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CABARRUS COUNTY AND HER RESOURCES.

Some Interesting Facts Showing Increase of Population, Value of Property, Etc.

Mr. John A. Barnhardt, one of the county commissioners, has compiled the following facts about Cabarrus county which will be found of much interest:

Cabarus county was formed in 1792.

Population.

Census 1850	9,747
Census 1890	18,142
Census 1900	22,456
Census 1910	26,340

Property Listed for taxes, June 1st, 1910.

Personal property	$2,661,734.22
Real estate	4,442,097.00
Total listed for taxation	$7,103,831.22

The actual value of above property is about $20,000,000.00.

Has three banks showing

Paid in capital and surplus	$ 322,500.00
Total deposits	1,272,673.00
Total resources	1,746,000.00

Has three Building and Loan Associations showing $280,000.00 resources.

Has one Farmers' Mutual Fire Insurance Company with insurance on farm property only, one million dollars.

Has a splendid court house which, with the jail, represents fifty thousand dollars.

Has about 50 miles of macadam and graded roads. The National Highway from New York to Atlanta runs directly across the county. Automobile travelers say the finest stretch of road between Washington and Atlanta is in Cabarrus county.

Has twenty steel and iron bridges across our creeks and rivers.

Has within her borders twelve cotton mills, which represent an outlay of five million dollars to build and equip them.

Has no bonded debt and the proceeds from a proposed bond issue is to pay for macadam road already built and steel bridges now erected, all in present use and in good condition.

The land in Cabarrus county is well adapted to agricultural purposes. Cotton, corn, wheat and oats being the principal crops grown for market; also is suited to truck farming and grasses.

Cabarrus county is rich in minerals. The first gold mine ever discovered in North Carolina was the Reed mine in Cabarrus county. The first gold was discovered in in 1799 and in 1803 a solid piece weighing 28 pounds was found. Various other pieces weighing from one to 16 pounds were taken from the same mine.

Stanly County News.

Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Heilig and little son, of Mt. Pleasant, spent Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Hearne.

Mrs. Binah Atkins returned Tuesday from an extended visit to relatives at Winston, Concord and other points.

Mr. Collier, traffic manager of the Southbound, was in Albemarle Tuesday. He says that on or about May first a full passenger service will be put on, trains from Florence, S. C., and trains each way on the locals, making it possible to make round trips in one day, will be placed on. But no particulars can be given out now.

Union Institute will hold its 25th annual exercises April 9-16. On Sunday, Rev. J. S. Moffatt, D. D., Due West, S. C., will preach the baccalaureate sermon. Debate on Wednesday evening, upon the tariff question, by the Philomathea Society, and Thursday evening by Franklin Society. Literary address by Rev. S. A. Cotton, of Red Springs.

Another Three Egg a Day Hen.

Several days ago a hen belonging to Mr. E. Hastings, of Glass, laid three eggs in one day, as was noted in The Tribune. Since that time a hen belonging to Mr. John C. Correll, who has attained quite a reputaition as a chicken breeder, has duplicated the trick. Mr. Correll says that he does not know whether the notice in The Tribune inspired his hen to perform the feat or not, but if there are any doubting Thomases he has the hen, the eggs and the witnesses to establish conclusive proof.

Special Services at Reformed Church.

The Associate Reformed Presbyterian church is preparing for a special series of evangelistic services embracing the third and fourth Sabbaths of May. The meeting will begin on May 18th and will close on the 31st. The pastor will be assisted in these services by Rev. Jno. L. Boyd, of Wellerville, Miss. Mr. Boyd has quite a reputation as an evangelist and much good is expected from his two weeks labors in our midst.

Truth is mighty and prevails, after a political campaign.

COCA COLA WINS FIGHT.

Famous Case is Decided in Favor of the Atlanta Beverage.

Chattanooga, Tenn., April 6.—The case of the government against "forty barrels and twenty kegs of coca cola" was decided in favor of the Atlanta beverage in the eFderal court here this afternoon. In ruling on a motion for premeptory instructions Judge Sanford held that caffeine is not an added or deleterious ingredient of the beverage. He overruled the motion on points relating to the misbranding feature of the allegation, but counsel for the government moved to dismiss, without prejudice, the case on these points. A verdict was returned in favor of the defense, Federal counsel entered a motion of appeal to the United States circuit court at Cincinnati.

The coca cola case has been one of the most important ever tried in the Federal court in the South and the cost of the litigation has been enormous. It is said that $200,000 will not cover the expenses. Both sides have had experts from all sections of the country, the most eminent scientists, principally chemists and physicians. The government has spared no expense in the effort to prove its contentions and the coca cola peoplhe have been equally liberal in securing expert testimony.

The Southern's New Department.

The Southern Railway, in line with its usual progressive policy, has decided to extend the scope of its past endeavors to co-operate with the farmers along its line in the development of cotton and other agricultural products, have now embraced the live stock industry. Mr. F. L. Ward, who has long been in the service of the company has been chosen as head of this very important department. It [illegible] purposes of Mr. Ward to [illegible] self to the encouragement [illegible] growing along the line, [illegible] information to the farm[illegible] will be helpful in the growing [illegible] of all kinds and to [illegible] relative to market[illegible] shipment, to encourage [illegible] of feeding [illegible] this very important [illegible] who is in [illegible] advantage of [illegible] and whose [illegible] will be [illegible] 300 Pennsylva[illegible] ington, D. C.

[illegible] in the Oil.

[illegible] Messenger and Intelligencer.

[illegible] has been discovered that the oil in the lamp which exploded on the night of March 23, at the home, near Olive Branch of Mr. C. A. Pritchard, containing 15 per cent of gasoline. Readers of The Messenger and Intelligencer will remember that two young ladies, Miss Gracie Baucom and Miss Wilma Davis, were covered with the burning oil and so badly burned that they died the next morning, and that another young lady, Miss Lou Bancom, was also very badly burned. Another lamp exploded at Mr. Pritchard's home Saturday night following the first explosion and this so aroused that gentleman that he had some of the oil sent to Raleigh to be analyzed. The analysis, which was completed a few days ago, disclosed the fact, as above stated, that the oil was 15 per cent gasoline, and that to this adulterant the explosions were undoubtedly due. The oil, we understand, was was bought in Marshville.

Another Election Ordered.

Salisbury Post.

Mr. N. B. McCanless spent Monday in Monroe, Union county, where he appeared beforethe board of couuty commissioners and asked for a second election in Goose Creek township on the issue of bonds for the proposed Salisbury to Monroe railroad. The board, after hearing his petition, fixed Saturday, May 13, as the day. In the first election last month, only six votes were wanting to give the vote for the bonds a majority of the registered votes, and this lost the election though the number of votes cast for the subscription were largely in excess of those cast against it.

On the same day an election will also be held on a bond issue in Buford township, the proposition being to extend the railway south through that township to the South Carolina line, to connect with the Charlotte, Monroe and Columbia railroad which is already in operation between Jefferson and McBee.

Honor Roll of Fisher School.

Rosa Belle, Myrtle, Susie, Katy, Lena, Elsie, Anna, Mattie, Daisy and May Kluttz, May, Florence, Maud and Maxie Fisher, Bessie Boger, Minnie, Fonts, Adam, Clifford, Raymond, Hubert, Cletus Kluttz, Ralph Bost, James Moose.

Other local matter on third page.

HOOKWORM DISEASES.

Its Prevalence in This Section—Investigations by Dr. Page.

For several months past, hookworm disease has been investigated among school children of Rowan, Davie, Davidson, Randolph and Montgomery counties. About 7 per cent of the school children in 230 schools visited show marked symptoms of the disease on inspection.

The State Laboratory of Hygiene in Raleigh has made a microscopic examination of about 2,000 school children, representing almost entire school from various sections of each of these counties and a general average of 22 per cent of them were found to be afflicted with the disease.

The percentage of infection runs about the same for each of these counties. They have ranged from 2 to 70 per cent. Town schools and factory schools average about 10 per cent. while the rural schools average about 30 per cent infection.

It has been the aim to determine the geographic distribution and degree of infection; to determine the sanitary conditions responsible for the presence and spread of the disease; to enlist the co-operation of the physicians in curing sufferers; to provide for the treatment of the indigent; to inspect the schools, notifying parents of suspected cases; to instruct the teachers, enlist the press, and, by lecturers, demonstrations and personal conferences, teach the people the importance of getting all infected persons cured, and how to prevent the spread of the disease by putting a stop to soil pollution.

The co-operation has been very encouraging. Physicians, editors, teachers, and a majority of the laymen are united in their efforts to eradicate the disease. A few laymen who are still ignorant of the damaging effects of the disease are still skeptics.

Three county boards of education of these five counties have taken steps to improve sanitary conditions at the [illegible] in this way, check the [illegible] disease there. Rowan [illegible] of education passed an [illegible] sanitary toilets at all [illegible] at public expense. [illegible] tiring energy of Supt. [illegible] half of these buildings [illegible] erected already. A[illegible] pollution is prevented [illegible] community has an object [illegible]. The owners of the [illegible] in this section are following [illegible]'s exampl . It is hoped that each home will follow suit. Of more than a thousand rural homes inspected, only about 80 per cent. are provided with any toilet of any kind.

A Sweeping Victory for Democrats.

New York, April 5.—The Democrats made sweeping victories in the election throughout the country yesterday. In Chicago, Carter H. Harrison was elected mayor by over seventeen thousand plurality, defeating Charles L. Merriam, who made a campaign for a clean town. In Oyster Bay, Roosevelt's home town, the democrats elected the entire ticket. In Hartford, Conn., they elected seven out of nine aldermen. In Baltimore the primary election resulted in the nomination of James H. Preston, Democrat, over former Mayor Timanus, Republican. The returns indicate that another election will be necessary in yesterday's recall of Mayor Fawcett, having been indecisive, three candidates being in the field and none had a majority.

Socialists Oppose Churches.

Utica, New York, April 4.—Charging that all churches are against the emancipation of the working class and for the protection and perpetuation of capitalism and moral and economic slavery," the Italian and Socialist Federation in National Congress here today adopted a resolution that members must "sever their affiliation with any and all existing churches and religious organizations and refrain from all religious practices and rites."

The congress which was atended by representatives of 35 States, adjourned tonight to meet next year in Chicago.

Woman Mayor in Kansas Town.

Mrs. Ella Wilson is now Mayor of Hunnewell, Kansas.

At the election Tuesday she and O. M. Akers were tied for the office. At first is was suggested that the two candidates draw lots. But that did not appeal to the male voters. They said if Mrs. Wilson could race a man to a tie, she ought to have the office. Therefore the judges of election declared her elected.

She says she is going to clean up Hunnewell.

The Durham Herald thus summarizes the truth: "The man who goes into any convention and participates in the selection of candidates is in honor bound to abide the result, and the man who really wants to maintain his independence will find it safest to keep out of all of them."

GAS PLANT FOR CONCORD?

Philadelphia Capitalists Will Make Application for a Franchise Here.

Mr. Sydney Kenny, of Kenny & Co., of Philadelphia, and his attorney, Mr. D. Howard Evans, are here today looking over the city with a view to establishing a gas plant here for fuel, lighting and heating purposes. Mr. Kenny is the principal member of the firm of Kenny & Co., of Philadelphia, who own a number of large gas plants. Messrs Kenny and Evans came here from Statesville, where they secured a franchise for a plant. These gentlement expressed themselves as highly pleased with Concord, and after driving over the city and meeting a number of citizens they decided to make application for a franchise, which will be presented to the board of aldermen at their next meeting.

Mr. Kenny stated that if they were granted a franchise here they would begin the erection of the system at the same time they did the one in Statesville, which would result in both plants being completed much more rapidly. They were met by a number of business men and given every encouragement, and it is needless to say that they will receive every consideration at the hands of the city fathers that their proposition merits.

Program for Sunday School Rally.

Opening Song.

Devotional Services—Rev. A. O. Lindley.

Song by Choir.

Address—Rev. C. P. MacLaughlin. Subject, "Aim and Scope."

Song by Choir.

Address—Rev. J. A. J. Farrington, Subject, "The Adult Class."

Song by Choir.

Collection—Song by Choir.

Closing Song.

This rally will be held at Central graded school next Sunday night at 7 o'clock, and it is for all the Sunday schools in the city. We ask that all the churches close their doors that night and come and join in with us.

Don't forget to be the the school building at 4 o'clock. Prof. Holt, of Greensboro, will be with us and conduct the music. Let everybody come.

R. L. HETHCOX, Sec.

Democratic Primaries April 15.

At a meeting of the Democratic executive committee last night a call was issued for the democratic primaries to be held Saturday, April 15th. The polls will be opened all day and the vote will be by ballot and record kept of every voter. This will necessitate every citizen's name being on the registration books before he will be allowed to vote. An official call will be issued later.

Tuberculosis has a second time invaded the fine dairy herd at the State hospital, in Raleigh. There have been 15 fine Holstein cows killed the last few days, six of them Wednesday, with the directors of the hospital as spectators. The expectation is that there are a number of others infected among the forty odd cattle the institution has. It was only a couple of years ago that a herd of nearly 50 fine cows had to be killed for similar infection.

Special Rates

For the baseball game between the University of North Carolina and University of Virginia, at Charlotte, N. C., Monday, April 10th, 1911 the Southern Railway will sell reduced rate round trip tickets from all points within a radius approximately 100 miles of Charlotte including Asheville N. C., and all intermediate points. Tickets will be sold on April 9th, and for all trains on April 10th, scheduled to arrive at Charlotte before 2 p. m. with final limit of all tickets April 11th, 1911.

For further information, rates, schedules etc., apply to any ticket agent Southern Railway.

R. H. DeBUTTS, T. P. A.,
Charlotte, N. C.

William J. Bryan Thursday told the committee sent here b ythe citizens of Memphis to invite him to make his home in that city that he could not accept. The invitation was extended at a luncheon given Mr. Bryan by the committee.

DIAZ NOW TO USE IRON HAND.

Orders 20,000,000 Rounds of Mauser Rifle Cartridges.

El Paso, Texas, April 6.—A war of extermination that will turn Northern Mexico into a vast burial ground is believed to be imminent today, following the positive statement by Francisco I. Madero, Jr., Provisional President of Mexico, that the insurgents will never lay down their arms until everything they demand is granted.

On the heels of Medero's statement comes the official statement that President Diaz has ordered 20,000,000 rounds of Mauser cartridges and 10 batteries of mortars for immediate delivery.

An American who has just arrived from the Mexican capital and who is close to the administration of Diaz declared today that Diaz, having granted unusual concessions to the insurrectos in the hope of bringing peace, is now ready to crush the rebellion by the "iron method" for which he is noted.

Three Hundred Goats Killed by Hail.

San Antonio, Texas, April 5.—A storm of wind and hail played havoc in the extreme southwest section of Texas yesterday, according to dispatches reaching San Antonio this morning.

On the Witt ranch, nine miles east of Brackett, 300 goats were killed by the hail. In Kendall county the storm reached the proportions of a tornado, demolishing 3 buildings in the business section of Comfort and wrecking a number of steel windmills on nearby ranches.

Mrs. Rudolph Allerkamp was carried some distance by the wind and buried beneath a pile of wreckage, but was rescued unharmed.

The house in which Michael Linder slept was blown down, but he was not hurt.

NO. 6 TOWNSHIP.

We are having plenty of rain at this writing.

Wheat and oats are looking good at present. The farmers are all behind with their work.

Mr. Lewis B. Sifford is confined to his bed with pneumonia.

Messrs. A. H. Penninger and W. B. J. Bost went to Charlotte to see Mr. Penninger's uncle, Mr. William Penninger. Mr. Penninger was dead and buried before they arrived.

Mr. Floyd H. Kluttz made a business strip Sunday evening.

We learn that Mr. Reece I. Long had his watermelon seed planted about two weeks ago.

Miss Laura Boger has been confined at home for some time with neuralgiagia, we are sorry to say.

Mr. K. A. Kluttz is devoting his time in the store since his school closed.

It seems as if the railroad fever has all died out since the election.

Communion at Prosperity on Easter Sunday at 11 o'clock and Boger the same day at 3 o'clock.

FIDDLEBO.

CLEAN UP WEEK.

A Great Success—Four Wagons Busy Hauling Off the Trash.

Four trash wagons are now hauling the trash that was removed from the premises last week, and work is being rushed as fast as possible. Those in charge of the clean-up campaign request The Tribune to announce that wagons will call for all trash that has not yet been removed just as soon as they can get to it.

Clean-up week proved a great success and more good results were accomplished than in any campaign to clean up the city that has ever been pulled off here. There were no prizs offered this year as in former clean-up campaigns, but all property owners were requested to have the work done themselves. This feature of the campaign was doubly successful, as it not only resulted in having more trash removed, but impressed upon the individual the necessity and advantages of having this work done and caused more interest to be taken in the work by the general public.

3,000,000 Chinese Starving.

Seattle, Wash., April 5.—Three million persons are starving in Northern Anrwei and Northern Kiangsu, according to a letter written by John C. Furgeson, chairman of the Central China Famine Relief Fund executive committee, to the Shanghai Mercury. Mr. Ferguson says:

"At least 1,000,000 persons are starving in Kiangsu. In addition to this district in Kiangsu, there is the large plain to the west, which extends into Anrwei Province, in which it is estimated there are 2,000,000 persons starving. The horrors of the present situation have rarely been paralleled even in this land."

The afflicted territory is within 150 miles of Shanghai.

John H. inley, president of the College of the city of New York, and formerly professor of politics at Princeton, is the man most likely to succeed in the university's presidential chair, vacated by Woodrow Wilson when elected Governor.

Have you been to the Carnival?

PERSONAL MENTION.

Some of the People Here and Elsewhere Who Come and Go.

Mrs. W. D. Pemberton is spending the day in Salisbury.

Mr. John L. Alexander, of Mooresville, is here today.

Mr. M. L. Blume has gone to Charlotte on a short business trip.

Mr. J. S. Carrington, of Durham, is a business visitor in the city.

Mr. T. D. Maness is spending the day in Salisbury on business.

Mr. Will Barrier, who travels for the Whitin Machine Co., is here today.

Mr. Jack Hoover, of Greensboro, is visiting relatives in the city.

Mr. Thomas D. Gilliam, of High Point, is a Concord visitor today.

Miss Jennie Patterson, of Charlotte, is visiting her brother, Mr. John K. Patterson.

Rev. and Mrs. C. P. MacLaughlin returned last night from a several days visit to Charlotte.

Miss Willie Richmond, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. C. L. White, has returned to her home in Bedford City, Va.

Mrs. D. D. Johnson and two children are visiting Mrs. A. A. King. They are on their way from their former home in Virginia to their new home in Spartanburg.

Miss Julia Bagley, of Blackstone, Va., is expected to arrive this afternoon to visit Miss Anna Sherrill. Miss Bagley was one of the bridesmaids at the Benbow-Long wedding at Greensboro last night.

Obituary Notices, Cards of Thanks.

The attention of the public is respectfully invited to the following:

Obituary notices, in memoriam sketches, cards of thanks, communications espousing the cause of a privat enterprise or a political candidate and like matter published in The Times and The Tribune will be charged for at the rate of five cents a line. There will be no deviation from this rule.

Yes, knowledge is horse power to the veterinary surgeon.

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