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of the sculpture in "The Mentor" for this week and read also the brilliant and authoritative comment by Prof. J. C. Van Dyke, of Rutgers College. No one knows who modeled the group; but, out of the mist that clouded human activity before the history began has come the story it perpetuates. It belongs to the time when the Greek gods ruled the world in nakedness, with occasional diversions in the form of bloody vengeance. Laocoon played a part in about the best known incident in the Homeric epic, the drawing into Troy of the wooden horse. Laocoon was a priest of Apollo and an important man in Troy; but he didn't have influence enough to prevent his fellow citizens from bringing in that wooden horse which was filled with soldiers, as you remember and resulted in the downfall of Troy, after a siege of ten years. The legends all seem to agree that Laocoon turned from Apollo to Neptune, even going so far as to offer a bullock in sacrifice to a sea god. When he was preparing the sacrifice two fearful serpents were seen swimming toward the Trojan coast from Tenedos. The monstrous reptiles rushed straight toward Laocoon and his two sons. The people took flight in terror; but the priest and the youths remained standing by the altar of their god. The serpents first coiled round the two boys and then round their father. In the statue you will see the young boys know as the god who punishes. That is what his name really means. Laocoon was undoubtedly a priest of Apollo, and it was the act of a traitor for him to turn to Neptune. One tale declares that Laocoon had

Good Road Column

The National Good Roads Federation Meeting

The National Good Roads Federation, which changed its name to the "United States Good Roads Association," held a well attended meeting in Birmingham, Alabama, last week. It is scarcely necessary to say that the Progressive Farmer is in hearty sympathy with any movement or organization which has for its purpose the improvement of our highways; but it seems to us, at times, that some of the most enthusiastic good roads advocates are doing much to hinder the work. The fact is, that there are a lot of impracticable schemes being hatched by the professional good roads promoters and in many cases there is a sad lack of any real understanding of what the country needs in the way of road improvement.

That the problem of good roads will be solved if the federal government can only be persuaded to appropriate money for road building, was the declaration of one speaker at this meeting. Another announced himself as an enthusiast for "permanent road" and deprecated any attempts at mere improvement. One organization has outlined an elaborate system of "national highways", running across the continent and between the larger cities and wishes the government to appropriate money to build these roads. We are not at all enthusiastic over federal appropriations for road building, but, whether the national government takes a hand, or whether the state and the community build the roads, there are, to our mind, a few fundamental facts which must be kept in mind:

1. We do not need to build roads across the continent, or from one city to another; but to build roads between the various railroad stations and market points out into the country districts so that the farmers can haul their products to town and make their necessary journeys easily and quickly. The interstate boulevard is a good thing and will come sometime, but the pressing need now is better roads to the depot and church and the schoolhouse.
2. There is no hope, and no need, of building all roads out of asphalt, or concrete, or macadam, and it is not necessary to wait until one of these expensive roads can be had to begin the work of road improvement. It is quite possible to make earth roads that will be serviceable and satisfactory for the densely populated sections and the work of improving these earth roads is just as important as the building of stone or other expensive roads in and about the towns. The requirements for a good road are not the same in all cases; nor will a little common-sense drainage and the split log drag.
3. The question of supervision and maintenance is just as important as the question of money to work the roads with. If the United States should issue the billion dollars of road bonds proposed by some enthusiasts, the indifferent neighborhood and the one with an incompetent man in charge of the roads would still have poor roads. Every state must have a state engineer of a highway commission, every county a competent road commissioner and every little municipality a road overseer directly responsible for its upkeep, before we have any general system of good roads. The labor tax and the annual "road-working" will not make good roads, or keep them good; nor will any appropriation, however great, without provision for continual supervision by a competent man whose business shall be to keep the roads good.

As we said in the outset, we are in hearty sympathy with every movement for good roads, but we doubt the wisdom or the practicability of many of the schemes and views advanced at this meeting; and of all the good things said, nothing appealed more to us than this extract from the speech of Mr. Joe M. Long, of Des Moines, Iowa:

"The initiative in road matters must be local. The men who are to pay the greater portion of the expense and receive the primary benefits should be the ones to put in motion the plans for improvement of the ways in their community. "The construction of a great system of national highways is a beautiful thing to contemplate and a luxury that we might well afford. Yet everyone must admit that such roads would be primarily a luxury and designed for the benefit of the wealthier people who could afford to travel over them for the pleasure of the trip. "I believe that the first work done by the government should be to assist in bringing about the construction of a system of market roads for the convenience of the producer. The states should pay such a percentage

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(From Monday's Reflector, May 5)

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Moore spent Sunday in Bethel.

Mr. S. J. Everett and little son, Justin, spent Sunday in Palmyra.

Miss Clara Hines, of Kinston, who has been visiting Miss Mary Shelburn, returned home Saturday evening, May 14th, June 1st. Tickets on sale May 12-13-14-15-19-20. Final return limit June 10th.

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HOGHEAD FACTORY BURNED IN FARMVILLE

Saturday afternoon a hoghead factory in Farmville, owned by Mr. R. L. Davis, was destroyed by fire of unknown origin. With the factory was burned a large lot of timber stored in it, this belonging to Mr. A. C. Monk. The stables and buggy of Rev. H. E. Tripp, near the factory, were also burned. There was no insurance on the loss which was about a thousand dollars.

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The baccalaureate sermon was preached today by the Rev. John M. Wells, D. D., of Wilmington and to eight William T. Ellis, of Swathmore, Pa., delivered the address to the Society of Missionary Inquiry.

The address to the graduating class at the final exercises Wednesday will be delivered by the Rev. William R. Laird, D. D., of Danville, Va.

There are also three post-graduates this year, bringing the total to 41, the largest number of graduates in the history of the institution. Fifteen of the 41 graduates will go to foreign lands, such as Cuba, China, Japan.

Opening of the season of the International Football Association of Canada.

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DEBT NOT NECESSARILY A MASTER

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Some folks hold up their hands in holy horror at the thought of debt as if it was a thing that would blind them hand and foot, enslaving them for life and their children after them. It all depends how a man treats his debts whether the result is good or bad for him. How many business men are there who could carry on his business without at times going in debt? How many farmers are there who can make a crop without going in debt until harvest? Of course every one does not have to go to credit, but the large majority of them do. The man is not enslaved by debt who works honestly to pay what he owes, while the man who spends all he makes and tries to save nothing to pay on what he owes, becomes a slave and loses out. An honest man who intends to deal honestly, makes debt serve him instead of becoming the servant of debt. There are plenty of young men who could never get an education without going in debt for it. But debts should not be made needless.

Can you realize that so far this year work has been in progress on new buildings and improvements in Greenville representing an aggregate outlay of more than a quarter million dollars? It is a fact, and the end is not yet, for other contemplated buildings during the year will largely increase the figures. No wonder so many eyes are riveted on Greenville, and the progress of the town so much talked about, when things like this are going on.

The government now owns the Chesapeake and Albemarle canal through the Dismal Swamp, and it will hereafter be free of toll to vessels. This canal became a part of the inland waterway for which Senator Simmons and Congressman Small have labored so faithfully for.

The New Bern Sun says many of those opposed to school bond issues are men who have no children. It is likewise true that many who are opposed to stock law do not own a foot of land.

The Durham Herald says that most of the road funds in this state so far have been built by the towns. Yet you will hear some people abusing the towns and trying to work against their progress.

Even if it does cover the summer—generally speaking the dull season—let's try to make the second third of the year as good for Greenville's progress as the first third.

tainly doing things for their state. They are giving us better waterways and better highways.

The railroads operating in North Carolina want to keep on sticking high freight rates to us.

Both Greenville and Farmville townships are going ahead to issue bonds and build good roads. And when these two townships get well on the way in the work of road building, we do not believe other sections of the county will be long in following the lead.

For two months now you can talk good roads for Greenville township, then go to the polls and vote bonds to build the roads.

Are you liking our illustrated sketches of "Cherubs in Art" this week. There will be another subject for next week's series.

Looks like it might be safe now to take 'em off, but the cool spell in May is yet to come.

Maybe Raleigh will quiet down some of these days.

When the weather did take a notion to turn warmer, it went with a bound.

Maybe there is not any interest in the coming election for mayor, but the activity of the two known candidates, and the discussion of the respective chances of each by his friends, proves to the contrary. Messrs. J. B. James and N. W. Outlaw are the only candidates in the race so far, and both have such strong following that no others may enter. The date for the nominating primary has not yet been determined.

No man will be more sadly missed in North Carolina than Mr. John T. Pullen, of Raleigh, whose death occurred Friday morning after a brief illness. John Pullen, as he was known far and near, was especially the friend of the widow and orphan, and the inmates of hospitals and prisons. These were special objects of his charity and he dispensed more happiness and sunshine than any man within our borders.

Senator Overman has introduced a bill providing for an appropriation of \$100,000 annually for the promotion of farm life schools in the several states. This will prove a great impetus to agriculture.

Even in this age of knots, now and then, you find some progress opposed to good roads, stock law, and everything else that means going forward faster than the back number. It is just one good thing after another when you go to talking about Greenville.

Those people in Farmville and Greenville townships who want good roads, can show it by working and voting for the bond issue to be held in these townships on the 5th of July.

The committee in charge is arranging a good program for the old soldiers' reunion next Tuesday. Every veteran in the county is cordially invited to come to Greenville that day.

If people live to be old enough they cut their wisdom teeth.

It Will Likely Have The Approval Of The Senate And Be Ready For President Wilson's Signature
WASHINGTON, May 4.—The unexpected tariff revision bill is expected to pass this week from its course of rushed consideration in the house, to be weighed in steady balance of senate deliberation. It probably will be passed in the house not later than Wednesday, just as it came from the ways and means committee, with free raw wool, free sugar in three years, its income tax, free meat, free flour and sweeping reductions in live stock and manufactured articles.

When the Democratic party took out in course of approval of the bill is put upon its passage. In the house, the measure will be just one month old and its champions predict that within two months more it will have the approval of the senate and soon thereafter be inscribed on the statute books over the signature of the Democratic president.

President Wilson, if he proposes to ask Congress for currency legislation at the extra session, has not yet made any definite suggestion relating to it, but house leaders will learn before many days his plans in that regard. Whatever is in store, the leading branch of congress has determined to complete the formation of standing committees and it will be ready by any emergency while the senate is mulling over the tariff.

Although the senate finance committee, to which the tariff bill formally will be referred when it comes to the house, has not determined upon a program of procedure, it has been informally considering the bill for a month and will be ready before many days to announce its plans. Senator Simmons, chairman, divided the committee into three sections and the sub-committees are studying the various schedules and sections of the measure to report to the full committee with recommendations as soon possible. When the subcommittees, in the senate have reported the committee will decide upon its course. Thus far the majority senators have been of the mind that the bill should not be delayed for public hearing, but insistent demands from many interests for such a hearing may bring about a change of view.

It is an open secret that the president, the finance committee and the ways and means committee have had in mind that the bill should be revised in all essential particulars in the house if there are to be any changes, but whether this agreement can be maintained remains to be seen. Certain it is, however, that the majority senators do not contemplate material changes if it is possible to avoid them.

ready before the tariff bill is out of the way. Latest indications are that he will urge the drafting of a bill in time for congress when it convenes in regular session next December. This will meet with the approval of house and senate leaders.

Already the senate banking and currency committee has begun its work, a sub-committee having been appointed last week to draft a series of questions relating to currency reform to be sent to bankers and financial experts throughout the country. When these have been answered hearings may be ordered. In the meantime the committee may determine to call before its men of standing in the financial world to supplement the hearings begun by the currency branch of the house committee last winter.

As soon as the tariff bill leaves the house the ways and means committee will begin to make up the house committees with the army of new members to be assigned. Mr. Enderwood has estimated that this task will take two or three weeks. Few important changes in chairmanships are contemplated. Fitzgerald, of New York, will retain chairmanship of appropriations; Henry, of Texas, already has been re-named chairman of the rules committee; Clayton, of Alabama, is expected to again head judiciary; Alexander, Missouri, merchant marine; Adamson, Georgia, interstate and foreign commerce; Flood, Virginia, foreign affairs, while minor committees may be changed in some instances. Lever, of South Carolina, is slated for agricultural chairman in place of Lamb, of Virginia, retired.

The house this week will have before it the alleged assault on Representative Sims by C. C. Glover, the Washington banker. The recommendation of the special committee that Mr. Glover be arrested and brought before the bar of the house will be taken up as soon as the tariff bill is passed. Interesting developments are expected.

Tomorrow the senate will take up the sundry civil appropriation bill, and Senator Kern will endeavor to bring up his resolution providing for federal investigations in the West Virginia coal fields.

Greater Portion of Stock Represented At Today's Meeting, Directors And Officers Re-Elected
The third annual meeting of the stockholders of The Reflector Company was held this morning in the office of the company, with a large majority of the stock represented.

The report of the president, as read by the secretary, showed the past year's business to be the best by far in the history of the company or of the paper. The total cash receipts for the year were a little above \$13,000, and the net earnings showed 16.1 per cent on the capital stock. The growth of the business for the three years since the company was organized is set forth as follows:
Receipts for first year \$10,000, net earnings 10.4 per cent. Receipts for second year \$11,000, net earnings 13.5 per cent. Receipts for third year \$13,000, net earnings 16.1 per cent.

The stockholders expressed their gratification at the fine progress and growth of the company, and were well pleased that a unanimous vote of thanks was extended to the president, directors and other officers of the company, as well as to every employee, for their faithful efforts in behalf of the business. The Reflector can be pardoned for expressing pride at the result of the work, and the confidence it holds in the esteem of the public and feels grateful for the fine patronage it receives. As has always been the motto of the paper, it will continue to serve the people to the best of its ability.

WINTERVILLE HIGH SCHOOL COMMENCEMENT APRIL 29, MAY 1 & 2
On Wednesday evening at 8:00 the annual commencement sermon to the students of Winterville High School was preached by Rev. M. M. Back, of Greenville, from the text: "Study to show thyself approved unto God, a workman that needeth not to be ashamed, rightly dividing the word of truth". The discourse was strong and so applicable to students. Bro. Rock is greatly interested in young people, and the great array of students present inspired him to his best.

On Thursday evening at 8 o'clock the exercises by the graduating class were witnessed by a packed audience. The exercises were directed by Miss Dora E. Cox and every part was highly applauded. The recitation of the class were as follows: Mr. C. W. Blanchard, Jr., Kinston, N. C.; Mr. J. S. Brewer, Roseboro; Mr. Robert McArthur, Greenville; Mrs. Olivera Cox, Winterville; Miss Blanche Cox, Miss Rosa Causey, Winterville; Miss Clyde Chapman, Winterville; Miss Elsie Stewart, Winterville; Miss Mable Snow, Crutched; Miss Helen Smith, Miss Helen Leary, Meny Hill.

The assault on the conductor on the Norfolk Southern road Sunday evening took place at Ome, a little station between Walsington and Stantonburg instead of at Sims as the Reflector has stated. The dispute arose because the conductor demanded 15 cents extra fare because they had no ticket and one of them drew a pistol and fired but the porter knocked it down so the ball struck the conductor's belt buckle and glanced and cut a slight gash on his side.

At 2:30 the annual debate was given by the Vance Literary Society. The query was: Resolved, That legislation should be shaped the abandonment of the protective tariff. The affirmative was presented by Mess. A. H. Hattell and P. D. Croom and the negative by Mess. W. E. Dawson and S. O. Robertson. The decision was rendered two to one in favor of the affirmative. Each speaker acquitted himself well.

The closing concert under the direction of the music class was up to the usual standard. Many people were turned away at the door on account of lack of room.

Hard Fighting Of Superintendant And Force Of Men Prevented Burning Of School For Feeble Minned
KINSTON, May 5.—Nearly a thousand acres of wood land, including some valuable timber, were swept by disastrous forest fires which raged for more than twenty-four hours in school for feeble minded, two miles west of here. The fire is now under control. The damage will amount to several thousand dollars.

Twice the buildings at the state institution were saved only by the strenuous efforts of a force of men headed by Superintendent Hardy. They worked all night. Hundreds of cords of wood were destroyed. This was very dry and burned like tinder, with an east wind fan it.

Early today a thick pall of smoke hung over Kinston, penetrating to houses everywhere and sending many an awakened sleeper forth from bed to ascertain if his home was on fire. Several fire engines were on the scene for several hours and finally was walled away after daybreak.

WILSON ITEMS.
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