississippi soldier's home at Biloxi, and is more than 80 years of age. He was a Confederate soldier and enlisted in one of North Carolina's regiments and after the close of the war, drifted West. He was a connection of the Cochran family of Mecklenburg.

The new Savannah liner, City of Montgomery, left New York Friday on her first voyage to Savannah with 5,000 barrels of cotton aboard. This case of "carrying coals to Newcastle" was due to the shortage of cotton in Southern mills. The cotton was Georgia grown, and had only recently been sent abroad. There it was repurchased and redipped to New York for trans-shipment back again.

EXTRA SESSION OF LEGISLATURE CALLED.

General Assembly to Take Action in Bond Matter.

Governor Kitchin issued yesterday evening a proclamation calling the North Carolina general assembly to meet in extraordinary session June 14 to take action as to the impending \$3,430,000 refunding bond issue to take care of bonds falling due July 1, the necessity for a special session being the inability of the Council of State to market the 4 per cent. refunding bonds at this time in sufficient quantities, under the restrictions of the legislative act, authorizing them to meet the July bond obligations.

The proclamation of the governor follows:

"To the Honorable the General Assembly of North Carolina:

"By, and with the advice of the council of state, an extraordinary occasion having arisen, I, W. W. Kitchin, governor of the State of North Carolina, in exercise of the power conferred upon me by the constitution of the state, do issue this, my proclamation, convening the general assembly in extra session on Tuesday, the 14th day of June, 1910, at 11 o'clock, a. m., and I do hereby notify and request senators and members of the House of Representatives of the general assembly of North Carolina to meet in their respective halls in the capitol in the City of Raleigh at said time for the purpose of considering an emergency resulting from the inability of the state treasurer to sell, in accordance with chapter 399, public laws of 1909, entitled 'An Act to Authorize the Issue of State Bonds to Pay Off State Bonds Which Fall Due on the First Day of July, 1910,' sufficient bonds to pay the present outstanding bonds of issue of 1890, which mature July 1, 1910, and of enacting legislation to enable the state treasurer to reserve sufficient funds to pay said last mentioned bonds at their maturity.

"In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the great seal of the state to be affixed.

"Done in the City of Raleigh, this 3d day of June 1910.

"By the governor,

"ALEX. J. FIELD,
Private Secretary."

The question that confronts the legislature is whether to increase the rate of interest on bonds to run for 40 years to 5 per cent., or to provide for the money needed by borrowing pending the sale of bonds.

There is still one chance that the call for an extra session may be revoked. The banks of the State are to send representatives to Raleigh June 8th for a conference as to means for tiding over the situation. If there be any results from this meeting it is said that the call for an extra session will be revoked by the governor.

Refused to be Vaccinated.

Four members of a family at Kannapolis, who have been exposed to a case of smallpox, refused to be vaccinated several days ago. The smallpox case was just across the county line in Rowan county. These people have since moved to Kannapolis and when they were approached several days ago by a physician to vaccinate them they refused to be vaccinated. Dr. Wallace went up to Kannapolis this morning, accompanied by Sheriff Honeycutt to vaccinate them. Two members of the family consented and were vaccinated but the other two refused to submit to the treatment. It is very probable that a warrant will be sworn out for their arrest and if they still refuse to be vaccinated the case against them will be tried in court.

Comes Out for Bagwell.

Perrin Busbee, of Raleigh, is out in a stirring and in advocacy of L. C. Bagwell, of Raleigh, as corporation commissioner to succeed the late B. F. Aycock, the place on the commission being filled until the election by H. C. Brown by appointment of the governor. Mr. Busbee accuses Mr. Brown of shifting his claims of place of residence to suit the place on the commission, for which he is running, being a western man, while he was out for the long term to succeed Mr. Rogers and an eastern or central man later when he decided to take up with the Aycock place on the commission.

Place of Senator Vacant.

The news that an extra session of the legislature had been called was of especial interest here, as the Senator from Cabarrus, Col. Paul B. Means, has died since the regular session adjourned. The only way this vacancy can be filled is by election by the people, and, as it is now too late to call an election to be held before the special session convenes, there will be no Cabarrus man in the Senate. Of course Mr. H. N. Pharr, of Charlotte, represents both Cabarrus and Mecklenburg.

MAY RUN FOR PRESIDENT.

Joseph W. Folk Sketches Platform on Which He May Seek Nomination.

Missouri democrats of all factions at a dinner Thursday night heard former Governor Joseph W. Folk announce the principles on which, it is said, he will seek the Presidential nomination in 1912. The dinner was in charge of men who have been promoting the boom of the former governor. "The doctrine of equal rights should be made a living, vital and controlling force in the government," said Mr. Folk after he had listened to Democrats from all parts of the State tell the guests that the former Governor should be endorsed for the Presidency.

"The Democratic party," continued Mr. Folk, should insist upon the stamping out of graft and corruption from every department of government; the eradication of all special favors, including bounties, subsidies and a tariff for any purpose other than revenue.

"We need the honest, sincere enforcement of the laws we already have and the regulation of the rates of public utility corporations upon a reasonable basis that justice may be done the people and a fair return for the amount actually invested by afforded.

"On the subject of issues before the people former Governor said:

"The great issue before the people of this country is, shall there be government by privilege for a class, or government by the people for all? This is a question within parties as well as between parties. The Republican party is dominated by special interests and operates with them upon a profit-sharing basis. We should not be oblivious to the fact, however, that we have a 'riches and Cannons in our own party and it is the duty of Democrats to lessen their influence as much as possible. We cannot prevent some of them being in the party, but we should keep them from running the party.

"A crisis has been reached in the affairs of the nation. Pick up a newspaper any day and you will find accounts of thievery and graft. What does it mean? Is corruption becoming a national disease? Is there something in our system of government that encourages men to violate the commandment 'Thou shalt not steal'?"

"Is not the government itself in a large sense to blame for this seeming general disposition? Has not the example which the government sets in enriching a few by taking from all by means of the protective tariff been an influence for corruption?"

"With the example of the national government giving privileges to a few, there is encouragement afforded all forms of graft, for all graft is based upon privilege. Officials are not bribed to give equal rights to all but to confer upon the few some privilege denied the many. The elimination of privilege is the fight confronting democracy."

Davidson Commencement.

The graduating class at Davidson College commencement this week numbered 59. Seven graduated with the degree of A. M., 23 with the degree of A. B. and 29 with the degree of B. S.

Among the B. S. graduates was Robert Davidson Grier, of Concord, son of Dr. J. M. Grier.

The degree of D. D. was conferred on Rev. D. I. Craig, of Reidsville, and Rev. Ernest Thacker, formerly of Norfolk, now of the Southern General Assembly and secretary of evangelistic work throughout its bounds. The degree of LL. D. was conferred on Chancellor Dinwiddie, of the Southwestern Presbyterian University, of Clarksville, Tenn.

Sam Eury in Trouble in Greensboro.

The Greensboro News has the following in regard to a former well known Concord negro:

Yesterday morning, Sam Eury, a negro employed at the Vanstoy stables, became involved in a quarrel with Frank Vanstoy and proceeded to whip him. But Sam was evidently counting the strength of his opponent only by his size, for he is small for 14, and he was taken by surprise when Frank drew out a knife and started toward him. One heavy slash, followed by another, came before they were separated and the negro was taken to a drug store, howling and bleeding like a hog. A doctor was quickly called in and necessary medical attention was rendered, but it required 47 stitches to close up the two gashes a foot long each.

Retiring in her usual health Thursday night, Mrs. Joe Mingus was found dead in her bed at her home at Woodleaf, Rowan county, early Friday morning. The cause of her death is unknown.

Beginning tomorrow, the Norfolk & Southern railroad will inaugurate Pullman sleeping car service between Raleigh and Norfolk, Va.

TICKET COLLECTORS ON ALL SOUTHERN TRAINS.

Present Force will Eventually be Increased to Cover Company's Whole System.

In the near future there will be a ticket collector on every train of the Southern railroad, says the Atlanta Journal. A little more than a month ago the number of ticket collectors was increased to 75. Eventually it will be increased to 150 or more—at least, enough to cover the entire system.

There is an impression that a big auditing company of New York has a contract to take up tickets on the Southern railroad guaranteeing the road an increase of 10 per cent. net revenue, on the average, and taking the balance over that as compensation. This impression is erroneous.

The system was put in operation on May 1, 1908, beginning with 30 collectors. It was a success from the first. The revenues of the Southern on passenger business increased astonishingly. This increase has kept up steadily ever since, it is said.

Ticket collectors have increased the revenue of the Southern railroad chiefly by correcting irregularities and picking up loose ends. This is emphasized by the officials.

When the system was inaugurated most people construed it as a reflection on the conductors. The conductors saw it in that light, too. Now this idea is changing. People are beginning to realize that it was not the conductors who were cheating the Southern, but the passengers. All sorts of schemes have been devised to evade payment of railroad fare. Many were nipped in the bud by alert conductors, but most were missed.

It is pointed out by the officials that before the ticket collection system went into effect a conductor had three different duties to perform. That is, the handling of his train, the taking of ticket and fares, and auditing of collections. If it came to a choice between looking out for the safe and prompt transportation of his train, or "laying" for a dishonest passenger, he looked out for the train which was what the company expected him to do.

As a natural consequence, say the officials, the company missed much revenue they should have got, simply because, with so many things to look after, the conductor could not make a clean sweep. But the ticket collectors, with only that one thing to do, are sweeping mighty clean. And by the same token, say the officials, the conductors, relieved of collections, are making things hum when it comes to keeping schedules and handling trains safely.

Tried for Killing Each Other's Dog.

Two men from Kannapolis, Luke Ball and J. O. Sherrill, were tried in 'Squire Pitts' court this afternoon for killing each other's dog. Sherrill owned a bull dog and Ball a hound. The two dogs got into a fight and from the evidence it seems that the hound got the best of the bull dog, whereupon Sherrill killed the hound. This aroused the anger of Ball and he went to his home, got a shot gun and proceeded to reciprocate the treatment his dog received by killing the bull dog. They were both bound over to court under a \$25.00 bond.

Leaving his automobile at the roadside while he fished in Chickies Creek, M. E. Helfrich, of Manilla, Pa., was summoned back by the "honk-honking" of its horn. A cow was chewing the horn's rubber bulb.

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