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## CONFERENCE CLOSES.

### Hillsboro Selected as the Next Meeting Place

(Reported for The Courier.)

The 47th session of the Durham District Conference of the Methodist church, which was held here this week, closed yesterday. The conference met Wednesday morning, with the elder, Dr. R. C. Beaman, presiding. Rev. A. J. Parker, of West Durham, was elected secretary. After the appointment of the different committees the balance of the morning and the entire afternoon business sessions were consumed in reading the written reports of the pastors. These reports were very optimistic and showed that great progress was being made.

Thursday morning Dr. S. B. Turrentine, president of Greensboro College for Women; Rev. J. M. Rhodes, president of Littleton Female College; Rev. L. S. Massee, editor of the Christian Advocate, and M. W. Brabham, field secretary of the Sunday School Board, were introduced to the conference and each ably presented the institution or cause which he represented. Mr. Brabham conducted a question box and showed that two Sunday Schools in the District—Trinity at Durham and Burlington—had reached the standard of efficiency and were entitled to a certificate.

At the afternoon session Dr. W. P. Few, Messrs. R. J. Aikens, D. B. Cameron and W. R. Hambrick were elected delegates to the annual conference. Hillsboro was selected as the place to hold the next District Conference. Dr. Few presented Dr. Beaman with a handsome fountain pen inlaid with silver as a token of appreciation on behalf of members of the conference.

At 8 o'clock each evening, 6.30 and 11.30 each morning devotional services were held. The 6.30 a. m. services were of somewhat a revival nature and were all conducted by Rev. A. D. Wilcox, and despite the inclement weather and early hour were fairly well attended.

Thursday morning at 11.30 the zenith of the conference was reached, when Dr. Few delivered an address on education and Trinity college. This was both an intellectual and spiritual

feast, after which Dr. Beaman announced that he was just about ready to entertain a motion to license Dr. Few to preach, whether he was an applicant or not as there was no question that he could beat the preachers at their own jobs.

At the evening service Rev. A. D. Wilcox, pastor at Louisville and financial agent for Louisville college, delivered an illustrated stereopticon address on "The Value of Women", made a stirring appeal and took a collection and subscriptions for the college.

The services and sessions were greatly added to by the singing of a splendid quartet composed of Revs. A. L. and J. M. Ormond, A. J. Parker and A. S. Parker, and solos by Miss Beaman and Miss Annie E. Parker. This last named talented young lady is undoubtedly, one of the best musicians and sweetest singers in the state.

Roxboro has been greatly benefited by the conference and will welcome its return.

### Thinks Major Stedman Will Be Unopposed.

Sydney C. Chambers and Chairman R. P. Reade, of the Democratic County Executive Committee of Durham, spent Friday in Washington.

"I do not believe there is any doubt about Major Stedman being returned to Congress at the end of his present term," said Mr. Reade in discussing State politics. "The people of the district thoroughly sympathize with him in the hard struggle he has had in choosing between friends in selecting the large number of postmasters he was called upon to fill and what little personal feeling there is against him just now will soon wear off."

"I do not believe Senator Overman will have any opposition," continued Mr. Reade. "There have been a number of candidates mentioned to make the race against him but when the time comes I believe they will all see they are foredoomed to defeat and back out."

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## ROXBORO WEDDING.

### Miss Nell Lanier Hester Becomes Bride of Dr. James D. Cochran.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Hambrick was the scene of a quiet but beautiful wedding Monday afternoon when their sister, Miss Nell Lanier Hester, youngest daughter of the late A. J. Hester, became the bride of Dr. James D. Cochran, of Fayetteville. Mandelshon's wedding march was rendered by Miss Huldah Hester and Schubert's Serenade was softly played during the ceremony. The wedding vows were taken before Rev. E. M. Snipes, pastor of the bride.

Miss Hester, maid of honor, was attired in pale blue charmeuse and lace and carried pink Killarney roses.

The bride's gown was brocaded crepe meteor with hand embroidery and real lace. Her bouquet was bride's roses and a shower of lilies of the valley.

The bride comes from one of Person's first and most substantial families and is an excellent and accomplished young lady. The groom is a prominent physician of Fayetteville and is to be congratulated upon his good fortune in winning his bride.

### Mess. Carver's Sell Their Livery Business.

Mess. Joe H. Carver & Son have sold their livery business to Mr. A. P. Clayton. Possibly there has never been a livery business here which has enjoyed a larger business than Mess. Carver & Son, and it was deserved, for they were always polite and attentive, making friends of all their customers. While they have disposed of their livery business they still maintain their sales stables and will at all times keep on hand a good lot of stock and cordially invite those wanting good horses and mules, either for driving riding or farming, to call upon them at their same old stand, where they will guarantee satisfaction. They want the public to know that they have appreciated their patronage and will spare no pains to merit a continuance.

### Daniels For Governor.

Richmond Times-Dispatch.  
Men who claim to be close to the heart of political moves in North Carolina have brought to Richmond within the past few days the statement that Joseph Daniels, Secretary of the Navy, may be the next Democratic nominee for Governor without a party struggle. It must be said to the credit of Secretary Daniels, however that he has not been engineering the campaign, which makes the situation all the more complimentary, and shows that his people are beginning to appreciate what he has done to throw the national spotlight upon the Old North State.

### Declares Women Don't Want to Vote.

Tuscola, Ill., June 13.—"Women don't want the right to vote," commented "Uncle Joe" Cannon, regarding the legislature's action in granting them the voting privilege. "If the proposition was put to a vote among women of the State it would be lost by fifty thousand."

We can furnish the tobacco planters.

## MRS. JOE PERSON DEAD.

### Died Late Thursday in Santa Fe, New Mexico, While En Route to California.

Charlotte, June 13.—Mrs. Joe Person discoverer of "Mrs. Joe Person Remedy" and one of North Carolina's best known and most respected women, died suddenly of apoplexy Thursday in Santa Fe, New Mexico, while en route for a visit to California and Alaska.

A telegram announcing this unexpected occurrence was received at 4 o'clock Thursday afternoon by Mrs. Person's son, Mr. Rufus M. Person, who lives on his farm near this city.

Mrs. Person left Charlotte last Saturday for this Western trip and was joined at Hickory by her sister at the last and who sent the telegram announcing her death.

The news of her passing will come as a shock to Mrs. Person's thousands of friends throughout the state. She would have been 73 years old on July 8 but had seemed to be in accustomed health, active, vigorous, interested in everything about her. Members of her family knew however, that for three or four months her health had been somewhat precarious, and it was hoped that travel would prove beneficial. Evidently it proved, however, too great a tax on her strength.

## Armless Girl Does Things.

Popular Mechanic's Magazine.

A remarkable demonstration of the control the mind has over the body is provided by Miss Kattie M. Smith an armless Chicago girl, who uses her feet to do the things the average person accomplishes with the hands. So adept has Miss Smith become that she makes cabinets, bookcases, desks, and like furniture, using with skill all the necessary tools, such as saws chisels, plane etc. In nailing however she uses a hat-het instead of hammer, as the shape of the former is better adapted for a tight clutch between the toes. Miss Smith also sketches with pen and pencil, does excellent needle work, and uses a typewriter for her correspondence. The daily task of making a toilet including brushing her teeth and washing her face, is done with comparative ease. She is also an adept gardener, using all ordinary implements with her toes, in the garden of the home for disabled children, which she has found at Maywood, a Chicago suburb.

## Daniels Flag Day Orator.

Boston, Mass., June 14.—Secretary of Navy Daniels was the orator at Flag Day exercises here today. Prior to Secretary Daniels' address there was a parade of sailors, soldiers and militia. Secretary Daniels pointed to New England's love of country as a model to the rest of America. He lauded the memory of Paul Revere and said: "There are scores of Paul Reveres in the South and West equally as brave."

"The flag," he said, "is a proud confession to the world, in eloquent speech of symbolism of principles, faith and history of a nation. It is the ideal of a country written in letters of glory upon a silken page, in our flag that ideal is expressed in but the one word 'Liberty'."

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## Married.

This morning at 8:45 at the home of Mrs. R. A. Noell Miss Lula Noell was married to Mr. T. C. Markham. It was a quiet home wedding, only members of the immediate families being present.

The parlor where the ceremony was performed, was beautifully decorated with ferns and other potted plants. The ring ceremony which was performed by Rev. D. F. Putnam, was used. The bridal couple entered to the strains of the wedding march, which was rendered by Miss Breta Noell, niece of the bride.

The bride was dressed in a going-away costume, carrying a bouquet of brides roses and shower of sweet peas. Immediately after the ceremony the couple took the southbound train and will spend the honeymoon at the sea shore, after which they will be at home in Durham.

## Board of Education.

The Board of Education will meet in call session on Saturday the 28th of this month to settle all claims for the present school year. All who have claims are requested to present them on that day for payment as it is very necessary that all claims be settled, and not to go over to the next school year.

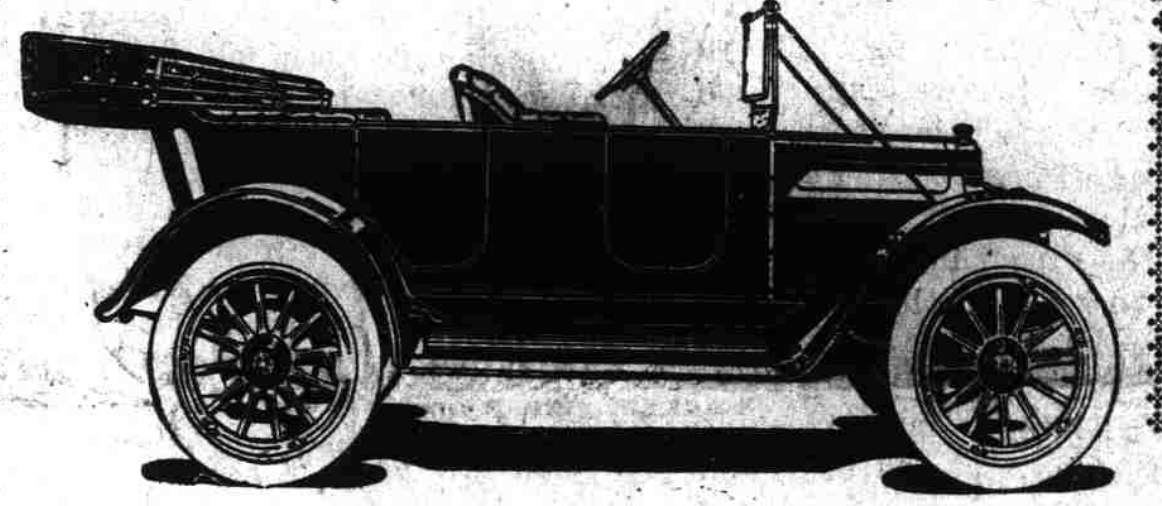
G. F. Holloway,  
County Supt.  
Roxboro, N. C.,  
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## St. John's Day Celebration.

At Oxford, N. C., Tuesday, June 24, 1913. Special trains, low round trip via Southern Railway. Special trains from Raleigh and Durham. Leave Raleigh 7.30 a. m., \$1.00. Leave Durham 8.25 a. m., \$1.00. Arrive at Oxford 9.5, a. m. Leave Oxford returning 5.30 p. m. Rates and schedules in same proportion from all intermediate points.

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## "Bound to Bargain."

"What's the price of this silk?" asked a deaf old lady of a young shopman.

"Seven shillings," was the reply.

"Seventeen shillings!" she exclaimed.

"I'll give you thirteen."

"Only seven shillings, ma'am, is the price of the silk," replied the honest young shopman.

"Oh, seven shillings!" rejoined the lady sharply. "Well, I'll give you five."

The above is copied from The Youth's Companion and reminds us so forcibly of the way that many of our people try to drive bargains that we reproduce it. IT's a poor way to trade. As soon as this is found to be your method there are those who will fix the prices so they can be cut to your offer. Better trade with reliable people who have honest prices and methods and stick to them.

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