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Administrator's Notice.

Having this day qualified as administrator of the estate of Kimball Kelly, deceased this is to notify all persons holding claims against the said estate to present the same to me on or before the 20th day of May, 1894, or this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery; and all persons indebted to said estate are hereby notified to make immediate payment. J. M. A. RICHMOND, Administrator. May 25th, 1894

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THE RALEIGH VISITOR celebrated its fifteenth birthday by appearing in a new suit, and enlarged to six columns, last Monday. We congratulate the VISITOR on this evidence of prosperity and wish it much more.—Wilmington Star.

The Visitor

DOTS AND DASHES

MADE ABOUT TODAY'S HAPPENINGS.

Interesting Items Gathered in and Around the City.

Travel is again quite heavy on the railways.

There are now 45 inmates of the soldier's home.

It is said there are 215 bicycles in use in this city.

You can get tickets for the excursion as late as 11 o'clock tonight at MacRae's drugstore.

At the Raleigh cotton mills there are now 150 employees. The working time is at present eight hours a day.

The invitations to the commencement exercises of St. Mary's school are out. The date is June 11-14.

If you decide to go on the Baptist tabernacle excursion you can get tickets at MacRae's as late as 11 o'clock tonight.

An important meeting of Rescue fire company will be held this evening. Delegates to the State firemen's association are to be elected and other important business is to be attended to.

Farmers from House's Creek say the frost there was quite sharp, made corn white and blackened the leaves of the cotton plants. It is causing the latter plants to shed.

The "block system" has been put in operation on the Seaboard Air Line in this city between the union passenger station and the Johnson street station.

At the University yesterday morning Rev. Dr. F. J. Murdock, of Salisbury, preached the baccalaureate sermon. This evening the anniversary meetings of the Philanthropic and Dialectic Societies will be held.

At New York papers have been served in the suit for divorce of John Houghton Harrell against Lizzie Thonet Harrell. The husband is a native of North Carolina and the Harrells have lived at Raleigh.

The Garfield and Oberlin colored public schools last evening held their closing exercises at Metropolitan hall. This evening at the same place the closing exercises of the Washington colored school will be held.

There will be some changes in the working force of the postoffice July 1, Mr. Meade Lambeth succeeding Mr. Jenkins at the general delivery window and Mr. James Busbee succeeding Mr. Merritt in the registry department.

Later news from the fire at Jamesville is that it was of incendiary origin and that eleven stores were burned, leaving only two in the town. The fire began in rear of S. L. Wallace's store. The postoffice was burned. The fire broke out at midnight.

Haywood Williams, colored, for stealing a ham from C. O. Ball's store was today sent to jail by the mayor in default of bail. Albert Davis, alias "Toby Slick," colored, for striking a colored woman, was sent to the roads for thirty days.

The house committee on postoffices and postroads has agreed upon a bill increasing the pay of letter carriers. The bill provides that after June 30, 1895, the pay of letter carriers in cities of population under 75,000, for the first year of service, shall be \$600; for the second year \$600; for the third year and thereafter, \$1,000.

On the 26th instant Miss Lizzie Jackson, only daughter of Mrs. C. S. Jackson, of this city, and granddaughter of the late Gov. Jonathan Worth, will be married to Mr. Haywood White, formerly of this city but now connected with the Southern Associated Press at Washington. The marriage will be private and at Mrs. Jackson's home here.

Executive Department News.

Judge Armfield has been commissioned to hold the fall term superior court of Moore county, beginning Dec. 10, in lieu of Judge Brown who has been appointed to hold superior court of Beaufort county in lieu of Judge Armfield.

Leads,

THE MAGISTRATES MEET.

They Re-Elect the Old Board of County Commissioners.

Today the annual meeting of the magistrates of Wake was held at the court house. The attendance was very large. The old board of county commissioners, W. C. Stronach, J. D. Allen, W. H. Hood, W. H. H. Jones and R. H. Jones, was re-elected.

The magistrates unanimously adopted a resolution endorsing Mr. W. C. Stronach, chairman of the board of commissioners, and denouncing the unknown person who recently made a most malicious anonymous attack upon him. This action of the magistrates will be appreciated by lovers of fairness, not only here but all over the state. Mr. Stronach continues as chairman of the board; a position he has filled with marked ability and good judgment.

The magistrates and county commissioners met together and the tax rate was fixed at the same figures as heretofore, 20 1/3 cents. Schedules B. and C. taxes are the same as before. The county's credit is fine. Not an order has been discounted in ten years.

The magistrates and commissioners re-elected Mr. H. A. Chappell county superintendent of public instruction. There were about 110 magistrates present. R. G. Dunn presided at their meeting and Millard Mial was secretary. W. C. Stronach presided at the joint meeting and Mr. Mial was secretary.

A New Potato Pest

Mr. Gerald McCarthy announces that several complaints have reached the station from Columbus county concerning the ravages of a hitherto unnoticed insect upon growing Irish potatoes. Thousands of these bugs suddenly appeared on potatoes, there being an average of 3 or 5 to each plant. They do not eat the leaves, but puncture the growing tip, causing the plant to wither and soon die. Mr. McCarthy says the insect is leptoglossus phyllorhynchus, a true bug closely related to the predaceous soldier bug. The insect has been considered beneficial because it feeds upon thistles and occasionally attacks the terrapin bug of the cabbage. In Florida it attacks the orange; now that it has changed its diet from thistles to potatoes it is likely to become a troublesome pest. As this bug does not gnaw the foliage it cannot be poisoned by arsenites, and the only remedies, remarks Mr. McCarthy, are the kerosene emulsion and hand picking. The latter will prove upon the whole most satisfactory.

To Wilmington and the Seacoast.

The Baptist tabernacle Sunday school offers its friends the cheapest, and at the same time one of the most pleasant trips to Wilmington and the seashore, tomorrow. It will run two trains, one via the Seaboard Air Line and one via the R. & D. railroad, and will have the very best accommodations each road can furnish. One of the many pleasant features of this trip is, that by making arrangements with a friend, one can go via one route and return by the other, by exchanging tickets at Wilmington. But this arrangement must be made before starting, so that parties who desire to take advantage of this will know with whom they are to make the exchange, so that both will not purchase tickets by the same route.

Tickets can be had at J. M. Broughton & Co's, John R. Terrell's, Barbee & Pope's and John Y. MacRae's drug store. There will be no racing.

The May Weather.

The mean temperature at the weather station here was 70 degrees, or 2 degrees above the average for May during 8 years past. The highest was 92 degrees, on the 17th, lowest 45, on the 21st; the greatest daily range was 31 degrees, on the 2d. The rainfall was 7.50 inches, which is 2 inches greater than the May average. There were thunderstorms on 6 days. The prevailing wind was from the south. The greatest velocity was 30 miles an hour, from the north, on the 2d. Rain fell 15 on days.

Never

PERSONAL POINTS.

ABOUT PROMINENT NORTH CAROLINIANS.

People Who Come, People Who go and People You Know.

Capt. Thos. B. Howland, a former resident of Beaufort, is dead.

Mrs. Mollie Parish left today for Richmond on a visit to friends.

Dr. John B. Beckwith died at his residence in Smithfield Saturday.

Mr. John T. Pullen returned today from a short visit to Richmond.

A daughter of Prof. Jerome Dowd of the faculty of Trinity college died at Charlotte Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. N. B. Broughton have returned from Raton, New Mexico, and Colorado Springs.

Eaton Bledsoe, Esq., is very sick, of heart disease, on South Salisbury street, near the Rex hospital.

Judge Walter Clark is prominently spoken of as the successor of Rev. Dr. J. F. Crowell as president of Trinity college.

Mrs. R. B. Haywood is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Carle A. Woodruff, at New York.

Prof. E. W. Kennedy, principal of the graded school at Durham, sent in his resignation. C. W. Toms, assistant superintendent, has been elected superintendent.

MR. WALTON BUSBEE DEAD.

A Bright Raleigh Man Dies in Baltimore

Last night a telegram was received from Baltimore telling the sad news of the death of Walton M. Busbee, Esq. No particulars were then given. Mr. Busbee was 43 years old, and a son of the late Quentin Busbee, Esq. Of handsome presence and of fine mind, he was very popular here and wherever known. For a number of years he lived in Durham, practicing law and a part of the time attending to the difficult duties of clerk of the court. January 9, 1893, he was appointed a copyist in the department of the interior by secretary Hoke Smith and moved to Washington. Three weeks ago, in Baltimore, he married Miss Lelia Wall. The Baltimore Herald of today says: "It is not known how long he had been in this city. A week ago he called on secretary Shriver, of the local Y. M. C. A. here, and went to the working men's residential club in company with Shriver. Last Thursday night he was again at the club, in company with J. J. Williams, a railroad man. He slept at the club on Friday night, but did not show up on Saturday. At midnight on Saturday he was found on the steps. Whether he committed suicide, or was addicted to the use of opium and succumbed to it in his weakened state, can only be surmised. He was sent to the Central station in a patrol wagon by patrolman Edgington. Lieut. Rowe there saw that he was suffering from something else than the effects of drink. He had him taken to the city hospital, and the physician found he had taken some opiate. They worked on him all through the night, but he died despite their efforts. Coroner Hill did not deem an inquest necessary."

Chapel Hill Notes.

The early train (west from Raleigh) will put visitors in Chapel Hill at 8 o'clock, in time to see all the exercises of commencement. They can return the same night. Dr. Frank Reid speaks Tuesday and the senior class day exercises are Wednesday afternoon. That night the representatives of the Di and Phi societies have their annual oratorical contests. The faculty reception is Tuesday and Wednesday night also commencement day proper. The graduates speak and degrees are conferred. Hon. Hoke Smith delivers the commencement oration Wednesday at noon. Visitors may be assured of a nice time. A picnic of 500 people spent the day in Chapel Hill Saturday, coming by train from Oxford.

Follows!

School of Penmanship.

Prof. W. L. Smith is here and will teach penmanship. He brings recommendations of the best character, not only of his ability as a teacher but also of his high standing as a man. He has been teaching at Henderson and the Gold Leaf speaks of him in a most complimentary style. He will canvass the city for pupils.

The Children's Service

At the First Presbyterian church yesterday morning was highly attended and greatly enjoyed. Rev. Eugene Daniel, the pastor, made an excellent address. There was a service of song and also a responsive service in which the teachers and pupils took part.

The U. S. Circuit Court.

This court met this morning. Judges Charles H. Simonton and A. S. Seymour are on the bench. The motion docket was taken up today. The jury will be called tomorrow, the sixty jurors having been ordered to report that day. The term will continue only this week, owing to the lack of funds. District attorney Aycock and assistant attorney Sol C. Weill are present. Judge Simonton is from Charleston and succeeds Hugh L. Bond. It is his first visit here. Mrs. Simonton is with him and they are at the Yarbrough house, having arrived Saturday evening.

The Story of the Turtle.

Mention was made in the Visitor and in other papers of the capture of a soft-shelled turtle at Milburnie. Mr. F. H. Busbee tells the Charlotte Observer: "Several years ago my uncle brought from Georgia two soft-shell turtles, as perhaps you term them. I put them in a small pond made on a branch in my little farm near Garner, and prized them as the choicest product of the place. A freshet came; the pond broke; the turtles disappeared. It would hardly seem probable, yet they must have gone down the branch to Swift creek, down the creek to the river and up the river to Milburnie."

The Weather Crop Bulletin

The reports of correspondents indicate continued unfavorable weather. The nights have been very cool and frost occurred June 1st in the western and central districts. Although the damage by frost has been slight, the growth of crops has been checked and some cotton killed. The rainfall was badly distributed. There was plenty of rain in the eastern district and a few counties of the central; elsewhere it is becoming very dry, especially in the west. Some damage by hail was again reported last week. The last two days of last week were much warmer, and the prospects are for continued warm weather during the next week.

The State Board of Health.

The May bulletin of the N. C. board of health was received today. It says there was held at Greensboro a conference between Dr. Joseph J. Kinyoun, of the U. S. marine hospital service, in regard to the quarantine station at Southport. Wilmington having definitely declined to appropriate the \$5,000 upon which was conditioned the appropriation by the state of \$20,000 for the erection at Southport of a quarantine station with all the modern improvements, the unanimous passage of the following motion was the immediate result of the conference: "Moved that, in view of the inability or unwillingness of the city of Wilmington to contribute its part towards carrying out the act of the last general assembly providing for the erection of a first-class quarantine station at Southport, the secretary be instructed to officially request the U. S. marine hospital service to take charge of and operate that station, and that the secretary be authorized to explain this action on the part of the board."

Dr. James McKee makes the following report for Wake: Twenty-three cases of measles, one of diphtheria and one of scarlatina. Public buildings in good condition.

The dockets of the federal court, which began today, are a little heavier than usual.

ABICSHIPMENT

There were shipped from the Chicago factory of the Western Wheel

Works one hundred machines a day by express during week before last. On Saturday fifteen of the largest trucks operated by the express companies were called in to carry off an order received from the New York branch office. Each wagon was loaded with twenty-five wheels, making a total of three hundred and seventy-five machines in the lot. The Western Wheel works make the REBENT Cycles, and the capacity is forty thousand wheels each year.

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