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Corn

removes from the soil large quantities of

Potash.

The fertilizer applied, must furnish enough Potash, or the land will lose its producing power.

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A. & M. COLLEGE.

Commencement Exercises. Fourteen Graduates. Ex-Senator Ransom Presents Diplomas.

Special to Journal.

RALEIGH, May 28.—Today the commencement exercises of the Agricultural and Mechanical College were held in the Academy of Music.

There were fourteen graduates. J. L. Parker won first honor, R. E. Snowden second honor. The "Star" cadets were Snowden, Cockran and Baseman.

Ex-Senator Matt Ransom presented the diplomas and made a ringing speech in which he said the United States led all other countries, and that this was due to the intense love of the country, unmatched anywhere else; he said England ranked second among the nations and in love of country.

The Ex-Senator was given an ovation by the audience.

RALEIGH.

Republican Nominees For Chief Justiceship.

Charlotte Team's Winning Streak. Matter of Cattle Quarantine For State. Report of College Attendance. Art Exhibit St. Mary's College.

RALEIGH, May 28.—A number of Republicans, from various parts of the State, are here. They say they expect that W. P. Bynum, Jr., or Judge Timbriake will be their party's nominee for chief justice. Some of the Republicans are urging ex-attorney general Z. V. Waiser to run for Congress, but he appears to be very coy.

The game of base ball won from Raleigh yesterday by Charlotte is the thirteenth in succession won by the latter team.

The board of agriculture shows very plainly that it will manage the affairs of the Agricultural and Mechanical College and not share any of its duties and responsibilities with the board of visitors. The law is mandatory and very strictly drawn.

Among today's arrivals were J. A. Long, Roxboro; J. R. Gaskill, Tarboro.

The State Veterinarian is now hard at work on the cattle quarantine matter. In the old territory he finds much interest, but in the new territory the cattle owners know little and care less. They have not yet awakened to the situation June 14 there will be a meeting at Wilkesboro to organize a county association.

The report by President G. T. Winston on the college shows 869 students enrolled, representing six States and 83 counties in this State. Wake county has 37, Mecklenburg 15, Wayne 13. Of the students 179 are sons of farmers.

At St. Mary's Female College today the trustees met and the art exhibit was on view.

TRENTON.

Epworth League Elects Officers. School Commencement. Personal.

May 28.—Misses Gladys, Helen and Ruth Chapman are the guests of J. A. Smith.

Miss Julia Hammond, who has been on an extended visit in Georgia returned home a few days ago.

Quite a number of our people went to Kinston Saturday to hear the great Rev. Sam Jones lecture.

The Trenton correspondent received an invitation to attend the commencement of Trinity College.

Miss Mamie Henderson, of Belgrade, Onslow county, who has been attending school at this place, went home Friday on account of sickness.

Dr. J. A. McDaniel, of Fayetteville, N. C. has located here, and will practice with Dr. H. R. Parker; Trust they'll succeed in their undertakings.

Mr. T. C. Whitaker, private Secretary to Congressman Charles R. Thomas, returned from Washington a few days ago.

The commencement exercises of Trenton High School will be Thursday evening and Friday morning, May 29th and 30th. Hon. Thos. D. Warren will not deliver the address as was announced before on account of a carbuncle on his neck, but Rev. W. G. Johnson, of Kinston, will.

Mr. W. M. Coble and family, who moved to Durham some time ago to do better is going to return to the old home stead. He finds he cannot do as well there as he can here. Be it ever so humble there's no place like home.

The Epworth League elected new officers last Sunday night. Mr. A. C. Burt was elected President; Mrs. Birdie Koonce, first vice-president; Mrs. Indiana Windley, second vice-president; Miss Estelle Murray, third vice-president; Miss Julia Jarman, Secretary and Mr. C. C. Perry, Treasurer. Prof. Ellerbe gave us a nice talk on his retirement from presidency. We regret very much on losing Prof. Ellerbe, tho' we know Mr. Burt will do just as well.

Clarence, the infant son, of Rev. and Mrs. D. C. Geddie, died Sunday morning May 26th, and was buried Monday morning the 26th. Rev. Mr. Bumpas, of New Bern, conducted the services.

How lonely it is since the little blooming slower was plucked from this earth by angles, and waited to that bright celestial shore where sorrows are no more, yet we know the Lord doeth all things well. May the Lord who never makes a mistake bind up broken hearts, and may the comforting Spirit be with the bereaved ones until they meet where parting is unknown.

"PERSISTENCE."

RALEIGH.

Populist Will Vote Republicans Not Fusc.

North Carolina Exhibit at Charleston Most Meritorious. Methodist Orphanage Fund. Medical School For Wake Forest.

RALEIGH, May 29.—The trustees of the Agricultural and Mechanical college (the board of agriculture) met there today and devoted the session to the college affairs. By the opening of the next term the new dormitory and auditorium will be completed and perhaps the power plant will be installed in the new textile building, so as to make the latter available.

The board of agriculture after having examined all the State exhibits at the Charleston exposition finds that the North Carolina exhibit is the most meritorious and valuable. All the North Carolinians who visited the exposition are of the same opinion.

The trustees of the Methodist orphanage have about \$23,000 in bond for the building fund. Next week they will award the contract.

The fund for the statue of Sir Walter Raleigh to be placed in one of the parks here is now \$400, largely raised by penny contributions.

Ex-Congressman John E. Fowler, Populist-Republican, of Clinton, who is here, says the Republicans and Populists will not fuse or join forces this year but that most of the Populists will go over to the Republicans. He says that the Populists are stronger in Sampson county than ever before, but that generally they and the Republicans are disorganized.

Among today's arrivals were Robert Hancock, New Bern; W. E. Murchison, Jonesboro; Gordon Williams, Wilson; R. G. Grady, Wilmington; J. J. Gilbert, Kinston; Z. F. Long, Rockingham; John C. Wadsworth, Concord.

Wake Forest College decides to establish a medical school. The alumni have arranged to build a memorial hall.

Inspector General Bain has mustered in the "Gate City Guards" of Greensboro as Co. L, 3d Regt.

It is positively settled that the State Firemen's Association will hold its annual meeting here. The date is not yet fixed, but probably will be in August.

MOST LADIES NEED A TONIC EVERY SPRING.

MRS. BARBARA McDONALD, President of the St. Louis Blue Ribbon Club, writes the following letter concerning Peruna from 2947 Dayton street, St. Louis, Mo.:

"It is with feelings of gratitude for benefits derived from the use of Peruna that I desire to proclaim to human-kind my experience, hoping that it will benefit some unfortunate sufferer like myself.

"Suffering for years with what appeared to be an incurable malady, and after a great expense incurred consulting physicians without any benefit, I was recommended to try Peruna. As a last expedient I purchased a bottle, and before one-half of the contents were used I felt the beneficial results. I am continuing to use same, and might say I am entirely well. My disease seemed to be catarrh of the stomach, and the nauseating sensation, and the heavy, languid, tired-out feelings with which I suffered, especially after eating, have entirely left me, and my digestive organs are in splendid condition, all of which I owe to the use of Peruna."

MRS. MARY HARDY

Mrs. Catherine R. Bertos, 808 N. Elm street, Centralia, Ill., writes:

"I have used it after a most unpleasant experience with an attack of la grippe, and found that three bottles completely restored me to health."—Julia V. Teller.

Mrs. Mary Hardy, of 598 W. Polk street, Chicago, Ill., writes:

"I find it necessary each spring to take some kind of a tonic and have tried a great many but have found none of such value as Peruna.

"After taking a few doses I feel the good effects and seldom need to take more than one bottle as a spring medicine."—Mrs. Mary Hardy.

Mrs. Catherine R. Bertos, 808 N. Elm street, Centralia, Ill., writes:

"I have found Peruna the most satisfying medicine I ever tried in my life. I suffered for years with catarrh of the stomach, which became aggravated every time I caught a slight cold. My food did not digest properly, and life lost its best charm until I tried Peruna. It made a new woman of me. It took eight bottles to effect a complete cure, but I would not be back in the former condition for a thousand dollars. I am most grateful for being cured completely and feel better than I have done for years."—Catherine R. Bertos.

The lassitude incident to spring weather is especially trying to women. Ailments peculiar to the sex of many varieties are especially prone to aggravation. All this class of affections are fitly described by the term "pelvic catarrh."

Any woman wishing to be placed on the list of Dr. Hartman's patients for free home treatment and advice should immediately send name and symptoms, duration of disease and treatment already tried. Directions for the first month's treatment will be promptly mailed free of charge. No free medicine will be supplied by the doctor, but all necessary directions will be furnished.

Read what the above ladies have to say of Peruna as a cure for these cases.

If you do not derive prompt and satisfactory results from the use of Peruna, write at once to Dr. Hartman, giving a full statement of your case and he will be pleased to give you his valuable advice gratis.

Address Dr. Hartman, President of The Hartman Sanitarium, Columbus, Ohio.

COVE.

May.—Misses Jessie Taylor and Lula Ippock spent Saturday night at Vanceboro.

Capt. J. E. Sellers of New Bern was here a short time Sunday.

Quite a number of our people went to Kinston Saturday night and Sunday to hear the lecture and sermon of the great evangelist Sam Jones.

Mr. Walter Glover spent Sunday with Mr. Kenneth Daugherty.

Mrs. Lane of Tarboro is visiting her son Mr. C. D. Lane here.

Mrs. C. E. Hines returned Sunday from Rocky Mount and Spring Hope where she has been on a visit for a week.

Mr. Ernest Glover spent some time at Mr. L. F. Taylor's last week.

Messrs Joe Roberson and Frank White visited at Mr. Frank Wetherington's Sunday.

Owing to the dry weather the beans in this section are not as good as last years crop but it is hoped that the potato crop will be unusually good with favorable circumstances.

J. S. Robertson Esq. went to New Bern on business Saturday.

COST ABOUT \$20,000,000.

Washington, May 27.—In response to a resolution of inquiry the Secretary of the Navy, today forwarded to the Senate a statement by the Paymaster-General of the Government on account of the naval operations in the Philippines from May 1, 1898, to date.

The statement places the amount, in round numbers, at \$20,000,000. The expenditures to November, 1899, were \$6,645,634; for 1900, \$5,512,000 and for 1901, \$6,835,000. The remainder of the \$20,000,000 is estimated for 1902, the exact figures for the present year being unavailable.

VACEBORO.

May 30.—Mr. V. A. Rountree is in our town today.

Miss Dallas Dinkins who has been teaching at Olympia for the past six months returned to her home last Wednesday to spend her vacation.

Miss Dallas Dinkins of Vanceboro and Miss Mattie Windley of Bath spent Monday in New Bern.

Mr. Cleve Williams and Miss Lillie Smith attended the Commencement at Ayden, Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday and report a fine time.

Mr. Tom Davis passed through our town today.

Mr. Oscar Gatlin left Sunday for Lagrange to attend the closing exercises of the Debaum and Kinsey school.

Quite a number of our people attended church at Butler Sunday.

Miss Lizzie Lancaster spent Saturday and Sunday in Vanceboro.

The steamer Carolina took an excursion party Saturday to Rocky Point, which was a very enjoyable affair.

Mr. Mills, a lumber man from New Bern is in town for a few days.

The tobacco farmers of our section seem very blue over the cold weather.

If madam rumor be correct, wedding bells will ring in the near future.

Miss Helen Smith spent a few days at Butlers last week.

PUMICE-LIKE FLOTSAM IN CAROLINA.

Charleston, S. C., May 28.—Considerable quantities of pumice-like material, believed to be from the volcanoes in the West Indies, are drifting on the shores of islands in this vicinity. Fishermen have also brought in pieces of it from the sea. It is dark in color and brittle, with varied streaks, light in weight and floats on the water. The Gulf Stream is supposed to have brought it to this region.

THE MARKETS.

The following quotations were received by J. E. Latham & Co., New Bern N. C.

	New York, May 29.
COTTON—	Open. High. Low. Close
July.....	8.90 9.06 8.98 8.98
Aug.....	8.74 8.78 8.66 8.66
Sep.....	8.17 8.21 8.17 8.17
Oct.....	8.02 8.08 8.01 8.08

	Chicago, May 29.
WHEAT—	Open. High. Low. Close
July.....	72½ 72½ 72 72½
CORN—	Open. High. Low. Close
May.....	63 63 62½ 63

	New York, May 29.
STOCKS—	Open. High. Low. Close
Sugar.....	190½ 192½ 188½ 190
So Ry.....	37 37 36½ 37
U. S. L.....	134 134 133 134
U. S. S.....	40½ 40½ 40 40½
Mo. P.....	99½ 100½ 99½ 100
Atchafson.....	80½ 80½ 80 80½
Va. C. O.....	52 52 51 52
A. M. C.....	19½ 19½ 19 19½

	Liverpool
Spots 5-3-33.	Sales 8,000 bales.
Futures, May-June 4.63.	Aug-Sept. 4.54.
Sept-Oct 4.37.	

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Extra Standard 3 lb Tomatoes, 10c per can, (retail only); Pure Gold Corn, 10c can, or 3 cans for 25c; String Beans, 7c can, 3 cans for 20c; Okra and Tomatoes 10c per can, Corn and Tomatoes, 10c per can, Bartlett Pears 10c per 3 lb. can, Lima Beans, 10c per can.

Fancy Evaporated Apples, 10c lb.
Nice Fruit Jelly, 5c lb.
Nice Fresh Ginger Snaps, 5c lb.
Nice Toilet Soap, 2 cakes for 5c.
Ham and Veal Soup 10c can. Potted Chicken 10c can; Libby's Potted Ham and Tongue 5c can, 6 for 35c; and hundreds of other articles which we cannot mention for lack of space, at Bargain Prices.

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BOERS HOLDING OUT.

LONDON, May 27.—The British Cabinet was in session two hours today discussing the communications received from Pretoria since the meeting of the Ministers last Friday.

It is understood that the inner committee of the Cabinet called the result of the deliberation at Pretoria. The Boer delegates at the Transvaal capital will probably return to Vereeniging and report to the burghers, who are still assembled there.

According to the views of the officials here there is nothing to warrant the pessimistic opinions expressed in many quarters regarding the ultimate outcome of the discussions at Pretoria and Vereeniging. The Government, it is alleged, continues to be satisfied that the negotiations will result in a peaceful settlement, but does not dare announce this view.

A. J. Balfour, the Government leader, made no statement in the House of Commons today regarding the negotiations, but he announced a postponement of the budget discussion fixed for this week, remarking that it would be inconvenient to debate the budget "while there were other things in the balance." He subsequently explained that it would be impossible to discuss the budget to prevent references to the peace negotiations.

WALTER NEAL NOMINATED.

Special to the Journal.

Rockingham, N. C. May 28.—Walter Neal was nominated today for Superior Court Judge, by the Democrats of this county.

ZORAH.

May 27.—The weather has been very dry for more than a month. We had a light rain today, but not nearly enough.

A great many have not chopped cotton yet, for want of a stand.

Corn is looking well notwithstanding the drought.

Several of our citizens were in your city last Saturday.

Messrs. D. O'Neal, C. R. Whitford, and Paul O'Neal of Kinston were at Zorah Sunday.

Elder Thos. Motzigo, of Stonewall, began at Bethel a series of meetings for Rev. Mr. Jenkins, M. E., of the Pamlico circuit, on last Saturday night. Mr. Jenkins took charge Sunday night, but we do not know how long he will continue.

Mrs. I. K. Wetherington and her daughter, Mrs. N. H. Whitford of Clay Root, Pitt county, were at Zorah Saturday night.

Elder R. L. Daugherty had made an appointment to preach at Friendship next Sunday at 3 p. m., but has called it in on account of its being in conflict with Rev. J. R. Taylor's regular preaching.

Next Monday is the time for the election of the County Commissioners. Now the Magistrates being the representatives of the people, ought to be instructed as to whom they want. If the people would meet with them and name the men of their choice, we believe there would be no trouble in getting them elected.

SOFT COAL \$5 A TON.

New York, May 28.—Another advance of 20 cents a ton was made in the price of soft coal by the retail dealers through out the city today, making the price \$5. This is an advance of about \$1.50 per ton since the anthracite coal strike was begun.

There was no change in the price of anthracite, the figure (\$7.50) fixed by the circular issued on Monday still prevailing.

THE "MCKINLEY POSTAL CARDS."

Washington, May 28.—It is expected the "McKinley" postal cards will be in the hands of postmasters throughout the country about July 1. The Postoffice Department has received the proofs of the new cards. The original showed a front view of the late President's face, but this was not satisfactory. A new plate has been made showing the profile view.

PRESCRIPTIONS AT DAVIS'.

Davis' Prescription Pharmacy makes a specialty of prescriptions. Prompt and careful attention is given them. Only the best drugs are used. The prices are reasonable. Send yours there to be filled.

SCATTERED DUST FIFTY MILES.

ST. JOHNS, ANTIGUA, May 28.—The British steamer Fontabelle, from New York for West Indian ports, has arrived here, having passed St. Pierre yesterday afternoon, when vast columns of smoke and fashes from Mount Pelee were visible 40 miles away. Dust fell on the steamer when 80 miles from the island.

NEW EXPLOSION OF PELEE.

Fort de France, Martinique, May 28.—Developments in the conditions of Mount Pelee, it is feared, indicate eruptions to come greater than any which have yet occurred. The volcano was again active today, an explosion which took place in the morning driving even the American scientists on board the cruiser Cincinnati.

SHIPPING NEWS.

Barges Emma and Bessie, Captain Balchner, and the Edwards left this port with loads of lumber yesterday morning in tow of tug Curtin. They were bound for Philadelphia.

Schooner Bertie, Capt. Morris, sailed last night for Carteret with load of merchandise.

Steamer Blanche, Capt. Smith, which has been having extensive repairs made at the Meadows yards, made a very satisfactory trial trip Tuesday afternoon.

NEGROES WANT \$500,000,000.

Chattanooga, May 28.—A petition to the president and congress of the United States, asking the appropriation of five hundred million dollars to assist negroes to leave the United States has been prepared by the International Emigration and Commercial association, an organization of negroes in session here.

The petition recites a long train of abuses, which it was claimed the negroes are subjected to.

It is claimed that in many of the States the negro is denied all social and political recognition and his constitutional rights are constantly violated. The leading spirits in the convention are Bishop Turner, of Georgia, and ex-Minister to Liberia, Harsh.

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