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SUNDAY, JUNE 10, 1883.

A HOLLOW MOCKERY.

The appropriations made by the last Congress for the fiscal year now about to commence made no reduction in anticipation of a consolidation of the internal revenue districts. They were made on the usual basis, except that Raum asked for over a hundred thousand dollars more than the last appropriation, chiefly for the expenses of his office.

RELIGIOUS TOLERANCE.

We are pleased to see that the University of North Carolina has conferred the degree of Doctor of Divinity on the Rev. S. Mendelsohn, Rabbi of the Temple of Israel in Wilmington. The degree was doubtless merited by Dr. Mendelsohn as a learned divine, but our satisfaction arises altogether from another source.

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tries and labor without creating monopolies. While steering clear of one extreme we should not run into the opposite extreme of repudiating even incidental protection. In avoiding Seylla we should not run into Charybdis.

OUR SCHOOLS.

Commencement at Thomasville. Wednesday and Thursday of this week, the Twenty-Sixth Annual Commencement of Thomasville Female College was held.

Thursday Hon A. M. Scales delivered the Literary Address. His theme was "Woman, at Home, in the Church, and in the State."

Miss Nettie J. Lopp and Miss Maggie M. Askew received full diplomas. The former read the Salutatory and the latter the valedictory.

Miss Sallie Hilton received Belles-Lettres Diploma. Several young ladies received Diplomas of Schools completed in the College course.

A very pleasant incident of the day was the presentation by Gen. Scales on behalf of the parents of a fine gold watch and chain to Miss Nettie J. Lopp their adopted daughter.

Wednesday night the usual commencement concert was given, consisting of vocal and instrumental music, well rendered. After which we all retired feeling that President Reinhart and his accomplished corps of teachers had done well their part and that their efforts had been largely successful.

The young ladies acquiring themselves the honor, from the graduating down to the preparatory classes.

This college is in successful operation and well deserves a share of patronage. It is well equipped and managed.

The Civil Service Commission.

Washington Correspondence. The Civil Service Commission is expected to resume its labors in this city to-morrow, all three commissioners now being here. Several of the departments have within the last week or two returned their papers to persons making application for office, with the information that they should apply to the commission. It is not improbable, however, that a few appointments may be yet made in the departments, through favoritism or other cause, before the commission fairly gets to work.

A Senator, always supposed to be of commanding influence, has for some time been trying very hard to secure a clerical position for a very deserving lady, but without avail.

In lamenting his want of success to-day, he said that had his client been young and pretty, instead of aged and homely, he was satisfied the place would long since have been given her, and now it was all up, as she could not pass the civil service examination.

The commissioners all express themselves as much gratified with the result of their visits to the large cities and conferences with the leading Federal officials, who, they say, evinced a purpose to cooperate heartily with them. They reiterate most positively that the political bias of candidates for examination shall not be taken into the least consideration, and that any examiner who undertakes to make a discrimination on this account will be summarily removed from his position.

It is understood that about fifteen thousand places will come under the operations of the commission, and if the law works satisfactorily, the idea of the commission is that Congress will be induced to enlarge its scope and take in many more offices.

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At and Under Cost,

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