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**CLASS DAY EXERCISES**  
Held At Griffin Auditorium Yesterday Afternoon. Annual Sermon Delivered.

Yesterday afternoon the class day exercises of the 1911 graduating class of the New Bern graded school were held in Griffin auditorium. Despite the fact that the hour was prohibitive to a great many, there was quite a good sized audience present and they thoroughly enjoyed the exercises.

The first number on the program was a selection by the school orchestra, this was well rendered and received much applause. Miss Lavinia Folsom, the class historian, then read the class history. Her paper was exceptionally good and showed remarkable ability and was well received. Following her, Miss Elizabeth Hyman, read the class prophecy. Parts of this, as was intended were very humorous, and she received much applause. The entire class then sang the "Parting Song" after which Miss Lida Brown, the class poet, read the class poem. In the construction of this manuscript Miss Brown showed remarkable ability and the rendition of it was perfect. After another selection by the orchestra and a song by the class, the assemblage adjourned to the campus where the 1911 brick was placed in the cornerstone of the building as is the usual custom.

The following program was rendered last night:

Invocation—Rev. J. B. Hurley, Morning Invitation—Glee Club, Annual Sermon—Bishop Strange, Angel Song—Glee Club, My Country 'Tis of Thee, Benediction—Rev. J. B. Hurley, Orchestra.

For tonight, the last night of the commencement, the following program has been arranged:

1. Orchestra.
2. Invocation—Dr. E. T. Carter.
3. Essay—The call to the Farm—Lavinia Folsom.
4. Essay—Count Leo Tolstol—Margot Ren.
5. Orchestra.
6. Essay—The Hudson Fulton Celebration—Lila Folsom Taylor.
7. Essay—Some Arguments Against Woman Suffrage.
8. Violin Solo—Charles Hollister.
9. Presentation of Medals—Judge Guion.
10. Presentation of Prizes—Dr. Summrell.
11. Orchestra.
12. Presentation of Diplomas.
13. Announcements of Scholarships, etc.
14. Benediction—Dr. Carter.
15. Orchestra.

Thursday morning at 10 o'clock school will open as usual and all of the pupils are expected to be present. As soon as the Chapel exercises and announcements have been made, promotion and condition cards will be given and the pupils dismissed.

**NO LAW TO CATCH THEM**  
Sentiment to Make Every Restraint of Trade Illegal Growing Less.

Washington, May 31.—The possibility of criminal prosecutions of the individual members of the Tobacco Trust, which was ordered dissolved by the Supreme Court are being carefully considered at the Department of Justice.

Neither Attorney General Wickersham nor any of his assistants on the big case will make any statement as to the probable course of the government and no decision on that point is likely to be made for several days.

North Carolinians involved are James B. Duke, Benjamin N. Duke, George W. Watts, Rufus L. Patterson, John B. Cobb and W. W. Fuller. There are 29 defendants in all, the most prominent being Thomas F. Ryan, P. A. B. Widenor and Oliver H. Payne.

In respect to criminal prosecutions, however, the tobacco case is said to differ somewhat from the Standard Oil case. In the latter Attorney General Wickersham said that no criminal prosecutions were under way, but declined to say positively that none were contemplated. Certain questions regarding the application of the statute of limitation enter into both cases.

It is said that the legal problems involved are very delicate ones. After Mr. Wickersham and his assistants have gone over them, some authoritative statement may be expected which will tell if the government will bring criminal action in either case or in both.

Sentiment in favor of amending the Sherman anti-trust law so as to make "every" restraint of trade a violation of law instead of only "unreasonable" restraints was pronounced by several Senators today as perceptibly reduced by the decision of the Supreme Court in the tobacco case.

**Change of Vaudeville Artists.**  
At the Athens tonight Paul M. Bell, eccentric light comedian and Rena Washburn, magnetic vivacious nightingale in a musical absurdity. "The Johnnie and the chorus girl."

**M. E. Whitehurst & Co.,** start their Annual May Sale Monday, continuing all the week. Don't fail to attend.

**To Hang Woman in Washington.**  
Washington, May 31.—Mattie Lemax, colored, is under sentence here to be hanged for the murder of her husband. She smiled at the Judge as he read the sentence. Mrs. Mary Sarratt, who was hanged in 1867 for complicity in the murder of President Lincoln, was the last woman to pay the death penalty in the District of Columbia.

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**Horse Shoeing Shop Removed And Entarged.**  
Mr. Fred M. Scott, proprietor of the leading horse shoeing establishment of the city, has secured the building on Broad street formerly E. E. Street's Hovey stables, and is having it fitted up for his shoeing business which has far outgrown the old quarters.

The shop will be outfitted with all the latest tools and equipments to handle and shoe horses. A brake has been erected at considerable cost that will hold and adjust the most unruly beast. His force of efficient shoe-smiths will be increased also.

**A Well Known Man's Opinion.**  
The Burlington Co., New Bern, N. C.  
We have derived so much benefit from the use of SAVODINE, that we wish to add our testimony to the list of those already acquainted with its merits.

My wife has been using SAVODINE for quite a while for cold in the head, who has found it very useful for CATARRH of the nose, all that, is the fact of its having proved itself trustworthy to us for our lady. A short time ago she was laid very sick, and as it would not do much benefit to her, she decided to resort to medicine with caution, and she found that nothing more to be done, she got a bottle of SAVODINE in the way, and with the first dose she felt herself better, and in a few days she was perfectly well. We are very grateful to you for the discovery of this medicine, and we will surely feel compelled to give you our thanks.

**POLLOCKSVILLE HIGH SCHOOL**  
Commencement Exercises Enjoyed By Large Audiences Fine School Year.

Pollocksville, May 31.—Tonight completed the commencement exercises of the High School here, the final being under the larger pupils, who were on the program for music, recitations, and the usual school closing program, Tuesday night the younger pupils had their exercises and delighted a large audience.

Today was commencement day exercises, with a dinner after the program was completed. The weather was beautiful and there was a large audience, filling the school building. There was a chorus song, by the school choir, invocation by Rev. Mr. Edwards, another song, then Supt. Alex. White made a short address and introduced Mr. C. L. Stevens, Editor New Bern Journal, who in turn introduced the speaker of the day, Dr. J. H. N. Summrell, pastor, Presbyterian Church, New Bern, whose subject was Fitness to Meet Responsibilities. The speaker made local application, showing how the boy and girl was learning in preparation in order to acquire a training that would make them capable and fit when leaving school to meet the responsibilities of the life they must find in the world. The application was also made to parents as to their responsibilities over the child life.

The address was impressive and appealing to young and old, easily to be grasped by all who listened. There were incidents and illustrations causing laughter and applause, while in the more impressive parts there was a pathos sufficient to bring dappiness to the eye. The speaker was given a most attentive hearing.

Mrs. G. R. Hughes sang a solo, and there was a final chorus song and the benediction.

After the close of the exercises, there was opening and spreading out under the trees on long tables of baskets filled with every kind of food known in Jones county, quality and quantity, to which every one did full and ample justice.

The school record is the best yet made, the attendance being large throughout the year, with 90 at the close. Supt. White and his teachers feel well repaid for their efforts and the parents and school public of Pollocksville are rejoicing in the good work accomplished at their High School.

**20 Leonard Cleanable Refrigerators, porcelain lined, quartered oak cases.** They save ice and look better than any other. Ask me the price. J. S. Miller.

**False Impression.**  
The following letter was received from the Chief of the Asheville Fire Department and speaks for itself:

Asheville, N. C., May 26, 1911.  
Mr. Edwin F. Richardson, New Bern, N. C.

My Dear Chief:—I have noticed in the New Bern papers that the New Bern Home Co., No. 1 is claiming to hold the world's record in the horse hose wagon race, time 23 2-5.

While I was very glad indeed to see a New Bern company win at Charlotte and make excellent records, you are aware of the fact that Asheville Home Co., No. 1 holds the best record yet established for the same race, time 23 1-5. This record was made in the interstate races at Asheville in 1909, and if you will look in the Association Record for that year you will find that record was established.

Very truly yours,  
E. S. BERNARD,  
Chief Fire Dept.

**PEERLESS ONE GIVES WARNING**  
Declares That Revenue Can Be Raised Without Oppressive Tariff and Warns Party Against Protective Learning.

Washington, May 30.—William Jennings Bryan takes exception to the programme of this party in the House and criticizes sharply the majority of the Democrats who have agreed to support the revised tariff schedule on wool and woollen goods. The criticism is contained in a statement made public through Representative Harris, of New York.

Chairman Underwood, of the Ways and Means Committee, contended himself with the declaration that despite Mr. Bryan's stand the revised tariff would go through the Democratic caucus with a two-thirds majority.

"The Democratic voters," says Mr. Bryan, "know that all needed revenue can be raised by less oppressive taxes and they know the argument that the tariff as well as proposed as a revenue tariff is merely a subterfuge employed because those who supply it are afraid of any that they favor protection."

The Republican majority of the House, however, favored a protective policy which is said to meet marked in those Democrats who have "among their constituents influential beneficiaries of the tariff."

"The Republicans want protection on wool because they believe in the possibility of protection," he declared. "The Democrats advocate a tariff on wool because they believe in the possibility of protection."

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For these reasons the laces and embroideries this year are not only good to look upon, but good for service.

We have a choice of the best of this season's designs. Every need—for lingerie—for dresses—the daintiest, finest effects—sturdier styles—many grades—countless patterns—they're all here.

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