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TUESDAY, MAY 14, 1907.

Charlotte's new officials cannot be called the "Donothings."

If Charlotte keeps her present pace she will soon rival Atlanta as a sensation centre.

To let the hospital movement drop now, after the largest part of the needed amount has been subscribed, would be a fatal mistake. Now is the time to push it through.

Editor Wade Harris of The Charlotte Chronicle is very anxious for the commissioners of Mecklenburg to build a bridge over the Catawba at Rozzelle's Ferry, connecting Gaston and Mecklenburg counties. He says it would attract trade to Charlotte from Gaston and intimates that for this reason there is opposition from this side of the river. The same argument, if argument it be, would apply equally as well to an electric line from Charlotte to Gastonia. If there is any opposition to the latter project on the part of Gaston counties we have not heard of it; on the other hand there is a strong desire on the part of the people on this side of the river that such a line be built. The Gazette doesn't believe there is enough in The Chronicle's argument to warrant any opposition from this side to the erection of a bridge at Rozzelle's Ferry or at any other ferry. We say build the trolley line by all means and the bridge if you want to. Both will be welcome.

RESOLUTIONS OF RESPECT.

BY GASTONIA CHAPTER U. D. C. CAPT. GEORGE F. BASON.

Whereas the Death Angel has severed another link in the one time long chain of Confederate Veterans when on Wednesday evening, May the first, at forty minutes after ten o'clock, Capt. George F. Bason answered to the "Last Roll" and whereas it is with sorrow that we chronicle the death of our passing heroes of the sixties, be it

Resolved, by the Gastonia Chapter of the United Daughters of the Confederacy, that in the death of Capt. George F. Bason we are keenly alive to the death of a man who was a brave and distinguished soldier and who has ever been loyal and devoted to the Confederacy.

Resolved, That we tender to the bereaved sons and daughter our tenderest sympathy and commend them to the care of Him who is father to the fatherless.

Mrs. T. W. Wilson, Chm. R. L. Swan, E. L. Bain, P. R. Falls, Bekler Moore, Mary M. Morrow.

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The Gazette is in receipt of an invitation to the commencement exercises of the University College of Medicine, Richmond, Va. The invitation is a handsome piece of work the cover being genuine leather stamped in gilt and tied with leather strings. The date is Tuesday, May 21st. Among the graduates in the department of pharmacy is Mr. Leland H. Cox, of Lowell. There are seventeen Tar Heels in the graduating classes of the several departments.

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MEMORIAL DAY.

Rev. E. L. Bain's Address to Old Soldiers a Little Out of the Ordinary—Original Views of the Great Conflict and Its Results.

Rev. E. L. Bain, in his address before the Confederate veterans last Friday spoke somewhat on a different line from the ordinary memorial day oration, and many are the commendatory remarks heard concerning this strong address. The South, he said, was technically right, yet politically and morally wrong. He believes, as many others do, that the war should have and could have been averted. There was rejoicing in hell and intense sorrow in heaven at the opening of this monstrous conflict.

That memorial day is an abiding institution was the impression of Rev. E. L. Bain in his address last Friday. He doesn't think that May 10th or the day observed by the people of the North will be the date, but some compromise day. As the years and centuries move on, and as old animosities and differences of opinion die away, the event will be celebrated—celebrated as event, the greatest movement our country has ever experienced.

When the future historian glances with unprejudiced and critical eye over the military geniuses of all time—Hannibal, Caesar, Napoleon—he will assign chief place to Robert E. Lee, as being the greatest commander the world has ever known; and Thomas J. Jackson will be assigned chief place, as being the greatest lieutenant of all time. This was the conclusion of Mr. Bain, after mature deliberation and careful consideration of the subject in all of its phases.

The greatest result of the war is: We are lovers of peace. The veterans who fought in these bloody battle-fields, where brother's blood mingled with brother's in its mad rush for the sea, wish no more for war. Along with their stories of hardships and intense suffering they preach to their children peace, and mothers have a holy horror of the awful carnage, for well do they remember in their girlhood days what suffering and anxiety and pain they experienced. They too preach peace. President Roosevelt is a great advocate of peace; and William J. Bryan, who, as a private citizen has stood before princes, potentates and power, is the world's greatest advocate of peace. These men of power drank with their mothers' milk into their very beings this horror for war and love of peace.

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Bond Issue Mass Meeting.

Monday, May the 20th, is the date for the adjourned session of the mass meeting which was called for last Thursday night to consider the matter of calling an election, under the act passed by the recent Legislature, for a vote on the issuance of bonds for the purpose of paving or macadamizing streets, enlarging the school facilities and extending the water and sewerage lines. The following committee was appointed to secure information as to the work to be done and the approximate cost and report to the adjourned meeting, May 20th: Mayor C. B. Armstrong, Mr. J. H. Separk, representing the board of school commissioners; Mr. S. M. Morris, representing the board of aldermen; and Messrs. T. W. Wilson, J. Lee Robinson and W. T. Rankin, representing the citizens. All citizens are urged to keep the date in mind and to be present at the city hall on next Monday night.

Mrs. L. L. Jenkins has a rubber plant which is a real curiosity. So far as known it is the only one in Gastonia, certainly it is the largest. Yesterday it was moved from the interior of the Jenkins residence on Marietta street to the carriage arbor outside and it was found that it was ten and a half feet in height, while the extremities of the branches are some eight or ten feet apart. Mrs. Jenkins bought the plant seven or eight years ago when it was quite small. It is still growing and what height it will finally reach is a matter for conjecture. The leaves have a rubberish look and feeling. The plant bears no bloom.

TOWN AND COUNTY.

"My Wife's Family" at the opera house to-morrow night.

A young child of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Whitesides is quite sick.

Mrs. I. N. Davis is quite sick at her home on West Air Line Street.

Best cotton is 11 1/2 to 12 cents. None is offered on the local market.

Gastonia's representatives at the various colleges will be coming home ere long.

The St. Mary's College ball team and McAdenville ball team will play ball at St. Mary's Athletic Park Wednesday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock.

The Belmont school closed last Friday. Prof. and Mrs. G. W. Howell have been the efficient teachers in this school for the past two years.

Remember the meeting of the Gastonia Library Association which is to take place to-night. There will be a special programme of music. The public is cordially invited to attend.

The Gastonia Insurance & Realty Co. has sold two lots on Chester street to Mr. D. R. LaFar and two to Mr. J. W. Patrick, of Bowling Green, also on Chester street; also a lot on Fourth street to Mr. E. Lee Wilson, of Dallas. It is understood that residences will be erected on some of these lots, possibly on all of them, before a great while.

Two car loads of cement have arrived to be used in laying concrete sidewalk on Main street between South and York. Mr. S. P. Stowe will be in town this afternoon or tomorrow to survey the sidewalks and fix the grades. Contractor J. W. Hawes, of Charlotte, has everything in readiness to begin work as soon as this is done and a force of work will probably be put on the work this week.

R. L. Lambert and Charles Green, two white men of family, were tried before Magistrate W. I. Stowe yesterday morning for being drunk and disorderly on the premises of Linwood College. The offense was committed Sunday afternoon. Several of the young ladies were frightened by them and Sheriff Shuford was phoned for. He made a hurried trip from Dallas to Linwood and brought the fellows back to town. It cost them \$10.05 each. Several of the young ladies appeared in court as witnesses against them.

Rev. James Boyce, of Due West, S. C., was in Gastonia a few days last week visiting his mother, Mrs. Rachel Boyce, and other relatives. As president of Due West Female College Mr. Boyce has been busy for the past year or more in securing funds and collecting the same for the construction of a dormitory on the college campus. The gifts of the friends of the institution was supplemented by a donation of \$10,000 by Mr. Andrew Carnegie. The building, which is of latest design, is nearing completion. It is made of concrete blocks and presents a very handsome appearance. It is three stories high and contains room for 102 boarders besides room for the president's family.

Mayor's Court.

The following cases were disposed of by Mayor Armstrong yesterday afternoon: John Alexander, colored, fined \$5 and the cost for an assault on his wife; Ross Sutton, fined \$5 and cost in one case and \$2.50 and cost in another, the charges being cursing and creating a disturbance. The mayor gave the defendants some good advice along with the doses of justice which he meted out.

While out canoeing Saturday, Mr. R. H. Crane, a young millionaire and a senior student of the Asheville School, near Asheville, came very near drowning. The boat capsized and Mr. Crane was unable to swim. He called for help and an employee of the school came to his rescue as he was sinking the third time. It is said that the young millionaire will reward his rescuer with a princely sum of money.

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A stock company has been formed and a deal made whereby the Armstrong Company, undertakers, will be reorganized as an incorporation. The paid-in stock is \$3,000, all of which has been subscribed and application will be made at once for a charter. The name of the company has not yet been decided upon. Mr. Charles Ford, who has for several years past been manager of the Armstrong Company, is the principal stockholder and will be manager of the new company. He is an expert in the undertaking business and, under his management, the new concern is assured success, which, under his direction, the Armstrong Company has had. It is probable that new quarters will be secured and handsomely fitted up. The authorized capital will be \$25,000, and it is probable that the paid-in capital will later be increased and a larger stock of goods carried.

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THE VICE PRESIDENCY.

No Longer Regarded as a Refuge on the Road to Oblivion.

Under the theory of a dozen or two dozen years ago the vice presidency was, for the ambitious statesman, the last refuge on the road to oblivion. The incumbent of that office shows that this conception is essentially wrong. Charles W. Fairbanks, as vice president, has so successfully and has made himself so popular that he has not only strengthened himself, but has added to his party.

When held by the right sort of man, like Mr. Fairbanks, the vice presidency is a great office. In the even divisions in the Senate consisting of the members of only 13 States, Vice President John Adams cast the deciding vote which put 22 measures, most of them of very great importance, on the statute book. Calhoun, while vice president, gave Senator Hayne, of his State, the points by which he figured in that memorable debate with Webster, which was the prelude to nullification. Van Buren's tact and urbanity in the second office aided powerfully in winning for him the first office. Breckenridge, who held the second place on the Buchanan ticket, made such a popular official that the Southern end of his party put him at the head of its ticket in the Douglas split in 1860. If Hamlin had been renominated for vice president in 1861, as many Republicans at that time believed he ought to have been, and as the whole country a year later wished he had been, the fight between President and Congress in 1865-68, when Lincoln's death sent Andrew Johnson to the presidency, would have been averted, and the country would have been spared a humiliating scandal.

By his service of eight years in that body as a Senator, Mr. Fairbanks became acquainted with nearly all its members and got a very valuable knowledge of its atmosphere and its traditions. Thus he was particularly well equipped for the position of its presiding officer, which he gained in the election of 1904. He is a skillful parliamentarian as was Colfax, who went to the second office in Grant's first term, and he has won a popularity among the leaders of his party in and out of Congress equalling that which Hobart acquired in the first term of McKinley. Mr. Fairbanks' experience in the past two years shows the great possibilities for an able, tactful and ambitious statesman which the vice presidency offers. It is not remarkable that at two recent notable public demonstrations, one in Baltimore and the other in Chicago, Mr. Fairbanks was acclaimed as the next president.

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Sheriff Shuford came over to meet train No. 11 Saturday. Policeman H. C. Traywick brought Miles Washington up from Belmont to have him placed in jail. He was sent up from Magistrate M. E. Stowe's court in default of a \$100 bond for fighting. It is alleged that he tried to shoot Bonnie Glenn and Jim Hoffon, young negroes. The singular thing about Miles' coming to jail is his age. He has already exceeded his three score years and ten by six years. Scarcely ever does one see a person so old carried to jail. Miles has been a dangerous character in his day; everybody is scared of him. His body bears the marks of many bullets, testifying to the fact that he has been in skirmishes of a more serious nature before. Some one said that he deliberated in the hall of the senate in South Carolina during carpet bag rule, yet this he stoutly denied. He said he saw the outside of the capitol building but never the inside.

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Rev. W. C. Ewart, of Yorkville, will fill the pulpit of the A. R. P. church next Sunday. The pastor of this church, Rev. Dr. Galloway, has resumed part of his pastoral work and will probably occupy his pulpit regularly after July. His friends will be glad to learn that his rest from work has proved most beneficial to him.

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