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It Is Never Too Late To Nominate Your Baby. Do It Right Now!

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If You Do Not Win You Will Have No One to Blame But Yourself, for the Contest Manager Has Made the Way Easy and Plain--Every One Has an Equal Chance and Every One is Supposed to Have Friends Who Will Aid in the Work--Especially as It Costs Them Nothing--Take Your Subscription Book Out With You Tonight or as Soon as You Can and Get What You Can, Which Will Aid You if You Go About it the Right Way.

The last day of double votes has arrived, and you must get in every vote that you possibly can. Some of the babies are going to have wonders worked in their behalf as a result of this double vote offer. These are the babies who have ambitious and energetic parents and friends, the parents and friends who understand and appreciate the full meaning of the title, "the most popular baby in Concord and surrounding country," and believe it to be worth striving for, to say nothing of the gold that will be theirs if successful. The stay-at-homes, the laggards and the quitters are not going to realize anything from this wonderful offer, except that they will be crowded further into the background, and their chances of winning this great race will be further diminished.

And just a word in passing to these people who do not care if they win or not. The contest manager is going to take the most charitable view possible and will concede that you probably love your baby with the same wealth and warmth of affection that anyone else loves their children. Then why don't their children, then why don't you get busy, why don't you pitch in and give substantial evidence of love for your little darlings, why will you sit back at home and see that coveted gold and glory go to the babe of your next door neighbor, perhaps? Why don't you see to it that your own little darling is crowned king or queen of Concord and surrounding country.

Madero Plans Taking of Mexico City in a Month.

San Antonio, Tex., May 12.—"Unless President Diaz resigns and peace is made at once, General Francisco I. Madero, my brother, chief of the revolutionary movement, will be leading a force of 20,000 men through the streets of Mexico City in less than a month. This is no idle talk. It is the military plan which he has made."

This statement was made here today by Alfonso Madero, recently a peace emissary. "The City of Mexico is the objective point," Alfonso Madero said. "My brother, as soon as it is definitely determined there shall be no further peace moves, will start south, gathering in his soldiers as he goes. It is planned to take Torreón, install a garrison and then head for Chihuahua. There is no question that the insurgents can take every town as they go, and after Chihuahua it will be a march south, couriers calling in the insurgent command from around Saltillo, in the night, camps, and elsewhere. Long before he appears before the gates of Mexico City my brother's army will be augmented to over 10,000."

First Confederate Reunion.—An Interesting Historical Fact.

The first Confederate Reunion ever given in the South was given by Mrs. Col. J. M. Ray, the wife of Brigadier General J. M. Ray, of Asheville, N. C. Mrs. Ray, now in feeble health, lives in the same house where she gave the Reunion, as a surprise to her husband, on July 4, 1889, to the Sixtieth North Carolina, of which Gen. Ray was Commander.

This interesting historical fact is not generally known, and it is believed was given publicity in the Henderson Daily Herald for the first time in North Carolina.

Mrs. Ray, who was Miss Alice Caldwell, daughter of the late Col. R. D. Caldwell, formerly of Paris, Tennessee, is well known by many citizens there.

Cars Will Stop at Central Church on Sunday.

We are advised by the street car management to say that the street car will stop in front of Central Methodist church for all services for those who desire it. All the other churches at street corners.

June 3rd, 1911.

You can do it if you would only get down to work, for you have as many friends as that neighbor of yours surely, friends who would do just as much for you and who are just as ardent admirers of your little cherubs.

If you do not win it's going going to be nobody's fault but your own. The contest manager has offered you every possible assistance consistent with his duty to the others interested in this race. You have had equal chances with the others, you have no fewer friends, you could count on just as prompt and substantial support. When this race is over and the awards made, if you be not among the winners your friends will turn a deaf ear to any apologies you may try to make. In this day and age of hustle enterprise and progressiveness, all the world loves a winner and has but little use and no sympathy with a loser.

Don't be a loser. Take that subscription book out among your friends tonight and do what you can in the few remaining hours left to you. You may meet with such gratifying success that you will be encouraged to begin the new week, the last half of this race with so much energy, so much eagerness, so much determination that you will go through with flying colors and emerge victorious from the contest manager tonight and get these double votes. That's the way to win and that's exactly what you should do and could do if you but will.

Mrs. Haynie Acquitted on Emotional Insanity Plea.

Shreveport, La., May 12.—Mrs. C. L. Haynie, who was placed on trial for manslaughter in connection with the killing of A. G. Kornegay, formerly of Goldsboro, N. C., was acquitted this afternoon. The jury's verdict, reached in forty-five minutes time, read: "Not guilty on account of insanity." It was a unanimous decision. It is not positively known if the verdict will have the effect of sending the woman to an asylum. The general opinion is that she will be liberated entirely. District Judge Bell remanded her to jail until tomorrow, when he will decide whether to appoint a commission to examine her.

The jury's verdict was received spectacularly. As the words "not guilty" were read, loud cheers from the tremendous crowd, including dozens of women sympathizers, shook the court room.

The defendant's story was pathetic. Her acquaintance with Kornegay was due to his unsolicited approaches. Finally his begging caused her to leave home. When he discovered she was married he became infuriated and beat her terribly. The light preceding the killing he announced his intention to leave her. Her mind was blank from the time she left home the morning of the tragedy until she was in jail, she claimed.

To Oil North Union Street.

A number of citizens on North Union street are making an effort to have the street oiled. The street will be oiled similar to West Depot street and the expenses will be on the same basis—the property owner pay half and the city half. Mr. Archie Cannon is taking an active part in the movement and says the proposition is meeting with favor with the property owners. It is to be earnestly hoped that those interested will be successful in accomplishing the work.

Our China Famine Fund.

Previously acknowledged \$278.40
Mrs. Martin Barnhardt 1.00
Rev. T. W. Smith 2.00

Total \$281.40

Master Tally Russell has returned from Charlotte, where he has been in the Presbyterian Hospital for treatment.

CLASS PROPHOY.

Read at Recent Graded School Commencement by Miss Carrie Laughlin.

One night as I sat in my room alone, suddenly there appeared before me a quaint little lady carrying a package in an oil cloth cover under her arm. She wore a pleasant smile, and I was sure she must be a book agent, but in a few minutes she unwrapped the package, which proved to be a machine enclosed in a box. This machine revealed the future of all living mortals. It was there I remembered the task imposed upon me by my class, namely, to tell their destinies. The task that had hung over me like a pall, in the presence of the little lady was transformed into a pleasant pastime. After much questioning I received these few points on the destiny of the class of "sweet sixteen."

Grace, you are to lead a life of single blessedness, but to be an exception to the general rule of old maids. As we all know the general rule, I shall mention only the qualities of the exceptions. In this case Grace is to be a bright, cheerful little creature scattering gladness and sunshine in the paths of others. Your approach shall be as welcome as the tones of the joyous May bells.

Mary's fate, I am afraid, would not suit many of us, for she is to go as a missionary to Korea, and there among so many hardships she will do a good and noble work. Although the greater part of her life will be spent in this work, yet I shall give her the pleasure of knowing that she will receive her reward and die in her native land.

Etelle, you and Margaret Walthall and Mae Pounds are to be quite a noted trio. You three will go about together giving concerts which will make you rich beyond the dreams of avarice. You are to be a most charming reader, while Margaret Walthall will delight the audience with her beautiful solos. Mae Pounds will play the accompaniment.

As for Isabel and Alice, no doubt you think it is useless for me to put in words that which we all know must come to pass. Their many blushes, caused by the mention of the names of two certain young men, make us quite sure of their future mission.

Elms, you are to become that which has been the dream of your youth—a famous actress.

Addie, I shall give you the joy of knowing your dearest dream and highest ambition will be realized for you are to become a distinguished author.

Wm. Glass, our handsome president, will enter the educational field. I can see him now as he will stand before the senior class of the Concord High School explaining geometry.

Fred Patterson will play baseball for glory and write poetry for a living. Standing on either side of the couch of an invalid whose face beams the gratitude that words can never express I see the famous Dr. Wadsworth and a trained nurse, Mary Barnhardt, who is already called the Florence Nightingale of the Mexican War. They will soon spell their names alike.

The eloquent tongue of Rev. Norman will do more than that of any other man to weld the forces of Christianity into a solid phalanx against the powers of evil.

After four years study in Berlin Laura Ridenhour will be the president of Concord's new conservatory of music.

Next in the little machine was heard a rumbling noise, I felt half dazed, but eager to see further into the future I gazed, but see nothing more in my room than its accustomed furniture and pictures. The lady with her miraculous box had gone and left me none the wiser concerning my own destiny.

A Capable Baggage Man Needed.

"I hope the corporation commission will make the Southern Railway put in two windows at the station this morning, for one man has to hustle to sell all the tickets to say nothing of checking the baggage too." To those familiar with the situation at the local station the above needs no comment. You have to fall in line and wait for a long time to buy ticket from the agent and then wait for the same agent to make out the checks and in a large number of instances ascertain the amount of excess baggage, all of which takes considerable time. The fault is certainly not with the efficient and obliging ticket agent, Mr. Walter, but it is simply a case where one man can not sell tickets and check baggage at the same time and give the public the kind of service they are entitled to.

There will be a ball game this afternoon at Forest Hill between Locke Mill and Mt. Pleasant teams.

OUR BABY PICTURE GALLERY.

This is the Picture Gallery of the Times and Tribune Baby Contest and from Time to Time There Will Appear Some Very Sweet Faces from this City and Surrounding Territory.



Margaret E. Patterson.

I want you to meet Miss Margaret Ellen Patterson, little daughter of Mr. Frank Patterson, of Kannapolis, for if you should miss meeting her you would miss one of the greatest pleasures in life and one of the rarest treats of this contest. Miss Margaret Ellen, as a matter of fact is one of the rarest flowers of this great race and it goes without saying that she is the ideal not alone of her parents but of a wide circle of friends as well. If you only know her personally you would feel like getting out and helping to win the gold and glory for her yourself.



Mildred Rogers.

Permit us to introduce to you Miss Mildred Rogers, little daughter of Mr. Fournay Rogers, of Glass. She is one of the belles of District No. 2, and is an exceptionally bright little darling who quickly makes friends wherever she goes. Just now these friends are bending every effort to win the gold and glory offered by the Times and Tribune. There is no doubt what the friends of her opponents will have to do some lively hustling, if she be vanquished. She is certainly deserving of all the support that can be brought to bear in her favor.



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Locke Parish.

This is Master Locke Parrish, son of David Parish, of 233 West Depot st. He is a bright little chap, carrying sunshine with him wherever he goes. He has made excellent progress in the Times and Tribune Contest and his friends say they do not propose he shall step until he is on top of the heap. Those friends are working for him with all the energy they can command, so look out for Master Locke before the end of the contest.

Mr. Durham Much in Demand.

Rev. Plato Durham, the scholarly pastor of Central Methodist church, and one of the most eloquent and brilliant speakers in the State, is being sought after by a large number of colleges and schools to deliver commencement addresses. Mr. Durham was compelled to decline the greater number of invitations but has accepted the following:

- May 21, at Lexington.
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- May 22, at Salisbury.
- May 24, at Louisville Female College.
- May 26, at Monroe.
- May 30, at Newbern.
- June 2, at Morganton.

Contest in Declamation.

The declamation contest of the Collegiate Institute will take place Monday morning at 10:30 o'clock in the auditorium at Mt. Pleasant. The following will be the speakers and subjects:

- "Lest We Forget"—Frank G. Davis.
- "Our United Country"—Frank R. Henderson.
- "American Ideals"—Fred R. Peck.
- "The Confederate Dead"—Hedrick M. Penninger.
- "Men and Memories of the Southland"—Elyde O. Ritchie.
- "Supposed Speech of Patrick Henry"—C. Homer Ritchie.

Davis White Sulphur Springs to Open June 1.

Hiddenite, May 13.—Davis Brothers, who have successfully operated the Davis White Sulphur Springs for a number of years, announce that they will be open for guests on June 1—that everybody's day will be June 8.

The hotel proper has been renovated and enlarged, the games of amusement have been increased and a great deal has been done for the grounds surrounding the hotel. This season the Davis Brothers will have a nice orchestra.

The Light Bearers of Central Methodist church will meet tomorrow after Sunday school.

COMMENCEMENT AT MOUNT PLEASANT.

Programme of Exercises at Collegiate Institute May 15 to 17.

The commencement exercises at Mt. Pleasant this year will embrace May 15 to 17. The following is the programme:

Monday, May 15, 10:30 a. m. Contest in Declamation—G. F. Davis, F. R. Henderson, F. R. Peck, H. M. Penninger, C. O. Ritchie, C. H. Ritchie.

Monday, May 15, 3:00 P. M. Literary Address—President S. C. Mitchell, LL. D., University of South Carolina.

Monday, May 16, 10:30 A. M. Contest in Debate—Query: "Resolved that the Federal government should establish a parcels post system with a maximum limit of twelve pounds." Affirmative: H. M. Fagart, F. B. Lingle, I. R. Crane; Negative: C. W. Misenheimer, C. H. Crane, C. E. Linker.

Tuesday, May 16, 3:30 P. M. Contest in Oratory—F. S. Cline, H. E. Cline, I. R. Crane, H. A. Fisher, D. C. Trexler, Z. B. Trexler.

Tuesday, May 16, 8:00 P. M. Annual concert, Mt. Amosia Seminary.

Wednesday, May 17, 10:30 A. M. Baccalaureate Sermon—Rev. Chas. P. MacLaughlin.

Awarding of diplomas and medals.

Marshals.

F. S. Cline, Chief.

Ludwig Society—G. F. Davis, J. E. Howell, C. H. Crane.

Gerhardt Society—F. R. Henderson, F. L. Harkey, D. R. McEachern.

The exercises will be held in the auditorium and music will be furnished by the Mount Pleasant Cornet Band.

There are six members of the senior class this year as follows: Frank S. Cline, Harry E. Cline, Irl R. Crane, Hilbert A. Fisher, Duke C. Trexler, Zebulon B. Trexler.

The excursion to Winston-Salem left this morning with a large crowd.

SUDDEN DEATH OF MRS. E. C. WAGONER.

Occurred This Morning at Charlotte Sanatorium—A Good Woman Gone.

The city was saddened today a few minutes after the noon hour when it was announced that Mrs. E. C. Wagoner, one of Concord's best known and most estimable women, had died this morning at the Charlotte Sanatorium. The news of her sudden death was quite a shock not only to the people generally but to those who were intimately acquainted with her condition. She had been in the Sanatorium for more than a week, and apparently her condition was improving as arrangements had been made for her return to the city tomorrow, when her son, Mayor C. B. Wagoner, was going over to accompany her home. The message from Charlotte states that she seemed to be feeling very much better and was sitting on the side of the bed when the summons came.

Mrs. Wagoner was a native of Rowan county, and before her marriage to Mr. Charles N. Wagoner on May 14, 1867, she was Miss Euphemia C. Boyd. She was born July 13, 1835, and was 75 years of age. Immediately after her marriage she moved to Concord, where her husband was engaged in business. Since the death of her husband she has made her home with her only child, Mayor C. B. Wagoner. Mrs. Wagoner was a devout member of Central Methodist church and a woman of the highest Christian character and her character possessed many rare and lovable attributes of both mind and heart.

The remains will arrive tonight on train No. 12. The funeral arrangements have not yet been decided upon.

Masonic Notice.

Special Communication

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F. & A. M., Monday

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