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## 'T WAS FUSION.

### Charges Made Against Penitentiary Apply to Former Management.

Mainly Exaggeration. A. & M. College Parade. Preparations for Vance Monument First Picnic. Insurance Companies Unlicensed.

HARRIS, May 14.—Chairman E. L. Travis, of the penitentiary executive board, regarding the charges made by some Federal convicts that great cruelty was practiced, men beaten to death, and shot, women stripped and whipped, and that Warden Green was constantly intoxicated, says: "So far as I know or have ever heard the present warden was never under the influence of liquor. The warden who preceded him was a drinking man. All of the charges made by the convicts are old. They apply to the fusion management of the penitentiary and not to the present one. Lewis Summerell, a former supervisor, was charged with beating a State convict to death. He was given hearing and acquitted. He was soon afterwards dropped and is now operating his own farm. The man who did whip the convicts is indicted for murder in the State courts. He will be tried in Northampton county where the indictment against him is pending. He is out on large bail. He will really be prosecuted for manslaughter.

"As to the shooting of Federal Convict Horne by Warden Green last week, I have made careful investigation and find, upon the testimony of both convicts and guards, that Horne was advancing upon the warden to strike him with a shovel handle; that he held this in both hands, drawn back to strike. This convict had rebelled. He had a quarrel with another convict. It was out of this that the trouble grew. He was sent for in order that he might be punished. He was a dangerous and sullen man, as the testimony of convicts show. As to the charge of the beating of striped female convicts, I will say that it was absolutely without foundation, as our examination showed. It was charged that a man named Shearer did the beating. He has sued for libel a paper which published the report. The convict, Horne, is the only Federal prisoner shot. Reports are made to me each month by the warden, showing all violations of the rules by convicts, the punishment given the latter, etc. The report for April shows that not one convict, either State or Federal, was punished by whipping. Those who violated the rules were given black marks and a few were put in the dark cell for disobedience. The punishment of whipping in all ways administered with care, ranging from five to ten lashes. It is very rare that as many as 18 are given."

Today Tom Smith, colored, was brought here from Goldsboro and put in jail to prevent lynching. Judge Hicks ordered the transfer. He killed a young white man Charles Cavertowne in 1896, in Selma, Johnston county. He was tried, convicted and then granted a new trial. He was then tried in Goldsboro and is now awaiting the motion for a new trial. It is said if it is granted he will be lynched. He has been brought here twice before for safe-keeping.

Chairman Holton, Republican, has not as yet replied to Democratic Chairman Shumous as to a joint debate.

Rev. John E. White, now secretary of the Baptist State Mission Board is urged to take charge of what is to be known as the mountain mission work of his church in several States, among them Virginia, Tennessee, North Carolina, South Carolina and Georgia. It is regarded as practically certain that he will accept the presidency of the Baptist Female University. A trustee of the latter said that he had no doubt of Mr. White's acceptance.

The last dress parade of the cadets of the Agricultural and Mechanical College was attended by the students of the three female colleges here. The cadets were in gray blouses and white trousers, the band entirely in white. The band is a small one, but its music is creditable. The cadets do not have as much time as drill as they need and the proper movements are not up to the proper mark. They greatly need an officer of the regular army as instructor and President Winston says one will at penitentiary soon be secured, such an officer, in fact, is necessary. Under the new militia law each State is to have such an officer as its military instructor and he must be of not less than five years experience.

The committee on the Vance statue will probably meet here about May 20. It is said that it will be certainly known whether the statue will be situated in the city or in the country, how large the program for its erection. July 1 there is a great deal to be done. The committee will have to be organized and other work will have to be arranged and it will be a long time before the statue will be erected. One of the suggestions is that the statue be erected in the city.

The first public assembly of the year will be given in the evening at the opera house.

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## NOTICE TO MARINERS.

### Familico River buoy discontinued. Beacon Light established.

On March 15, 1900, the second class can buoy, red and black in horizontal stripes, which formerly marked the shoal making off from Wades Point, at the junction of the Familico and Pungo rivers was discontinued. The shoal is to be marked by a beacon light.

On March 10, 1900, the numbers of the following buoys in Familico River were: Mails Point Shoal buoy, a black second class can from 7 to 5.

Fork Point Shoal buoy, a black third class can from 7 1/2 to 7.

After April 30, 1900, a fixed white lantern light will be exhibited, 12 feet above mean high water, from a four-pile structure, painted red and black in horizontal stripes, erected in about 9 feet of water on the shoal making off from Wades Point, at the junction of the Familico and Pungo rivers.

The approximate geographical position of the light is: Latitude, 35° 29' 41" N; longitude, 76° 33' 45" W, and it is on the bearing:

Familico Point Light, SE 1/4 E, distant 6 1/2 miles.

SE point of Indian Island, tangent, WSW 1/4 W, distant 4 1/2 miles.

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