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OUR DOCTORS

THE FURTHER PROCEEDINGS OF THE CONVENTION.

The Entertainments—Election of New Officers, Appointment of Committees, and Adjournment of the Session. (Special Cor. of STATE CHRONICLE.)

ASHEVILLE, N. C., May 28, 1891.—The doctors were royally entertained at the Oakland Heights Sanitarium yesterday afternoon, they having accepted the invitation to dine there. The menu which was in keeping with the reputation of this excellent house was done amply justice by the M. D.'s, and they all returned to the city feeling amply repaid for their visit to the Sanitarium.

Second Day—Afternoon Session. The Society was called to order by the President, Dr. Lewis, at 3:30 o'clock.

On motion, the election of officers was made the special order for this morning.

An interesting paper was read by Dr. S. D. Booth on "Uterine Pregnancy," after which Dr. W. H. Harrell read the report of the chairman of section on practice.

Dr. J. Howell Way, of Waynesville, read a paper entitled "A plea for the use of chloroform in the cases of labor," which was well received by the society.

Dr. W. P. Whittington read a paper upon "Inflammation of the Uterine Appendages."

The chair announced the following committees:

On Nominations—Drs. J. F. Baill, J. W. Long, D. N. Dalton, W. P. Mercer and Joe Hill.

On Pittman Prizes—Drs. J. H. Tucker, T. S. Burbank and N. B. Herring.

The Pittman prize is \$100 for the best essay read before the society at its annual meetings.

After the reading of the report of the chairman of section on Pathology and Microscopy, by Dr. Albert Anderson, the convention adjourned.

Third Day—Morning Session.

The election of officers being the first business which claimed the attention of the society, the following were chosen by acclamation:

President—Dr. W. T. Cheatham, of Henderson.

The Vice-Presidents are:

1st, Dr. J. S. Burbank, of Wilmington; 2d, Dr. J. W. Long, of Wilmington; 3d, Dr. W. H. Cobb, of Goldsboro; 4th, Dr. W. D. Hillard, of Asheville.

Secretary—Dr. J. M. Hays, of Oxford.

Treasurer—Dr. C. M. Pool, of Craven.

Dr. J. W. Long, from the committee on nominations, read the following report, which was adopted:

Orator—J. A. Hodges.

Essayist—O. McMullen.

Board of Censors—W. C. McDaniel, T. E. Anderson, W. H. Cobb, Sr.

Delegates to American Medical Association—T. W. Brown, R. H. Lewis, A. G. Orr, H. T. Robinson, G. A. Focht, R. L. Payne, W. P. Mercer, W. D. Hillard, W. P. Baill, W. C. Galloway, Emmett Robinson, W. R. Wood, W. H. Harrell, C. M. Pool, S. L. Montgomery.

Delegates to N. Y. State Medical Society—S. W. Battle, S. T. Nicholson, H. H. Dodson, T. E. Anderson.

Delegates to Southern Surgical and Gynecological Association—Jas. Graham, W. H. Cobb, S. D. Booth.

Delegates to Virginia State Medical Society—E. G. Moore, Richard Whitehead, J. C. Wallen.

Delegates to South Carolina Medical Society—T. S. Burbank, C. A. Meenhour, D. A. Stanton.

Committee on Publication—T. P. Wood, E. S. Burbank, J. M. Hays, G. G. Thomas.

American Public Health Association—T. F. Wood, J. H. Tucker, H. B. Weaver.

Dr. J. A. Hodges, on account of his illness, asked to be relieved from acting as orator, and the society unanimously elected Dr. J. W. Long, of Randolph, in his stead.

The attention of the society was called to the importance of taking some action in regard to the issuing of prescriptions by druggists, and, on motion, a committee of three was appointed on behalf of the society, consisting of Drs. S. D. Booth, W. H. Cobb and Frank Duffin, to confer with the State Pharmaceutical Society on this matter at the meeting of the latter at Morehead City in July.

A resolution was passed expressing the thanks of the society to the medical profession and citizens of Asheville for the hospitable manner in which they have been entertained while in Asheville.

The hour having arrived for the installation of the new officers, the retiring President appointed a committee of two to escort the newly elected President, Dr. Cheatham to the chair. Dr. Lewis, the retiring president, made a few remarks appropriate to the occasion and turned over the gavel to Dr. Cheatham.

Dr. Cheatham thanked the society for the honor conferred and proceeded to appoint the chairman of sections for the coming year. They are as follows:

Practice, J. W. McNeill; Surgery, E. K. McIntire; Obstetrics, W. O. McDowell; Gynecology, M. H. Fletcher; Materia Medica, R. J. Noble; Therapeutics, M. E. Robinson; Pathology and Microscopy, J. H. Tucker, Jr.

Dr. Cheatham, State Surgeon, was appointed a committee on the subject of the business of the society.

Two hundred and forty members were present during the session.

The meeting of the Society will be held at Wilmington, N. C., on the 31st of May.

Chairman Eaves Indicates His Disapproval of the New "Protective League" Movement.

(Statesville Landmark.)

ASHEVILLE, N. C., May 16, 1891.

Hon. J. B. EAVES, Chairman State Republican Executive Committee:

I have been informed that some of the leaders of the Republican party in the State have signified a purpose to abandon the issue of "county government." If that be so then I hop some organization will spring up by which the great Democratic doctrine of local self-government may be maintained in the western counties of North Carolina.

I believe that a large majority of the west are opposed to the present system of county government.

I shall vote for no man who is in favor of a continuation of this system, if I can get a good man to vote for who entertains the opposite view. If this issue is to be abandoned, then the men of the west, who have liberal views on the question, are left to take that course thought best to accomplish a great principle.

Very truly yours,
W. H. MALONE.

STATESVILLE, N. C., May 20, 1891.

MAJ. W. H. MALONE, ASHEVILLE, N. C.

MY DEAR SIR—Yours received. In reply to your letter to me in regard to the Republican party abandoning the fight for local self-government, I think it is surprising that any parties claiming to be Republicans should take such a position; it is a positive departure from principle—an abandoning of a part of the party platform, which is so vital that it cannot be conceded without working serious mischief to the party, if not ultimate destruction.

I cannot look upon this move in any other light than as an effort to organize the white Republicans of the State upon a Democratic platform. As a Republican party we cannot endorse this departure.

If one time could be worse than another to yield an inch to the opposition, it is now, when the Democrats are so restive under the disturbances provoked in their own party by the Alliance and the record of the last Legislature, the very time when, if Republicans will stand firm and preserve a thorough organization, there is bound to be advantage in the outcome for them.

The affected uneasiness of the Democratic press on this agitation in our party is too plain to be misunderstood: it is only natural that while trouble is brewing in their own ranks they would be glad to see trouble in Republican ranks, so as to lessen the probability of their losing, and in order to encourage disaffection in our party they pretend to be afraid of it, when in truth there is nothing they dread so much as a solid organization of the Republican party, and no time they ever dreaded it more than just now.

With a solid, unflinching front to the enemy the outlook in the State is more encouraging than usual for the Republicans, and I sincerely hope we may be able to have the advantages of it; but even if the future were not hopeful, my advice would be: Stand by your colors; if the enemy take them in an honest struggle, all well, but we will not ourselves trail them in the dust.

Very truly yours,
J. B. EAVES

Boiler Explosion with Fatal Results—Thirteen Men Killed or Injured.

(By the United Press.)

FRANKFORD, Ind., May 29. Yesterday afternoon the large boiler in Kravler's saw mill exploded with appalling results. Frank Hull, the engineer, was instantly killed, and Wm. Davis, Eric Koms, Benj. Keyes, and Van Swanenager, were fatally injured. Of the thirteen employed in the mill scarcely one escaped without more or less injury. Others are suffering from broken limbs and scalds, and it is difficult to determine the exact extent of their injuries. The explosion took place shortly after 3 o'clock, and the mill is a complete wreck, the debris being scattered about for a radius of 200 yards. The boiler being pronounced safe, and insured only a week ago. Koms and Davis are dying.

Cardinal Gibbons Ill.

(By the United Press.)

BALTIMORE, May 29.—Cardinal Gibbons is reported as ill with malarial trouble at Bryantown. His physician has advised him to discontinue Episcopal visits through the lower counties of the State until he should regain his strength. His illness is not thought to be serious.

Is Consumption Incurable?

Read the following. Mr. C. H. Morris, Newark, Ark., says: "Was down with Abscess of Lungs, and friends and physicians pronounced me an incurable Consumptive. Began taking Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, am now on my third bottle, and able to oversee the work on my farm. It is the finest medicine ever made."

Jesse Middlewart, Decatur, Ohio, says: "Had it not been for Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption I would have died of Lung Troubles. Was given a bottle of it. Am now in best of health." Try it.

John Y. McKee, Hoosiers.

Postmaster of Ida.

Wm. Timmon for me than all other ville Ind., wrote, for that bad falling has done more my and Liver trouble."

medicines combiner and stockman of arising from Kidney. "Find Electric Bitters John Leslie, kidney and Liver medicine same place, says I like a new man. J. C. to be the best I have ever used, same time; made me Electric Bitters just the W. Gardner, man who I all run down town, says: "Whether he lives or dies; thing for a new strength, good appetite and don't cast like he had a new lease he found it. Only 50c. a bottle, at and felt it. MacRo's Drug Store. on his John Y.

GREENSBORO COMMENCEMENT.

A Rich Programme Ends in Happy Schooltime Nuptials.

(Special Cor. STATE CHRONICLE.)

GREENSBORO, N. C., May 28, 1891.—

The first scholastic year of Greensboro Female College, under the presidency of Dr. B. F. Dixon, is closed, and the hundreds of bright faced girls are dispersed to their many homes.

This was the most elaborate and highly interesting commencement I have ever attended at famous old Greensboro, the crowd was immense, despite of the rains, and every one was pleased.

On Wednesday the Calisthenic and Elocution classes gave a splendid entertainment in the college chapel and the gold medal for the best recitation was awarded to Miss Maggie Walker, daughter of Rev. W. T. Walker, of Guilford county.

Thursday was the great day and it was then that the sweet girl graduate walked off the rostrum with her diploma; the essays of each were very creditable, especially the one by Miss Mary Gregory, of Greensboro, daughter of George H. Gregory, Esq., which won the prize.

"Woman" was the appropriate theme that Gen. Robert B. Vance dwelt so eloquently upon after the essays were over and his able, ornate and soulful exposition of the position she holds in society, called forth many complimentary words from everyone.

But it was on Thursday night, after the concert was ended and the things of that style put away, that the climax was reached in the celebration of the nuptials of Mr. W. B. Lee and Miss Mamie Fonville. It was as brilliant as the occasion could command, as happy as two hearts could make it, and as pleasant as the best wishes of two hundred school-mates compelled it.

The ceremony was performed in the presence of a great host of friends and was a delightful occasion.

Mr. Lee is a theological student of Trinity College and graduates from that institution the coming commencement. He is an enthusiastic Christian worker, of a genial and lovable disposition and of a deep devotion to his fellows. Having given up himself to his God, and chosen the mission field he desired to wed this estimable Christian young lady before he sailed to his field in Brazil.

According, then, to their cherished desire they were united in the Greensboro Female College Chapel in the presence of their school-mates—Greensboro girls and Trinity boys.

A CHALLENGE TO THE STATE.

Winston Wants to Play a Big Game of Baseball.

WINSTON, N. C., May 27.

EDITOR STATE CHRONICLE, RALEIGH, N. C.

MY DEAR SIR—Please insert in your daily paper a challenge to play baseball to any club, in this or any other State, and sign same as Manager Baseball Club, Winston, N. C. By so doing you will greatly oblige.

Yours very truly,
ABE STRAUSS,
Manager Winston Baseball Club.

Rebellion Because of Tax.

(By the United Press.)

ROME, May 29.—The Populace of the Commune of Wisterbiace in Sicily rose in revolt yesterday against a local tax and invaded the town set fire to several buildings. Troops were dispatched to the scene and the uprising suppressed. The leaders have been arrested. A judicial inquiry into the trouble has been opened.

MAD DOG ON THE RAMPAGE.

He Bites Two Boys, Five Horses and a Cow.

(By the United Press.)

WILMINGTON, Ohio, May 29.—Some weeks ago, Mr. Woodson Oglesbee's dog discovered a den of snakes and killed all of them. Not long after it appeared at the house maddened and exhausted, frothing at the mouth and showing all the symptoms of a dog suffering with rabies. The little seven year old son of Mr. Oglesbee attempting to caress the dog was bitten by it on the chin, and subsequently a 24 year old son, Charles, was also bitten in the face. The dog was killed, but not until it had bitten five valuable horses and a cow. The horses have developed cases of rabies, snapping and biting at any one approaching them. Three of the animals died and the others were shot. The loss to the farmer is \$1,000. The two boys were sent to the Pasteur Institute at Chicago. A number of other dogs have been bitten, but it is not known how many. The entire community is worked up to an extraordinary degree.

The World's Columbian Exposition.

(By the United Press.)

CHICAGO, May 29.—Director General Davis and the foreign affairs committee have agreed upon the membership of the commission that is to represent the Columbian Exposition in Europe. The five men chosen are: ex-Gov. Waller, of Connecticut; ex-Senator Ensis, of Louisiana; Carl Schurz; Promo; and General Hardy and Scholier General Butler. Three of the commissioners have decided to go, but Senator Ensis and Mr. Schurz have not yet been heard from. The commission will start early in June, and will be in Europe about six weeks.

MARRIED.

At "Oakland," the residence of the residence of the bride's father, Mr. Wm. H. Canady, Wednesday, May 27th, Mr. Jas. A. Henley to Miss Mary H. Canady, Rev. Baylus Cade officiating. An elegant dinner was served, and at night a reception was given at the residence of the groom's mother at Franklinton. The bride and groom have friends in Raleigh, who tender congratulations and good wishes.

DUEL WITH KNIVES.

TWO STUDENTS OF HIAWASSEE COLLEGE FIGHT OVER THEIR SWEETHEARTS.

John Ward Plunges the Knife to the Heart of Alex. Brown and Kills Him Instantly.

(By the United Press.)

AUGUSTA, Ga., May 29.—News of a duel in Hiawassee College, in Loomis county, has just reached here. During the spring a rivalry sprang up between John Ward and Alex. Brown, who were contending for the place of honor. The quarrel was intensified by a dispute about their sweetheart. Wednesday night they proposed to settle their differences by a duel with knives. The young men went beyond the town limits and fell upon each other with their barrow knives. For sometime the hacking was kept up, and finally Ward made a plunge into Brown's ribs, the knife penetrating to the heart. Brown fell dead into the arms of his assailant. The young men belong to highly respected families of that section.

A Correction

(Special Cor. STATE CHRONICLE.)

You made a mistake in your editorial paragraph of yesterday when you said:

"The change made by the last Legislature in regard to the granting of license to retail liquor was that the County Commissioners are deprived of any discretion. It is made obligatory upon them to grant license when the applicant is qualified according to law. If any community does not want bar-rooms it can vote them out under the local option act. But the County Commissioners have no discretion. This in answer to a Hyde county correspondent."

The last Legislature made no change in the law with regard to the granting of license to retail liquor by County Commissioners. They left the law as they found it, and while the act of 1889 said "County Commissioners SHALL," &c., the Supreme Court has said in a decision for Robeson and I, think, Alamance county, that County Commissioners have the matter in their own hands to grant or not grant license.

I hope you will give your readers the benefit of that decision of the Supreme Court.

N. B. BROUGHTON.

You Want to Attend this Meeting.

The various railroads throughout the State are specially liberal to the Teachers' Assembly, and the rates made for the occasion will average only about one and a quarter cents a mile. This makes the ticket for the round trip from Raleigh only \$4.40 cents, and all places more distant than Raleigh will have even a lower proportionate rate. The tickets are on sale from June 13 to 30 inclusive, and are good to return until July 13th. Morehead City is only \$7.45, and it is but little over \$12.00 for a return ticket from Murphy, the extreme limits of the State.

The very pleasantest and happiest gatherings of North Carolina people are at the sessions of the Teacher's Assembly, and by thousands of our people as great, joyous, reunions of congenial friends and co-laborers. The immense gatherings of the best people of our State with the teachers in their annual assembly are making North Carolinians better acquainted with one another and thus we appreciate each other more. The people, the officers of State and the leaders in education all meet together in most pleasant intercourse and carry the enthusiasm of the meeting into every portion of North Carolina.

North Carolina is a great and good State and is daily growing to be a grander and greater State; it is now leading all others of the South in educational enterprise and progress and the North Carolina Teachers' Association has a larger membership than the organizations of all the other Southern States combined!

Salem Female School.

(Special to the CHRONICLE.)

WINSTON, N. C., May 29.—The opening exercises of the Salem Female School began to night with a musical concert under the direction of Miss Kate Evans. The chapel was crowded with people from all parts of the Union as well as portions of Europe. The programme for this commencement is an extended and attractive one. Thirty-eight young ladies will graduate this year. Rev. H. C. Morrison, of Atlanta, will preach the baccalaureate sermon Sunday morning. Wednesday will be regular commencement day, when W. H. Rice, of New York City, will deliver the address Wednesday evening. The grand concert, with Professor Geo. Mark Graffe, as musical director, will take place. A full account by mail.

Rates for Burlington Academy Commencement, Burlington, N. C.

For the above occasion the Richmond and Danville Railroad will sell tickets to Burlington, N. C., and return, at the following rates from points named. Tickets on sale June 4th and 5th. Good returning June 6th, '91.

From Greensboro, N. C., \$1.10; Winston Salem, \$2.50; Durham, \$1.75; Henderson, \$3.75; Raleigh, \$2.90; Selma, \$4.15.

Rates from intermediate points in same proportion. W. A. TERRY, D. P. A.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

THE BEST SALVE IN THE WORLD FOR Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by John V. MacRae's drugstore.

OF INTEREST TO LAWYERS.

The Names of the Early Supreme Court Reports May be Reported by Number.

At its recent session, the Supreme Court adopted the following rule, which will doubtless be of some interest to the legal profession:

Inasmuch as several of the volumes of the reports prior to the 63d have been reprinted by the State with the number of the Reports instead of the Reporter, and still other volumes will be reprinted and numbered in like manner, it is permissible for counsel hereafter, in their option, to cite the volumes prior to the 63d Reports respectively, either as:

1 and 2 Martin Taylor and Conf.] or 1 N. C.

1 Haywood " " " 2 " "

1 and 2 Car. Law Repository N. C. Term] " 4 " "

1 Murphy " " " 5 " "

2 " " " 6 " "

3 " " " 7 " "

1 Hawks " " " 8 " "

2 " " " 9 " "

3 " " " 10 " "

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1 Devereux Law " " " 12 " "

2 " " " 13 " "

3 " " " 14 " "

4 " " " 15 " "

1 " " Eq. " 16 " "

2 " " " 17 " "

1 Devereux and Bat-

2 " " the Law] " 18 " "

3 and 4 " " " 19 " "

1 " " Eq. " 20 " "

2 " " " 21 " "

1 Iredell Law " " " 22 " "

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1 " " Eq. " 35 " "

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11 " " Eq. " 45 " "

12 " " Law " 46 " "

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19 " " Eq. " 53 " "

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27 " " Law " 61 " "

28 " " Eq. " 62 " "

Statesville Air-Line Railroad.

(By the United Press.)

A public meeting of the citizens of Iredell county will be held at Statesville, July 4th, to discuss building a railroad from Mt. Airy, N. C., to Spartanburg, S. C., via Statesville. The Landmark says:

It is the railroad that, above all others, Statesville and Iredell county most need. At Mt. Airy it would connect with the Cape Fear & Yadkin Valley Railroad which will soon make a connection at Cripple Creek, Va., with the Norfolk & Western Railroad. At Spartanburg it would find a connection with Port Royal, S. C., one of the finest harbors on the South Atlantic coast. The road would open up the fertile and prosperous county of Yadkin, traverse a large part of Surry, and give to north Iredell the railroad communication that it so much needs. South-west Iredell, eastern Catawba, Lincoln and Cleveland also have large interests involved. It would be a splendid line. It would parallel no other road, but would run "cross country" and develop one of the finest sections known to man.

The Races on the 4th of July.

The following is the revised and corrected programme of the races on the 4th of July next: