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NEW BERN, CRAVEN COUNTY, N. C., TUESDAY, APRIL 8, 1902.—FIRST SECTION.

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BENEFACTORS DAY.

Baptist Educators Meet at Raleigh in Interest of Their Cause.

The Big May Festival, The Republican Selection, Young Dockery Coming Home, Various Meetings For Improvements.

RALEIGH, April 9.—This is "Benefactors day" at the Baptist Female University. A number of prominent Baptists are here from all parts of the State. Special exercises were held at 11 o'clock Dr. C. E. Taylor, President of Wake Forest College, delivered an address on "Giving to Christian Education as an Investment for the Kingdom of God," and Dr. J. D. Huffman of Henderson in "The Gifts of the Many." Rev. C. A. Jenkins of Goldsboro, delivered an address "In Memoriam of the late Chief Justice W. F. Faircloth" and Dr. Thomas E. Skinner on "The Life and Character of Mrs. Y. Swepson." These are among the donors of the largest benefactions the University has yet received. Rev. C. B. Justice, of Rutherford, of the University board of trustees presided during the exercises and conducted devotional services.

Arrangements have been made for a big May festival here in which the Boston festival orchestra of fifty pieces will be the star attraction. The exact date for the festival has not been fixed as yet.

Two prominent Republicans were discussing the recent executive committee meeting at Greensboro and the selection of that town for the convention, this morning one was telling the other of how hard Greensboro worked and lobbied on the convention, how they offered free ball, reduced hotel rates, "and" said the Republican, "they told us the hospitality of the city would be ours, 'Niggers and all'" asked the other Republican, "Yes, niggers and all" he replied. Then there was a hearty laugh at the expense of Greensboro.

United States Marshal, O. H. Dockery has received a letter from his son, Lieut. O. H. Dockery, Jr., who is with the third Regiment, United States Infantry in the Philippines in which he says his regiment has been ordered home and they will start at once.

The Secretary of State charters the F. L. Williamson Grocery Company of Burlington today, with \$100,000 capital authorized.

At noon today there were meetings of the Board of Aldermen, the Chamber of Commerce and the Merchants Association for the adoption of resolutions memorializing congress to macadamize New Bern Avenue from the city limits to the Federal Cemetery. These meetings are at the request of Congressman Pou who is making a special effort in this direction.

At 10 o'clock this morning Miss Etta McGee, daughter of Dr. J. W. McGee was united in marriage to Mr. Marvin J. Grant, of Conway, S. C. Mrs. J. C. Black and Miss Kate Grant, of Jackson, N. C. respectively mother and sister of the groom were here to attend the wedding.

Commissioner of Labor and Printing H. P. Varner, is receiving heavy congratulations upon his election as Vice President of the National Editorial Association.

ORIENTAL.

April 9. Mrs. Paul Delemar left Sunday for Charleston to attend the exposition.

Prof. and Mrs. M. W. Ball spent Saturday in New Bern.

Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Baxter of Stone-wall were in town Wednesday visiting friends.

Mr. H. L. Gibbs went to New Bern Thursday on legal business.

Messrs W. F. Midyette, J. L. Rumley and Ned Delemar left yesterday to attend the Charleston Exposition.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Caroon and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Weisiger went to New Bern Tuesday and returned in the afternoon.

Mrs. John F. Cowell of Bayboro, passed through our town Sunday on her return from Norfolk.

We are sorry to note that Mr. Columbus Hedges still continues sick.

NORTH CAROLINA DAY.

Great Crowds, Much Interest and the Best of Feeding at Charleston.

Special to Journal. CHARLESTON, April 10.—North Carolina Day at the Exposition was a great success. The weather is perfect with a bright sun.

The Naval Reserves formed an escort for Governor Aycock and conducted him through the city and the multitude of Tar Heels here gives them possession of the place today.

The Governors of North and South Carolina addressed the people in the auditorium and at 4:30 a reception was held in honor of Governor Aycock and his staff.

Tonight the North Carolina ladies gave a concert at the fair grounds under the auspices of the women's department. The people here were rejoiced over the large crowds in attendance this week.

Governor Aycock is stopping at the Argyle Hotel and it is almost filled with North Carolinians but they are in evidence at all points.

President Roosevelt left for Washington this afternoon, after a trip to Summerville where the famous tea growing plantations were visited. Everything has passed off to the satisfaction of all.

Charleston, S. C., April 9.—"The Governor of North Carolina has said the first things I wanted to say," said President Roosevelt in beginning his speech here today. "But I will say those things again," added the President, "and his audience laughed. As he spoke he looked at Governor Aycock, who sat within a few feet of him and smiled genially. Turning to his audience the President made a speech that in greater part had a strange likeness to the fervid extemporaneous talk made by Mr. Aycock not ten minutes previously. Both speakers dwelt upon the war between the North and the South, both gave great praise to the valor of the men on either side, both declared for a larger citizenship which recognized no sectional lines.

I Know One Sure Remedy for an obstinate cold. The name is Fry's Balsam.

Snow in Virginia.

ROANOKE, Va., April 8.—Snow has fallen here today and the weather has turned very cold. The mountains are covered with several inches of snow. Further west, the mercury has registered two degrees below freezing since early this morning and snow has been falling at intervals. Fruit trees are not yet in bloom, and if the wind continues high there will be little damage from the cold snap.

COVE.

Mr. John R. Bowden of New Bern spent Sunday very pleasantly here, we think he will soon suspend the bachelor business.

Mr. E. D. Avery is spending this week in New Bern.

Miss Sallie Bryan spent Sunday here with Miss Hattie Taylor, and left on the evening train for an extended visit at New Bern.

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Ha, Ha, we think blue stone is a good hair dye.

A Sunday School was organized here in the Methodist church last Sunday.

The public is cordially invited to attend every Sunday morning at half past nine o'clock.

She appreciated the April fool very much but says she was captured by Cupid's weapons long ago.

Henon.

A Testimonial From Old England.

"I consider Chamberlain's Cough Remedy the best in the world for bronchitis," says Mr. William Savory, of Warrington, England. "It has saved my wife's life, she having been a martyr to bronchitis for over six years, being most of the time confined to her bed. She is now quite well." Sold by F. S. Duffy & Co.

A Musical Treat.

It is certainly refreshing to drop in as one goes by No. 41 Pollock St., and hear the exquisite tone of any of the beautiful pianos on exhibition there. The great factory sale is an enormous success; it could hardly be otherwise with the class of instruments these people are selling and the ridiculously low prices asked. Nor is this all; the terms on which any one of these instruments can be bought are so easy that no home in New Bern should be without a piano, and a good one at that. Every instrument is guaranteed fully in writing, and there are enough Stuffs and other pianos bought from the Stuffs people in New Bern to prove what our guarantee means. Two beautiful instruments were purchased yesterday by two prominent people in this city within ten minutes of each other, but there is still a warehouse full to choose from and if you avail yourself of this grand opportunity to get a piano you will not regret it. Messrs. Duffy & Co. are the only ones who will sell you a piano for \$100.00.

RALEIGH.

Big Society Wedding Interests People at Capital.

A New Electric Line Chartered. Report of Secretary of Odd Fellows. The Central Hospital Matters.

RALEIGH, April 10.—It is learned that application is to be made within the next two or three days for a charter for a company which proposes to construct an electric railway between Burlington, Haw River and River Falls where some of the largest cotton mills in Alamance county are located. The authorized capital is to be \$100,000.

The Secretary of State chartered this morning, the Rocky Mount Brick company with \$30,000 capital, authorized J. C. Brisswell and others of Rocky Mount are the incorporators.

At nine o'clock tonight one of the most fashionable weddings of the season was celebrated in Christ's church.

Miss Minnie Fitch Tucker, daughter of the late Major R. S. Tucker, is the bride and Mr. Ashley L. Baker, a widely known cotton mill owner and manager, is the groom. Miss Tucker is one of the most accomplished and wealthiest young women in North Carolina. The wedding ceremony was in Christ's church, the pastor, Rev. M. M. Marshall, officiating and was followed by a brilliant reception at the residence of the bride's mother. During a luncheon on the bridal party last night each lady and gentlemen was presented with a costly favor; the maid of honor receiving a clover pin, the bridesmaids lovely card-pins and the gentlemen very handsome scarf pins.

The following constitutes the bridal party: Miss Florence Tucker Boylan, maid of honor, Miss Emily Sanderson, Philadelphia; Miss Beale Scott, Decatur Ga., Miss Arcebe Tucker, Miss Lucy Alice Jones of Raleigh. Best man, W. B. Baker, groomsmen, Henry A. McAdean, Charlotte, W. W. Vass, Victor H. Borden, Frank P. Haywood, Raleigh. Mr. and Mrs. Baker left at midnight for an extended tour north.

Grand Secretary B. H. Woodard of the N. C. Grand Lodge of Odd Fellows, has prepared his report for the annual session of the lodge at Greensboro May 13, showing a membership of 7781 January 1, 1902, a gain of 948. Relief has been extended by subordinate lodges during the year to the amount of \$15,146.16, an increase of \$2,192 over last year. Sufferers by the Jacksonville, Fla., fire and Bakeraville, N. C., flood were given \$2,113.18 of the relief fund.

The board of trustees of the Central Hospital for the insane, held meetings yesterday evening and this morning. All the old force, assistant physicians, servants, attendants, etc., were re-elected. The board declined to reduce rates charged non-indigent patients to conform with rates charged at the Western Hospital at Morganton, which is \$138 per annum as against \$5 per week charged in the hospital here.

The Best Prescription for Malaria.

Chills and Fever is a bottle of Gnoxy's TASTELESS CHILL TONIC. It is simply iron and quinine in a tasteless form. No cure—no pay. Price 50c.

TRENTON.

April 10.—There is a protracted meeting going on in the Methodist church this week. Rev. F. S. Becton is helping the pastor.

Bishop Watson and Rev. T. M. N. George held services in the Episcopal church Monday night. Miss Theo Kinsey and Mr. Geo. C. C. Heritage were confirmed.

One sweet day came at last. The boys and girls had quite a fine time. Some had such a time that they were published. It is not likely they'll want that good time again with the same result.

It is getting in the season to think about picnics, and we trust this matter will be looked into with interest by the Sunday Schools. We suggest that we had better have it on the steamer Howard. We had it on the boat last year and each enjoyed it splendidly. We know a few did, and think all did.

Etta Bert, the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Bert, was hit over the right eye with a rock thrown by a bad boy. The boy has gone to the Orphan Asylum and hope he will get along better there.

Quite a number of our town people attended quarterly meeting at Oak Grove last Sunday. They say Mr. Bumpas preached an excellent sermon.

The people of Trenton are badly in need of a railroad. If there was a line from Kinston to Swansboro via Trenton we think it would be one of the best paying railroads in Eastern Carolina. It would run through one of the best farming and timber sections there is. Swansboro would be one of the finest summer resorts on the Atlantic coast. Besides, it would not cost much to put it in. There are not many creeks, and only one bridge with a draw to it would have to be made, and that would be at Kinston. There are ridges through the woods, and therefore would not have to build much of the road over the swampy lands.

We trust that someone will see this who is interested in railroads, and put some one which will be a benefit to the people of Trenton.

COUNTY COMMISSIONERS.

Board met at 10:30 o'clock a. m. April 7th 1902, at the Court House in New Bern, it being the regular meeting of said Board.

Present Commissioners, Jones, Wadsworth, Fulcher, Wood and Baxter.

On motion the bill of Johnie Adams for \$40.00 for labor on fence No. 1 town ship.

On motion the bill of R. M. Auge was allowed for \$14.14 for work on fence No. 1 township.

On motion bill of W. P. Williams was allowed for \$6.04 for fence No. 1 township.

Gentlemen.—Having been appointed to go to the O. C. Jerome property and assess the same I shall in compliance with your orders visited the premises and beg to submit the following:

36 acres of medium land known as Rock Spring	1,500 00
Improvements consisting of buildings.	4,000 00
2 mules worth	150 00
Household and kitchen furniture.	1,000 00
Farming utensils	20 00
Jarts, wagons and harness	75 00
One fine yacht and yawl boat	2,500 00
One launch	500 00
One skiff	15 00
Fire arms	25 00

All other personal property such as Hausers block and tackles, Belgian hares, poultry and various other small pieces of property to the above

May be added liquors and wines not seen but supposed to be worth

Respectfully submitted

On motion the foregoing report of Bryan W. Ives was adopted and property ordered assessed at the amounts set forth in said reports for the years 1900 and 1901.

On motion the explanation of T. C. Howard which was deemed sufficient in order to show why his purchase of liquor had been small, was accepted and said T. C. Howard was discharged.

Ordered that the tax certificate of sale of land of A. A. Bryan on 48 Metcalf street now held by J. W. Stewart, be and the same is hereby ordered canceled as it appears to the Board that the tax on said land had been paid before the sale and the clerk is ordered to serve a copy of this order on the sheriff.

Ordered that Southey L. Morris, be and is hereby exempted from the payment of poll tax, he being disabled by the loss of a leg.

Ordered that Alfred Mumford of No. 9 township be relieved of the payment of poll tax, he being disabled by the loss of an arm.

Ordered that St. Clair Lancaster be requested to furnish \$1.00 in notions monthly to Zephia Washington, col., and present bill to this Board.

Ordered by the Board that the County of Craven appropriate one hundred and fifty dollars annually to the Carnegie Library fund to be paid quarterly as long as the library continues in existence, provided the city of New Bern and Trustees of New Bern Academy raises enough to add to this appropriation to make the sum total \$500. a year.

On motion of Commissioner Wadsworth it is ordered that notice is hereby given to Road Trustees of No. 8 township and all other townships in the county that the roads are in bad condition and the matter will be given to the Solicitor unless the roads are put in proper condition before the next term of the Criminal Court.

Board took recess until 2:30 o'clock p. m.

Board met at 2:30 o'clock p. m. pursuant to recess.

resent Commissioners, Jones, Baxter Wood and Fulcher.

On motion the matter of allowing L. H. Evans support, was left with Commissioner Wadsworth with power to act.

Ordered by the Board that the County donate the sum of \$30.00 to the News and Observer for the purpose of advertising the resources of Craven county at the Charleston Exposition.

On motion it is ordered that Mr. Dickson be and is hereby employed as assistant Janitor during the illness of Janitor Quildley.

MANY RELIABLE WITNESSES Prove That Old Cases of Chronic Catarrh can be Cured.

A Medicine That Will Cure Cases of Catarrh of Long Standing Deserves a Very High Place in the Annals of Medical Discovery.

Such a Medicine is Peruna.

THOUSANDS of testimonials are pouring in every day of old cases of chronic catarrh that have resisted all treatment for years, being promptly and permanently cured by Peruna.

These reports do not all come from obscure places, signed by obscure people. A large proportion of these letters are written by men and women prominent in business and professional circles and many of them well known from ocean to ocean.

Colonel John Franklin Waters occupies a prominent position among the leading trial lawyers of Chicago. He has probably obtained more verdicts against corporations in suits for personal injuries than any man of his age in the United States, and during his practice of over fifteen years he has not lost a single case in the Supreme Courts of Illinois and Missouri. He is a hard worker and has the energy of four men.

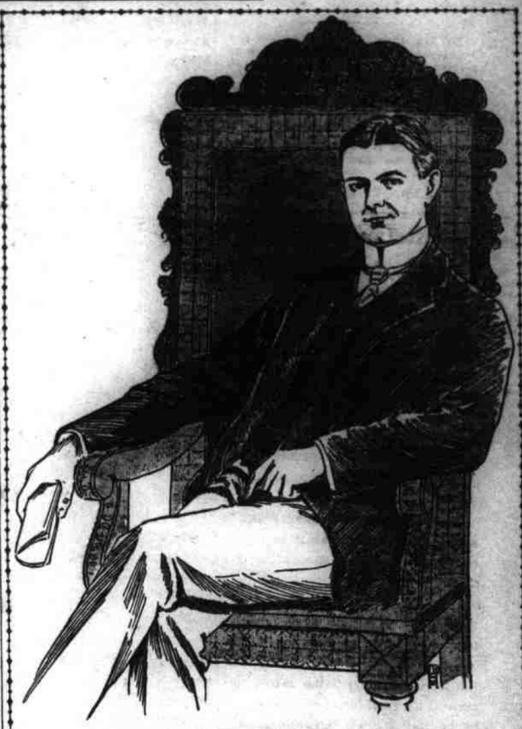
For a number of years he had been afflicted with chronic catarrh and having recently been thoroughly cured of his old affection, an interview was obtained with him by one of our reporters in which he gave the following statement to the public:

CHICAGO, ILL., Aug. 6, 1900.

The Peruna Medicine Co., Columbus, O.: Gentlemen—"It gives me great pleasure to testify to the merits of such a worthy remedy for catarrh as your Peruna. I had suffered for a number of years from this very disagreeable disease and had tried many so-called remedies, but until I used Peruna none had the desired effect. I feel that I am perfectly cured and can cheerfully recommend Peruna to any one suffering from catarrh."

JOHN F. WATERS, 120 E. Randolph St., Chicago, Ill.

Another case equally well-known in Chicago, is reported through a letter from a veteran Railroad man.



COLONEL JOHN FRANKLIN WATERS, OF CHICAGO.

Captain John H. Lyons, of Chicago, veteran soldier and a prominent member of G. A. R. Camp No. 102.

Captain John H. Lyons, 1612 Prairie Ave., Chicago, Ill., writes: "For twenty years I suffered with chronic catarrh but thanks to Peruna I am now entirely cured."

"It affords me much pleasure to make a statement in behalf of your meritorious remedy, Peruna. I have used same for catarrh and have found it to be all you claim for it. I had suffered for twenty years. I cheerfully recommend Peruna to anyone suffering from catarrh, as I believe that, as in my case, it will prove a sure cure."—Captain John H. Lyons. Address The Peruna Medicine Co., of Columbus, Ohio, for instructive free literature on catarrh.



J. H. LYONS.

Another case equally well-known in Chicago, is reported through a letter from a veteran Railroad man.

North Carolina HAMS

Nice lot Just Received.

Fancy Evaporated Apples 10c lb, Sun-dried Apples reduced to 8c. Few Nice Mixed Nuts left over from Holidays, only 10c lb. Canned Corn, standard quality, 8 cans for 25c. New Barrel Fulton Market Corned Beef. Fresh lot Y. Y. Sugar Cured Shoulders 10c lb. Fresh Ginger Snaps 5c lb. Big lot Feather Dusters, Whisk Brooms and Blacking Brushes.

J. L. McDANIEL, Wholesale & Retail Grocer, Phone 91, 713 Broad St.

Spring Reflections At Smith's

We are showing a Beautiful Line of White Goods for Waists. All the New Dainty Weaves

10c to 25c.

Figured Lawns, Dimities, Plain and Figured Organdies, Foulard Silks. All over Laces Beaded Net.

Ask to see them and our prices. You will find our regular prices as low as others "specials."

We still have the agency for Standard Patterns. They are not the cheapest but the best.

We carry what you want in stock.



You see at a glance

what did it—good, nutritious, flesh-making feed. Cause and effect are shown in the fat cow and hog. We sell the very best available, as our numerous customers can testify to. Have on hand always a large and carefully selected stock of grain and feed, and are prepared to fill orders for any quantity. Our prices are lower than the lowest.

C. L. SPENCER'S, 19 & 21 Market Deck, New Bern, N. C.

Important to Farmers.

In view of the fact that it is not generally understood that the Rice Crop is highly protected from foreign competition by an import duty and that the crops, raised in the United States have every year fallen much below the home consumption, the Carolina Rice Mills of Goldsboro, N. C., in order to encourage the cultivation of Rice on a larger scale than has heretofore been done is now prepared to make contracts with planters in North Carolina for their crops of rice they may raise during the year 1902 on the most liberal terms.

Parties interested, who wish to avail themselves of this offer, can communicate with us and we will take pleasure in giving full particulars.

SEED RICE will be quoted on application.

Respectfully, CAROLINA RICE MILLS, Goldsboro, N. C.

J. W. SHEPARD, POLLOCKSVILLE, N. C.

In addition to his already large stock of General Merchandise adds

A FULL LINE OF LADIES

Millinery Goods