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THE STUDENTS' ASSOCIATION.

Bethel Hill Institute, Bethel Hill, North Carolina—Each Former Student Asked to Contribute Something to the Cause.

TO FORMER STUDENTS OF BETHEL HILL INSTITUTE:

DEAR FELLOW STUDENTS:—At a meeting of the old students in the auditorium of the Institute Tuesday, May 17th, 1904, a permanent "Students' Association" was organized with the following officers, viz.: Rev. J. T. Riddick, President; Rev. G. C. Duncan, Vice-President; Miss Bessie Farmer, Treasurer, and N. C. Newbold, Secretary.

About 150 to 200 old students were present. The purpose of the association is that by united effort, the former students may be enabled in some practical way, to help forward the noble aims for which Bethel Hill Institute stands.

At this meeting two important steps were taken, viz: First, a plan was set on foot by which the association hopes to be able to paint and decorate the interior of the auditorium before next commencement.

Each former student will be asked to contribute something to this cause. You are now requested to send \$1.00 or more to the Treasurer, Miss Bessie Farmer, Mt. Airy, Va., R. F. D. Please send your contribution to Miss Farmer by the 20th of September or before. If all old students will send in money by that time the work can be commenced and completed in good time.

An executive committee composed of three, of which Miss Mary Yarborough is chairman, will have charge of the work, see that it is done properly, and paid for when completed. The object of this committee is to have the work done without trouble or worry to Mr. and Mrs. Beam. It is desired that they shall not be worried with the collecting of the money, paying it out, or having the work done. It is distinctly a students' movement—to be managed, directed, and executed by them entirely.

Second. Those present requested by unanimous vote that all the old students who can possibly be present, be on hand at the Institute on the opening day of school in September next, and that each one try to take a new student to enter school.

If you can't bring a student, come and bring one or more books for the school library.

The purpose will be to make this first day of school a rally day. Several speeches will be made by former students and others interested in the school.

Those who originated this movement hope that it may be the means of bringing many new pupils into the school, of increasing the number of books in the library, and increasing enthusiasm among both old and new students, to help them make the session which begins on that day the most successful in the history of this worthy institution.

The next session opens Sept. 14th, 1904. May we depend upon you to help us in painting the auditorium, and in making the next session a success by being present on the date mentioned?

J. T. RIDDICK, President.
N. C. NEWBOLD, Secretary.
On the opening date mentioned

in the above letter—Wednesday, Sept. 14th, 1904, there will be a basket picnic on the grounds of the Institute. The picnic will be given by the school, the church and the community, and will be an all-day affair.

At stated times there will be speeches, music and other exercises in the auditorium. Everything possible will be done to make it pleasant for those who attend.

All the friends of the school are cordially invited to be present, especially the former students. Let all come that we may have a pleasant and profitable day.

J. A. BEAM, Principal.

Hurdle Mills Brieflets.

Nearly every farmer of this section that has any tobacco is curing. They are having excellent luck.

Rev. S. Y. Brown filled his appointment at the Academy Sunday evening, to a large crowd, but owing to the prevalence of measles, I did not get there, much to my regret.

Mr. Nina Seward, of Laws, was a Hurdle Mills visitor Sunday.

Miss Bertie Fitzgerald, of Burlington, was in Hurdle Mills visiting Sunday.

Mrs. Edna Hall celebrated her 72nd birthday Sunday, by inviting her friends to be present and take dinner with her.

Mr. Hubert Laws spent several days this and last week visiting in Durham county.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Horner and little daughters spent Friday and Saturday visiting Mr. W. B. Childress' family at Roseville.

The young people of this vicinity had another enjoyable meeting at Mr. F. M. Daniel's on last Friday evening from 7.30 to 10 o'clock. Watermelon eating was the chief charm of the occasion. Another enjoyable occasion was that at Mr. James Horner's on Sunday evening.

A good many of Orange county's young people were at Hurdle Mills Sunday.

We are very sorry indeed to state that Mrs. Sallie Bradsher is suffering with a severe case of measles.

The Hurdle Mills Literary Society is expected to meet soon and reorganize.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Wilburn and little daughter, Madred, returned a few days ago from a very pleasant visit of several days in Virginia.

I must now close.

ARCHIB P. DANIEL.

Aug. 23, 1904.

In Memory of Mrs. Helen Younger Daniel.

At 10 o'clock, a. m., August 29th, 1904, Sister Helen Younger Daniel, wife of Brother R. K. Daniel, passed from time to eternity. Conscious till the last minute, and just after taking some medicine, she turned on her left side and drew a long breath and was no more. For some weeks she was failing and suffering, but the love and skill of nurse, physician and loved ones could not arrest the dread monster, Death. For several years she was a great sufferer. Her fond husband said to me more than once that "Only he and she know of her great pain." Sister Daniel gave her heart to Jesus early in life, and was a consistent member of the Roxboro Baptist church. I have often talked with her about her faith in God, and found it clear and strong. She loved religious conversation, and had great faith in the power of the Gospel to save the world. She was a close student of the Bible, and often quoted aptly passages bearing on some great religious doctrine. She loved the real, and had little patience with the chaffy side of life. Openness was a virtue she greatly cultivated in her life, and strongly admired it in others. She was deprived of attendance at church during the last years of her life, but she often said, "Pastor, I am praying for you and the church." She was intelligent and conversed well on any subject. We will miss her. For

fifty-two years she tabernacled in the flesh, but her life is finished and God took her.

Husband and loved ones will miss her, but God says, "I would not have you to be ignorant, brethren, concerning these which are asleep, that ye sorrow not, even as others who have no hope." God comfort each of you, beloved, and at last bring each of you to an heavenly inheritance.

G. T. W.

IN A SOCIAL WAY.

Durham Ladies and Gentlemen Spent Several Days Camping at Loch Lily—A Splendid Barbecue on Friday—Other Recent Delightful Outings.

During the past week Loch Lily has been the scene of several delightful outing parties, and there have been many visitors at that popular resort.

On last Wednesday the Roxboro Baptist Sunday School picniced there. Every one thoroughly enjoyed it.

On Thursday morning a party of ladies and gentlemen, mostly from Durham, came over and went out to the lake to enjoy a few days of camp life. According to the Durham Sun, the following were in the party: Misses Louise Carr, Nellie Rawls, Mabel Tomlinson, Ethel Carr, Lottie Tomlinson, Mrs. Q. B. Rawls, of Durham; Miss Dot Richmond, of Danville; Miss Montgomery, of Concord, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Michie, of Durham, Messrs. Alphonus Cobb, Paul O. Sneed, Lawrence Tomlinson, Holman Rawls and others of Durham. Several young people from Roxboro also joined the party.

On Friday afternoon a barbecue was given at the lake to the tobacco men and their friends. A large crowd was present and did full justice to the toothsome repast. Everything was prepared just right and was fit for a king's taste.

A recent picnic crowd at Loch Lily was composed of the following: Misses May Gregory, Lula May Frazier, Belle Norwood, of Buchanan, Granville County, Miss Thulia Norwood, of Skipwith, Va.; Messrs. W. S. Daniel, J. M. Gregory, Ballard Norwood and J. S. Watkins, of Buchanan.

There have been so many picnic and outing parties at the lake this summer, that it has been impossible for us to keep up with but a small portion of them. In view of this fact, we trust that our readers who have been members of such parties that we have failed to mention, will kindly overlook the same. We would have gladly published an account of every outing party during the season if we could have learned the particulars and had the space to spare. Next season we hope to be able to get some one at the lake to keep us thoroughly posted as to all the happenings at and about this popular resort.

Hon. W. W. Kitchin Democratic candidate for Congress and his opponent Hon. C. A. Reynolds, Republican candidate will address the people of Person county at the following times and places: Mt. Tirzah Friday Oct. 14th; Roxboro Saturday October 15, and Bushy Fork Monday October 17. Speaking will begin promptly at 1 o'clock p. m. Everybody cordially invited to come out and hear the issues discussed between these gentlemen

From Shake Rag.

EDITOR COURIER:—Seeing so much writing from all over the county in THE COURIER, ceptin Shake Rag, erbout craps, politicks and sich like, we have concluded to tell you what we are doing down here. We have good craps in Shake this time. We have had a big meeting, too, at Harmony for erbout a week, and the preachers told us about going to hell and a heap of skeery things, and we got skeered and left the meeting house, so none of us did not jine. We see lots about politicks in THE COURIER and lots of men's names who want office. Shake Rag is just keeping quiet and not saying what or who she wants, but we would like to have Mr. S. S. Moore go to the legialater for us. He is a good demererat and we would vote for him. But if the demerats put in men who want to mix religi n and politicks, we won't vote for them. Shake Rag people haven't got much edification and don't know much erbout politics, but it looks like there is something wrong, as our property gits less each year and our taxes gits higher each year. What we want is free religion, free politicks and free liquor.

NOT JOSHUA WAX.

If Mr. Roosevelt has promised Mr. Butler a place in his cabinet, he must have it in for the South sure enough.—Durham Herald.

We are glad to know that as far as we have heard, tobacco curings are turning out quite favorably in the county.

To My Friends, Person and Caswell Counties.

As there are so many candidates in the field this time for both State and county offices, I have decided not to run, and will simply announce myself a candidate for all the tobacco I can get at Liberty Warehouse, Milton, N. C., for the coming season. As there is no candidate for that place, I feel sure of my election, and will take my seat on Saturday, the 17th of September, which is my opening sale. Thanking you for your liberal support and patronage in the past, I would say if elected again, will be able and more competent of filling the place than I have ever been in the past. I now promise you when you sell your tobacco with me to get you the highest market price that can be had. Now when you get your tobacco ready for market come right along to Milton and I will do my best for you. We will have some new buyers on our market, with large orders, this time, and want large quantities of tobacco. I remain as ever, your friend, always ready to serve you.

D. L. MORTON.

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