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LOCAL NEWS.

The fruit tree men are again on the move.

Don't forget to buy the Vulcan plow. Its the best. 8-6t.

Cotton continues to bring 11 cents on the Charlotte market.

Plant led cloth 2 1/2 and 3 cents a yard at Thacker & Brockmann's.

Red, Sapling, Alsike and Japan clover seed at C. Scott & Co.'s.

Charley Vanstory has gone to Richmond to take a position with the Southern Bargain House.

It will pay you to let Gardner & Clark see your furs before you sell. At Jennings' old stand.

Miss Cornie Clegg is expected home this evening from Lumberton, where she has been visiting friends.

Mr. W. B. Yost, of Cleveland, Ohio, is here on a visit to his sister, Mrs. R. O. Preyer, on Summit avenue.

Go to J. R. Chrismon & Bro. for black and white seed oats and all varieties of field and garden seed. 8-4t.

Mr. J. Willie Smith has sold his interest in the Smith cafe to his former partners, Messrs. S. L. and O. A. Smith.

Mr. G. W. Denny, who had been on the sick list for a week, was able to resume his duties at his store yesterday.

Bone meal and bone flour at Townsend & Co.'s. The best is the cheapest. Feed your land and it will feed you. 8-8t.

Letter Carrier Joe Schofield has been laid up for a few days with an injury to his leg, sustained during the recent sleet period.

Mr. T. D. Tinnin, who has been with the Atlantic Coast Line at Wilmington, is now a bookkeeper at the Greensboro National Bank.

Townsend & Co. sold 300 Vulcan plows in 1905. That means 300 satisfied customers. They are going to sell more in 1906. Watch and see.

Mr. J. T. Sweatt has gone to Florida to close a trade for a big timber tract on which he and several associates have held an option for some time.

Miss Cornelia Williamson, of Rock Hill, S. C., is here on a visit to her sisters, Mrs. T. A. Sharpe and Mrs. F. M. Garner, at 311 North Forbis street.

There has been a decline in some grades of furs, but we are still paying highest market prices. See us before selling. FORSYTH & WATKINS.

Mr. A. A. Hinkle, the well known dry goods salesman at Mr. R. P. Gorell's store, is under treatment for appendicitis at the Greensboro hospital.

IMPORTANT—That you see Fulton before you buy your guano. The price will interest you. Money saved is money made. House on Greenstreet, near county hitching lot.

Rev. F. H. Wood, D. D., and wife, of Trinity, who have been visiting Mrs. Wood's brother, Mr. Frank Pearce, in the Indian Territory, the past three months, returned home Saturday night.

The county commissioners met Monday to complete some unfinished business but deferred action as to the selection of a superintendent to the workhouse until the next regular meeting.

Mr. Thomas Marshall, who had been a citizen of Greensboro for some time, died here Sunday evening, survived by a widow and several children. His remains were taken to Ringgold, Va., for interment.

Mr. L. F. Bernard, who has been a sub-carrier at the city postoffice for several months, has been commissioned a regular carrier, beginning March 1st. His appointment makes the number of regular carriers ten.

Miss Elizabeth Mallison has given up her position in the graded schools here on account of ill health and will shortly return to her home in Beaufort county. She is succeeded by Miss Jennie Leggett, of Scotland Neck.

While watching a freight train at the Spring Street railroad crossing Monday Mr. J. C. Inman was knocked down by a shifting engine that came along unexpectedly. No bones were broken, but he was badly shaken up.

The Elks enjoyed an elaborate banquet Monday evening at the Hotel Clegg, covers being laid for over a hundred members and their friends. Good fellowship, good speeches and good "vittles" were the features of the occasion.

Charlotte Observer: Mr. Fleming Ramsey, who has been superintendent of the Southern Power Company's short railroad line from the Great Falls, on the Catawba, has resigned and accepted a position with the Southern Railway. He will be engaged in the double-tracking above Greensboro, in the capacity of an engineer.

G. W. Samuels Convicted.

According to the jury which heard the testimony and arguments in the Samuels case, the defendant is guilty of having made false reports and returns to the government, an agreement not having been reached on the counts charging conspiracy. The verdict as rendered is conceded to be a compromise affair, as it is understood that while eleven jurors voted repeatedly to convict on all counts, one held out for acquittal. Finally, in order to arrive at any sort of a conclusion, it was agreed that the conspiracy charge should be eliminated by a report as to a disagreement in that particular. According to the court, the defendant can again be tried on that specific charge. It might be noted that Samuels is subject to a sentence of forty-five years, however, omitting the counts in which the jury disagreed. Soon after the verdict was rendered Friday, Judge Boyd announced that he would not pass judgment until all the cases of a similar character had been tried and the exact condition of the government's affairs in Wilkes determined, whereupon adjournment was taken to Tuesday, March 13th.

One of the strange incidents of the trial was the unusual number of deaths in the families of those who figured prominently in this noted case. Since the trial began Judge Adams and ex-Governor Aycock, for the defense, and District Attorney Holton, for the prosecution, have each been called away to attend the funeral of a brother, while one of the jurymen was excused a moment after the verdict was recorded in order that he might hurry home to attend the funeral of a brother in Alamance county, who had died suddenly.

Death of Mr. A. F. Forbis.

Mr. A. F. Forbis, a highly esteemed citizen of eastern Guilford, died here at the home of his sister, Mrs. John A. Tate, on East Bragg street, last Wednesday evening at 5:30 after an attack of pneumonia covering a period of four weeks. Mr. Forbis was 61 years old and is survived by four children, Mr. C. O. and Miss Carrie Forbis, of this city, and Mr. Claude and Miss Ava Forbis, who live at the old home place near Sedalia. Three brothers and a sister also survive—Mr. James W. Forbis and Mrs. John A. Tate, of this city, and Messrs. W. R. and J. Wash Forbis, of eastern Guilford. On Thursday the remains were taken to Bethel cemetery and interred beside those of Mrs. Forbis, who died two years or more ago. The service at the church was conducted by the pastor, Rev. S. M. Rankin. Mr. Forbis lived an honorable, upright, industrious and useful life. In his youth he developed unusual skill as a cabinet maker and had since followed that calling at various times, but most of his life was spent on his farm. He was a devout christian and set a worthy example among his fellow men. For many years he had been a ruling elder at Bethel as well as superintendent of the Sunday school there.

The Blow Has Fallen.

The anticipated investigation of the charges relating to Congressman Blackburn's alleged illegal practices before the departments at Washington was instituted at Asheville yesterday by District Attorney Holton, who sent a bill to the Federal grand jury in session there covering such charges as are deemed worthy of consideration. The action is said by knowing ones to be but the beginning of troublous times for a number of prominent politicians. Blackburn vehemently denies any wrongdoing whatsoever and intimates that he will be glad to have the public become acquainted with the true inwardness of the whole situation in North Carolina—political, judicial and otherwise.

Mr. Will H. Sapp, the well known telegraph operator, whose illness had been repeatedly mentioned in these columns, died of consumption Saturday morning at the home of his father, Mr. W. G. Sapp, near Jamestown and was buried Sunday at Deep River church, Rev. A. G. Kirkman conducting the funeral service. Mr. Sapp was about 36 years old. He lived in Greensboro several years, but of late had been working in Georgia. Ill health finally compelled him to give up his work, however, and for several months he had been at his old home. He is survived by a wife and two children who have unbounded sympathy in their bereavement.

Just received a shipment of T. W. Wood & Sons' seed oats and all kinds of garden seeds. Also a big lot of International Stock and Poultry Food, Heave and Distemper Cure, Worm Powders and Silver Pine Healing Oil. 8-2t.
Pleasant Garden N. C.

Pay Your Money and Take Your Choice.

It appears from Washington dispatches to North Carolina papers yesterday morning that Mr. C. P. Frazier's nomination for postmaster at Greensboro is about to be withdrawn and also that Mr. Frazier will be confirmed as postmaster within a few days, the charges against him having fallen flat. In order to show how carefully and reliably the Washington newsgatherers shed light upon the situation we append two press dispatches, one taken from the Industrial News of this city yesterday morning and another taken from the Charlotte Observer of the same day. The News special said:

"Present indications are that the nomination of Cyrus P. Frazier to be postmaster at Greensboro and of Louis N. Grant to be postmaster at Goldsboro eventually will be withdrawn by President Roosevelt. It was made known today that a second communication had gone from the White House to the Senate committee on postoffices suggesting that nothing be done in these two cases. This means, it is believed here, that the Frazier and Grant nominations will soon be withdrawn and other appointments made."

The Observer's story justifies an altogether different conclusion. It is letter from the nation's capital contains the following unequivocal statement:

"Word came direct from the White House today to the effect that the President was still holding the Greensboro and Goldsboro appointments in abeyance but a further statement was made that these matters would be disposed of in a day or so. Senator Simmons has heard from Mr. Frazier about these changes and it is now admitted that the attempt to throw a cloud over Mr. Frazier's character has failed dismally. The Senate is ready to confirm the nomination any time the President gives the word."

Syrian Colony Makes Merry Over a Matrimonial Event.

The Syrian colony in Greensboro, augmented for the time being by countrymen from Virginia, South Carolina and New York, made merry over a wedding of two of its prominent people last week. The ceremony took place at the home of Mr. J. S. Saleeby, on Mebane street, Wednesday, Rev. G. H. Detwiler, D. D., officiating, the principals being Mr. Saleeby's niece, Miss Martha Saleeby, of New York, and Mr. A. B. Saleeby, of Salisbury. The groom, who is one of the most prominent business men in Rowan's capital, was attended by Mr. Alexander Baroddy, of Danville, Va., while the bride had as maid of honor Miss Amelie Attieh, also of Danville. The bride, who is a handsome young woman, was exquisitely gowned in white silk. She came here recently to visit her aunt and here met for the first time her future husband. The refreshments served at the wedding and the gifts to the bride were important features of the event. Mr. and Mrs. Saleeby went to Salisbury Wednesday evening, where they will reside.

Mrs. A. M. Thom Dies Suddenly.

Mrs. A. M. Thom, residing four miles south of town, died yesterday morning at 4 o'clock aged 60 years. The funeral will be at Alamance church tomorrow. Mrs. Thom retired in her usual robust health Monday night. During the night her daughter, who occupied the same room, was awakened by hoarse breathing, and before any assistance could be obtained death had resulted from heart disease. Mrs. Thom was a most estimable lady of strong character and deep refined christianity. She leaves surviving two daughters, Miss Leola and Miss Lily Thom. Her husband, Mr. Robert Thom, who died several years ago, was a man of wide influence in the county. He has one brother living, Rev. Frank Thom, of Gulf. Miss Lily Thom was in New York when her mother died.

Superior court has been occupied principally with damage suits against corporations the past week. D. H. Fox obtained a judgment for \$650 against the Greensboro Electric Company for personal injuries. L. H. Cherry recovered five cents for being ejected from a street car. J. M. Harvel, who sought damages because of the fatal injuries sustained by his little son at Proximity a year or so ago, when the boy was struck by a passing street car, failed to make good before the jury. The Southern Railway has to pay \$200 for injuries sustained by J. A. Cannaday while on duty as an engineer, and \$600 to Mary Mitchell, colored, who was hurt while getting off a train at Salisbury. Two or three small "mental anguish" judgments have been recorded against the Western Union Telegraph Company for failure to deliver messages promptly.

Nice clover seed, garden seeds of all kinds, seed oats and seed potatoes, all from the old reliable house of T. W. Wood & Sons, Richmond. R. G. HIATT.

GREENSBORO TOBACCO MARKET.

MARKET REPORT.

The receipts on our market for the past week have been the smallest since the new year began, which is due to the fact that the weather has been open and suitable for farm work, and the farmers in this section have been very busy with their work; and, furthermore, we think that a great deal of the tobacco is out of the hands of the farmers and we do not look for as large sales any more this season. Prices have been exceedingly good the past week, and we believe that everybody has been pleased without a single exception who sold with us during the week, while most of them got a good deal more than they expected. We would advise farmers to dispose of the balance of their tobacco as soon as convenient, for manufacturers are pretty well stocked, and when they withdraw their orders from the different markets they will not likely put them back until the new crop begins to move, so we would urge farmers to dispose of all the tobacco they have on hand before summer.

PLANT LAND.

Farmers are now busy burning plant land and may be in need of some tobacco seed. They can get them from R. O. Gamble or J. H. Whitt, of this place, by bringing a load of tobacco to these gentlemen, or by writing them a postal card.

W. G. Craddock, of Rockingham, was here last Friday and made a good sale.

J. A. Garrison, of Alamance county, was one of the good farmers who sold with us last week.

D. S. Horsford, of the Summerfield section, was here with tobacco last Friday and got more money than he expected.

Mr. Jno. A. G. Shepherd, of Guilford, was here last week for the first time in four years. He was highly pleased and will be back again next week.

Walter Johnson was here twice last week, which shows his opinion of our market. He was better pleased with the last load than he was with the first.

J. H. Tapscott, of Alamance, sold a load of old tobacco with us last week, his prices ranging from \$12.50 to \$34. He made the handsome average of \$21.53 for everything stalk round.

M. T. Wagoner, of the Brown Summit section, well and favorably known in Greensboro, and one of Guilford county's best farmers, was here with tobacco the past week, and it is strange to say he got more than he expected. This is saying a great deal for our market, as Mr. Wagoner is a high calculator.

Educational Activity in Guilford.

Some figures recently presented by Dr. C. D. McIver, president of the State Normal and Industrial College, serve to show that there is educational activity in this section as well as activity along industrial, commercial and agricultural lines. Referring to the work that has been done since 1902 in Guilford county rural schools, Dr. McIver said: "In 1897 every school district in the county voted against the special tax. Now 35 have voted taxes on themselves. In 1902 when the agitation for local tax was launched, the appropriations for schools in these districts was \$6,000. This year it is \$20,000. The school houses in these districts in 1902 were valued at \$6,770; in 1905 at \$41,875."

Seed Irish Potatoes.

We have all the leading varieties of seed Irish potatoes, such as Early Rose, Red Bliss, Wood's Earliest, Pride of the South, Burbanks, Peerless and Rural New Yorkers. Don't fail to get our prices. Always bring us your produce. J. R. CHRISMON & BRO., 8-4t 112 W. Market Street.

Congressman Nick Longworth and his bride, nee Miss Alice Roosevelt, passed through Greensboro Monday evening in their private car, the "Elysian," which was attached to train No. 29, bound for Florida and Cuba. No one here got a glimpse of the distinguished visitors, but a large crowd rubbered longingly at their dining table, on which stood a large dish heaped with choice fruit.

Judge James E. Boyd, of this city, will sit with Judge Edmund Waddill, of Richmond, in the May term of the U. S. Circuit Court of Appeals, which meets in Richmond May 1st and is followed by a session at Asheville beginning May 21st.

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Good Shoe News.

We are very glad indeed to be able to inform our friends and customers that we shall be able to sell Douglas shoes for at least three months more without advancing the prices. Mr. Douglas was wise enough to make contracts for an immense quantity of leather when it commenced to go up, and operating the largest shoe factory in the world places it in his power to make shoes with much less expense than smaller concerns. In spite of this we are paying a slight advance, but our retail prices will be as low as before for some time to come. We placed orders long ago for the shoes that are now coming in and bought them much cheaper than we could today. Our \$1.35 and \$1.50 lines of ladies' shoes will also be sold at the same price as before until the large stock we have on hand gives out.

THACKER & BROCKMANN.

FOR SALE—One grown boar and two young boars, and four sows, all registered Berkshires; also a lot of full blooded Plymouth Rock chickens. Call on or address J. W. MENEFFE, Greensboro, N. C. 7-4t.

Townsend & Co. have the largest and best arranged buggy and wagon store in the state, and it is filled from top to bottom with the best selected stock ever shown in Greensboro. See them. 8-4t.

Cotton seed meal, hulls and feed of all kinds. R. G. HIATT.

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Mr. Farmer,
come in and
stand up with us

We are out for good roads. Now if you don't get right down and do your duty we are going to have the good roads anyway, then you'll feel ashamed—but no trouble about that. We know your heart is in the right place. What we want is your dollars in the right place. The way to avoid errors: invest in a Suit of our all wool clothes and a good Overcoat.

You will get reduced prices now.

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THE MERCHANTS' ASSOCIATION.

Full Text of the Constitution and By-Laws Adopted.

A well attended and enthusiastic meeting of the merchants of the city was held Tuesday evening of last week in the rooms of the Chamber of Commerce to complete the organization of the Greensboro Retail Merchants' Association. President J. M. Hendrix and Secretary I. F. Peebles were both present.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Mr. I. F. Peebles reported, for the committee on membership, that when merchants were solicited to join they insisted on knowing full details as to cost, purposes of association and the like and as the committee was not prepared to give this information it decided to discontinue its efforts until the points mentioned had fully been decided on. The report was accepted and the committee discharged.

The greater part of the remainder of a rather lengthy session was taken up with a discussion of the draft of by-laws and constitution as presented by Mr. A. H. Meyer, chairman of the committee to whom the preparation of the same was entrusted.

The proposed constitution and by-laws were taken up by sections, amended in certain cases, and adopted. The committee was then discharged.

The constitution and by-laws, as accepted, are as follows:

ARTICLE I.—NAME.

This association shall be known as the Merchants' Association of Greensboro, N. C.

ARTICLE II.—OBJECT.

The object of this association shall be: Section 1. A closer union of Greensboro's merchants for the purposes of co-operation in all matters pertaining to the welfare and advancement of Greensboro and its trade.

Sec. 2. The development of the wide and natural suburban territory tributary to Greensboro as a trading center.

Sec. 3. For the protection against dishonest employees, shop-lifters, improper legislation, and unjust freight rates, injurious time tables and tardy or delinquent debtors.

PLAN AND SCOPE.

Section 1. The plans of the organization contemplate the establishing of a central bureau of credits for the collection from and disseminating among its members information regarding the responsibility and reliability of persons seeking credit.

Sec. 2. A bureau for the payment of railroad fares to purchasers of merchandise by a plan of taxing the sellers of the merchandise pro rata.

Sec. 3. The holding of annual, semi-annual or quarterly trade events as may be desired by this association under the auspices of this association.

CONSTITUTION.

Section 1. The officers of this Association shall be: President, vice-president, secretary, treasurer and a board of directors consisting of three officers and two members elected at annual meeting of this association. All of the said officers shall hold their offices for one year, or until their successors are elected and qualified.

Sec. 2. All officers shall be elected by ballot at the regular meeting to be held on the second Monday in January of each year.

Sec. 3. No member shall be eligible as such officer unless he is actually engaged in the mercantile business as proprietor or partner, except the secretary, who may also act as attorney for the association.

Sec. 4. Each firm or corporation shall be entitled to one vote, and a majority of all the votes shall be required for the election of the officers of the association.

Sec. 5. In case of a vacancy in any elective office, the president shall have power to appoint to said office until the next regular meeting of the association, when the same shall be filled by election.

Sec. 6. The officers and two directors shall constitute a board of directors for this association.

Sec. 7. If any officer of this association shall be absent from the regular or special meeting of this association or board for four consecutive times without a reasonable excuse the president may declare his office vacant and appoint his successor.

ARTICLE IV.—OFFICERS.

Section 1. The president shall preside at all meetings; in his absence the vice-president; in the absence of both a chairman, to be elected pro tem by the members present.

The president, unless otherwise ordered by the board of directors, shall have authority to appoint, from the membership of the association, such standing and special committees as he may deem proper, defining each committee's power and duties and fixing the period of its existence where these conditions are not otherwise provided for in this constitution and by laws.

The president may call a special meeting of the board of directors at any time and it shall be his duty to do so upon written request of two members.

Sec. 2. The president shall be ex-officio a member of all committees.

He shall from time to time present

To the Trustees of High Street Church, Gibsonville Methodist Church.

Gentlemen:— We want to donate some L. & M. Paint to your church whenever they paint.

The largest Methodist church in Georgia expected to use 100 gallons of the usual kind of paint, they only used 32 gallons L. & M. mixed with 24 gallons Linseed Oil.

It costs less to paint a house with L. & M. than with other paint, because painter mixes Linseed Oil fresh from the barrel at 60 cents a gallon with L. & M., and doesn't pay \$1.50 per gallon for Linseed Oil as done if ready-for-use paint is used. Also because the L. & M. Zinc hardens the L. & M. White Lead and makes the paint wear like iron.

L. & M. paint costs only \$1.20 per gallon.

Sold by Gibsonville Hardware Co., Gibsonville, N. C.

to the association such recommendations as seem to him best and to each annual meeting he shall present a report of the past year's work, and perform such other duties as pertain to his office.

Sec. 3. The secretary shall keep a record of all proceedings and keep a complete list of its members. He shall open an account with the treasurer, and issue all warrants on the treasurer; and at each annual meeting, shall make a report of the financial conditions of the association. He shall conduct all correspondence of the association. He or the attorney shall also keep a record of all parties reported as unworthy of credit, listed in a book, open to all members. He shall also furnish all credit information reported to him on request of a member. He shall also collect dues from the members. He shall have the power to delegate these letters to an assistant secretary.

Sec. 4. The treasurer shall have charge of all funds of the association, and shall pay all bills upon vouchers drawn on him by the secretary and signed by the president. He shall render a full report at the annual meeting, of all moneys received and paid out by him, and keep an accurate account of all transactions of his office. And shall give to the board of directors a good and sufficient bond in the sum of \$500.

Sec. 5. The board of directors shall transact the business of the association, order all moneys paid for retail expenses, etc., and to refer all matters of importance to the association at the joint meeting on the third Thursday of each month.

ARTICLE V.

Any firm or corporation engaged in the mercantile business in the city of Greensboro may become a member of the association upon a favorable report from the board of directors, and a majority vote of the members present, when the application is presented, and upon subscribing to the constitution and by-laws and upon the payment of \$5 admission fee, to accompany the application.

ARTICLE VI.

This constitution may be amended by a two-third vote of its members, or by proxies.

BY-LAWS.

ARTICLE I.—MEETINGS.

The regular meetings of this association shall be held on the first Thursday night of each month, and will be held jointly with the board of directors.

ARTICLE II.—ORDER OF BUSINESS.

1. Roll call of officers.
2. Minutes of previous meeting.
3. Reports of special and standing committees.
4. Proposals for membership read and referred to proper committee.
5. Balloting on applications.
6. Bills and communications.
7. Unfinished business.
8. New business.
9. Remarks, papers or articles for the good of the association.
10. Adjournment.

ARTICLE III.—DUES AND ARREARS.

Sec. 1. The dues of this association shall be \$10 a year, payable quarterly in advance. Special assessments may be called by the association when deemed necessary.

Sec. 2. Any members allowing themselves to become more than six months in arrears shall be suspended. But the members can be reinstated upon payment of back dues.

ARTICLE IV.—SALARIES.

Sec. 1. The compensation of officers and employees shall be fixed by the association.

ARTICLE V.—CREDIT CLAUSE.

Sec. 1. It shall be the duty of each member of this association to send at least monthly to the bureau of credit a list of undesirable debtors.

Sec. 2. Any party reported as having been denied credit, and afterward paying his account, shall at once be reported to the secretary.

ARTICLE VI.—SPECIAL MEETINGS.

Sec. 1. The president shall instruct the secretary to call a special meeting upon the written request of five (5) members. No other business shall be transacted other than that for which the meeting is called, except by a two-thirds vote of the members present.

Sec. 2. Seven members shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business.

Sec. 3. Three directors shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business at a directors' meeting.

ARTICLE VII.

Sec. 1. These by-laws may be amended by a majority vote of the members of the association or their proxies.

It was moved and seconded that the president appoint a committee of two to call upon merchants in the city and ask them to sign the foregoing articles. Adjournment was taken to the first Thursday in March.

Much enthusiasm was manifested at the meeting, and the prevailing opinion was that the association is a success from the start. Many leading firms were represented and all evinced great interest in the prospect.

A Mystery Solved.

"How to keep off periodic attacks of biliousness and habitual constipation was a mystery that Dr. King's New Life Pills solved for me," writes John N. Pleasant, of Magnolia, Ind. The only pills that are guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction to everybody or money refunded. Only 25c at all drug stores.

Mt. Airy News: Dr. B. W. Mebane, pastor of the Presbyterian church of this city, is confined to his home on Pine street on account of rheumatism, and his friends will regret to learn that his condition is not improved.

Everybody knows that leather is up more than 50 per cent, but Townsend & Co. have a large stock of harness they are selling at old prices. They bought before the rise. 8-4t.

Siler City Grit: Rabbits have been scarce on this market this season compared with former seasons. There were only about 20,000 shipped from this place this season.

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Any orders addressed to me at 418 Church street, Greensboro, N. C., will receive prompt attention.

LOCAL NEWS.

Three good second-hand corn planters cheap, at Townsend & Co.'s. 8-4t.

Miss Vesta Coe has gone to Vandalia to recuperate from an attack of la grippe.

Five styles of corn planters at Townsend & Co.'s to select from. Either one will do the work. 8-8t.

Miss Irvin Paylor, of High Point, is in the city, having been called here on account of the illness of her brother's wife, Mrs. H. L. Paylor.

Cashier A. H. Alderman, of the Greensboro National Bank, has been confined to his room several days. He is suffering with a carbuncle.

Mr. W. M. Moser, a good farmer living three miles south of the city, is critically ill with heart trouble. He has been sick for about a month.

Mr. W. H. Dunbar, of the Mathis Shoe Company, was called to Dillon, S. C., Saturday night by a telegram telling him of the critical illness of a brother.

Miss Martha J. White and Mr. John W. Lethcoe, living near Greensboro, were united in marriage last Thursday at the home of Squire E. F. Paschal, in Sumner township.

It is unsafe to keep money in your home. Open an account with the Savings Department of the Southern Life and Trust Company at 4 per cent. interest. The largest bank in Guilford county.

T. R. Hardin, Graham, N. C., has a lot of registered Berkshire pigs for sale, also B. P. R. eggs, Muscovy duck eggs and White Embden goose eggs. To beautify your home buy some of his white fantail pigeons. 8-3t.

Stanley Enterprise: Mr. A. E. Harry, of Greensboro, becomes a member of the firm E. M. Asbury Company. He arrived last week to take charge, and left Tuesday for Greensboro to get his family, who will return with him.

Mr. William Lambe, of Sumner township, who was perhaps best known by the name of "Bill Lambe," died Sunday afternoon and was buried at Center yesterday morning. He was nearly sixty years old and leaves a wife and several children.

Mr. Joseph Dewese Ross and Miss Ida Florence Morris, prominent young people of Asheboro, will be married this evening at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Morris. Miss Morris is a graduate of Greensboro Female College and is pleasantly remembered here.

The Elton College Lumber Company, composed of Messrs. Jesse Winborn, G. S. Watson, W. M. Parks and M. A. Atkinson, has purchased a large timber tract a few miles north of McLeansville and will have a sawmill in operation there before the end of the week. The equipment was taken out last week.

Rev. J. H. Stowe has sold his place two miles southwest of Guilford Station to Mr. Will Ector, of this city, and will move his family to Asheboro, which is more convenient to his work, about the first of March. Guilford hates to part with such desirable citizens, nevertheless we congratulate our good neighbor Randolph on securing them.

Some one whose good intentions we fully appreciate sent in a news letter from Gibsonville, R. F. D. No. 2 this week, but the writer failed to append his signature, hence the items do not appear in print. Some sweet day, bye and bye, everybody will know that an anonymous communication has no standing whatever in a newspaper office.

At the home of Mr. John M. Pugh, 120 Buchanan street, last Wednesday at 12:30 o'clock, Mr. James E. Ferguson, a merchant of Aberdeen, and Miss Lillian Williams, of High Point, were united in the bonds of matrimony. The ceremony was performed by Rev. A. G. Kirkman. The couple arrived on northbound train No. 36 and left on No. 30 for a bridal trip to northern cities before going to their future home at Aberdeen.

Mrs. Abigail Hunt Blair, aged seventy-seven years, died last week at her home in High Point. Among her seven children are Mr. W. A. Blair, the Winston banker, and Prof. John Jay Blair, superintendent of the Wilmington graded schools. Mrs. Blair's husband died about four years ago. Her grandfather, Rev. Nathan Hunt, was the founder of Guilford College. All of Mrs. Blair's people for generations were prominent in the Society of Friends, most of them being ministers of that faith.

The End of the World of troubles that robbed E. H. Wolfe, of Bear Grove, Ia., of all usefulness, came when he began taking Electric Bitters. He writes: "Two years ago kidney trouble caused me great suffering, which I would never have survived had I not taken Electric Bitters. They also cured me of general debility." Sure cure for all Stomach, Liver and Kidney complaints, Blood diseases, Headache, Dizziness and Weakness or bodily decline. Price 50c. Guaranteed by all druggists.

WANTED.—Two men in each county to represent and advertise Hardware department, put out samples of our goods, etc. Traveling Position or Office Manager. Salary \$90.00 per month, cash weekly, with all expenses paid in advance. We furnish everything. THE COLUMBIA HOUSE, Dept. 610, 234 5th Ave., 7-4t.

Chicago, Ill.

PRETTY HOME WEDDING.

Miss Jessie Hughes and Mr. Clarence Hudson United in Marriage.

The handsome home of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Hughes, on Church street, was the scene of a very pretty wedding at 6 o'clock last Thursday evening, when their daughter, Miss Jessie Viola Hughes, and Mr. Clarence Eugene Hudson assumed the vows which united their hearts and lives in matrimony. The ceremony was performed by Rev. A. P. Tyer, of Elizabeth City, an uncle of the groom, in the presence of the members of the family and a few intimate friends.

The house was attractively decorated in ferns, palms and cut flowers, the prevailing colors in the parlor being white and green; in the reception hall, red, and in the dining room, pink and green. The marriage took place in the parlor before a huge bank of palms and ferns. The bride entered from the library to the strains of Mendelssohn's wedding march played by Brockmann's orchestra, stationed in the reception hall. The maid of honor, Miss Sallie Corl, entered first, wearing a grey silk gown and black picture hat with plumes and carrying red carnations. Next came the little flower girl, Miss Olive Longest, cousin of the bride, attired in white pleated silk. The groom entered from the back parlor accompanied by his best man, Mr. John D. Oglesby, of Lynchburg, Va. The bride came in with her father, who gave her away. She was becomingly dressed in a traveling costume of black cloth, with a grey fur toque trimmed with violets. She carried bride's roses.

After the ceremony felicitations were showered upon the young couple and the guests were invited into the dining room, where refreshments consisting of ice cream, cake and minis were served. Punch was served in the reception hall by little Misses Betty Hughes and Ila Carland. Upon their arrival the guests were graciously welcomed at the door by Misses Bertha Corl and Sallie Love.

The bride and groom left on train No. 29 for a bridal trip to southern points, after which they will return to Greensboro and make this city their future home. The groom is a well known young traveling man and has many friends. His bride is an accomplished and attractive young woman.

Guaranteed buggies at Townsend & Co.'s from \$30 up to \$100 each. 8-4t.

First Presbyterian Church Directory.

THE PATRIOT has been favored with a copy of a new directory of the First Presbyterian church. It shows 759 resident communing members; 182 baptized (non-communing) members, and 97 non-resident members. Accompanying the directory is a history of the church. There is also a roll of elders, deacons, and trustees. During the 81 years of the life of the church, it received 2400 into membership. The largest annual accessions were for the year ending March 31, 1880, after Evangelist Pearson's visit, when 94 were received; for the year ending March 31, 1901, 115; for the year ending March 31, 1903, 120; for the year ending March 31, 1905, 131.

LETTER TO T. G. PROCTOR, Greensboro, N. C.

Dear Sir: Have you found this out? You need less of Devoe lead-and-zinc for a job than of anything else; less gallons; less money.

M. A. Thomas, painter, Lynchburg, Va., has found it out; he writes: "The first job I did with your paint I estimated 37 gallons; had 12 gallons left over. Since then I have not used any other kind of paint but Devoe lead-and-zinc; I recommend it to all my customers. When I commence a job, I tack up a card reading as follows: 'M. A. Thomas, contractor; Devoe Paint.' Putting it on costs two or three times as much as the paint. Have you found this out? You can paint Devoe in less time; less money."

Have you found this out? Devoe wears longer than anything else. You don't object to long time between jobs. Your customer likes it. And you like what he likes. It keeps your customers.

Yours truly, F. W. DEVOE & Co. The Odell Hardware Co. sells our paint.

Burlington News: Rev. C. F. Rankin, who has been called to the pastorate of the Presbyterian church, was in our city a few days ago looking over the city and expressed himself as pleased with it, and has accepted the call provided the Presbytery will release him from his present work.

In Self Defense

Major Hamm, editor and manager of the Constitutionalist, Eminence, Ky., when he was fiercely attacked four years ago by Pierce, bought a box of Bucklen's Arnica Salve, of which he says: "It cured me in ten days and no trouble since." Quickest healer of Burns, Sores, Cuts and Wounds. 25c by all druggists.

Our field seed are coming in—clover, alfalfa, orchard grass, timothy and millet, seed oats, etc. We have a full line of standard garden seed. Bring us your produce.

J. R. CHRISMON & BRO., 7-2t, 112 West Market street.

FOR SALE.—Your choice of two good cash registers. We don't need 'em both. C. C. TOWNSEND & Co.

Orchard grass, herd grass and tall meadow oat grass at C. Scott & Co.'s.

BOND ISSUE FOR SCHOOLS.

Alderman Odell Gives Notice That He Will Offer Ordinance.

A called meeting of the board of aldermen for general purposes was held last Friday night.

Messrs. W. D. and V. C. McAdoo came before the board with reference to the establishing of the width of Sycamore street between Davie and Forbis. On motion of Alderman Thompson the matter was referred to a committee composed of the street committee and the city attorney to investigate and report at a special meeting to be held Tuesday night.

Mr. J. C. Bishop appeared before the board regarding the proposed new street from Elm to Church. He proposed that the street should be run just north of his house, pass close to his stable, turn slightly to the right there, and intersect with Church and Lindsey streets and Summit avenue, the city to pay him \$20 per front foot for 25 feet with the understanding that it would macadamize the street and lay sewer pipe without expense to him. On motion it was decided to refer this matter to a special committee for investigation and report. The mayor named on the committee Aldermen Thompson, Odell and Brandt.

Alderman Odell gave notice that at the next meeting of the board he would introduce an ordinance calling an election on the issuance of \$25,000 of bonds for school purposes.

Alderman Thompson offered a resolution providing that Dr. Meadows be permitted to lay a sewer line on Keogh street to connect with the city sewerage system at his own cost, he to be reimbursed for same at such time as the city should decide to extend its lines on Keogh street, provided that said lines be found to correspond with the sewer lines as designed and laid by the city engineer, reimbursement to be in such amount as the city would be saved by taking over said construction. The resolution was passed.

GOOD NEWS FOR GREENSBORO.

Science at Last Discovers a Real Cure for Rheumatism.

After years of experiment a new scientific remedy has been found that not only relieves, but absolutely cures Rheumatism and kindred diseases, to stay cured. Rheumatism is caused by an excess of poisonous acids in the blood. The new discovery RHEUMACIDE, though purely vegetable, and acting through nature's channels, neutralizes these acids and sweeps all poisonous and harmful germs out of the blood. At the same time it tones up the stomach and regulates the liver and kidneys. RHEUMACIDE therefore cures the disease permanently, because it removes the cause. It has cured hundreds of cases after the most noted doctors and hospitals have failed. RHEUMACIDE cured James Wilkes, of Dillon, S. C., after he had been held in bed by rheumatism for three years and his feet were drawn up almost to his back. This is only one of the many marvelous cures RHEUMACIDE has already performed. RHEUMACIDE is curing many cases of Rheumatism, Sciatica, lumbago, gout, kidney trouble, indigestion and constipation, right in this community today.

Because it has cured so many others we believe it will cure you. All the leading druggists in this place sell and recommend RHEUMACIDE. 7-4t.

A good top buggy at \$37.50 (brand new) at Townsend & Co.'s. 8-8t.

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You all know me.

Z. V. CONYERS NOTICE.

All creditors of the estate of E. F. Wilkie, deceased, are hereby required to file their claims within twelve months from date of this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. Creditors will therefore please file their claims at once. This 16th day of February, 1906. PETER WOMBLE, J. T. WILKIE, Attorneys in Fact.

8-6t, 342 South Elm St., Greensboro, N. C.

Bird Law Out March 1st.

According to the statutes of the Revised of 1905, which are now in force, the season when quail may be taken or killed in the state ends on March 1st. It is important that hunters should bear this in mind, as heretofore the season has not ended until the 15th of March. In the following counties there are exceptions to this law, viz.: Alexander, Buncombe, Gaston, Mecklenburg, Henderson, Hyde, Iredell, Forsyth, Catawba, Cleveland, Lincoln, Surry, Nash, Northampton, Burke, Union and Swain.

Further details regarding the game laws will be furnished upon application.

T. GILBERT PEARSON, Secretary State Audubon Society, Greensboro, N. C.

Pin Factory Destroyed by Fire.

Winston-Salem, Feb. 15.—Mr. Clarence Call's pin factory at North Wilkesboro was destroyed by fire Monday night. The flouring mills and warehouse near by were saved, but the pin factory and engine houses were destroyed. About 74,000 finished pins were burned up, and all the fixtures, belting, etc., went with the flames. The loss is estimated at from \$4,000 to \$5,000, and there is no insurance.

FOR SALE \$60,000 Highway Improvement Bonds for Guilford County, N. C.

Sealed proposals will be received by the Highway Commissioners of Guilford county, N. C., until 2:30 o'clock P. M. March 5th, 1906, for the purchase of all or any part of Sixty Thousand Dollars (\$60,000) Highway Improvement Bonds.

Bonds to be in the following denominations: 50 bonds, \$1,000 each; 19 bonds \$500 each, and 5 of \$100 each, coupon in form; dated June 1st, 1903, and due June 1st, 1933. All coupons detached up to and including January 1st, 1906.

Bonds bear interest at the rate of 5 per cent. per annum, payable semi-annually, on January 1st and July 1st, at the office of the Treasurer of Guilford county in Greensboro, N. C. Both interest and principal being payable in standard currency of the United States, accrued interest to the date of the delivery must be paid by the purchaser.

A certified check on a national bank for 2 per cent. of the amount of the bonds bid for payable to the order of J. W. Fry, Treasurer, must accompany each bid.

The right is reserved to reject any or all bids.

The bonds have been engraved under the supervision of and certified as to their genuineness by the United States Mortgage and Trust Company, and their legality approved by J. H. Caldwell, Esq., of New York City, and John N. Wilson, Esq., of Greensboro, N. C., whose opinion as to their legality will be furnished to the purchaser.

JOHN L. KING, Chairman Highway Commissioners of Guilford County.



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We will mail charges free your choice of any 3 pieces of the music below for 10 cents if orders are sent in by mail accompanied by 10 names of people who play the piano. Positively no orders will be accepted at the department, as we want a list of names to mail our music catalog.

- "AN EVENING AT CONEY ISLE"
An easy, bright, catchy two-step.
- "PURPLE AND GOLD"
A lovely march.
- "ALWAYS REMEMBER YOUR MOTHER"
A song with pathetic words and sweet music.
- "SOUTHERN MEMORIES"
A sweet swinging waltz.
- "LUCINDA"
A coon song with two step chorus.
- "HE LOVES ME; HE LOVES ME NOT"
A favorite song.

Any 3 Pieces for 10 Cents
In stamps, cash or postal note.
Only one set of 3 for 10c and every 10 names.

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Lost Opportunities

Are frequently regretted just because you did not grasp it in time. Our Sale is gradually nearing its close and if you want to save money on your purchase it is advisable for you to act immediately, for delays are dangerous. That which we still have left must be sold, even if at a greater sacrifice. You have all to gain and we profit merely by the satisfaction of knowing that we are not obliged to carry the goods over till next season.

Sweeping Reductions in Men's Suits

Men's Fine Suits, the latest Scotch stripes and fancy worsteds, price \$12.50. Sale price	\$6.19	Men's Cassimere Suits, well made, worth \$7 and \$7.50. Sale price ..	\$4.98
Very Fine Dress Suits in Cassimeres and Worsteds, all shades, single and double breasted, worth \$14 and \$15. Sale price	\$7.29	Men's Fine Suits in Cheviots and Scotch Plaids, worth \$8 and \$9, large stock to select from	\$5.19
Men's Fine Suits in Cheviot and blue finished Cassimere, price \$10.50 ..	\$5.79	Hundreds of Men's good Business Suits in single and double, worth \$10 and \$12. Sale price	\$5.98

Sweeping Reductions in Overcoats

Men's Fine Overcoats in brown, blue and black beavers, price \$10	\$4.98	Men's all wool Overcoat, worth \$7.50 ..	4.89
Men's all wool Overcoats, 52 in. long all sizes, worth \$6	\$3.98	Men's all wool Overcoat, worth \$8.50 ..	5.89
		Boys' all wool Overcoat, worth \$2.50 ..	1.79
		Boys' all wool Overcoat, worth \$3.00 ..	1.89

Sweeping Reductions in Men's and Boys' Trousers

Men's Trousers in good heavy Cheviots and Cassimeres, well made and trimmed, perfect fitting, regular value \$2 ..	\$1.49	Children's Blouse Suit, 3 to 11, worth \$2.00 ..	\$1.19
Boys' Knee Pants, worth 50c and 75c. Sale price	39c and 49c	Children's Russian Blouse worth \$2.75 ..	1.60
300 pairs Men's good Working Pants, \$1.50 kind. Sale price	99c	Boys' d-b. Suit, 12 to 17, worth \$3.00 ..	1.50
Boys' Cordury Pants, all sizes, 75c kind ..	49c		

Sweeping Reductions in Youths' Suits

Youths' Cassimere Suits, worth \$5, for ..	\$3.89
Youths' Cassimere Suits, worth \$6, for ..	4.19
Youths' Worsteds Suits, worth \$7.50, for ..	4.98
Youths' Thibet Suit, worth \$9, for ..	5.17

If you are not in need of clothes at present, buy for next winter or the winter after. IT PAYS TO SAVE.

I. L. BLAUSTEIN

PECULIARITIES OF THE SAMUELS TRIAL

ANDREW JOYNER.

Out of the three or four hundred names of witnesses called at different times during the trial of the Samuels case, whose names appeared on some of the subpoenas or on some of the documents in the case, it was interesting to note their peculiarities. Not only were the surnames in many cases uncommon, but many of the given names were equally out of the usual order.

These people were all indiginous to Wilkes county, indicating that that most charming region has an individuality of its own, separate and distinct from any other North Carolina county. For this, as well as for other reasons, there can be no doubt but that it gained, generations ago, the sobriquet of "Wilkes." Perhaps the most typical names of the native born inhabitants can be gathered from the list which District Attorney Holton read out in his closing speech to the jury Thursday, as the favored blockaders, who had been allowed to run their distilleries without disturbance from the defendant Samuel and other revenue officers of the government whose duty it was to suppress illicit distillers. These might be classed among the elite of the blockading fraternity, since they not only did not have to make their contraband goods by moonshine, but they had wagons and teams, carried on large operations and ran their distilleries by steam.

THE ELITE BLOCKADERS.

Jim Combs, W. W. McEwin, Garfield Foster, Cal. Eller (deputy sheriff), Frank Goforth, George Goforth, Larkin Trippett, Dock Sheppard, Fletcher Church, James Elder, James Elder, Nathan Huffman, Ed. Foster, Rutherford Foster, W. W. Ferguson, W. S. Smith, Bill Dooly, Mark Myers, L. C. Myers, Percy Hader, Adley Foster, Mack Combs, John Combs, Robert Combs, Governor Bell, Eleany Stike ether.

HUMAN MENAGERIE.

Another remarkable set of names among these Wilkes people representing animals, varminuts, rodents, birds and fishes may be found in this list of those attending the court; forming as it were a complete menagerie, aquarium, and aviary: James R. Lyon, Josiah Bear, Eli Mink, Neil C. Fox, Ed. Wolfe, Pat Fox, Ulan Campbell, Messick Bullard, Wilnot Rat Hill, Homer Fish, Eleazer Chubb, Jim Fish-er, Dave Pike, Walsh Salmon, Shad-rack Shaler, James Featherston, Luther Byrd, James Sparrow, Coon Martin, Jimmie Hawkes, Jos Robinson, Bill Larkspur, Walter Crowson, Harrison Drake.

TWELVE DISCIPLES AT LEAST.

There was perhaps never such a set of jurors assembled together. They might have been the twelve Apostles in apostolic days, if right living and religious trend were the test. They were representative farmers and well-to-do citizens from the counties of Randolph, Rockingham, Alamance, Guilford, Montgomery, Caswell, Stokes and Forsyth. The youngest man of them was forty-five years of age, the oldest seventy-six. Not one of these men believed in taking an oath, every one of them affirming, from conscientious scruples. Of the twelve, the youngest was the only one who is not a total abstainer from strong drink, and he never tasted liquor until he was thirty-five years old. None of the twelve uses cuss words, and the court attendant, who was with them during the whole five weeks of their practical incarceration, says he never heard during the whole time a single smutty or profane joke told, and they were lively and companionable the one with another during the whole period. Last but not least every one was a professing Christian, and they had not a single religious dispute though belonging to churches in the following proportions, representing nearly all of them, to-wit: Primitive, two; Missionary Baptist, one; Methodist Episcopal, one; Methodist Protestant, two; Lutheran, one; German Reformed, one; Quaker, two; Moravian, one; Presbyterian, one.

THEY WERE HOMERICK NO LONGER.

The following description of a scene actually witnessed in the lobby of the court room, and recorded at the time as aptuous, without the change of a verb or tense, and gives a faithful insight into some of the remarkable features of this very remarkable case. "When it closed yesterday (Judge Jas. M. Wolfe suggested that it should have been recognized with thankfulness by stating the doxology after Judge Boyd's concluding and moralizing remarks. The "sketch" is marked in my papers "Diary of events in the Samuels trial, Wednesday, January 31st, 1906." It reads:

"Somebody must be dead up there," was the remark one lawyer made to another yesterday afternoon as they ascended the steps to the court room in the big Federal court and postoffice building. They were on their way to the opening of the afternoon session of the trial of G. W. Samuels. That something unusual had happened was evident. The lobby was crowded, overflowing on the steps. Besides the two or three hundred Wilkes county witnesses others were in the packed crowd. There was an awed and hushed stillness, suggestive certainly of death. Pushing their way up the steps and turning the angle towards the court room one of the lawyers, who is a born commander, seeing a great throng of packed humanity towards the double north doors of the court room apparently standing around something in the center, whispered to a tall gaunt Wilkes county man struggling on the outskirts to "sit in the ring." "Friend, what is the matter?" "Fitted Boo Jun 1's had a spasm I spec," he said. Instantly the born commander's voice rang out, "All you men, attention! If you don't move away and give that man a chance to get fresh air, he'll be dead in five minutes. Open them double doors and let the crowd pass into the court room, Marshal Mulhikan."

The solemn stillness was succeeded by a ribald roar of laughter, as the crowd broke before the advancing attorneys and they stood beside the still form near the double doors. "It's nothing but Bill Williams' still, Mr. Lawyer," sneekered a deputy marshal. "Well I be d—d!" colloquized the commander as he gazed upon the ugly old hell hole, and the worm that not only dieth not, but that cometh to life,

even after officers had sworn they had cut it down.

It is easy to describe the appearance of those Wilkes county Lewis Fork blockaders as they grouped around this relic of a happy past, which Mr. Holton seems determined shall not return. They craned their necks, pushed, scrambled, squeezed, gazed not only long but wistfully on the big black smutty spider looking thing of iron and copper and caps and worms. They looked for all the world like one who had either "never seed nothing like it befo'" or having seen, was overwhelmed with fond reminiscence of by-gone days and moonshine nights, and were dumb before the flood.

The awed silence was nature's tribute to a habit. The mute admiring gaze, first at the still, then at its proud owner, Mr. William Williams, was but the spontaneous tribute of un-artificial man to the local hero, and the local banishes. It was a scene never to be forgotten. No one wept. Those people are too deep to weep. But a sweet-scented city business man smirked glibly, "Holton's played h—l again."

Will of Late John G. Davis Probated.

Winston-Salem, Feb. 13.—The will of Mr. John G. Davis, who died in Kernersville last week, was probated today. Messrs. L. F. Davis and E. G. Davis, brother and nephew respectively of the deceased, are named as executors. Mr. Davis wills that after paying his funeral expenses and just debts, his estate, which is estimated to be worth \$40,000 or \$50,000, be divided among members of his family.

Judge Walter A. Montgomery has been appointed by the United States Circuit court Standing Master in Chancery for the Eastern district of North Carolina. He succeeds Judge James E. Shepherd, resigned.

Methusala was all right, you bet. For a good old soul was he. They say he would be living yet. Had he taken Rocky Mountain Tea. Holton's Drug Store.

China's Ruling Dynasty in Peril.

London, Feb. 19.—The Tribune's Pekin correspondent, in a dispatch discussing the growth of the American boycott into an anti-dynastic and anti-foreign agitation on the discovery that the boycott had united all parties and all faiths into common purposes, says: "Today the Dowager Empress is, under Yuan Shi Kai's advice, the foremost reformer in the empire."

"The mass of the people believe that China is capable of assuming her place at the head of nations and blame the government for being pro-foreign and obstructive. The government's attempt to force a copper cent currency to replace the 'cash' has proved a failure. The new currency is at 60 per cent. discount. Hence there is discontent in the army, and owing to the inability of the officials to preserve the rate of pay which was guaranteed, trouble recently broke out at the Pootung army headquarters between Chinese and Manchus leading to the murder of several Manchus."

"If an uprising occurs, the court will take refuge in the foreign legations. Yuan Shi Kai is responsible for the safety of the imperial persons, and dreading disaffection among the troops and fearing the proximity of the artillery, he has dispatched a force of disaffected Chinese with 21 guns, out of a total of six batteries, against the bandits and guerrillas, a service in which it will be absolutely ineffective."

"The ice will break up soon, and as recent experiences have demonstrated the impossibility of transporting guns across the mud flats after the thaw, the presumption is that Yuan Shi Kai has removed the danger where the blowing up of a single bridge by the guns would cut off Pekin."

"The crisis is anti-dynastic and only incidentally anti-foreign. Of the 600 Chinese students in Japan, 500 of them are Manchus. These all carry revolvers as protection against their Chinese compatriots."

"Danger exists at Kwangtung. All the Chinese in San Francisco are Cantonese."

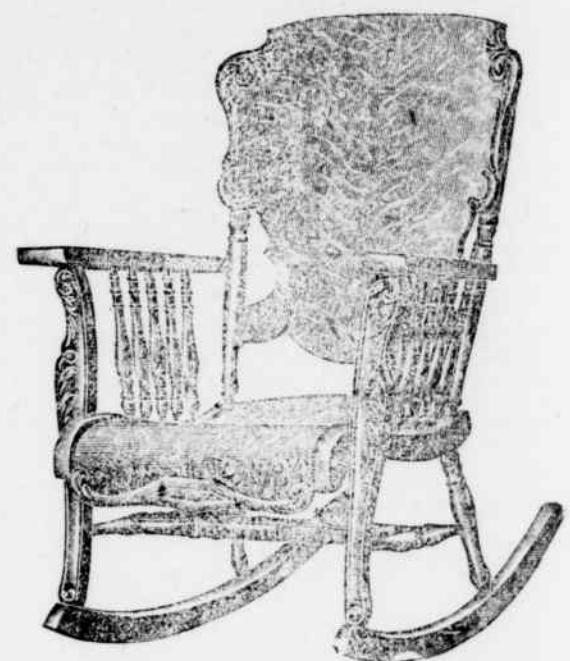
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Charges Against Holton Are Filed.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 14.—The charges against District Attorney Holton, which Representative Blackburn will press in an effort to defeat his confirmation by the Senate, are now a matter of record, having been filed today with the Senate committee on Judiciary.

The charges, which cover a number of typewritten pages, are not open to public scrutiny, but general information as to their character was obtained from several of those who have been privileged with an opportunity to inspect them.

The principal charge, it is claimed, is that Mr. Holton has conducted his office as district attorney with the view single to his political fortunes, by refusing to prosecute violators of the law when a thorough prosecution would have been detrimental to his own interests. In this connection a number of individual cases are cited, alleging specific and flagrant violations of Federal statutes, which it is claimed were called to Mr. Holton's attention, and which, it is charged, he failed to prosecute. The committee is informed that the facts with reference to these alleged offenses, which it is said were never made the subject of grand jury investigations, can be obtained from the records in the Internal Revenue Department.

Another charge is that Mr. Holton put in an expense account for a visit to Greensboro, which, it is claimed, he said related to an official visit to Revenue Agent Chapman, and that in reality he did not see Mr. Chapman, but that he made the visit at government expense for the purpose of the inspecting a house that he was building.

A third charge relates to the practice of Mr. Holton, and his former law partner, J. E. Alexander, in the Federal courts.

Representative Blackburn has discussed the question of investigating the charges with Senator Clark, chairman of the Judiciary committee, who suggested the advisability of naming a sub-committee of three senators, two Republicans and one Democrat, to consider the charges, together with the answer that the district attorney makes.

High Point News Cut from the Enterprise.

Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Rush, now of Mississippi, are in town a few days stopping at the Elwood. Mr. Rush is now traveling in Mississippi, with headquarters at Jackson.

Mr. J. H. Johnson, highway commissioner, went out this morning to see about locating the convict camp for the grading of the Jamestown road, which will begin soon.

The North Carolina Chair Association which met here Thursday advanced the price on cheap chairs and rockers from five to ten per cent. The prices on high grade chairs were not advanced.

Mrs. Donahue Smith received a letter last night announcing the death of her son, Mr. M. H. Smith, at Tyler, Texas, in January. Mr. Smith had been ill with fever, but did not let his family know anything about it. The news of his death came from a friend of the family in Texas. Deceased was the youngest son of the late Donahue Smith, and a man of good business qualifications, and his death will be deplored by all who knew him.

John Lee was struck by a freight train Saturday morning and narrowly escaped being crushed to death. The accident occurred in the deep cut between here and Jamestown, about a mile from High Point. Lee was not on the railroad track proper, but was walking along the pathway next to the track. The embankment there is so steep that he could not run up it and the train caught him in this narrow pathway. Dr. McAnally dressed the wounds.

High Point Man Falls Dead at Spencer.

Spencer, Feb. 14.—A white man identified as Billy Payne, of High Point, was found dead on the steps of the restaurant of Mr. T. V. Holt here at a very early hour this morning. The man was first seen on the streets about midnight and had apparently arrived in Spencer on a northbound passenger train in company with another stranger. The latter disappeared and Payne was seen upon the steps of the restaurant, where he died soon afterwards. The man was apparently in a stupor, presumably from drink, and a physician was summoned, but when he arrived the man was dead. The cause of his death is unknown. The body was viewed today by large crowds. The only thing found in the pockets was a circular of the Wachovia Loan and Trust Company. The unfortunate man was apparently 35 years of age and wore a dark blue coat and vest with a grey overcoat and a black soft hat. The remains were taken into custody by Sheriff D. R. Julian, of Rowan county.

Leaf Tobacco Freed of Tax.

Washington, Feb. 14.—A compromise bill removing all internal revenue tax from leaf tobacco was agreed upon for a favorable report by the House ways and means committee today. At present the internal revenue laws impose a tax on leaf tobacco in case the producer places it in the hands of an agent for sale, but permits the grower personally to sell his own tobacco without tax. Under the measure agreed upon, the sale of leaf tobacco will be as unrestricted as the sale of any other product. Tobacco growers endeavored to have the bill extended exemption from tax to twist tobacco, but the committee would not include anything in the measure but the natural leaf.

A bill by Representative Gaines, of Tennessee, was drawn upon chiefly in forming the compromise measure, which also embodies some of the ideas of Mr. Yerkes, the Commissioner of Internal Revenue.

Train-Rocker Caught by Conductor.

Asheboro, Feb. 13.—Yesterday evening, as the train was returning from High Point, at a point near Hinson's Fork, a man by the name of John Beason buried a number of stones at the passenger coach, striking it with great force. Fortunately no damage was done. Capt. Burns stopped his train and went in pursuit of the recalcitrant, captured him and brought him to town. He was lodged in jail.

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BRYAN BLUNT TO CHINESE.

Speech Tightened Boycott—Agitators Furnished With Fresh Texts.

Spokane, Wash., Feb. 11.—Samuel Glasgow, manager of a milling company of Spokane and Seattle, today said that he had received from William Burt, Chinese representative of the company, newspapers and letters which say that the Chinese interpretation of a speech made by William J. Bryan before Chinese merchants at a dinner given by them in his honor, has been used by Chinese agitators to stir up renewed antipathy to American products.

Previously to this speech by Mr. Bryan, the letters say, at a meeting held by about fifty commercial representatives and delegates from the various Chinese guilds of Shanghai, Canton and Hong Kong, the delegates had agreed on twelve proposed modifications of the American Chinese exclusion law. The American representatives agreed to have their houses urge these on Congress, and the Chinese agreed immediately to call off the boycott. Then, according to Hong Kong papers, Mr. Bryan was entertained by the Chinese merchants at a dinner and made a speech.

One of the Chinese merchants at the dinner reported the proceedings to Chinese newspapers. He quoted Mr. Bryan as declaring that the labor party was so strong in the United States that Chinese workmen, skilled or unskilled, would never be permitted to enter, and as drawing a gloomy picture of what would happen to American workmen if the Chinese were allowed to take away their employment. This informant said that while Mr. Bryan had agreed to support a number of the proposed changes, he had not been able to draw from Bryan any definite assurances of support of the policy which the Chinese would insist on as the only condition on which the boycott would be withdrawn.

After this interpretation of Mr. Bryan's speech was circulated, the Chinese merchants became convinced that Congress would not adopt the changes recommended by the American merchants and that their best policy was to put on the boycott screws tighter than ever.

Little Leaks in Raising Poultry.

Written for the Patriot.

Now is the time when the man that makes poultry a business, and the farmers' wife, have rosy dreams of the great possibilities of profits in raising fowls the coming season, and it will depend largely on themselves whether they will reap a bountiful harvest, or see their hopes vanish away and amount to nothing. For with poultry, as with everything else, we must watch for the little leaks, for they are the foundation walls of failure. Success in raising poultry depends on three things: first, we must have good, fertile eggs. If only about half of the eggs hatch each time, and a percentage of these are weakly, the leak at the end of the season will be quite apparent. To have fertile eggs, we must avoid in-breeding, and have good healthy stock, not too fat. Second, it is not the number of chickens hatched that counts, but the number raised to maturity. Third, how to raise these chicks, with the least expense and loss, and secure the most growth, depends on the care and food. From a few years experience, during which time I have raised hundreds of chickens, I have found that the best food, the cheapest food, not only for growth but to avoid bowel trouble, is Cyphers, chicken food and cracked corn, fed in cut straw or some kind of fine litter so they will have to scratch for what they get. The great leak in raising poultry is made in the profits by disease. This is often due to feeding raw, sloppy food. Where little chicks are afflicted with bowel trouble, feed only dry food. Lice often causes heavy loss, especially when the chicks are young. This can be remedied at once by rubbing heads and wings with a little lard. You should dust your setting hens a few days before they hatch with strong snuff, and that will get the most of the lice. There are a few more little leaks that sap the profits, which, with a little care and foresight, could be eradicated. Bird dogs, cats, rats and other animals are constantly prowling around the coops, and the coops must be fastened securely at night against these invaders. I have seen many a promising flock of chickens disappear mysteriously where the owners were negligent in this particular. Then how many chickens are drowned in the course of a season by carelessly having pails of slop or tubs of water around uncovered. Only one now and then, but when you count the chickens or the profits at the end of the season the little leaks from these causes will be quite apparent. Fix your roosts so that the birds will not have to crowd to get to the top. A scratching shed and plenty of grit must be supplied in every breeding pen.

My friends, if you would have your flocks in the poultry industry bring you fair wages, be ever on the watch for the little leaks. C. U. HINSHAW, Proprietor Carolina Stock and Poultry Farm.

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Manufacturers' Record.

Two years from the date of the great fire which swept the business section of Baltimore find 85 per cent. of the devastated area rebuilt and reoccupied or nearing rehabilitation. About \$20,000,000 represent the value of the new buildings in that area, and at least half as much has been spent upon building in other parts of the city, while more than \$150,000,000 additional represent the expenditures made or planned by the expenditures made or planned by individuals, public corporations and the municipality for the advancement of Baltimore consequent upon the fire.

The people of the city, in addition to their own investments in building, trade and manufacturing, have authorized loans of \$10,000,000 for a modern sewerage system, \$6,000,000 for new docks, \$2,000,000 for Annex development, \$1,000,000 for park extension, and are ready, as soon as legislative sanction is given, to vote upon loans of \$5,000,000 for water supply improvement, \$5,000,000 for street improvement, \$1,000,000 for fire department, \$1,000,000 for new school buildings and \$1,000,000 for park extension, a total of \$32,000,000 for special municipal improvements.

Baltimore can congratulate itself upon its wonderful accomplishments within two years, and can point to them as a guarantee that it will keep up the pace with other leading cities of the United States.

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Mrs. Heagney.
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Wilmington, Feb. 14.—At a special meeting of the chamber of commerce today L. B. Rogers, of the D. L. Gore Company, complained that it was impossible for Wilmington merchants to do business north of Sanford on account of poor transportation facilities offered by the Southern Railway on its end of the Atlantic & Yadkin Railway. He said he had been informed and believed that the dismemberment of the old Cape Fear & Yadkin Valley Railroad was illegal and that, if either the Atlantic Coast Line or Southern owned the line, the shipping facilities would be as good as they were formerly under Cape Fear & Yadkin Valley management. Mr. Rogers recommended that the chamber take some motion in the premises and it was decided by the chamber of commerce to call a special meeting for this purpose.

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Stawberry Situation in Eastern North Carolina Quite Promising.

In discussing the strawberry and trucking situation in Eastern North Carolina, the "Carolina Fruit and Truckers Journal," of Wilmington, says:

"Additional assurances have been lately given by the transportation companies, refrigerator and express people that they propose opening the big blade this season, and giving us the best service in their shop. Only within the past few days the trucks all the way from Florida to Virginia had to go to the rescue of the railroads to prevent the legislature of Virginia passing a law that would put the whole push out of business. This has naturally warmed the transportation people up closer to the trucks and made them see as possibly they never saw before, that the interest of the shipper was the interest of the carrier, and the interest of the carrier the interest of the grower. So it is just possible that the Virginia legislature's 'crazy quilt' proposition came as a blessing in disguise after all."

"It is now freely conceded that the crop this season will reach two thousand and two hundred and fifty cars which, when reduced to crates, will foot up five hundred and sixty-two thousand and five hundred crates. These reduced to quarts make eighteen million quarts. At 16 cents per quart this would mean the distribution of no less than \$2,880,000 in this territory from the single crop of strawberries alone. The Charleston section will have from three to five hundred car loads, while the Norfolk section will reach from seven fifty to one thousand, making the total shipments aggregate in the neighborhood of fifty-two hundred and fifty to thirty-five hundred car loads."

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The Hall Schoolhouse Farmers Protective Association.

EDITOR PATRIOT: We notice in your paper of recent date two or three articles pertaining to our roads. If you will allow us space we would like to add a few words, and also express our approval of what has been said. This is a time when one has only to travel a few miles to be deeply impressed with the necessity of better roads. If a fellow living in Greensboro will take a pleasure trip out a few miles on our dirt roads, I imagine when he returns (if he gets back at all) he will be ready to go "in his hole and pull the hole in after him" and swear the country is only fit for mud turtles and such like.

The temperance question as it pertains to the use of alcohol is being much agitated. This perhaps is well enough. That it is an evil of very great magnitude no one can successfully deny. But so far as the people living in the country are concerned, if we will consider the time, money, vexation, exposure to health and loss of comfort caused by bad roads it will be seen this is also an evil that affects largely the morals and prosperity of our country people. Is it not imperative to be compelled to drive the noble animal God has given us to subserve our purposes through mud to his knees? Is it not calculated to create a desire on the part of the driver for something to ease or rather smother the dictates of his conscience until he can make the round trip? It just beats the band, Mr. Editor, how a fellow will want a cocktail when it takes six hours to go a distance that ought to be made in one.

The question of immigration is also receiving some attention. This we think is right. We need more money, enterprise and labor, especially good substantial tillers of the ground. But how long, suppose you, a man of this character would stay on a public highway, where he would have to wait at times from one to three weeks to get a load of hay or other produce to market? I answer, just as many of us are forced to do—until he could get away. We have known within the last four or five years two or three men of this character to locate near this point. They are gone. Why? Chiefly because of bad roads. It is plain to see, by the most casual observer, the type of immigration we most need is such as will develop the agricultural resources of our state. How can we hope to get and hold such, without market and access to it?

We also notice in last week's PATRIOT a subscriber wants information along certain lines. We take it four-fifths of the people or more are in a state of ignorance and need to be enlightened along the line suggested by him. For instance, how many miles of road have been macadamized? What is the average cost per mile? Where has this work been done? What is the sum total of all expenses? How much money or bond issue is in reserve? What and where is the work outlined for the future?

We don't care so much (as intimated by the Tar Heel) how much Uncle Abe gets. He has served the public so long we have learned to trust him, but we think the public is as much entitled to an itemized account (at least the yearly expenditures) of the county's money for road improvements as they are to know the money expended for other things. Is not one as much of the people and for the people as the other? We pay a road tax. When and how is it expended? Who gets the benefit of it? How much has your or my particular road been benefited by this taxation during the last year? If not any, why? Should not all roads get results? These are some of the questions that should interest the people. Is it presumption to expect and demand them?

Another article signed "Countryman" we think ought to be in the hands of every citizen of Guilford county. Read and re-read. Why? Because, as we think, it covers logically, conclusively, and without partiality the whole ground as it relates to the field of macadam work. Does not this line of reasoning meet the approval of a large majority of the people of Guilford? I agree with the gentleman. It is not for a want of confidence in the ability or integrity of the men who through the suffrage of the people have shouldered the responsibilities of the important work that we make the foregoing demands, but rather because they as with all men are subjected to the influences of men and the environments of life. We ask that which seems to us to most likely result in good to the greatest number and avoid the chances for future trouble.

F. P. A.

Galveston's Sea Wall makes life now as safe in that city as on the higher uplands. E. W. Goodloe, who resides on Dutton street, in Waco, Tex., needs no sea wall for safety. He writes: "I have used Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption the past five years and it keeps me well and safe. Before that time I had a cough which for years had been growing worse. Now it's gone. Cures chronic Coughs, Lagrippe, Croup, Whooping Cough and prevents Pneumonia. Pleasant to take. Every bottle guaranteed by all druggists. Price 50c and \$1. Trial bottle free.

ADDITIONAL LOCAL.

Will Sears, the colored fireman who fell from his engine here the night following the awful wreck in the Pomona yards, died last Wednesday and his remains were brought from a Salisbury hospital for interment. Sears fired for Engineer George Kinney and they would have been pulling No. 34 the night of the wreck had not a slight accident to their engine detained them for a few minutes. They came out an hour later with No. 40. It would seem that Sears' time had come to die in line of duty. His injuries by a fall here did not seem to be serious, but he died from them, nevertheless.

Charlotte News: Mr. R. L. Vernon and wife and Miss Estelle Vernon leave the first of the week for an extended trip to California. They will visit San Francisco, Los Angeles and other important cities in that state and will be absent from Charlotte about three or four weeks. Mrs. Vernon and daughter will leave either Tuesday morning or night for New Orleans, where Mr. Vernon will join them and go direct to San Francisco.

The Central Hardware and Mantel Company, of Greensboro, is chartered by the secretary of state with an authorized capital of \$25,000 and \$5,000 paid in, and will begin business at once on South Davis street. The incorporators and officers are Messrs. J. B. Harrison, who is president of the company; D. E. Harlee, vice president; Edwin Kiser, secretary and treasurer, and Lee V. Butner, manager, all of this city.

The body of H. Y. Stack, a Southern Railway flagman whose home was formerly in Alabama and who was shot and instantly killed by a dissolute woman at Concord Saturday night, was brought here Sunday and taken to the home of his mother-in-law, Mrs. Louisa Brim, at White Oak, where Stack's wife and two children reside. Interment was made at Lee's chapel yesterday.

In Squire Collins' court last week Henry Hundley was given a preliminary hearing on three charges of retailing, John Hairston being the principal witness against him. He was put under bond for his appearance in one case and the other two were dismissed at the cost of the prosecuting witness, who was also sent to jail in default of bond, for perjury. Hundley and Hairston are both negroes.

Wilbur's Stock Food costs less than one cent a day. Write for special prices per ton or in carload lots to W. W. Hogshed, Manufacturer's Agent, 114 Bessemer Avenue, Greensboro, N. C.

FOR SALE—Pair good mules four years old, well matched, smart and broke to work anywhere. Also nice five-year-old mare.

J. FRANK ROSS, Pleasant Garden, N. C.

WANTED—A reliable, industrious white woman for general house work and care of children.

MRS. L. J. BRANDT, 411 N. Edgeworth St., Greensboro.

FOR SALE—Three plantations adjoining each other three miles northeast of Greensboro and one mile from White Oak Mills. GEORGE DONNELLY, 6-11, Greensboro N. C.

Oil, needles, parts and attachments for all sewing machines at McDuffie's Furniture Store. 4-11.

The best plow on earth is the Vulcan. Sold only by Townsend & Co. Try one. 8-61.

Get your truck guano from Townsend & Co. They have the best ever sold here. 8-81.

Good molasses from 30 to 60 cents a gallon at R. G. Hiatt's.

There may be other good plows, but the Vulcan is best. 8-61.

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RICHMOND, VA., ARE HEADQUARTERS FOR Fencing, Roofing, Barb Wire, Poultry Netting.

Write for prices and catalogue. We carry one of the largest and best stocks of

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ALL KINDS

Electrical Supplies

GREENSBORO, N. C.

Red Springs Business District in Ashes.

Red Springs, Feb. 18.—Practically the entire business district of Red Springs was destroyed by fire today. Eighteen stores and two dwellings were consumed, involving a loss of \$80,000. The fire originated from a defective flue in a restaurant in the rear of one of the stores.

The following were burned out: J. A. Huggins, 5 stores, dwelling and merchandise; Parlor Grocery Company; Miss Katie Brown, millinery; J. B. McColman, dry goods; Ed. D. McLean, merchandise; postoffice, Red Springs Drug Company; Garrett & McNeil Grocery, L. M. Cook, groceries and furniture; W. J. Council dry goods; T. J. Bostick, dry goods; A. D. Black Sou & Company, mill supplies; Cope and Turner, merchandise and market; J. N. Hadley, dry goods; Frank Jessup, groceries; R. B. Lovlin groceries; Red Springs Mercantile Company, millinery; Archie Kinnon, insurance; C. H. Hucklebree, barber shop; J. M. Pope, office; Knights of Pythias and Masonic Hall; Jno. G. Brown, dwelling and furniture.

No vacant stores are available and nearly all of those burned out will go out of business until new buildings can be erected.

The North Carolina Military Academy and Southern Presbyterian College, located here, were untouched by the fire.

Owing to the fact that the town is without fire-fighting facilities, little or nothing could be done to check the progress of the flames.

Female Institute Burned.

Danville, Va., Feb. 17.—The Chatham Episcopal Institute was destroyed by fire tonight, entailing a loss of about \$25,000, partially covered by insurance. The building was a three-story frame structure, located on the outskirts of Chatham. Fire broke out in one of the rooms at about 10 o'clock, and the lack of fire protection caused the flames to spread rapidly. About a hundred girl students, who were on the lower floor in evening dress, escaped with their lives. The personal property of over half of the students, and all of the furnishings of the building were destroyed. Rev. C. O. Pruden is at the head of the institution, which is run under the auspices of the Episcopal Church. Provision for the young ladies was made in the homes of private families in Chatham and vicinity.

Girls wanted to make overalls. Good wages. Nice clean work. Cheap board. 17-11. HUDSON OVERALL CO., 912 Centenary Church Building.

We are showing a magnificent line of Jewelry this week Call and see it.

J. B. Ellington & Co. 224 S. ELM

Farms for Sale

260-Acre Farm

One mile from railroad station. New 5-room dwelling, very large barn, 100 acres under new wire fence for pasture, 40 acres sowed in wheat and oats, 10 acres in rye and clover, fine stream of water running through the place, can be bought at a bargain on easy terms.

100-Acre Farm

Six miles from Greensboro. New buildings, good land, for \$2,700.

475-Acre Farm

Nine to 10 miles from Greensboro, 3 miles from R. R. station, 3 separate sets of buildings (all cheap) rented to 3 different tenants. This property will be subdivided to suit purchaser at from \$6 to \$10 per acre.

For this and any other property see

S. S. BROWN 102 NORTH ELM ST.

Don't Worry—Bring Your Harness Wants to Me

I have moved just across the street from my old stand, and there is no better place to find what you want.

I call your attention to my ten-dollar Buggy Harness that I am making a special run on just now; also to my \$1.50 pony team collar. Full supply of Double Buggy and Wagon Harness.

The best goods at the best prices can always be found at 537 So. Elm street. Rat-proof Harness Oil still selling. Come in and inspect for yourself.

C. B. ROBESON

Big Mid-Winter Clearance Sale!

Opens Wednesday, Feb. 21

AT 8.30 O'CLOCK A. M.

Continuing Through Saturday, February 24th

FOUR GREAT DAYS OF BARGAIN-GIVING

Positively the most important Special Sale event that has occurred, or will occur, in this section during the winter season—an event that is the result of days and weeks of active planning, during which time many unusual opportunities have occurred to give us values of a surprising nature. Thousands of dollars worth of extra special purchases, together with our already immense stock, will be offered during this great four days' sale at prices which will mean a saving of from 50 to 500 per cent. to every purchaser.

From 10 to 10.15 Both Thursday and Friday

8½c value yd. wide Bleached Yd. wide good quality Bleached Domestic at 5c Domestic (no starch) . . 5c

Not over 10 yards to a customer.

A Tremendous Reduction in White Goods

10c full Mercerized White Madras. Sale price 7½c
12½c White Linen Finished Waistings. Sale price 8½c
18c White Mercerized Madras. Sale price 10c
12½c Book Fold White Checked and Striped Dimity. Sale price 7½c
15c pretty Shear 40-inch White Lawn. Price 10c
\$2 value 12-yard lengths English Long Cloth. Price, bolt \$1.39

Woolen Dress Goods Half Price

50 and 60c all wool Dress Goods, the most popular weaves and colors. Sale price, yard . . . 33c
85c and \$1 Plain and Shadow Check Mohairs, splendid for early spring suits. Price, yard 50c

Extra Special Sale Woolen Dress Goods Remnants

THURSDAY AND SATURDAY ONLY.

Lot No. 1—50 and 75c Woolen Dress Goods Remnants. Thursday and Saturday price . . 25c
Lot No. 2—60c to \$1 Wool Dress Goods Remnants. Sale price 39c

Gents' Furnishing Reduction

\$1 Men's White and Colored Shirts, standard make, good patterns. Sale price 50c
Men's Canton Flannel Elastic Seam Drawers, 75c suit; each 33c
50c Underwear, 75c suit; each 38c

Special Sale Men's Neckwear for Thursday and Saturday

50 dozen Men's new spring Four-in-Hand Ties, 25c to 50c values. Sale price 19c
200 dozen Men's Linen Collars. Price per doz. 19c

Specials in Linens

50c yard wide White Dress Linens, short lengths. Sale price 25c
Yard wide White Linen Lawns, fine all pure linen, 38c value. Sale price 25c
75c fine shear yard wide Linen Lawn. Price 50c
75c 68-inch bleached and Unbleached Table Damask. Sale price 50c
\$1.25 and \$1.50 extra heavy fine full bleached 2-yard wide Satin Damask. Reduced to . . \$1.00
25c yard wide White Dress Linen. Sale price 19c

Big Reductions in Men's and Boys' Clothing

\$8.50 to \$12.50 Men's Suits. Sale price . . . \$6.95
\$7.50 to \$8.50 Men's Suits. Sale price . . . 5.00
\$5.00 to \$6.50 Men's Suits. Sale price . . . 3.98
\$3.50 Men's Odd Pants. Sale price . . . 2.25
\$3.98 Men's Odd Pants. Sale price . . . 2.95
\$2.00 Men's Odd Pants. Sale price . . . 1.30
Reduced prices in Boys' Clothing.

Awful Slaughter of Shoes

Broken lot that must be closed in this great sale.
Lot 1—Women's Shoes 50c
Lot 2—Women's Shoes 75c
Lot 3—Women's Shoes 98c
Lot 4—Men's Shoes 98c
Many \$2 Shoes go at these slaughter prices.

Table Napkins Reduced

\$1.25 Napkins, all linen, both in full and half bleached. Sale price 85c
\$2.00 Napkins at \$1.50
\$2.50 Napkins at 2.00
\$3.75 Napkins at 2.95

Towels Reduced

One lot Linen Huck and Damask Towels, odds and ends, some soiled, many worth twice our sale price. Dozen \$1.00
10c Cotton Huck Towels. Dozen 59c
12½c 18x36 full bleached, plain hemmed Cotton Huck Towels. Sale price 89c

For One "Brownie"

1 large Cake Soap 1c
2 papers Tacks 1c
1 Tablet and 25 Envelopes 1c
24 Sheets Paper 1c
3 Lead Pencils 1c
1 Fine Comb 1c
1 dozen Pearl Buttons 1c
2 yards Lace 1c
1 yard Embroidery 1c
12 Hair Pins 1c
3 Aluminum Hair Pins 1c
2 Memorandum Books 1c
2 Thimbles 1c
2 Cards Hooks and Eyes 1c
6 Hat Pins 1c
1 box Mourning Pins 1c
1 paper Dress Pins 1c
1 Roll Tape 1c
And hundreds of other articles.

Remember the sale lasts four days only.

Harry-Belk Bros.

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GREENSBORO, N. C.

BARGAIN DAY NEXT FRIDAY AT J. M. HENDRIX & CO.'S

SOUTH ELM STREET.

Neighborhood News.

Matters of Interest Reported by
Our Corps of Correspondents.

Whitsett Items.

Mr. F. J. Courts went to Reidsville today.

Mr. Gran Siler went to Greensboro Saturday.

Mr. Carma Cobb visited near Greensboro last Saturday.

Mr. J. Frank Swift spent Saturday and Sunday in Greensboro.

Mr. F. K. Trogon went to Salisbury on a business trip Saturday.

Miss Hattie Greeson was over at Edles Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. A. Lowenstein, of Salisbury, was here last Thursday on business.

The Y. M. C. A. held a very interesting public meeting last Sunday.

We were glad to see Mrs. R. W. Smith, of Sedalia, here the first of the week.

Misses Lottie Wimbish and Julia Fegelman spent Saturday visiting near Brick Church.

Nearly every body received a valentine last week. They were of all sorts, sizes and suggestions.

Miss Grace Hoffman, who has been absent from the postoffice for two weeks, is back again.

Rev. J. D. Andrew preached a fine sermon to a large congregation here last Sunday afternoon.

Mr. Laey Summers has purchased a nice six room house here and will make this place his home.

Very few from here attended the Longworth-Roosevelt marriage in Washington last Saturday.

Washington's Birthday will be appropriately observed here Thursday by exercises beginning at 1 P. M. The public invited.

Rev. A. S. Raper, of the M. E. church, South, will preach at 11 A. M. in the Reformed church here next Sunday morning. The public cordially invited.

Miss Jennie Goodman, of Concord, graduated in her work in shorthand last week and left to take a position with the American Typewriter Company.

Miss Pearl Brammer graduated in shorthand last week and left to accept a position with the Bluefield Grocery Company in West Virginia at a handsome salary.

Stokesdale Items.

School closed here Friday.

School closes at Bethel Friday with playday Saturday.

Miss Marie McCormick, of Greensboro, was a guest of Mrs. W. P. Lemons last week, she returned Sunday.

It has been very quiet around the village the past week. Farmers are busy burning plant land and preparing for crops.

Mr. L. A. Southern is attending the meeting of state council of the Jr. O. U. A. M., which is in session at Salisbury this week.

Measles are still "going the rounds." The latest cases are Mr. P. H. Angel's family and Mr. Grady Southern. All are getting along nicely.

Mr. Jos. Gentry began a private school at New Hope Monday. A new library has just been received which adds much to the worth of the school.

Mr. G. A. Middleton and Miss Mary Lemons were united in matrimony Sunday morning at Gideon's Grove church. L. A. Southern, Esq., tied the knot.

Wood's Seed Book FOR 1906

is one of the handsomest and most valuable publications of the kind issued. The useful and practical hints contained in the annual issues of Wood's Seed Book make it a most valuable help to all Farmers and Gardeners and it has long been recognized as an up-to-date authority on all

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Gibsonville R. F. D. No. 2 Items.

The mumps and whooping cough are raging in this locality.

Mr. D. E. Wagoner is building a new store house in Gibsonville.

Mr. George Rumley and son made a business trip to Greensboro Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Smith from near Kimesville, were guests at Mr. W. R. Zimmerman's over Sunday.

Rev. Whitaker filled his appointment at the M. P. church last Sunday, quite a large congregation hearing him.

The Whitsett hunting lodge party got on Mr. J. R. Apple's land recently. It will not be well for them to be seen there again.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Michael and daughter, from near Burlington, visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Apple, at Gibsonville Sunday.

Gibsonville is growing fast. A new furniture store is the latest addition to the business interests of the town. New buildings are going up all the time.

Mr. Samuel Phibbs, of Jefferson Academy, passed through here Friday on his way to visit his parents at Shallow Ford. He was accompanied by Mr. Lonnie Wagoner.

We think the reason the Flack School correspondent don't want the macadam roads extended to the county lines is because he never has to go to your city. It would give all a fair showing if the roads were run through to the county lines.

Groometown Items.

Miss Aurilla Ballinger, of Guilford College, is visiting her sister, Mrs. W. J. Groome.

Mr. T. S. Groome, after spending Sunday with his family, has returned to your city.

Mr. C. A. Groome intends going to Charlotte and Durham this week on a business trip.

Mr. W. C. Rankin's throat has been troubling him again, but he is able to be about his duties.

Mr. Clinton Vickrey and daughters, Misses Liona and Lillian, attended services at Groome church Sunday.

We failed to have services at Groome church Sunday afternoon on account of the funeral of Mr. Will Sapp, of Jamestown, which was conducted by Rev. J. A. Bowles, our pastor.

Most of our school children intend going to Jamestown Thursday night to attend the Washington's Birthday celebration. They will be chaperoned by their teacher, Mr. W. C. Rankin.

The Washington-Lee literary society met Saturday night at the usual hour. The query, "Resolved, That it is detrimental to the commonwealth for public officers to succeed themselves," was very ably discussed by both sides, but the affirmative won. Among the visitors present were Miss Aurilla Ballinger, Messrs. Yow and Richardson, and Master Glenn Ward.

McLeansville Items.

Mr. M. C. Stewart, of your city, who has been spending some time with friends and relatives near here, returned home Sunday evening.

The Philothean literary society of Jefferson Academy gave a very interesting and instructive debate before the faculty and students of the institution Friday night. The question was, "Resolved, That coeducation will prove detrimental to both sexes."

Our people are glad to know that they will no longer have to wait in the rain for trains on the Southern. Contractor J. C. Morris, of your city, is preparing to build a shed for the accommodation of passengers waiting on trains, which is a long felt need. We appreciate the company's kindness.

Rev. A. S. Raper, of your city, gave a very interesting and instructive lecture before the Y. M. C. A. of Jefferson Academy Sunday night, his subject being, "If sinners entice, consent thou not." Rev. Raper presented his subject in a very forcible manner and had the close attention of his hearers for about one hour.

Hinton Items.

Mrs. John Hanner is very sick with bronchitis.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Worth gave us a pleasant call recently.

Mr. David Gorrell is not getting along as well as he would like.

We passed our 50th mile post on the 18th inst. We are still on the sick list.

Rev. S. M. Rankin is entertaining his Alamance congregation. He gave them four weeks in which to visit him.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. McAdoo, of Greensboro, visited Alamance cemetery last Sunday and gave us a pleasant call.

Mr. J. S. Weatherly, who is here from the West on a visit, paid us a highly appreciated call recently. It is quite interesting to hear him tell of the manners and customs around his western home.

Prof. Henry Doak resumed his school at Alamance this morning, after a suspension on account of measles. Most of the people afflicted, both old and young, are recovering, and the epidemic seems to have spent itself.

Hillsdale Items.

Miss Jennie Wilson has been right sick the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Lewis visited the family of Mr. T. R. Dillard Saturday.

Uncle Alfred Amick, of the Gethsemane neighborhood, is very sick with la grippe and measles.

Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Morgan visited their son and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Morgan, Sunday.

We are sorry to hear of the death of Misses Addie and Daisy McAdams, of near your city. They used to be school mates of the writer and were greatly loved by all who knew them. They left this community some years ago.

Mr. Robert Rayle and Miss Nina Harris, both of this community, were happily married last week at Mr. L. A. Walker's, Mr. Walker officiating.

After a short visit to their sister, Mrs. Mary Duke, of Greensboro, they have settled down on the farm at Mr. W. Y. Warren's, where they will reside.

Good looks bring happiness. Friends care more for us when we meet them with a clean, smiling face, bright eyes sparkling with health, which comes by taking Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. 35 cents. Holton's DrugStore.

Guilford College Items.

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Hodgin, of Goldsboro, are visiting Mrs. Hodgin's brother, Mr. J. H. Edgerton, at Guilford Station, this week.

The Girls' Aid Fund of Guilford College received quite a handsome sum as the result of Prof. Bispham's music recital at the Grand last Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Mary Nicholson gave the junior class a reception at her home on the evening of February 14th which was a very pleasant occasion and very much enjoyed by all present.

The base ball season is opening up early. On last Saturday the graded school team of this place went to Jamestown to play the team at that place and came out with victory perching on their banner. The college ball team is getting in trim and the prospect now is that Guilford will have as strong or stronger team than ever before.

Resolutions of High Falls Manufacturing Company in Memory of Newton D. Woody.

We bow with humility to the law of a merciful Providence, by which death has removed from our presence and counsel the sound wisdom and hopeful encouragement of a warm friend and chief copartner.

Resolved, 1st. By the death of Newton D. Woody, the High Falls Manufacturing Company has lost its originator and most earnest adviser.

2nd. From the first we have been impressed with Mr. Woody's purpose and desire that the management of the enterprise might be such that commercial success may be attended with high moral and social conditions.

We have been glad to see the high hopes of the founder of the factory enterprise realized and by these resolutions we pledge ourselves to continue to operate the business of the plant in line with the high purpose of our departed leader.

Much of Mr. Woody's long life of 76 years was spent in the vicinity of High Falls and it is hoped that his potent influence for practical thrift, temperance and righteousness will last while the Falls remain.

Resolved, that a copy of these resolutions be given to the family of the deceased and also to each of the Carthage Blade, Chatham Record, Industrial News and GREENSBORO PATRIOT.

J. R. JONES,
W. T. MONESS,
JOHN W. WOODY,
Committee.

January 9, 1906.

The March Delineator.

In the March number The Delineator has fallen under the spell of romance which the forthcoming marriage of the President's daughter has evoked, and presents as its leading feature an article on "The Brides of the White House," illustrated with a handsome portrait of Miss Roosevelt never before published. The fiction of the number includes a short story by Mary Stewart Cutting, a clever study of child life by Virginia Woodward Cloud, and the continuation of "The President of Quex," Helen M. Winslow's interesting club story. Viola Allen the popular young actress, who recently married a southern millionaire, writes of Shakespeare's heroines from the point of view of one who has personated many of them with great success. Dr. Murray concludes her series on "The Rights of the Child" with a paper on growth and development; and a unique feature beginning in this number is "Houses by Correspondence," the first being The Doctor's House. Stories and pastimes are supplied for the amusement of children, and in the other departments many topics of interest and value to the home are treated. Fashion of course, plays a large part in this number, and the newest styles are illustrated and described in detail.

Acid Phosphate at \$1.25 a bag at Townsend & Co.'s. See them. 8-St.

Seed Potatoes

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TRIUMPH
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AT RIGHT PRICES

See us before you buy.

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NEW UP TO DATE
MILLINERY

COME NOW AND FIND WHAT
YOU WANT

Big Bargains in
Children's Wraps and Furs

Mrs. Rosa Hamner-
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NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned George Walker, convicted at the January, 1904, term of Guilford Superior court and sentenced to three years on the public roads, will make application for pardon.

February 20, 1906.

GEORGE WALKER.

Mr. Farmer,

There is no part of your farm that pays such handsome revenues as the little spot called garden. Don't leave it to the women to work with a hoe, but get in there as soon as you can with your plow, cultivator and harrow. Do this right and you can keep the women busy gathering and preparing vegetables. If you are short on farm and garden tools you can get them of us.

Odell Hardware Co.

AT The Bee Hive

SCHIFFMAN BROTHERS

The greatest values and the most enthusiastic throngs attended our special gigantic twenty thousand yards Monday embroidery sale. As usual, none left disappointed, for the simple reason that we furnished precisely what was advertised, and it is the secret why our Special Sale announcements draw the enormous crowds to our establishment.

To insure an unabating rush during the ALL WEEK SALE, we offer the greatest marketable merchandise ever known at the approach of a new season.

Pure Irish Linen in white and colored for Shirt Waists and Shirt Waist Suits, 36 inches wide, a strictly 35-cent quality, at per yard 23c

Extra fine quality Linen Lawns, 36 inches wide, cheap at 40 cents, at per yard 25c

Striped and Figured French Madras, a bargain at 18 cents, at per yard 12 1/2c

Standard quality Percals in pin checks, stripes and neat figures, full 36 inches wide, sold everywhere at 12c, our price at per yard 7 1/2c

Good quality Ginghams in short lengths worth 10c, our price this week at per yard 5c

Good size Bed Sheets made of Standard quality Bleached, worth 65 cents, at per piece 46c

Extra large Bed Spreads, heavy quality and beautiful designs, worth not less than \$1.50, at per piece 98c

English Long Cloth, 12 yard lengths, at per piece 98c

Androscoogin Bleached Domestic 7 1/2c

Parker Mill Bleached Domestic 7 1/2c

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Notice of Sale of Valuable Land Under Mortgage.

Under and by virtue of powers contained in a certain mortgage executed on the 23rd day of December, 1904, by H. S. Holden and his wife Mary Holden to W. J. Benbow to secure a certain indebtedness therein mentioned, the said mortgage being recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for Guilford county in book 94, page 28, and which on the 1st day of April, 1905, was by the said Benbow assigned to the undersigned, J. L. Holden, notice is hereby given that the undersigned, mortgagee and assignee, will on

Wednesday, March 10, 1906,

offer to public sale to the last and highest bidder for cash at the court house door in the city of Greensboro the following described acres or parcel of land, to-wit:

Situate, lying and being in Morehead township, adjoining the lands of Thomas Hill, Walter Benbow and others, and more particularly described and bounded as follows: Beginning at an ash and stone on the south bank of North Buffalo creek, running thence 30° East 30 poles to a stone near a gum, Scott's corner, thence with Morehead and Benbow's line 74 poles to a white oak, Benbow's corner, thence north 37° west 35 poles to a stone on the south bank of the creek, thence up the creek with its various meanderings 28 poles to the beginning, containing 25 acres more or less.

This February 5th, 1906.

J. L. HOLDEN, Assignee.

Notice to Taxpayers.

LAST ROUND FOR 1905 TAXES.

I will attend in person or be represented by deputy at the following places on the dates named from 11 to 2 o'clock to receive State and County taxes for the year 1905:

Holmes' Store, Monday, March 5.
Pleasant Garden, Tuesday, March 6.
D. H. Coble's, Wednesday, March 7.
Col. Noble's Place, Thursday, March 8.
J. B. Rouse's, Friday, March 9.
W. Leasville, Saturday, March 10.
Shelburne, Monday, March 12.
Summer's Mill, Tuesday, March 13.
D. H. Hughes, Wednesday, March 14.
Brown's Summit, Monday, March 15.
Ariflake, Tuesday, March 16.
Samaritah, Wednesday, March 17.
Stokesdale, Thursday, March 18.
Oak Ridge, Friday, March 19.
Friendship, Saturday, March 20.
Cottax, Monday, March 12.
Jamestown, Tuesday, March 13.
Rich Point, Wednesday, March 14.

Rate of Taxation—State, 2 1/2 cents; Pensions, 2 1/2 cents; County, 2 1/2 cents; Schools, 18 cents; Road Tax, 12 cents; Poll Tax, \$2.50.

All persons are urged to pay their taxes promptly. The money is needed to pay the current expenses of the county.

Remember that a failure to pay taxes is made a misdemeanor, and that it is also punishable by lawyers, doctors, undertakers, dealers in bicycles and musical instruments, coal and ice, etc., doctors and others who are liable to pay a license tax. All such persons who have not paid this tax should call at my office and pay it at once.

February 12, 1906. J. F. JORDAN, Sheriff.

LAND SALE.

On Saturday, the 10th day of March, 1906, at 11 o'clock A. M. we will sell to the highest bidder at public auction for cash that valuable lot or parcel of land situate in Jamestown township, county of Guilford, adjoining the lands of Henry Seidner, Thomas B. March and others, and containing four acres more or less, and for a more particular description of said lands reference is made to the deed from J. F. Jordan to George Coltrane, which is duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for Guilford county in book No. 82, pages 107, etc.

At the same time and place, and upon the same terms we will sell the household and kitchen furniture belonging to the late Pattie Coltrane, deceased. Also a lot of cord wood, situated on the premises.

SIDNEY SCOTT,
MAYN RANKIN,
EDNA LANGHORN,
ANNIE GRAVES,
GEORGE SCOTT,
Administrators.

Administrator's Notice.

Having qualified as administrator of the estate of Mary E. Turner, deceased, I hereby notify all persons having claims against said estate to present them to me on or before February 14th, 1906, or this notice will be void in law of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate settlement.

To be paid day of January, 1906.
W. P. TURNER, Administrator.

Administrator's Notice.

Having this day qualified as administrator of the estate of Mrs. M. P. Piper, deceased, this is to notify all persons having claims against said estate to present them to me on or before February 14th, 1906, or this notice will be void in law of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate settlement.

To be paid day of January, 1906.
W. W. ROWE, Administrator.

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A WONDERFUL GAS.

How It Preserves Food and Revolutionizes Transportation.

What promises to be the most phenomenal and revolutionary discovery in chemistry of the century, says the New York World, is at present occupying the minds of the foremost scientists in the United States laboratories.

This is the finding of a gas that will absorb from all organic matter the moisture that causes decay. Without the assistance of an elaborate plant food materials, timber, sewage and all sorts of things can be subjected to a new process which will preserve them in a perfect state almost indefinitely.

Samples of fruits and vegetables were subjected to the process four years ago and then analyzed by G. W. Lehmann, chief chemist of the United States government board of health. He found them absolutely free from bacteria and apparently capable of defying the ravages of time for an indefinite period.

In May of this year the sealed cases in which Mr. Lehmann had placed these samples were opened by him and again subjected to analysis. He found that the food materials had undergone no decomposition or other chemical change. By soaking them in water he found they resumed their original color, taste and nutritious qualities. But, more important than this, he discovered that not a single micro organism was present in any of the several food products.

A few moments' consideration will reveal the revolutionary nature of the discovery in the matter of food, but that is only a small part of the wonders claimed for it.

Farmers will be able to subject their wheat shipments to the new treatment and thereby reduce the freight nearly 50 per cent on a crop. The delivery wagon will have its work halved. The farmer will dispense with the expense of cold storage. Armies will go upon the march with transport wagons of half the size and number. A soldier will be able to carry a week's rations without the smallest discomfort, whereas at the present time a day's food is a burden.

The Violet Lamp.

Dr. O. Schott of Jena has devised a modification of the Cooper-Hewitt mercury vapor lamp of considerable practical promise. Its novelty depends on a new form of glass recently invented by Dr. Zehner which is impervious to ultra violet rays. The violet lamp consists of tubes of this special glass, into the ends of which platinum wires, which terminate in carbon heads, are fused. The lamp can be attached to either a 110 or 220 volt circuit. In the bottom of the tube is a quantity of mercury. To start the lamp it is tilted until the mercury makes a direct connection between the two poles. As soon as this happens a column of brilliant light appears in the tube. The new lamp is particularly suited for photographic purposes. Its light is a powerful germicide and may prove valuable in the treatment of certain skin diseases.

A Cure For Old Age?

Curdled milk of a special kind, prepared only on a Bulgarian recipe, is now supposed to be a remedy against growing old. The substance is called yagurt and can now be obtained in this in Paris. It is supposed to be death to all the inimical bacteria in the intestines, while those friendly microbes to which Professor Metchnikoff pins his faith positively adore it; hence the property of yagurt to prolong human life to what is its normal span—a century or so. The substance looks very like ordinary cream cheese gone bad and tastes similarly. The solid portion is mixed with a white, thin liquid which is exceedingly sour. People who wish to live to a hundred breakfast off yagurt exclusively.—London Telegraph.

A Ventilated Barrel.

A southern genius has invented a barrel for shipping garden and other perishable produce, the purpose of which is to prevent decomposition from the formation and retention of

vegetable gasses. The barrel is made of two sets of staves, one inside the other, with holes in each through which the gas can readily escape. The invention's simplicity is one of its best features.

Southern Pacific Burning Oil.

The Southern Pacific Railroad company is having all of its big locomotives on the Sacramento division equipped with oil burning apparatus. Storage tanks for oil fuel are being installed at Rocklin, Gold Run, Sparks, Nev., and at other places. The company finds oil much cheaper than coal. The firemen are much pleased with the change.

Value of Pasteurized Milk.

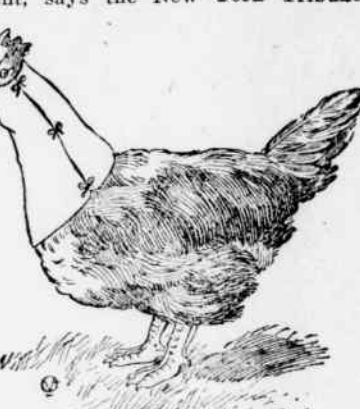
New York city health department statistics show the death rate among children under five years of age in 1890 and 1901, before the use of pasteurized milk among the poor, was 96 in 1,000, while for the year 1904 the rate was only 63.

ANIMAL SURGERY.

A Feature of the Spread of Humanitarianism Abroad.

A remarkable feature of the spread of humanitarianism abroad is the number of hospitals for animals in the great European cities. Those in Paris and Vienna are particularly elaborate.

The most delicate operations are performed on dogs, cats and other beasts. Sanitary appliances of the best sort are used. Affecting scenes are frequent, says the New York Tribune.



CURING A CHICKEN OF SORE THROAT.

Weeping women confiding their pets to the skillful surgeons remind one of the sights in human hospitals.

Diseases of animals and poultry where the knife is not needed are treated with equally good care. The illustration shows a chicken being cured of a throat affection by means of a cold compress.

CHURNLESS BUTTER.

Medal Recommended For Inventor of New Process.

A committee of the Franklin Institute of Philadelphia has just made public its report on the Taylor process for buttermaking. It is recommended that Mr. Taylor receive the John Scott medal and premium in recognition of the value of his invention.

In this new process sweet cream is poured into shallow pans the bottoms of which are covered with absorbent pads. The pads are composed of heavy white blotting paper supported on Turkish toweling or some similar material and absorb from the cream nearly all of its constituents except the fat.

The cream fat remains as a layer on the surface of the pads and after several hours' standing may be rolled off. In this condition the product contains rather too much water and milk solids. On this account and because of the absence of salt it does not keep very well. If, however, the separated butter fat be worked and salted in the same way as the ordinary churned product, the result is a very fine grade of butter.

The process has the advantage of cheapness, since the pads may be used over and over again, lasting, it is said, for six months of daily use. The labor of churning is avoided, and, on account of the use of fresh cream instead of that which has stood to ripen for several days, the finished product keeps better than butter made in the ordinary way. The process has been patented in the United States, Canada, England, France and Germany.—Collier's Weekly.

Knitless Fractures by Electricity.

An Italian scientist, Francesco Blasi, has been experimenting on the influence of various electric currents on the knitting of bones. The action of galvanic, static and faradic currents was tried on fractured bones of rabbits. Although all the currents showed some beneficial effects, the galvanic current was by all means the most effective, the swelling was quickly reduced and

the union of the bone hastened. After the helpful action of galvanic currents had been demonstrated on rabbits their influence was tried on man. The same beneficial results were obtained. In one case where the bone had refused to knit for over a month galvanism was applied, and in three weeks the fracture was cured. In cases treated by galvanism there is a noticeable lessening of the usual atrophy and inability to use the part after the removal of the splint.—Collier's Weekly.

Infinitesimal Measurement.

In recent science nothing is more remarkable, says the London Standard, than the refinement which has been made in instrumental measurements. Dr. P. E. Shaw recently explained to the Royal Society an electrical micrometer which, it is stated, can be made to measure the two-millionth of a millimeter, or the fifty-millionth of an inch. This measurement, the smallest ever yet made, was in connection with the movements of a telephone diaphragm. The problem was to find what movement of the diaphragm produces a sound which is just audible. The measurement was effected by means of an electric current connected with the micrometer and telephone.

Protecting Cattle From Consumption.

That consumption in cattle can be made to disappear entirely within five years and the human race thereby safeguarded against infection by this disease through the use of milk of cattle not immunized is the assertion of Professor Wilfred Lellmann of the veterinary school of the New York university. For a year Professor Lellmann has been inoculating heifers and calves with tubercle bacilli taken from the human system. In every case treated the cattle, he reports, have become strong and healthy and immune from the disease.

"Insol," a New Illuminant.

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CATARRH ANNOYING-DANGEROUS

Catarrh is usually regarded as nothing more serious than a bad cold or slight inflammation of the inner skin and tissues of the head and throat, when it is, in fact, not only a vexatious and troublesome disease, but a complicated and dangerous one. It is true that Catarrh usually begins with a cold in the head, but when the poisons, which are thrown off through the secretions, find their way into the blood, it becomes a constitutional trouble that affects all parts of the body. It has more annoying and disgusting symptoms than any other disease. There is a sickening and offensive discharge from the nostrils, a constant buzzing noise in the ears, headaches and pains in the eyes are frequent, while filthy, tenacious matter drops back into the throat requiring continual hawking and spitting, and in certain stages of the disease the breath has an odor that is very offensive. Catarrh is worse in Winter, because the cold weather closes the pores and glands, and the poisons and unhealthy vapors which should pass off that way are thrown back on the tender linings and tissues, causing the inflammation which starts the unhealthy secretions to be absorbed by the blood. When the blood becomes diseased with this catarrhal matter all kinds of complications may be looked for. As the blood circulates through the body the foul matter finds its way into the stomach, ruining the digestion and producing chronic Dyspepsia, or Catarrh of the stomach. It also affects the Kidneys, Bladder and other members of the body, while the general health is weakened, appetite lost and the patient feels despondent and half sick all the time. But worst of all, if the trouble is not checked the lungs become diseased from the constant passage of poisoned blood through them, and Catarrh terminates in Consumption, the most fatal of all diseases. You cannot get rid of Catarrh by treating it with sprays, washes, inhalations, etc., because they only reach the membranes and tissues, while the real cause of the trouble is in the blood. These relieve the annoying symptoms for a time, but the poison is all the while getting a stronger hold on the system and when they are left off will manifest itself in worse form than before. S. S. S. is the greatest of all blood purifiers, and when it has cleansed the blood, this pure, rich stream circulates through the body, carrying healthful properties to the diseased parts. Then the inflamed membranes and tissues begin to heal, the discharges cease, the general condition of the system is strengthened, every one of the annoying and disgusting symptoms pass away, and the patient is left in perfect health. S. S. S. is the best remedy for Catarrh. It goes right into the blood and removes all effete matter and catarrhal poison and cures the disease permanently, and at the same time builds up the entire system by its tonic effect. S. S. S. is a purely vegetable remedy—non-injurious to the system and a certain, reliable cure for Catarrh. Catarrh sufferers will find our free consulting department helpful in advising local treatment to be used with S. S. S.

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OUR WASHINGTON LETTER.

Correspondence of the PATRIOT.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 17, 1906.
Miss Alice Roosevelt, daughter of the President of the United States, was married at noon today to representative Nicholas Longworth, of Ohio, at the White House by Bishop Satterlee of the Episcopal church. It was the first White House wedding since Frances Folsom was led to the altar in the same East Room by Grover Cleveland, then President of the United States.

But the country has grown even in the few years since Cleveland's day, and the wedding was certainly the most notable social event that has ever occurred in this country. It was an event that had attracted the attention of all the courts of Europe and the bride was remembered in gifts from nearly all the monarchs and governments of the world. It is a rare thing that the French government, the Emperor of Germany and the King of England have all combined to recognize a wedding outside of Europe. Yet not only they, but the Empress of China and the Mikado of Japan were among the thousands who sent presents. Such an array of gifts has never been seen at any other wedding in America. Some of the marriages of multi-millionaires in New York may have equalled it in the intrinsic value of the gifts, but there has never before been such a general recognition of an event by foreign governments and rulers. There has certainly never been a wedding at which the Empress of China, the King of England, and a party of Indian chiefs from the far west have combined as contributors. Yet this was so in the present case, for one of the comparatively few presents to the groom was a buffalo hide waistcoat from a party of Ponca Indians now here on business with the Interior department. The garment is the finest possible specimen of Indian handiwork and coming from the skin of a practically extinct animal, it is almost priceless. The Indians in question chased Representative Longworth all over the capitol Thursday to present the gift to him, but he fled from the notoriety and they had to wind up at the White House and leave it with the President, who looked it over with a practiced and appreciative eye and said what it was really worth. It is funny the way the President can fit in with anything or anybody who calls at the White House from a bunch of cow punches to a visiting prince and leave them all under the impression, and pretty nearly the correct impression, that he is their sort of people and is the real thing.

But to continue with the wedding. The ceremony was performed in the East Room under a canopy of palms that had been moved back against the wall after a vehement protest yesterday from the bride elect that she "did not intend to be married in a tunnel." The ceremony was as simple and brief as the circumstances warranted, and as soon as it was over the party separated and adjourned to the Green Room and the Blue Room where the Presidential party and about sixty guests sat down to a wedding breakfast while the other witnesses were entertained at a buffet luncheon. The gathering gradually broke up. The wedding breakfast lasted till well into the afternoon, and

the other guests were going from half an hour after the ceremony till almost dark. It was this gradual dispersal that favored the plans of the bride and groom.

There had been an infinity of speculation as to where the young couple would spend their honeymoon. No announcement had been given out from the White House, and it had been generally agreed that they were going South and would put in a week or more in Virginia and Florida before official duties called Mr. Longworth back to Washington. But there is a certain friendly interest on the part of the American public that sometimes oversteps the bounds of propriety, and it was realized that if the destination of the bridal couple were known that life would be made unendurable for them by curiosity seekers, camera fiends and a few newspaper correspondents who either do not know any better, or who do not care. So it was allowed to leak out that they were going South. Immediately all the interested parties got busy and selected even the private car on which they were to travel. Some selected the "Republic," which was a new car to make its first trip out of the shops. Others decided that Senator Elkin's private car had been placed at the disposal of the bride and groom. But there are half a dozen private cars now loading on the tracks about Washington and to make a choice was a little confusing.

What they did was not to leave Washington at all. That is to say they went merely to the outskirts where there was no need of a private car to carry them. A friend of the family, who was only too glad to put one of his houses at their disposal, suggested to them that they make use of his country place, and accordingly, while the rest of the party were still in the White House, the newly married couple quietly stepped into an electric brougham at the back door and were whirled away to the outskirts of Washington where they will spend their honeymoon.

A Decision in Mr. Mott's Case.

Statesville Landmark.

The Landmark's readers will remember that Mr. M. L. Mott, formerly of Statesville, was in the spring of 1904 employed as attorney of the Creek Indians, in Indian Territory, by Chief Porter, at a salary of \$5,000 a year. His predecessor, A. P. Murphy, resisted the right of Chief Porter to remove him and the case has since been pending in the courts. The Muskogee (Indian Territory) Phoenix, of the 11th, states that Judge W. R. Lawrence on Saturday handed down a decision in which he holds that Murphy, who contested Mott's appointment, is entitled to the salary as Creek attorney up to March 4, 1905—for about a year after he was deposed and Mott appointed. Under this decision Mr. Mott's salary would not begin until March 4th of last year, nearly a year after his appointment, but in a private telegram to his family, who live in Statesville, Mr. Mott says the decision does not affect him; that his salary will be paid anyway.

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CALL TO TOBACCO FARMERS.

To Meet in Durham on Twenty-Third of February.

Raleigh News and Observer.

A call to the tobacco farmers of North Carolina that should draw great crowds of them to Durham on the twenty-third of February, has been issued.

It comes from Col. John S. Cunningham, of Person, the president of the North Carolina Farmers' Protective Association, and in it he points out the need of the tobacco farmers to organize for protection, pointing to the millions of dollars saved by the cotton farmers who have made a strong association. The fact of tobacco selling in Durham at an average of thirteen cents a pound, in South Boston at about nine cents a pound, and in Kingston at less than eight cents a pound during the present season should teach a lesson to the tobacco farmers. It cannot be that there was so great a difference in the grades of the tobacco offered, and it shows that a practical and business organization of the tobacco farmers is essential to obtain fair prices for their product.

Col. Cunningham calls the meeting for twelve o'clock on Friday, the twenty-third of February, in Durham and has issued the following call, which he asks the papers of the state to publish:

CALL FOR THE MEETING.

"The North Carolina Farmers' Protective Association will hold its annual meeting in Durham North Carolina on Friday, February 23rd, 1906, at 12 o'clock. At this meeting questions of great importance will be discussed and the movement looking to the interest of the farmer will be launched.

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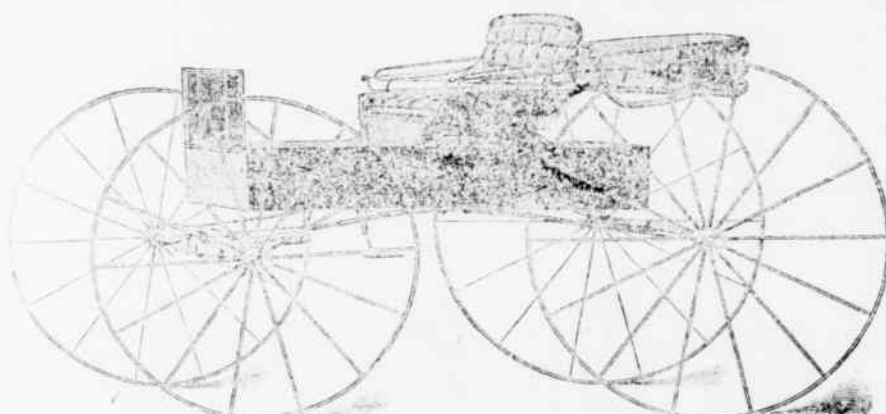
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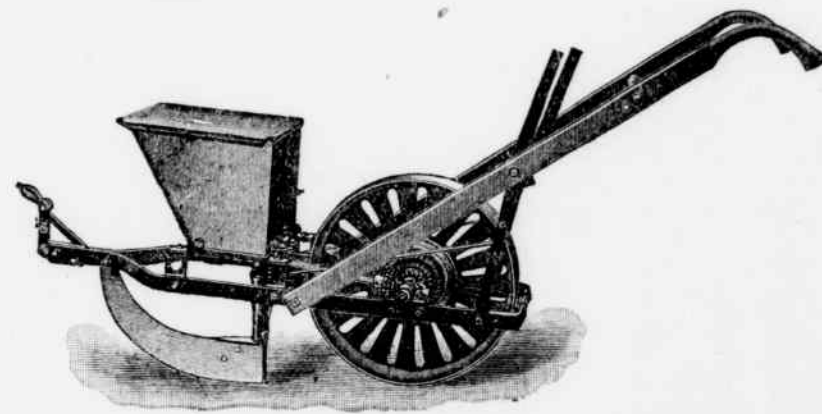
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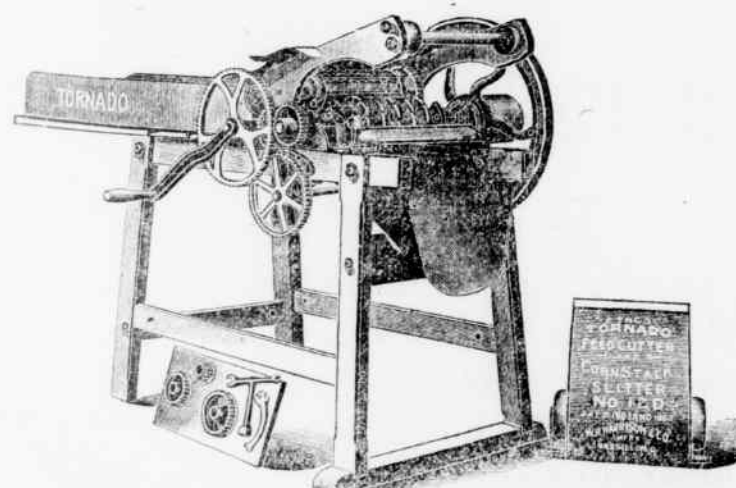
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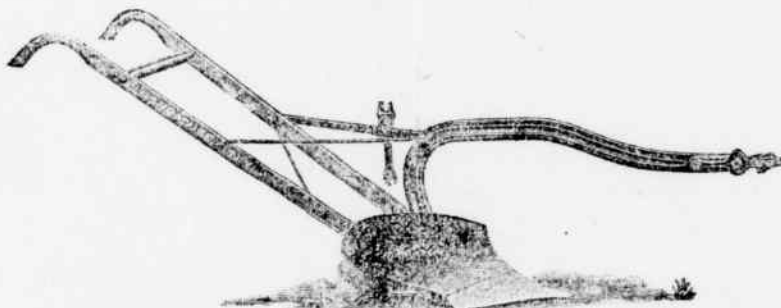
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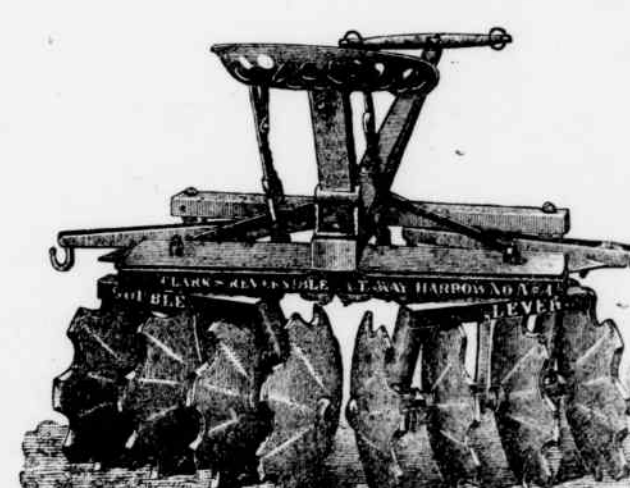


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SHORT ROADS VS. LONG ROADS.

"Countryman" Insists on the Greatest Good to the Greatest Number—A Strong Argument That Embraces a Few Pertinent Questions.

EDITOR PATRIOT—I consider it a fortunate coincidence that a contribution taking an opposite stand on the road working to that held by mine was published in the same issue of the PATRIOT. While its authorship is not known (the writer may be a common man like myself, or he might be a member of the highway commission) but one thing we may be almost sure of, that is that he is some one who is very much interested in one of the long roads. He must live far out on one of them, probably the Summerfield road. It would be strange if the people living in the small portions of the county where these few long roads will be more beneficial, did not favor them; and, however little there is to be said in their favor, it is to be supposed that some one of these interested persons would undertake their defense. That such an interested person should speak out in their favor, claiming that they would be more beneficial, etc., etc., without producing anything to substantiate his claim, does not count. The paucity of argument in his contribution goes to establish the justice of my contention for the short roads, in place of spending all on a few long roads.

This writer makes mention of the exception in the south, where the people have agreed to have three roads built out a few miles, instead of one all the way through. That is right and the thing that should be done all over the county. In my previous contribution, no war is intended on sections of the county which have been so fortunate as to be treated in this way. My contrasting these with the less fortunate sections was to show that the latter were not getting their just proportion of the work. Especially was it my purpose to call attention to the fact that these unfortunate sections are being robbed of what is due them, in order to build two long costly roads through, one to Whitsett, the other to Oak Ridge, some of the latter costing \$5,000 a mile.

You will notice this writer admits that the people in the south agreed on having three short roads, that is that it was the choice of the whole people, those far out as well as those near to Greensboro. They were glad to do this, for then they were all to be benefited. Have the wishes of the whole people of any section of equal size where this plan has not been adopted ever been consulted? No! Will any other section of equal size, but having only one long road macadamized, come as near having all its people benefited? Common sense says No! Although admitting that the people in the south, those far out as well as those near to Greensboro, agreed to three short roads, he contends that the few long roads should be built for the benefit of those living far out. It will be seen how ridiculous this is when it is remembered how few living in the outskirts of the county will be reached by these few long roads.

This writer also points out how few

are the designated roads in the north and east in comparison with those in the south and west, but he is greatly in error when he says that the people of those sections ask for no more. He is also mistaken when he says those clamoring most for macadam are those which received the first work by the convicts, if he means for this to apply as a rule throughout the county. The people on the McConnell road clamored early and loud, and will still clamor, partly because it seems that they have usually been put off to the last to be given their share of all that is going.

We see no reason for this writer to jump on the Guilford College correspondent for reminding the joint board that the time for an innng on the Guilford College road had arrived. He not only must have a road excellng all others in the county, but all must wait till he is served. He commands every one to keep silent. Such arrogance! If he had his way, a censorship would be put over the press and the people of the county to keep down the expression of all opinions at variance with the joint boards' plans, until this long road, right by his front door, in the neighborhood of Summerfield or Oak Ridge, is completed.

It does seem that if the pretext for building two long roads through to the county limits is to give a macadam road to these schools at Whitsett and Oak Ridge, (there is very little reason for this, as we mentioned before,) then Guilford College is entitled to the few miles of macadam which would give her equal privileges. But it has been intimated that there might not be much money left, if any, to give to the improvement of her road. On the other hand if these two roads were selected to be built through because they extend to small villages of some little business consequence, then we do not see why other villages over the county are not entitled to the same consideration. Brown Summit, for instance, surely has an equal right to macadam. There is very little designated for a very large section of the county in that direction. Will some one tell us, anyhow, by what plan this work is being distributed. It seems that every plan that we can think of as possible has more exceptions to it than there are times it is compiled with.

It is past my comprehension to see how this writer makes out that this unequal distribution of the macadam will help to give support to a new bond issue. But he seems to have overlooked what seems to be the main reason given by long road advocates for working a few roads through. Some of them will not deny that more short roads placed near Greensboro where travel is congested might be more beneficial to the whole people of the county, but say they favor the long roads through because they were anticipated, they had been promised. Now, when there is a promise made, there is some one who makes it. We have never been able to find out who could have had that authority and has exercised it. Will some one enlighten us? We were under the impression that the road law determined all this. Who were promised? The very small number, comparatively, who are to be benefited by the long roads? Were the people in the more than three-fourths of the county whom the long roads

will not benefit, promised to be discriminated against in this way? Think you those that are to receive nothing anticipated such treatment? It is true that the speakers for macadam roads went on to tell how roads could be built through with the \$300,000, just to show what could be done. If this should be held as a promise, it should be remembered that another promise was made. It was stated that a mile of macadam could be built with \$2,000, or even less. Is this promise being carried out? If so, then we have nothing to say against building the few long roads through, for there will be plenty left to take care of the rest of the roads. But the fulfillment of the one so-called promise should be conditioned on the fulfillment of the other, for it was by reason of the latter that the former was represented possible by the speakers. While there has been no official report of the expenses of this work, from reliable information it can be put at over \$3,000, except when rock is shipped in, then \$5,000. It should also be remembered that the speakers and advocates of the bond issue represented in every section having any important road, that some of the macadam would come out of Greensboro in that direction.

Now, Mr. Editor, it is not my wish to say or do anything, that will make the burden borne by the highway commission more grievous. I have the greatest respect and commiseration for them. But this is a free country, in which every one has a right to take care of his own interests, so long as he does not encroach upon the rights of others. The commission, even, while performing this public service, have exercised this prerogative, as every one knows who has kept up with the work, and they will admit, I suppose. Then no one shall prevent me, handicapped as I am, from striving to obtain that which I regard as mine.

COUNTRYMAN.

IS BLACKBURN TO BE INDICTED.

Hackett Charges Acts Like Senator Burton's—Holton's Hand Free.

Raleigh News and Observer.

Unless all signs fail the long political battle between District Attorney A. E. Holton and the congressman from the Eighth district, E. Spencer Blackburn, is on the point of festering to a break in the boil.

Pending the confirmation of Mr. Holton as district attorney on the appointment of the President, it will be recalled that Mr. Blackburn has filed charges against him which include allegations that he has used his position for private business ends and personal profit.

Now, it is learned that the district attorney is considering sending bills of indictment to the next Federal court against Blackburn, charging him with having appeared before the Revenue department in the interests of government employees and having received fees for his services therefor.

These charges are of the same import as those on which Senator Burton was indicted, tried and convicted. In view of the Blackburn charges against Holton filed with the committee of investigation having his nomination in charge and the rumored intention of the district attorney to send a bill against his political enemy charging him with a crime, it seems that hostilities are about to get beyond the skirmish stage.

Another most interesting detail of the matter is that the charges against Blackburn were presented to the Department of Justice by R. N. Hackett, of Wilkes, who has for a number of years been Blackburn's particular wasp in his district. Mr. Hackett was in Washington last week and there was considerable speculation as to the purpose of his visit there. It was thought in some quarters that it had connection with the opposition to the confirmation of Mr. Holton. From information as reliable as any which can leak from careful reticence it is learned, however, that his sole purpose was to present in person certain evidence in his possession tending to support the charges against Blackburn outlined above.

The story behind all this political recrimination verging onto action is of great interest.

Sometime ago, it is stated, the district attorney came upon certain evidence which he considered sufficient to justify him in sending a bill of indictment against the congressman. When he laid the matter before his superiors in the department, however, he received instructions not to send the bill. The reasons for this order are not given, whether the department considered the evidence insufficient or whether the charges were minimized as growing out of political hostility.

It is stated, however, that when "Dick" Hackett made his visit in person to the department and manifested a disposition to press the matter or to ventilate it that the department heads so far agreed with him as to remove from the district attorney the embargo put on him or command previously given not to send the bill.

It therefore appears that the question of whether or not a bill will be sent against Blackburn rests in the discretion of Holton.

However the charges against the latter made by Blackburn may have originated in retaliation or otherwise they will if pressed scarcely operate to prevent the exercise of the discretion referred to by the district attorney.

In the meantime, developments which are confidently expected to involve further revelations in the revenue mess in the West await the progress of the fight between the two principals.

Among the Republicans the pot boils and there is still in the land of the living one war-horse of the west who will yet lift his voice once more, the Hon. Romulus Zig-zag Linney.

High Point's Annual Banquet.

High Point Ledger.

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Calmage Sermon

By Rev. Frank De Witt Talmage, D.D.

Los Angeles, Cal., Feb. 18.—It is the old, familiar story of the wayward son, the "black sheep" of the family, which the preacher takes for his theme in this sermon, the text chosen being Luke xv, 11, "With the hawks that the swine did eat."

What an epitome of pathos is condensed within these eight small words! Never was gamut and hideous visaged more dramatically depicted than in the tragic climax of the prodigal son's misery. He was in almost exactly the same pitiable condition as the only son of one of New York's millionaires and most honored citizens was a few years ago. His father for years and years had been the companion and the associate of the greatest leaders of thought, both trans and cis-atlantic. In wealth and honor he reigned to his palatial metropolitan home to pass his life amid refined associations. Not only was he great himself, but he had three great brothers, all of whom had made notable successes in other lines of work than his own. Pure was the blood of that genealogical family from which they sprang. But amid all his fame and wealth and brilliant family connections there was one startling weakness. The father could not see the faults of his wayward son. His love for his only boy blinded his common sense. In his old age he let his only son control his money. This son not only mortgaged his father's property, but upon his father's name borrowed right and left. Then by prodigality and dissipation and reckless wildcat speculations he squandered his father's all. A few months before the father's death came the financial crash. He awoke as from a horrible dream. He was practically a bankrupt. Then came the death and the funeral. Then this only son sank lower and lower into the quagmire of dissipation; lower and lower until he used to tramp the streets of New York city with the sign-board of a cheap restaurant strapped to his back. He sank lower and lower in the social scale until one day he was found begging for food in the refuse barrel before the very palace in which he and his father once lived. Ah, could any condition in life be sadder than that? And yet this son was in no lower condition, socially or morally, than was the young Hebrew of my text, caring for a herd of swine and fighting with those four legged beasts for their meals of dried, unpalatable husks.

But as we see this social outcast of my text chewing the husks which had been thrown to the swine this thought comes to me: "How similar is the condition of some of us in a mental and spiritual sense who have not yet surrendered our hearts to Jesus Christ?" Sin has come into our lives and taken away the sweet hopes which our fathers and mothers had in the pardoning love and protecting care of their Saviour. In place of these sustaining hopes sin has come and given to us a lot of husks—dried, unnutritious and unpalatable husks. Then sin has said, "Now try to masticate and digest the teachings of the doctrines of atheism, agnosticism, skepticism, and all will be well." Ah, some of us have been trying to live upon these spiritual husks too long. Like the poor prodigal, we have been sinking lower and lower in the quagmire of despair. Therefore I am going to try to analyze for you some of the substances and ingredients of the false hopes which sin is offering and at the same time by the help of the Holy Spirit to break unto you the bread of life, of which if one eats he shall never be hungered again.

The Husks of Atheism.
Sin would blind our eyes to the spiritual blessings of the gospel by trying to circumscribe us with the hateful doctrine of human annihilation. It comes to us as a scoffler of life beyond the grave. It says to us: "Man is an animal. We grant that he is a higher form of animal, but still an animal. He has to eat and sleep and drink. He has to grow and develop and decline. He has to be born, and he has to die. Therefore no man ever existed before he was born he is not going to exist after he is dead. When he is dead he is exactly the same as a turkey, which, with head chopped off, is cooked for the Thanksgiving dinner. He is dead, and that is all there is of him. Now, as a man has only a short time to live at most and as there is no life beyond the grave, therefore it is the duty of every man to have just as good a time as it is possible to have. Come, friends, let us eat, drink and be merry, for tomorrow we die." And everywhere we see men and women worshipping at the altar of Bacchus and bowing in the temple of licentious Rial and kissing the golden shrine of evil Midas because they do not think there is to be a hereafter, and therefore they can do with poppinity as they will.

But our whole natures revolt against the teaching, "Eat, drink and be merry, for tomorrow we die." For two reasons we feel this repulsion. We know that there is a judgment on this side of the grave for sin if there is not on the other side. We know by bitter, awfully bitter, personal experience, that a worldly life, lived for mere pleasure or fame, does not produce real pleasure. From a worldly standpoint our search for happiness has been a great deal like that of Goethe, the uncrowned king of German literature. In one of his re-

flections he wrote as follows: "When I look back to the earlier and middle periods of my life and now in my old age think how few are left of those who were young with me I always think of a summer residence. At a bathing place when you arrive you make acquaintances and friends of those who have already been there some time and who leave in a few weeks. The loss is painful. Then you turn to the second generation, with which you live a good while and become most intimate. But this goes also and leaves us alone with the third, which comes just as we are going away and with which we have nothing to do. I have been esteemed one of fortune's chief favorites. Nor will I complain or find fault with the course my life has taken. Yet truly there has been nothing but toil and care, and I may say that in all my seventy-five years I have never had a month of genuine comfort. It has been the perpetual rolling of a stone which I have always had to raise anew." Ah, sad testimony that! And yet it is not any sadder than many of us can give. When we have lived for selfish or worldly ends we can truly say we have not had a month of genuine comfort. We know, as Goethe should have known, that the only true life, the only happy life, is the life of Christian self sacrifice and the life that is lived with God. When a man's doctrine of life is simply to eat, drink and be merry, he may eat and drink, but he will always miss the merry aftermath.

Does Death End All?
There is another reason why we revolt at the idea of annihilation at the grave. In our past career of selfishness and sin we may have evolved quite a string of logical arguments to prove that "death doth end all." We may have read many works of a Voltaire, a Hume, a Bolingbroke, a Gibbon or a Paine. We may have even argued ourselves into believing that we were right and that when a man died he simply died and that was the end of him. But some few years ago we had all our annihilation theories knocked endwise. This was the way it happened: Death came to you, not as an unknown quantity, but in a terrible form. It came and knocked at your door and said: "Open! I want that mother. I want your sister. I want your wife. I want your child." And as death walked away with your dear one you called out, "Oh, Death, is my darling child dead forever?" And away off in the distance you could hear your dear one call back: "I am not dead. I am living again. Believe me, I am living again." Is not that statement true? Deep down in your heart do you not feel that the spirits of your loved ones are alive today though their bodies are mouldering in the grave.

Oh, how quickly the sudden appearance of death can shatter the conclusions we have built up by years of painful theorizing! I had this fact illustrated in a remarkable way some years ago when I was visiting the crematory of Pittsburgh, in which city I was living at that time. I was taken into a vaulted room where quite a number of tin cans, each about the size of a two quart pot, were standing around on shelves. Each one of these tin cans contained the ashes of a human being. Some had more ashes in them than others. The older a man is the more his cartilages ossify and therefore the more incombustible material there is left in the retort of the crematory. "Here are the ashes of George W. Ferris of the Ferris wheel of the Chicago World's fair, who died only a few months ago," said my guide. "Yes, yes," I answered. "I know of him. He had been in my church often." "And here are the ashes of Mr. So-and-so, and these belong to the child of So-and-so," mentioning names which were household words in the western part of Pennsylvania. Then my guide gave me one of the most dramatic accounts I have ever heard. He described Emma Abbott, the great American songstress, descending the same steps I descended and standing just where I was standing. After she had carefully examined the crematory she said, "Some day I am coming here to be turned into ashes." Then she slightly raised her skirts and began to dance around the room, and as she danced she sang, and she kept on singing until she sang herself out of the door. "And within twelve months," said then, "her dead body was brought here and committed to the flames. Yes, her body was burned in your furnace."

Believed In It Only In Theory.
After my guide had been speaking thus to me for over an hour I said to him: "Do you believe in cremation? What is your own private opinion in reference to it?" He stopped a moment, and then he slowly said: "I believe in it in theory. But theories, no matter how well formed, do not always work out in a practical result. For years I have been preaching the benefits of cremation. But last year my baby girl died. She was my only child. She was the idol of her mother and myself. The day after our little one had gone the mother came to me and said, 'Husband, shall we cremate her?' I said: 'No, Mary. No. We cannot burn her up. Her body was too dear to us. Let us go and bury her among the flowers.'" Yes, our beautiful theories and the hard practicalities of life are often as far away from each other as the zenith is high above the nadir. You may have argued for spiritual annihilation at the grave, but as soon as God took your dear ones you knew they did not die and are not dead now. And with you today, in spite of all that atheists and skeptics may say, something keeps singing: "I shall live! I shall live! I shall live long after this earth is cremated! I shall live as my dear ones, whose bodies are sleeping in the grave, are living now." Ah, my

friends, do not let sin come offering to you the unpalatable husk of annihilation at the grave! Let not sin again say, "Come, let us eat, drink and be merry, for tomorrow we die." We know, we intuitively know, that we shall never, never die.

A step further. When Satan cannot lure us into dissipation by the doctrine of annihilation at the grave the old devil takes another course. He comes to us and says: "You are going to live. Oh, yes; you are going to live ages upon ages, millenniums upon millenniums. That, of course, means that there is a God and that this God has provided a place for your eternal existence. But this does not alter the fact that you can eat, drink and be merry and do as you would. Why? Because the very name of God implies that he is a good deity. This good God will save us all. Therefore if you have a little fun here on earth that will not prevent you from enjoying all the blessings of heaven hereafter. If you sow a few wild oats here you will be like the younger boy in the parable of the prodigal son. You will go off into the far country. You will laugh and dance and sing and drink and make merry. And after you have spent your all and had a superlative time on earth you can go back to your father's house, and he will put the ring upon your finger and shoes on your feet and the best robe on your back and kill for you the fatted calf. Don't you see, you have all the pleasure of the banquet hall of a Cicer's palace, with none of the horrors of the swine trough into which 'Ulysses' followers were compelled to go." Now, my friends, this second satanic argument to me is far more pernicious than the first. It is the means, I believe, of destroying more immortal souls than does even the annihilation theory, and it is furthermore the most illogical theory ever held by man.

A Pernicious Idea.
We have, in the first place, a common ground for argument, and that is God. Yes, we go further than that. We have another common ground for argument's sake, and that is God as a heavenly, a loving Father, who wants to save all his children if he can. Now, if we agree in reference to these two cardinal premises I want to ask you a blunt question: "Can you think of a good father without being a true father, a father who is looking after the best interests of his children? Can you think of a good father without being a just father as well as a forgiving father?" Suppose one of your sons should come to you and say: "Father, I intend to lie and steal and get drunk and defy every moral law. I intend to break my mother's heart and defy your authority and make your name a byword and ridicule through the community. Then I expect you to honor me and do for me just as much as you would do for the rest of the children." What would you do? What would you say? Ah, if you are a true, a just parent, I can tell you what you would say. You would look your boy in the face and answer: "My son, as long as you are true to me and true to your mother and true to your sisters and true to yourself you shall be looked upon as a member of my family. All that I have then is yours. But if you persist in being untrue to us and untrue to yourself you must leave my house and leave me. You have forfeited your rights of sonship, and you cannot be looked upon as one of my children." Has not God a right to do the same with us?

I will put this truth in even a more startling way. Let us suppose you are a judge upon the bench. Your own son, your own flesh and blood, a moral degenerate, is brought before you for trial. In your own heart you feel that he has done wrong and is not repentant of his sins and will do wrong again if he gets the chance. What would you do as a wise and just judge? Would you say, "My son, thou art free?" No. You would do just as the late Recorder Smyth of New York did scores and hundreds of times. Speaking to me one night in New York city, he said: "They say judges have no hearts. Ah, they have hearts! But as just judges, what are they to do? I have had several young men and young women come before me for trial and sentence who were sons and daughters of my intimate friends. I would have done anything that was just to save them. But what could I do? I knew they were guilty. I knew they ought to go to jail for their own good as well as for the good of their fellow men. I sentenced them even though to do it I seemed to be tearing my own heart out by the roots." Would not you have done as Recorder Smyth did, even though the criminals before you were your own children? Now, God as a loving Father has made all possible provision for the salvation of his children by the blood of Jesus Christ. He has said: "Come, repent of your sins, come in my Son's name, and I will forgive all and take you back into my family, and I shall be your Father. But if you do not repent, if you do not give up your sins, then as a just Father and a just Judge I will say, 'Ye must all likewise perish.'" Is the great cardinal condition of salvation through Christ by giving up of all sin an absurdity? Ah, my brother, no longer cling to the false belief that God has sent a Saviour to deliver us only from punishment! Christ came to save us from sin. He will save the worst sinner who will renounce his sin, but he will not save any who cling to their sins. He saves every prodigal who comes into the old homestead of heaven as one of God's own repentant ones.

Another Misleading Argument.
But Satan does not stop here. He comes to us and says: "Salvation by Christ's blood is all right for a sinner, but you are not a sinner. What is the good of a man squeezing through the bankruptcy court to escape his just debts if he has no debts to pay? What

is the use of a man talking about pardon through Christ's blood when he has never sinned? Of course you have done minor wrongs. You have committed insignificant moral misdemeanors, but you have never murdered a man. You have no blood money upon your fingers. In the sight of God you are not a sinner any more than your sainted mother was a sinner." Thus says Satan to us. And many of us have begun to argue ourselves into the belief that we are almost moral and spiritual perfectionists, even as the Pharisee of old thought himself to be when he arose in the temple and thanked God he was not as other men. But though we may have tried in the past to delude ourselves into the belief that we are all right morally and spiritually somehow the supposition does not look so bright to us now when we begin to think of standing before the judgment seat of Christ. We know away down in our hearts that we would not like to tell the world all the evil thoughts that have passed through our minds and all the evil deeds we have done or all of our sins of omission. The world may not suspect us of these sins. But some day we shall have to be judged for all the actions and the thoughts of our lives. Then what are we going to do if we have not received pardon through Christ? "For God shall bring every work into judgment with every secret thing, whether it be good or whether it be evil."

But as a last resort Satan comes to us and says: "Ah, yes, of course, we grant that you have a bad past. But don't worry. You are like a child who has had a bad attack of diphtheria, which has left the heart a little weak. The child if he takes care of himself will outgrow his physical infirmity. You will outgrow your spiritual weaknesses. You are spiritually getting better every day. Besides, if death does come crawling around, why, then you can repent in toto, and all will be well. Don't worry. Everything will turn out all right." Have not you heard Satan speaking to you in this way? I have, my brother. Have not you? Now, what are the facts? You know that while you are living away from Christ instead of growing better you are gradually becoming spiritually worse. Your heart is ossifying toward God's touch. You know that you are becoming more and more selfish. You know that instead of looking at sin with horror, as you once did, you are beginning more and more to fondle sin's hand as that of a friend. You furthermore know that, like the prodigal of my text feeding upon the husks, you are gradually sinking lower and lower in the quagmire of rebellion against Christ. What ought you to do? You ought to do as did the prodigal. You ought to get right upon your feet and start for God and for heaven. You ought to here and now say: "O God, I know that I must have thy help right away. Come, Master; come to my rescue now. Do not delay your coming until next year or next month or next week or even until tomorrow, but come now, now, now, Lord Jesus, save me now." Will he do it? Ask your Heavenly Father and hear what he says to thee. Listen. "Let the wicked forsake his way and the unrighteous man his thoughts and let him return unto the Lord, and he will have mercy upon him and to our God, for he will abundantly pardon." Could any promise of forgiveness of sin and divine help and rescue be more powerfully put? Oh, why will some of us stay down in the swine troughs of sin munching the dried husks of despair when God has opened wide for us the front of the old homestead of his love as he calls: "Come, children. Come back to a divine Father's home." Come back now. Will you do it?

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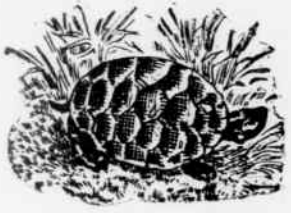
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8:00 a. m., No. 151 daily except Sunday for Roanoke and local points.
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Mr. L. C. Huffines, a prominent citi-
zen of Rockingham county, died Mon-
day at his home seven miles west of
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an attack of la grippe, seasoned with
neuralgia, that has kept him in doors
several days.

Raleigh News and Observer: Col.
J. Bryan Grimes and his sister, Mrs.
Mary Grimes Smith, left yesterday for
a visit to Greensboro.

Thacker & Brockmann are selling
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our exchanges last week. It is a read-
able sheet throughout and will prove
valuable to the business interests of
Madison if properly supported.

A telegram from High Point to Rev.
J. F. Johnson last Monday morning
brought the distressing news that his
mother, Mrs. R. A. Johnson, had suf-
fered a severe stroke of paralysis. He
went to her bedside that afternoon.

Statesville Landmark: Mr. R. H.
Wheeler, representing the real estate
company of High Point which recently
purchased the Cowles property, is in
town. Work on grading the streets
and laying out the lots will begin today.

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Maher were united in marriage here
Monday morning by Rev. Father Vin-
cent, rector of St. Benedict's church.
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nison will make their home at Arch-
dale.

The closing exercises of the singing
class at Lee's chapel will be held on
the first Sunday in March, beginning
at 11 o'clock, A. M., with another ser-
vice at 2 P. M. There will probably be
a visiting class present, also. All are
invited.

Fergeant Lee Smith, who recently
completed his second term of enlist-
ment in the regular army, is at home
again and will probably locate here
permanently. At present he is stop-
ping with his sister, Mr. W. B. Enoch,
on West Lee street.

It is necessary to add a postscript to
a statement appearing on another page.
The correspondent referred to later
sent in his signature and the items
were fished from the waste basket in a
somewhat disfigured condition and
printed as best we could.

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been appointed carrier on rural mail
route No. 2 out of Greensboro, to suc-
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Health Officer Harrison. The most
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cupied by Aunt Lyd Thompson, a
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son Company held their annual meet-
ing last Wednesday. The reports of
the officers showed that the past year
has been very successful. All the old
officers were re-elected, except that Mr.
Lee H. Cartland becomes secretary of
the firm, he having bought an interest
in the business. Mr. C. C. Johnson,
the former secretary, was made vice-
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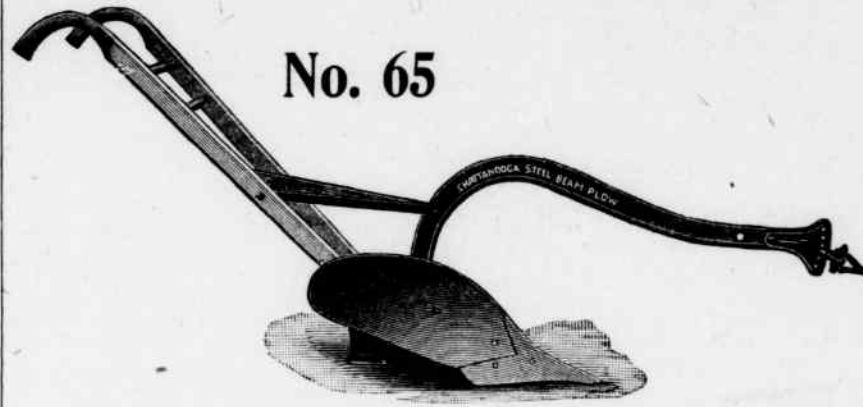
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