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CROWD HEARS DR. WILLIAMS

Who Speaks of the Need of Growing Real Men in North Carolina — Diplomas and Honor Cards Presented

Contrary to precedent, a large crowd attended the graduating exercises at the high school Thursday night.

Dr. Horace Williams of the University of North Carolina made the address and was introduced by one of his old boys, J. K. Wilson. Many other University fellows were on hand to welcome him, as well as many friends who knew him either directly or indirectly.

The exercises opened with two musical numbers and the invocation by Rev. R. H. Willis.

Dr. Williams' subject was "Growing a Man" and he said in part:

"A number of regularly elected members of the New York legislature recently were denied their seats not because of anything which they had done but because of opinions which they held. They were socialists.

"In another state in the Union forty four people are in jail who do not know why they are there.

"In the imprisonment of forty-four and in denying of the ousted members of the New York legislature their seats the majority has in each case acted according to what to my mind is the basic principle of socialism: The individual has no right which the social is bound to respect.

"And yet the New York legislators were unseated because they were socialists. These are instances that seem to me profoundly significant. The world is in confusion. President Wilson suggests one remedy. Members of Congress suggest another. What are we plain people to do when doctors differ?"

"A man some years ago said from the rostrum at the University that he had in his pocket an order for ten thousand dollar a year men. We didn't have them.

"One of my old boys came back to Chapel Hill the other day and told me that he needed two six thousand dollar a year men. I didn't have them for him.

"We have been very busy. We have piled up wealth. We have added to our material prosperity. We have made a wonderful record and one of which we have a right to be proud. But there is a shortage of men. Our State cries for men.

"Give me men to match my mountains. Give me men to match my plains."

"I am not an alarmist. I am not a pessimist. But I ask you if there has been a change for the better in the average type of individual excellence in the last sixty years. I answer that question in the negative. I want to see an increase, not material, but spiritual. Why haven't we gone forward? Why don't we go forward?"

"Our churches are largely responsible. They have largely ceased to function in their biggest duty. They have raised great sums of money. They have not failed to send the Gospel to the heathen. They have been busy on the material side of things. But they have forgotten us.

"We look backward for inspiration to our men of fifty and sixty years ago. Let's grow some more men like we did before the war.

"I see about us men of four types. First, there is the factory made man, the man built by a carpenter process. Second there is the cradle type, the man who goes nowhere without a nurse, who cannot act without direction. Are you a moral infant and a physical giant? Are you an intellectual infant and a business giant? Third, there is the type that always looks at the reward. What's in it for me," is his question. If a man is good in order to get to heaven, what's going to happen when he gets to heaven? If that sort of men could get to heaven, there would be another theme for a Milton.

"What is a full grown man? A man is full grown in proportion as his daily life illustrates truth, goodness, and beauty.

"North Carolina expects every boy to do his duty."

The diplomas were presented by E. F. Aydtett, chairman of the school board.

At the close of the graduating exercises, the following pupils in the high school who were on the honor roll every month of the past session, received honor cards:

- Senior Class: Ina Mae LeRoy, Maude Leigh, Elizabeth Kramer, Gracie Davis, Margie Bell Carr, Francis Seyfert, George Modlin, Elizabeth Nash, Helen Williams, Junior Class: Claude Ward, Sophomore Class: Anna Belle Ab-

WOODLEY-JONES

Beautiful Marriage in Christ Church Thursday Afternoon at Five O'Clock

A beautiful marriage and one that was of unusual interest to Elizabeth City people on account of the prominence of the families of the bride and groom was solemnized at Christ Church Thursday at 5:30 p. m., when Miss Katherine Barnell Jones, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Jones of Elizabeth City became the bride of William J. Woodley, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Woodley of this city. Rev. G. F. Hill performed the ceremony, and Mrs. I. M. Meekins, assisted by Uner Davis, had charge of the wedding music.

The church was simply but beautifully decorated, white and green being the color scheme, the delicate plumes of young pine branches forming a lovely background for the masses of white roses, poinsettias and daisies that concealed choir and chancel railings. Branches of syringa were artistically arranged against the recessed, white cathedral candles on the altar and on either side and numerous smaller candles shed a soft and lovely light upon the scene.

Before the entrance of the bridal party, a beautiful musical program was rendered, during which the songs, "O Promise Me," and "At Dawn," were sung by J. C. B. Ehringhaus and Miss Pauline Beveridge.

Immediately preceding the entry of the bride and her attendants, the exquisite strains of the Fifth Sonata and the Hungarian Rhapsody from organ and violin filled the church and as the bridal party drew near, melted into the music of the Lohengrin wedding march.

The bridesmaids wore gowns of organdy in pastel shades, with picture hats to match, and carried arm bouquets of pink roses. Miss Evelyn Jones, sister of the bride, wore a gown of flesh colored organdy and carried a shower bouquet of pink roses. Miss Lucile Jones wore a pale green organdy. Miss Nanette Mae Long, was gowned in lavender. Miss Carrie White in yellow and Miss Virginia Flora in blue. The groom's best man was Wesley Woodley, and the other groomsmen were Barton Fendoe of Norfolk Garden Cook, Kramer Davis, and Miles Clark.

The bride was attired in a lovely gown of white organdy with picture hat to match, and carried a bouquet of brides roses with a shower of lilies of the valley.

The beautiful betrothal service was solemnized at the foot of the chancel, the brides' father, T. C. Jones, giving her away, the marriage ceremony following within the chancel.

Immediately after the marriage, the bridal party attended an informal supper at the home of the bride's parents. Mr. and Mrs. Woodley then left for Norfolk in their motor, and from that city for northern points. The bride's traveling gown was a grey tulle, richly embroidered in harmonizing shades of grey. Her hat was grey hair braid, with trimmings of orange ostrich feathers.

Mrs. Woodley is one of the loveliest and most popular members of Elizabeth City's younger set. She is a graduate of the Elizabeth City High School, and of the business department of the North Carolina College for Women.

Mr. Woodley is also a graduate of the local high school. During the war, he enlisted in a gas and oil unit and spent eleven months overseas, serving in Tours, Rotterdam and Antwerp.

POLICE SEEKING MAN SHOT SALOON KEEPER

Chicago, May 27—The police are seeking Eugene Geary, alleged gunman and labor slagger, for shooting a saloon keeper.

PLAN BLOCK ALL MEASURES

Washington, May 28—House supporters of the soldier-relief legislation have planned to block all measures, thereby hoping to expedite consideration of the bonus bill.

Proponents of soldier relief legislation launched a filibuster in the House with the announced intention of preventing consideration of any other measure.

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AUBREY L. BROOKS

Candidate for the Senate who will speak at the Court House here Saturday afternoon at two o'clock.

LIMITS LIQUOR ON PRESCRIPTION

Doctors Who Prescribe Booze In Excess of 100 Prescriptions A Month Must Give Reason

Washington, May 28—In an effort to prevent the indiscriminate sale of whiskey on prescription of physicians Commissioner Williams of the internal revenue bureau today issued a rule limiting the number of permits allowed each physician to 100 every three months except with "good cause."

FAVORABLE REPORT ON McNARY BILL

Washington, May 28—The Senate Committee on Agriculture today ordered a favorable report on the McNary Bill, providing for an export embargo on sugar, by a vote of six to three.

REPUBLICANS AFTER THE IRISH VOTE

Washington, May 28—The House Foreign Affairs Committee reported today a resolution "viewing with grave concern" conditions in Ireland and expressing sympathy for the Irish people in their efforts to secure a government of their own choice."

Hostilities Ceased May Twenty Fifth

London, May 25—Hostilities between the Russian and Japanese in Siberia ceased May 25, according to a dispatch from Vladivostok.

AT THE ALKRAMA TONIGHT

A bill of exceptional merit will be served patrons of the Alkrama this afternoon and tonight when the great Japanese interpreter of dramatic parts will be seen in one of his crowning efforts, "HIS DEBT." Sessue Hayakawa is better known in the larger Northern cities than he-reabouts. His role in his latest effort is that of an Oriental gambler who pays what he feels his debt to an American girl—a debt of gratitude. The picture is full of tense situations, not the cheap melodramatic kind, but the situations a man of Sessue's calibre would dignify with his art.

The followers of the fortunes of William Duncan in "The Silent Avenger" will have opportunity to follow this hero thru episode 4 of the series, while the tired business man will ever be grateful to Mack Sennett for the way he dolls 'em up in "Whose Little Wife Are You?"

FOR TRIAL JUSTICE

Thomas J. Markham Equal Justice to All

FRENCH WOMEN EXTEND SYMPATHY

Paris, May 28—Sturdy affection and deepest sympathy for the women of America whose loved ones fell in France during the war was expressed in the message received by the Paris Memorial Day Committee today from the Society composed of French women who know the horror and heartaches of war.

New Orleans, Federal and state engineers expressed the belief today that the break in the main levee of the Mississippi river which gave away eighteen miles below here yesterday, can be repaired by Saturday.

The break extended for a distance of thirty feet and considerable damage to crops resulted from the inundation.

Labor and Forty Eight Consider Cooperation

Cleveland, May 27—Combination or cooperation during the political presidential campaign was considered today at a meeting of the officers of the National Labor party and the Committee of Forty Eight.

PUBLIC TOO IGNORANT TO BE FAIR IS CLAIM

Chicago, May 28—Representatives of the public on arbitration boards do not know enough about labor problems to be fair, President Shepard of the Railway Conductors Brotherhood told the City Club today.

Place Wreath On American Doughboy

Paris, May 27—President Wilson today order a wreath placed on the statue, "The American Doughboy," in Suresnes Cemetery and Ambassador Wallace will place it there Sunday.

FORMER KAISER IS NOW GOOD TAILOR

London, May 27—Former Kaiser Wilhelm of Germany is now trying his hand as a tailor, according to a news dispatch from Amsterdam. The dispatch quotes a trade paper as saying that he is "excellent at the job."

Believe Levee Can Be Repaired By Sunday

New Orleans May 28, Federal and state engineers expressed the belief today that the break in the main levee of the Mississippi river which gave way eighteen miles below here yesterday, can be repaired by Saturday.

George J. Spence makes no claim to infallibility but as trial justice he has endeavored to do his duty without fear or favor. Vote for him. adv

Award Honor Cards And Certificates

The pupils of the three seventh grades of the Elizabeth City Grammar School who successfully finished the course assembled on the stage in the high school auditorium Thursday morning to receive their certificates of graduation from the grammar grades.

After brief opening exercises, and the singing of the "Star Spangled Banner," Supt. S. L. Sheep presented the certificates to the graduates and honor cards to the pupils who made the honor roll every month during the school year.

Miss Hattie Harney, principal of the Grammar School, Miss Martha Elliott and Miss Linda DeLoon were the teachers in charge of the graduating class, and are also managers of the cantata "The Feast of the Red Cross," which the three seventh grades will present to-night in the high school auditorium.

The grammar pupils receiving honor cards were:

- Fourth Grades: Mrs. Canada, teacher—Myrtle Simpson. Mrs. Brockwell, teacher—Meylin Spear, Lehand Bundy, Margaret Conroy, Lucile Trueblood, Naomi Bagley, Jane Elsie Hastings, Margaret Blades. Miss Hlick, teacher—Edna Sanderlin. Miss White, teacher—Ruth Dozier, Julian Raper, Rebecca Stevens, Louise Harris, Lydia Cahoon, Vivian Turner, Virginia Banks, Flora Griggs, John Kramer, Monterey Lomax, Robert Williams, Tyler Sawyer, Keith Saunders. Fifth Grades: Mrs. Pearson, teacher—Clarence Pritchard, Hazel Perry, Ethel McCoy. Miss LeRoy, teacher—Virginia LeRoy, Helen Kramer, Mary Owens, Ruth Williams, Osie Davis, Bobbie Fearing, Joseph Kramer, Allen Bell. Miss Kiser, teacher—Lillian Twiford, Monterey Cartwright, Hazel Long. Sixth Grades: Mrs. Pool, teacher—Dorothy Baum. Mrs. Purvis, teacher—Helen Lewis, Thomas Jenkins. Mrs. Derflinger, teacher—Lavina Rogerson, Edna Smith. Seventh Grades: Miss DeLoon, teacher—Elizabeth West, Louise Grant, Emily Cunningham. Miss Elliott, teacher—Mary Dozier, Adrienne Goodwin, Leona Menden, Jessie Williams, Stella Whaley Willis Dozier, Thomas Johnson. Miss Harney, teacher—Margaret Hollowell, Elizabeth LeRoy, Margaret Nash, Rachel Williams, Tommie Gray, Willis Kramer, Marvin Seyfert, Oscar Williams.

PAGE IS HERE SPEAKS TONIGHT

Address Will Deal With Reforms In Administration of State Government Which He Advocates

Robert N. Page, candidate for the Democratic nomination for Governor will speak here tonight in the interest of his candidacy. He will speak in the courthouse beginning at eight o'clock. This afternoon he is making an engagement in Wekesville.

Mr. Page's address will deal with those reforms which he advocates in the administration of the State government. He is running on a platform of business and expresses the belief that business methods instituted in the various executive branches of the government will result in a large savings to the people. These savings, he believes, will be ample to care for the road, school and health department improvements which he declares that the State needs.

Mr. Page arrived this morning by train from New Bern, whither he had gone by automobile from Morehead City last night. This was one of the very few trips he has made by rail during the eleven month he has been actively engaged in the present campaign. Up to Thursday night he had traveled 17,000 miles by auto during the campaign. He will speak in Hertford to-morrow afternoon and in Edenton to-morrow night.

The Edenton engagement will close his campaign in the East. Monday he will open the final week in Sanford. The remaining four days will be spent in the Seventh, his home district.

MCLEAN SAYS NOT MANAGER MCADOO

North Carolinian Declares There Is Overwhelming Sentiment In This State For Him Just The Same

Washington, May 27—A. W. McLean of North Carolina, a director of the war finance corporation, denied before the Senate investigating committee today that he was "a sort of Southern" manager for McAdoo's campaign.

He declared he told McAdoo that "there is an overwhelming sentiment in my state for him," however.

Strikers Wounded Today In Riot

Bristol, Rhode Island, May 28—Two strike sympathizers were wounded today in a riot outside of the plant of the Rubber Company here. Troops were ordered out by the governor after strike sympathizers had attacked women clerks and the rubber town was declared in a state of insurrection.

Anxious To Hear Allen And Gompers

New York, May 27—Demands for seats exceed the capacity of the hall here where Governor Allen of Kansas and Samuel Gompers, President of the American Federation of Labor, debate tonight on the merits of the Kansas industrial court law.

RETURNS FROM CONSERVATORY

Miss Emerald Sykes has returned from the Fayetteville Conservatory of music where she continued her study of music this year. The Conservatory has had a splendid first year and Miss Sykes has been one of the star pupils of the school, in keeping with her past record at Meredith College and at home.

VOTE FOR SPENCE

George J. Spence is a candidate for Trial Justice. He will appreciate your support. tpridy

Gorden, Isabelle Menden, Cora McKinney, Ruth Sample, Helen Wilkins, William Gordon.

Miss Marshall, teacher—Virginia Ashens, Gussie Bray, William Ward, William Twiddy. Mrs. Skinner, teacher—Ruth Bray, Emily Hall Brock, Catherine Cartwright, Jeanne Houtz, Evelyn Hill, Lavina Jones, Ruth Menden, Helen Wells, Elizabeth White, Albert Kramer, Carl Quinn, Travis Turner, Holland Williams.