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## THE CONTEST AND HOW THE VOTE STANDS

The nominations are closed and the battle for the valuable prizes in the voting contest will be between the candidates, as their names appear in this column. The time for closing the contest has been set for November 8th at noon. We placed the date of closing at that time in order to give the people in the country districts an opportunity to help their favorite candidate, knowing that for the next few months money will not be as easily raised by the subscriber as it will be later in the season, when the crops are being marketed. We think this arrangement will meet the hearty approval of every one who is interested in the contest.

We will say in this connection that there are a few names appearing in the list below who apparently are making no effort to secure one of the prize. Those who do not add any votes to their credit during the month of June will on the first day of July put out their names from the list of contestants.

We wish to announce that during the month of June we will give to every subscriber 1,000 votes who will pay \$5.00 for five years subscription to the State Dispatch to be mailed to one name, the votes to be applied to his or her favorite candidate. This is an opportunity to secure a bonus of 500 votes and we feel sure that a large number will avail themselves of this golden opportunity.

The special prizes offered during the month of May are awarded as follows:

First Prize to Miss Mary Stout, Snow Camp, who received 3750 votes during the month.

The second prize to Miss Mollie Baldwin, of Elon College, who received 3525 votes during the month.

Special mention should be made of the efforts of Miss Carrie Albright, of Haw River, who was close to the second place, while Miss Lois Workman made a considerable gain in her votes and had fourth place in the Special Prize Contest.

### Burlington.

Miss Lois A. Workman,	8,500
" Swannie Patterson,	7,700
" Myrtle Isley,	3,150
" Myrtle Tate,	1,000
" Lillian Turner,	925
" Flossie Burke,	550
" Callie Boland,	100
" Dacia Davis,	100
" Bertha Lineberry,	100

### Burlington R. F. D's.

Miss Jennie Whitsell, R. 4,	3,225
" Emma Overman, R. 1,	1,175
" Annie Matlock, R. 2,	400
" Ollie Ector, Route 2,	200
" Rosa Crouse, Route 4,	200
" Mattie Pennington, R. 2,	100
" Fannie Belle Stanford, Route 9,	100

### Snow Camp.

Miss Mary Stout,	10,575
Spring Graded School,	500
Sylvan Graded School,	200

### Mebane.

Miss Grace Amick,	300
" Essie Dodson,	100

### Haw River, No. 1.

Miss Carrie Albright,	8,650
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### Elon College, N. C.

Miss Mollie Baldwin,	5,900
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### Union Ridge, No. 1.

Miss Lottie Terrell,	250
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### Death of Husband and Wife.

Mr. William Fuqua, of Altamaw, died Thursday night at Stokes' Sanatorium at Salisbury where he had been carried to be operated on for appendicitis. His wife, who had been suffering of tuberculosis, died at the home only a few hours after the death of her husband. Mr. and Mrs. Fuqua were progressive citizens of that community, he being boss spinner in the mill.

By their death five orphan children are left to be cared for by relatives and friends.

Mrs. J. W. Zachary, of Cooleers, is the guest of J. W. Cates this week.

## WASHINGTON LETTER.

From our Regular Correspondent.

Washington, May 28th.—Democratic leaders in Congress are now making campaign material. To be sure, it is not very good material, but the best obtainable. A party without a record, or whose small record, or whose small record is so bad that it cannot be defended is not in a very strategic position when it comes to speech making for campaign purposes.

The general point of Democratic attack is the tariff, and yet cannot find in a single speech any reference to the only Democratic tariff law of the past half century. There is no allusion whatever to the conditions of business of labor, or capital, under the operation of the Wilson-Gorman law.

Champ Clark, Underwood, Sulzer, Byrd, Borland and the two new accidental members, Havens and Foss, made long and studied attempts to condemn the present tariff law, but all sang much the same song. All these protective tariff haters had a good word to say for the tariff of 1846 and 1857, which brought such disaster to American industry. None of them, however, had a kind word to say for the Wilson-Gorman tariff, but all were quite sure if they had the opportunity they would revise the present law so far downward that the American consumer would be able to buy anything he wanted from any part of the earth—as long as he had anything to buy it with.

The Democratic tariff talker does not seem to realize that when we open our ports to the importations of cheap foreign made goods, that an equivalent amount of American made goods must always be displaced, and that the result must be a closing of our factories and millions of idle men. Some of these Democratic orators, if not all, would increase our free list so as to include lumber, wool and woollens, cotton goods, agricultural implements, boots and shoes, and all other products of leather, and hundreds of other products which could not be made in this country without adequate protection. This would soon mean putting American labor on the same level with that of the poorest paid countries abroad. It would mean that we would have to compete not only with continental Europe but with Japan and other Asiatic countries.

While the Democrats have been making pleas on these lines, such Republican leaders as Payne, Fordney, Boutell, Hill Longworth, McKinlay, Hamilton, Townsend, Reeder, Campbell, Young and many others have been contending that the present tariff law is the best that we ever had or at least the best that we could get, and that under its operation both from a revenue and industrial standpoint the country is reaping such benefits as we have never before enjoyed.

It is interesting to compare these Democratic and Republican speeches. The Democratic speeches are of course entirely negative excepting where assertions are made as to what the party would do if it had the chance, but there is no mention made of what it did do when it did have the chance. On the other hand, the Republican speeches are filled with tables of figure, with the records of commerce, with the amount of revenue, with the increased number of those employed and the increased wages which have come under our new law. The Democratic orator claims that prices have been raised because of the tariff; the Republican orator tells us in reply that the tariff was reduced on every article upon which the price has been raised. These speeches which were made while the Sunday Civil Appropriation bill was under debate prove that the tariff is to be one of the principal issues of the campaign, or rather not the tariff question so much as the discussion of the results of the operation of the law under which we are now living.

Of course, when it comes to this point, the Republicans have a far better argument; in short, the Democrats have no argument at all, because no one can con-

## TO THE CITY FATHERS

Preserve the Health of Your Precious Town.

Mr. Editor: I wish space in the columns of your paper to say a few words about the sanitary situation of Burlington as we see it. Every fair minded man or physician, well know that hog pens in a town are detrimental to the health of citizens.

I know one instance now, where there are six hog pens, each pen having two pigs or shoats, which of course are germ breeders. Now the nitrogen atmosphere of such surroundings, hour by hour, is inhaled into the lungs day and night when exposed to the atmosphere, contracting diseases such as are adapted to the human race, using the human lungs as a wall for the bacteria of such unhealthful odors as originate from hogs and hog pens.

Now, Mr. Mayor, City Fathers, Council, Aldermen, Inspectors, or whatever you may call them, what is the matter with you all? Are you too busy surveying the up and down fall of the streets of Burlington? Think of it, right in the heart of your city, just east of the old railroad shops, one block, we can sit on the front porch and count six visible hog pens, each pen having occupants of two pigs. Think of it! What is the matter with your health committee? Is the drainage of the present construction of street work keeping you too busy to look into this all-important matter? Watch your city as it grows, that you may turn at least one eye away from the cemetery and save living souls. Away with the hog pens in the city limits, and give your doctors and city physician a little rest.

Only a short time ago the scribbler saw a printed hand bill circulating the streets of Burlington clean up all rubbish of germ gathering nature around your premises, and the same will be hauled out by the city, free of charge. That is good, but did not say a word about those feverish germ distributing hog pens. Kill the germ and preserve the health.

### Card of Thanks.

Mr. Editor: Allow us to express our thanks through the columns of the DISPATCH, to our many friends and neighbors who were so kind to us during the recent sickness and death of our daughter and sister, Katie Sharpe especially would we thank the members of the Daughters of Liberty for their ministrations. We pray the blessings of "him who doeth all things well" upon each and every one of them.

J. A. RIDDLE AND FAMILY.

### R. F. D. No. 10.

Miss Lala Greene is visiting Misses Julia and Lizzie Fogleman this week.

Geo. Clapp of Burlington spent Friday with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Huffman.

Miss Donnie Greason returned home from Whitsett last week.

Lyman Lashley of Spray, spent a few days with this carrier last week.

Many thanks to Mrs. Geo. Huffman for nice strawberries.

Receive how present industrial and financial conditions could be bettered under any revision that could be brought about by the Democratic party.

It is believed now that the Session will be prolonged until after July 1st, but that the result will mean the passage of several very important bills and the enactment of most beneficent legislation. There seems no doubt whatever but that the Railroad bill will be passed and receive the endorsement of almost the entire Republican vote in both Houses as well as the approval of the President. It seems, too, quite likely that a Postal Savings Bank law will be enacted. As to the rest of the legislation pending, it is too early to predict, but already it is safe to assume that the work of the first Congress under the Administration of President Taft in its special and first Session will be equal to if not exceed, that of any previous Congress many years.

## OUR RALEIGH LETTER.

Special to the Dispatch.

Raleigh, May 28th.—The general election in North Carolina this year will be held Tuesday, November 8th. In addition to the county officers and members of the General Assembly to be elected in every County it is interesting to note the State officials who will be elected this time. The terms of Chief Justice Walter Clark and Associate Justices Platt D. Walker and J. S. Manning expire next January, so they or their successors will be elected Nov. 8th for full eight years terms. This is a majority of the Supreme Court. Two of the three Corporation Commissioners are also to be elected, to wit a successor to S. L. Rogers, who is not a candidate for re-election, for a six year term and the second to fill four years of the unexpired term of the late B. F. Aycock which Gov. Kitchin appointed Henry Clay Brown.

Each of sixteen Judicial Districts of the State will elect a solicitor for four years. Only two of the sixteen are now Republicans.

Out of sixteen Superior Court judges successors to ten will be elected for full eight years terms and one for four years of an unexpired term. The Superior Court judges are elected by the State at large instead of by each district, but there is a growing sentiment to change this so that judges will be elected as solicitors are, that is, by the qualified voters of their respective judicial districts. The judges whose successors will be elected for eight years are Judges R. B. Peebles of Northampton, C. N. Cooke of Franklin, W. R. Allen of Wayne, W. J. Adams of Moore, B. F. Long of Iredell George P. Pell of Forsyth, W. B. B. Council of Watauga, M. H. Justice of Rutherford, J. S. Adams of Buncombe and G. S. Ferguson of Haywood. The Governor appointed D. L. Ward to succeed Judge Guion, whose term would expire 1914, so Judge Ward will be up for election for the remaining four years.

The Wake County Democratic now is still in full blast. The Daniels-Bailey Purifiers, in order to get a "paramount issue," scratched the "salary plank" from the Wake County Republican Platform, and now the King has swallowed this Republican demand and announces that all the King candidates are in favor of putting the County officers on salary. The King has also appropriated "Local Self Government" another Republican plank. Josiah William Kelly has issued another address to the terrified in which he claims that the King has a campaign fund of \$10,000. When Democrats charge fellow Democrats with fraud and corrupt use of money in primaries and elections it is time for the conservative voters of the State to do some thinking; and on investigation they will find that both the Wake County Republican Platform and the State Republican Platform for 1908 demand a fair election law, which will permit an elector to cast a ballot privately without interference or dictation.

At noon today, the State Treasurer opened the bids for the State's proposed bond issue of \$3,430,000, and found that only about \$1,200,000 of these bonds had been subscribed for with the ranging a little above par. On this second bidding the aggregate bids did not amount to as much as in the first bidding. The fact is a crisis as the State Treasurer must have money by July 1st to pay the State bonds falling due at that time. It may be necessary for the Governor to call a special session of the Legislature.

### Our Anniversary.

The State Dispatch, of Burlington, edited by John E. Hart, has just completed its second volume. This is one among the best weeklies in the State and is always a live-wire. Mr. Hart at one time was manager of the Central North Carolinian of this city.

Marriages to Elon College seem to be all the go this week.

## CLOSING EXERCISES OF CITY GRADED SCHOOL

The closing exercises of the Burlington Graded School began last Sunday night with the Baccalaureate sermon preached by Rev. W. A. Lambeth of Winston Salem, a former student of Prof. Curtis, from the text John 15-16 "Ye have not chosen me but I have chosen you and ordained you that ye should go out and bring forth much fruit." From this text a master sermon was preached to a house filled to overflowing.

Tuesday night the Senior Reception was given to about one hundred and fifty invited guests. The reception hall was most beautifully decorated with the class colors, cream and crimson. Delicious refreshments consisting of cake and cream were served. Also much enjoyment was given the guest over the punch bowl.

Wednesday night a musical was given by members of the music department. A large number of piano solos of special selections, also piano duets and quartets, vocal solos, trios and quartets proved a very interesting programme. Owing to the long continued and serious illness of the Music Teacher, Miss Estes, the work was greatly interfered with, but owing to the kindness of Mrs. J. L. Scott, who served as a valiant leader, the musical was rendered with much credit to this department.

Thursday night was class night participated in by the fourteen graduates. A very interesting programme which showed that neither time nor study had been spared was rendered. Space will not permit us to give each member of the class the credit due. However we will make mention of the class song, which was sung to the tune of "Dixie", the words portraying how the class had advanced from Freshmanland to dignified Seniors. We dare say that Thursday night gave more wit and humor to the audience than any other night during the commencement.

Friday night will long be remembered by the large audience present. After the invocation by Rev. P. H. Flemings, Rev. Dr. Gilbert T. Rowe, who delivered the Literary address, was introduced. Dr. Rowe spoke at some length touching upon the noble manhood and woman hood which every school boy and girl should strive to attain. We feel that our school was honored by having so able a speaker present. After Dr. Rowe's address, Prof. Curtis presented the class of 1910 with their diplomas. This was very sad indeed, when each member of the class realized that for nine long years they had been classmates together, and now must part never to return to the dear old Graded School and never to be instructed by Prof. Curtis again. The graduating class this year, which is composed of the following members: Misses Lillie Ethel Turner, Ada Esper Guthrie, Matie Lagrange Spoon, Ione Mae Lutterloh, Edith Elizabeth Carroll Iris Leola Holt, Agnes Worthington Heritage, Julia Clair Holt, Bessie Henrietta Thompson, C. Grady Cates, Henrietta Evangelina Love, Thomas Talbot Stafford, Ethie Bew Garrett, and Myrtle Mea Patterson, is the largest and in many respects the best equipped class that has ever graduated.

Rev. J. A. Hornaday, in a few very fitting remarks, telling them that they should be especially proud of their graduation, because of the worth this graduation carries with it, presented the bibles to the class. The Franklin Literary Society and High School, took Prof. Curtis by surprise by presenting him with a beautiful mahogany rocking chair as a token of appreciation of their kind teacher. After the farewell song, the class Pres. Miss Ada Guthrie, called upon C. Grady Cates, the class orator for a toast, who responded with the following: "Swing the Goblet aloft, To the lips let it fall. Oh, fortunate class to possess him. Now drink this toast to the first then all—Mr. Curtis—We love—God Bless him."

From the Senior Class to the smallest tot, all feel sad to part when they realize that Prof. Curtis

who has been their teacher for nine years will meet their faces in the school room no more. From 382 pupils and seven teachers, our school has grown to nearly eleven hundred pupils with twenty-one teachers in the white and colored schools. Our school has a twelve year course of study, no other graded school in the state except Wilmington, has a twelve year course and must justly give Prof. Curtis the credit due him for making our school what it is to-day.

For twenty consecutive years Prof. Curtis has been engaged in school work in N. C. During these years he has been in charge of but four schools; The Thomasville Female College, Shelby Graded School, Mt. Airy Graded School and the Burlington Graded School. All within a radius of one hundred and twenty-five miles of Greensboro, and each of the above places are recalling him to their superintendency. We dare say this is a record but few superintendents can boast of. Since it has become known that Prof. Curtis would not accept the Superintendency of our school another year, he has had a number of flattering offers in school work elsewhere. He has also been called to the Managership of an Educational Publishing concern, in which he would be one of five managers throughout the U. S. and Canada. Beginning July the 4th he will conduct a two weeks Teachers Institute at Graham, and during the entire months of July and August will be engaged in this kind of work throughout the state.

We understand that Prof. Curtis has not yet announced what he intends doing after Sept. 1st, but we believe that it is his intention to continue to reside in Burlington for some time at least.

### Snow Camp Items.

Rufus King, a minister of Friends, preached at Cane Creek Sunday morning and left immediately to go to Spring church where he had an appointment for the afternoon.

Mrs. Mary Coble and Miss Eula Dixon attended quarterly meeting at Holly Spring Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Mary McVey has returned from the Normal College, at Greensboro where she has been in school the past year.

Mr. and Mrs. Barther Dixon of Graham spent Saturday night and Sunday at his father's Cicero Dixon's.

Mrs. Edith Wayd of Graham, spent a few days at her father's W. M. Koch's last week.

Mrs. Robt Holman left Sunday to visit relatives in Raleigh.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Teague are visiting at Whitsett this week. We are glad to note that Mrs. N. C. Stuart has improved some since last week's report.

Ed Thomas, who has been afflicted with appendicitis for some time left Liberty early Monday morning, in company with Dr. Hackney of Tenn., for Baltimore we wish for him a successful trip and that he may return to his family entirely cured of this dreadful malady.

### The Alamance Hospital.

The Alamance Hospital Association was incorporated this week and a committee appointed to select site for same. The committee is composed of four of the best citizens of Alamance county, who are Messrs. Chas. A. Scott, of Graham, Jno. A. Troilinger, of Haw River, William A. Graham and B. R. Sellers of this place. This committee met yesterday and went over the contemplated sites and we learn will recommend two places in the county for the erection of the hospital. One being that portion of the county home property on the north side of the public road leading from Burlington. The other is the Gov. Holt mansion near Haw River.

We are glad to see this work progressing and we hope that Alamance county will have a hospital that will be a credit to her splendid citizens.

Mrs. Ross Cheek returned Thursday from Salisbury where she received treatment for appendicitis. Fortunately an operation was not necessary.

Church Directory.

Athanasius Episcopal Church. Rev. Edward L. Ogilby, Rector. Mr. Erwin A. Holt, Senior Warden. Mr. S. A. Steele, Junior Warden. Vestry: Messrs. Eugene Holt, James N. Williamson, Jr., Lawrence S. Holt, Jr., Finley L. Williamson, Julius C. Squires, Lewis J. Carter, William A. Hall. Services: Sunday, 11.00 A. M.—7.30 P. M. Wednesday 8.00 P. M. Sunday School, 9.45 A. M. Holy Communion, First Sunday, 11.00 A. M. Third Sunday, 7.30 A. M.

Christian Church. Corner Church and Davis Streets. Rev. P. H. Fleming, Pastor. Services: Preaching every Sunday, 11.00 A. M. and 7.30 P. M. Sunday School, 9.45 A. M. John R. Foster, Supt. Christian Endeavor Services, Sunday evenings at 7.15. Mid-week Prayer Service, every Wednesday at 8.00 P. M. Ladies Aid and Missionary Society meets on Monday after the Second Sunday in each month. A cordial invitation extended to all. A Church Home for Visitors and Strangers.

Burlington Reformed Church. Corner Front and Anderson Streets. Rev. J. D. Andrew, Pastor. Sunday School every Sabbath, 9.30 A. M. Preaching every 2nd and 4th Sabbath, 1 A. M. and 7.30 P. M. Mid-week Service every Thursday, 7.45 P. M. A cordial welcome to all. Parsonage 2nd door east of church.

Presbyterian Church. Rev. Donald Melver, Pastor. Services every Sunday at 11.00 A. M. and 7.30 P. M. Sunday School at 9.45 A. M. Prayer Meeting, Wednesday at 8.00 P. M. The public is cordially invited to all services.

Front Street M. E. Church, South. Rev. J. A. Hornaday, Pastor. Preaching every Sunday, morning and evening. Sunday School, 9.30 A. M. Prayer Service, Wednesday evening.

Macedonia Lutheran Church. Front Street. Rev. C. Brown Cox, Pastor. (Residence next door to Church.) Morning Service at 11.00 A. M. Vespers at 7.30 P. M. (No services on third Sundays.) Sunday School, 9.45 A. M. every Sunday. Teachers Meeting, Wednesday, 8.00 P. M. (At Parsonage.) Woman's Missionary Society (after morning service on fourth Sundays.) L. C. Be., Saturday before third Sundays, 3.00 P. M. L. L. L., third Sundays at 2.00 P. M.

Baptist Church. Rev. S. L. Morgan, Pastor. Morning Services, 11.00 A. M. Evangelistic Services, 7.30 P. M. Wednesday night prayer meeting services, 7.30 P. M. Business meeting, first Wednesday evening of the month at 8.15 P. M. Sunday School, 9.30 A. M. J. L. Scott, Supt.

The Methodist Protestant Church, Rev. J. D. Williams, Pastor. Sunday Services, 11 a.m. and 7.30 p.m. Sunday School, 9.45 a. m. J. G. Rogers, Supt. Christian Endeavor, Wednesday 8 p. m. L. W. Holt, Pres.

Webb Avenue M. E. Church, Rev. T. G. Vickers, Pastor. Preaching every first Sunday at 11 a. m. and every second Sunday at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Sunday School every Sunday at 10 a. m. J. E. Ehl, Supt. Everybody welcome.

THE WORLDS GREATEST SEWING MACHINE LIGHT RUNNING NEWHOME. Illustration of a woman sewing. Text: 'If you want either a Vibrating Shuttle, Rotary Shuttle or a Sewing Thread (Chain Stitch) Sewing Machine write to THE NEW HOME SEWING MACHINE COMPANY Orange, Mass. Make sewing machines made to sell regardless of quality, but the New Home is made to wear. Our customers never miss out. Sold by authorized dealers only. FOR SALE BY Ellis Machine & Music Co.'

Brief News Items.

White horses are barred from service in the German army because they are too conspicuous when smokeless powder is used. Miss Belle Kearney, of Balfour, Miss., has just signed a contract to lecture twice a day for six days in the week for five months at the Lincoln Chautauqua in Illinois.

Since the discovery was made in Canada, a year or so ago, that the muskrat could be treated and dyed to imitate seal so nearly as to avoid detection, the price of its pelts has doubled.

Russia practically monopolizes the European hemp and flax market, ranking third in the production of these articles of the farm, being exceeded only by the United States and Argentina.

Persons are likely to think of Rome under Augustus as being a great city but it was only one-fourth the size of the present New York City and its wealth was not one-twentieth as great.

At the recent Democratic primary in Alabama, Mr. Bankhead, who stood for re-election to the United States Senate, polled more votes than both of his rivals. The nomination is equivalent to election.

It is now held that the area of merchantable forests in Canada has been very much overestimated. A recent Ontario estimate was that the timber used at the present rate will last the province only thirty years.

Hannah Hugill, a 15-year-old girl of Yorkshire, England, received a medal for her bravery in saving her mother from an infuriated bull. The girl kept the made animal at bay by prodding it with a pitchfork.

Capt. J. H. Black, who was a newspaper man, traveler, gold digger and steamship owner, died recently in Philadelphia. He was a contemporary of Mark Twain and worked with him on newspapers on the Pacific Coast.

The Forestry Department has turned 300 Angora goats on the mountain slopes in the west in the hope that they will keep the weeds from growing on the fire-breaks. This work has been a serious expense and the goats are an experiment.

Pipeline connections, says the American Machinist, have been completed by which it is possible to pipe oil from the Oklahoma wells to New York harbor. Oil has been started on the long journey of 1,500 miles. This is the longest pipeline in the world.

When J. R. Conley, whose death at the age of 90 years has just occurred at Surfleet, Lincolnshire, England, was 10 years old, his mother presented him with a silk and told him to wear it always. He wore the hat indoors and out doors until the day of his death.

Jesse Overstreet, member of the national monetary commission, died of a complication of disease after a sickness of three months at his home in Indianapolis, Ind., last week. He was about fifty years old and was Congressman from Indiana for eight years.

Charles E. Mullen, on trial for misapplying \$143,000 of funds of the Farmers a Merchants National Bank of Mt. Pleasant, Pa., and E. H. Steinman, accused of aiding him, were found guilty last week. Mullen was bank cashier and Steinman was a promoter.

Wilbur Glenn Voliva, successor to Alexander Dowie, will soon be in full control of Zion City. Last week he got from Receiver Thomas an option on the entire Zion estate, and he says that all the money which must be paid before the receivership can be terminated is already in sight.

Clad only in a night robe, Mrs. William Stroker, 43 years old, of Chicago, Ill., committed suicide last week by throwing herself in front of a train. She had apparently left her bed and hurried to the railroad track. Her body was badly mangled. She is believed to have been temporarily deranged.

Parties in Atlanta, Ga., are negotiating with the Norfolk and Western Railroad for the purchase of about fifteen old style engines. The sale will probably probably be made as the engines are too small for Norfolk and Western service. They will be overhauled in the shops at Roanoke before shipment.

Read the offer of the Progressive Farmer on another page.

LETTER HAS SCARED MANY

Religious Creed Alleged to Have Been Written by Christ

THREAT IN IT SCARES

In Order to Secure Wide Publication of Letter Writer Says Disaster Will Come to Those Who Fail to "Push It Along," and as a Result the Timid Are Making Poor Editors' Lives Miserable With Requests to Publish It.

Country papers throughout the United States are printing what is alleged to be a letter written by Christ.

This letter was an injunction that it should be published to the world by whoever found it together with the statement that misfortune and bad luck would follow the person having possession of it in the event that it was not given publicity.

There was likewise a promise that whoever may have a copy of this in his or her possession will prosper and be followed by good fortune.

The Blade has received some hundreds of requests to print this letter, so if it will relieve the superstitious fear of anyone, here it is:

According to the history of the letter it was written by Christ just after his crucifixion, signed by the Angel Gabriel ninety-nine years after the Savior's birth, and presumably deposited by him under a stone at the foot of the cross.

On this stone appeared the legend, "Blessed is he who shall turn me over."

No one knew what the inscription meant, or seemed to have sufficient curiosity to investigate, until the stone was turned over by a little child and the letter which follows was discovered.

"Whoever works on the Sabbath day shall be cursed. I command you to go to church and keep holy the Lord's day, without any manner of work. You shall not idle or misspend your time in bedecking yourself in superfluities of costly apparel and vain dressing for I have ordered it a day of rest. I will have that day kept holy that your sins may be forgiven you.

"You will not break my commandments, but observe and keep them, they being written by my hand and spoken from my mouth. You shall not only go to church yourselves, but also your man servant and maid servant. Observe my words and learn my commandments.

"You shall finish your work every Saturday at 6 o'clock in the afternoon, at which hour the preparation for the Sabbath begins. I advise you to fast five days in the year, beginning on Good Friday and continuing the five days following in remembrance of the five bloody wounds I received for you and mankind.

"You shall love one another and cause them that are not baptized to come to church and receive the Holy Sacrament, that is to say baptism, and then the supper of the Lord, and be made a member thereof and in so doing I will give you long life and many blessings. Your land shall be replenished and bring forth abundance and I will comfort you in the greatest temptation and surely he that doeth to the contrary shall be cursed.

"I will also send hardness of the heart on them and especially on hardened and unpenitent unbelievers. He that hath given to the poor shall find it profitable. Remember to keep the Sabbath day, for the seventh day I have taken as a resting day to myself.

"And he that hath a copy of this letter written by my own hand and spoken by my own mouth and keepeth it without publishing it to others, shall not prosper, but he that publish it to others shall be blessed by me and if their sins be as many as stars by night, and if they truly believe they shall be pardoned and they that believe not this writing and my commandments will have my plagues upon you and you will be consumed with your children, goods and cattle and all other worldly enjoyments that I have given you. Do but once think of what I have suffered for you, if you do, it will be well for you in this world and in the world which is to come.

"Whoever shall have a copy of this letter and keep it in the house, nothing shall hurt them neither pestilence, thunder lightning, and if any woman be in birth and put her trust in me she shall be delivered of her child. You shall hear no more news of

me except through the Holy Scriptures, until the day of judgment. All goodness and prosperity shall be in the house where a copy of this letter shall be finished.

The story goes that the little child who found it passed it to one who became a convert to the Christian faith. He failed to have the letter published. He kept it, however, as a sacred memento of Christ and its passed down to different generations of his family for more than one thousand years.

During this period the family suffered repeated misfortunes, migrated to different countries until finally one of them came to America, bringing the letter with them. They settled in Virginia, then moved further south, still followed by misfortune when finally the last member, a daughter, approached her death bed and called a neighbor, Mrs. Thompson, giving her the letter and related its history for more than one thousand years. The Thompson woman began the attempt to have it published and it first appeared in the Rome, Ga., Tribune on Oct. 31, 1891. It then appeared in the Dalton, Ga., Citizen and Mrs. Wortman, now living in Marion, Ind., clipped it and kept it in her possession for many years without an effort to have it published. She was followed by misfortune which she attributed to her neglect in trying to have the letter published.

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News Over the State

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pllosion occurred. The noise was heard for miles and pieces of metal were hurled long distances.

The announcement is made in Salisbury that the entire electric lighting and street railway equipment has been bought by the Piedmont Street Railway Company...

The Appendicitis Tugabo

When my little boy was a year old he suffered from malnutrition, because he had been nursed by a mother who had simply lived on white bread...

I used to have an idea these rough things would perhaps tear the intestinal walls; I had an image of them somehow scraping the skin off.

Ends Winter's Troubles.

To many, winter is a season of trouble. The frost bitten toes and fingers, chapped hands and lips, chilblains, cold sores, red and rough skins proves this.

Found—An Ideal Juror.

In the trial of a murder case at Milnot, S. D., the other day the attorneys found a juror who was "the real thing."

Just after delivering an address before the Randleman township Sunday-school convention, at the auditorium in Randleman last Sunday afternoon, Wilson Davis, an aged citizen and superintendent of St. John's Sunday-school of that place dropped dead in the convention hall.

The Spencer board of aldermen has passed a Curfew law for that place effective at once. So far as is known Spencer is one of the very first towns in North Carolina to try the old plan which it is believed will prove of great help to the youngsters of the place.

President D. H. Hill, of the North Carolina College of Agriculture and the Mechanic Arts, received official notice Wednesday of last week from the War Department, at Washington, that Captain W. G. Peace, now stationed at Fort Hamilton, is assigned to service as commandant at the college for the next three years.

The boiler at the sawmill of A. F. Sides, eight miles west of Winston, on the Clemons road, blew up a few days ago, doing \$150 of damage, and slightly injuring Mr. Sides.

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Washington, May 29.—In a recent statement before a sub-committee of the house committee on appropriations Royal E. Dabell, commissioner of internal revenue made some very interesting observations in connection with the experience of the Treasury department with wet and dry territory.

In urging that his appropriation be \$150,000 instead of \$100,000, he said: "Owing to the fact that a large amount of territory has recently changed, on account of state legislation from a license to no license territory, blockading has increased enormously. Last year there was an increase in the number of illicit stills captured from 1,100 in 1908 to 1,748 in 1909. The greater number of these increases took place in dry territory—Georgia, North Carolina, etc. The number of arrests increased from 328 to 388. We had pending July 1, 1909, 4,350 criminal cases, practically all reported by our field force and during the year ending June 30, 1909, we disposed of 3,786 criminal cases."

The chairman of the committee asked: "How do the number of criminal cases arising now in the states where prohibition laws have been enacted compare with the number of cases in those states prior to the enactment of such prohibition legislation?"

"A very great increase, a notable increase," was the reply. "Give us the concrete increase." "In Georgia last year there were 294 distilleries seized and destroyed. For the year ending June 30, 1909, there were 323. "In North Carolina, which has recently gone dry, the proportion is just about the same, in Oklahoma there were approximately three times as many arrests, and reports of violations since the state went dry. And the experience in these states are existing elsewhere in the so-called dry country."

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A Candid Democrat.

Ex-Judge Herrick, a leading New York Democrat, at a recent banquet said: "To my mind the situation does not look so rosy."

"I do not see much of an increase in the vote of the Democratic party. The victory was gained as the result of the Republican 'stay-at-homes.' There was only a slight Democratic advance over the 1900 figures whereas the Republican vote in New York was 11,000 less. That clearly indicates the condition. "This is the time the Democratic party is always winning victories. It's always before election—We are all patting each other on the back, and saying how easily we are going to win. The party has a sure thing—of that we are confident. We bring out a lot of fine-sounding platforms, which none of us believe in, but we fancy somebody else does, and then we proceed to divide into groups. Then when the votes are counted we are practically left at the post."

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Wednesday, June 1, 1910.

Get off your perch Josephus. You are going to be knocked so high that your tribe will not know you when you come down.

My, but wouldn't it take a lot of white wash to cover the dirty spots that have been laid bare in the Wake county Democratic wrangle.

Joe Daniels, national committee man from North Carolina. Does it make you sick? Well, then take a dose of Bryan elixir, it will remove the nausea.

The Democratic newspapers claim that the Republican party is getting scored. The times when the Republicans have been scared in the past have generally been the times when they have won on election day.

The Raleigh News and Observer asks: are party platforms made to get on? Well, usually Democratic platforms are made to get in office on, but the people are fast learning that that is about all they are intended for.

You've noticed that lots of baseball clubs win the pennant in February and March—just before the season opens. Let's see, for the last fifty years hasn't the Democratic party been winning most of its elections in May and June.

It may be possible that there are people in the State who do not know how popular Josephus Daniels is at home. If such be the case, some information can be gained by looking up the records of primaries held in Raleigh in the past few years.

At a meeting of the Republican State Executive Committee held in Greensboro last Friday, the State convention was called to meet in Greensboro Wednesday August 10th. This meeting of the Executive Committee was largely attended by representative Republicans from every section of the State.

The dilemma in which the State officers find themselves to-day is another evidence of Democratic good government. The last legislature authorized the issue of about three million dollars in bonds, but the credit of the State is such that they cannot be sold to advantage. Good government, yes, with a big "G."

Coming Events.

If the Democracy has ever entertained a hope of winning the approaching Congressional elections and gaining control of the next House of Representatives, that hope is being dissipated with the passage of time. The Payne tariff law, which the Democracy had hoped to be a failure and a source of discontent is growing more popular with all classes of people with each passing day. Even the insurgent element of the Republican party of the middle west, on whose assistance the

Democracy had placed much reliance, is becoming more reconciled with the Payne law than it was when the law was first inaugurated. The insurgents are beginning to realize, as is the whole country, that the new law is not only proving to be a fine revenue producer, but is also affording ample protection to home industries and to home labor.

Never before were the industries of this country so prosperous, nor labor in such great demand and wages so high, as at the present time. Then too, there are the farming classes, they are prosperous, happy and contented and have not the remotest idea of voting for turning the government over to the Democracy. Long before the day for holding the Congressional elections the prosperity of the country will have reached such a high point that the Republicans will win in a walk with hands down. Another matter which the Democracy had relied on to aid them in the fall elections was the high cost of living, will prove an element of weakness rather than of strength. For it is none other than the farmer that is prospering by the high cost of living, and woe be it unto the doughty politician who goes into the farming districts and argues for the lowering of the prices of farm products.

What cares the city and factory laboring classes for an advance in the cost of living when they are finding employment on full time at greatly advanced wages. When too they are being better fed, better clothed and better housed than ever before at any period in the history of this or any other country. One scarcely ever picks up a newspaper these days that he does not read of an advance of wages in almost all lines of industry. Long before the fall elections are held the business of the country will be so good and the feeling of contentment so great that the elections be simply a grand ratification of Republican rule and prosperity.

Good Government, Nothing More.

While it is none of our business other than a sincere desire to see a clean and fair administration of the affairs of government, district, county and State throughout the state of North Carolina. We can but view the political wrangle now on in the ranks of the Democracy in the staid old county of Wake, with more than ordinary interest. We trust to be pardoned for expressing the hope that the clarifying process now on in that good old county may prove infectious and extend to every county within the commonwealth and a general house cleaning shall be inaugurated throughout the length and breadth of the State. Until this end is accomplished we need not expect any reform, or improvement in the methods now practiced by the dominant and controlling party.

However, we have but little hope and still less faith in any reform in our state or county government until the now dominant party is hurled from power and the Republican party put in full control of every branch of our state government. It should be plain to the most casual observer of the political situation the state of North Carolina that the Democratic party, through and by the means of long lease of power has become arrogant corrupt and morally depraved. To ascertain this fact beyond the peradventure of doubt, the public need only to read and listen to the charges of corruption and fraud hurled at each other by the various factions of the party in the state.

Now it is safe to assume that a party which will not hesitate to resort to bribery and fraud within its own ranks and against its own members as has been brought out in the Wake county wrangle, what can be expected of it when it faces the opposing party and has full control of the public interest and the expenditure of the

peoples money. Whenever a political party gets firmly entrenched in power with a safe majority, it is just as certain to become corrupt as night is to follow day. It is a conceded fact that the best government obtains where the two leading political parties of the country are most nearly evenly balanced and when they frequently alternate each other in power, keeping up a spirit of emulation as to which can give the people the best government that it may hold the lease of power given it.

As stated we have no desire nor intention of entering the Wake county Democratic wrangle, as it is no fight of ours. But we cannot suppress a smile of amusement at the washing in public of the soiled Democratic linen, and at the same time recall the old adage, "when rascals fall out, honest people get their dues," hence we say "lay on McDuff."

Our esteemed contemporary, the Daily News of Greensboro commenting editorially on the conditions prevailing in Wake county pertinently remarks: "Is anything lacking to prove that the time has arrived for the decent, honest men of Wake county to rise in their might and force a political change? The Republican party was the first to and frankly pledge to the people the most important reforms and to effect the great saving to the taxpayers now promised by the insurgent wing of the Democratic party."

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Stokes Furniture Company had a change of ad this week.

Mattie Simpson spent the day with relatives at Haw River.

Morgan is spending a few days at Chapel Hill, the guest of Mrs. J. M. Morgan.

Amie Holt spent Tuesday at Chapel Hill attending the commencement.

Lucerne Holt is a business in New York and Philadelphia this week.

J. M. Cates and daughter, Mrs. J. M. Cates, are visiting in Durham this week.

Miss Annie Justice left Tuesday for a two-week's vacation at her home at Statesville.

Postmaster J. Zeb Waller was a business visitor in the city of Washington last week.

Mr. Laksie Patterson spent Monday and Tuesday at Chapel Hill attending the commencement.

We regret to learn of the serious illness of M. M. Shoffner, who is suffering with stomach trouble.

The beautiful gold watch on exhibition in Stewarts show window will be given away in our voting contest.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Whitehead returned Thursday from New York, Philadelphia and other northern cities.

The condition of Mrs. C. Brown Cox, who has been so seriously ill a number of weeks, appears much brighter.

Miss Estes, music teacher at the Graded School and mother, left Tuesday for their home at Newtonville, N. C.

Mr. G. A. Housouser and wife, of Salisbury, returned home Monday after spending a few days the guest of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Fogleman.

Dr. Packard will be in town Monday, June 13th. Quite a number of prominent citizens were examined by him when here last.

Mrs. J. R. Mebane was called to High Point last Thursday on account of the serious illness of her daughter Mrs. Chas. Staley, who has appendicitis.

The Hico Milling Company, who have recently installed new machinery, making this one of the best mills in the State, have an ad in this issue.

Mr. Cicero H. Hall, of Spray, visited friends here several days last week. While here he gave as a pleasant call and had his name enrolled upon our mailing list.

Big sale now on at Robertson's Five and Ten Cent Store. Everything sold at cost Thursday, Friday and Saturday, June 2, 3, 4. Every ten cent article reduced to eight cents.

Jacob Wagoner of Roanoke Va is the guest of his parents Mr. and Mrs. Albert Wagoner this week. His sisters Amie and Pearle will return with him to Roanoke Friday for a weeks visit.

William May, formerly of Gibsonville, died Saturday night at his home in north western Burlington and was buried Monday at Frieden's. He was forty-odd years old. Funeral conducted at home.

About six hundred people went on the Sunday School excursion from High Point to Raleigh last Saturday. Near one hundred of this number went from this place. All had a grand time roaming around viewing the places of historical note.

### Prof. Singletery Elected.

Prof. Harden of Reidsville who had been elected to the Superintendency of our Graded School notified the Board the past week that he could not come, having decided to stay at Reidsville another year. The board met and elected Prof. S. G. Singletery of Aberdeen, N. C., in his stead. Prof. Singletery graduated at the University of N. C., 1905 being a classmate of our townsman Prof. J. B. Robertson. Since graduation he has been Superintendent of the Aberdeen Graded School. He is highly recommended as a superintendent and young man of excellent character.

### Burlington Real Estate.

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Write Pickard and Trogdon, Greensboro, N. C., they have about thirty-five elegant residence lots and are offering them at prices that will appeal to any one seeking a real estate investment.

Write today or call on them at the Newlin Hotel on Saturday.

### Haw River Items.

Miss Ava B. Aycock of Louisville spent Friday night in town with Miss Patsy Robertson.

Roy Johnson and B. S. Robertson, Jr., spent Saturday night and Sunday in town.

Miss Isla J. Stratford returned to her home in Greensboro Sunday night after spending two weeks here with her grandfather W. H. Trolinger.

Misses Woodfin Chambers, Glenn Aycock, and Patsy Robertson spent Saturday in Greensboro.

Miss Lois Cates and her brother Vance of Orange Grove spent Saturday night and Sunday with the family of G. W. P. Cates, he left Sunday for his home and Miss Louis left Monday to spend a few days with her brother in Burlington and has many friends there.

Cicero Jones of Chestnut Ridge Institute visited his sister Mrs. W. J. Crutchfield and took in the S. S. Convention.

The people of Haw River Township have been looking forward with great anticipation to the S. S. Convention which was held with the M. P. Church.

The exercises of the first annual convention of the Sunday-Schools of Haw River Township was held May the 29th at the M. P. Church was a marked success. The weather was ideal and at the hour for opening the exercises a large congregation filled the house and many could not get in the house. A marked feature was the superb music rendered by the large choir in charge of Mrs. W. H. Anderson. The music alone would have made the convention a success. The subjects for discussion were timely and presented by the various speakers. Almost every phrase of Sunday School work commended in for live wire addresses. report of the various schools of the Township, which were in number, was given by the Secretary of the convention, showed a decided gain of the work in the Township.

The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: Pres. J. C. Loyd, Vice Pres. H. I. Browning, Sec. W. P. Williams. The Convention selected the Baptist church as the place to meet next year. The time to meet was left with the executive committee to decide. Everybody said it was a great and good convention. We would like to mention the speakers but space forbids and besides we could not tell all. The Secretary and President did what they could be aided by the people to make it a good convention, and we would not do the ladies justice if we would stop here they prove themselves worthy of the task. The dinner that was served in the most elegant manner was as good as appetite could wish or eye could covet plenty on the ground for all if any one did not get dinner it was his or her own fault. Thus one of the most harmonious conventions adjourned and everybody was pleased.

The children's day service which was looked forward to with great eagerness by the children came off Sunday the 29th it was a great success and shows what children can do when trained.

Jas. David Leath, the one-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Leath, died this afternoon at two o'clock at their home near the graded school. Burial will take place tomorrow evening at Pine Hill Cemetery.

The account of the proceeding of the Commencement at Elon College is unavoidable crowded out this week, but will appear next week. Also a communication from a citizen of South Alabama.

WANTED—To complete our file of the last volume of THE STATE DISPATCH, we want copies of July 28, and August 11 1909. We will pay 10 cents in cash for a copy of each of these dates. Leave at this office.

J. A. Smith Rural Carrier on Route 1, from Cobett was in the city last Monday and gave us a pleasant call. Mr. Smith tells us that S. L. Malone one of his patrons, caught an unusually large owl in a steel trap last Saturday.

BIG BARGAIN—Farm, 140 acres, in two miles of Burlington adopted to Grain, Grasses, Tobacco and Truck. Very cheap and easy terms to quick purchaser. Also numerous small farms well situated, at low prices.

JAS. P. ALBRIGHT, BURLINGTON, N. C.

The editor, together with the family physician, Dr. J. N. Taylor, accompanied Mrs. Hart to Greensboro last Friday to consult a specialist in regard to her condition. Mrs. Hart has been suffering for some time with a stomach trouble, and while we are advised that her condition is not alarming, yet she is a right sick woman.

### From "The Girl and the Wizard"

By special arrangement with the publishers of the music of the musical play "The Girl and the Wizard" The New York World will publish next Sunday the song hit of the production, words and music complete. This is the famous "Frantzi Frankenstein" song which fairly brings down the house every time it is sung. Be sure to order next Sunday's New York World to get this song.

### Information Wanted.

Editor DISPATCH.—Will you please insert the following questions in your paper this week. Will some one please answer the following by giving chapter and verse:

Where Christ or the apostles asked sinners to stand up and be prayed for by the church.

Where did they tell sinners to come forward and stand up to be prayed for, that by so doing they would be pardoned from their sins or saved, and why do preachers thus practice at the present day?

TRUTH SEEKER.

The battleship South Carolina broke the world's record for rapid and accurate big gun fire Thursday of last week on the Southern drill grounds near Norfolk, Va., when Gunner Edwards hit a target sixteen times with sixteen shots from a 12-inch gun in four minutes and fifty-one seconds.

Captain John Pembroke Jones the oldest living graduate of the United States Naval Academy at Annapolis, a veteran of the Mexican and Civil wars, and the executive officer of the Merrimac in her fight with the Monitor, died of the effects of age in Los Angeles, Cal., last week. He was 85 years old.

FOR SALE.—One five-room cottage, with hall 8 x 30 feet, equipped with water, sewerage and electric light, lot 90 x 150 feet. Call at 105 Cameron Street.

FOR RENT—A Farm 3-1/2 miles north East of Mebane. It contains 114 acres, 40 acres cleared. Good meadow. Apply to, G. A. SHARPE, Burlington, N. C.

### N. W. Norfolk & Western

Table with train schedules for May 15, 1910. Columns include station names (Charlotte, Winston, Walnut C., Madison, Mayodan, Mt. Airy, Roanoke) and times for various routes (No. 22, No. 24, No. 21, No. 23).

Connections at Roanoke for all points North, East and West; Pullman Parlor sleeping cars, dining cars; meals a la carte.

If you are thinking of taking a trip, you want quotations, cheapest fares, reliable and correct information, as to routes, train schedules the most comfortable and quickest way, write and the information is yours for the asking with one of our map folders.

Trains leave Durham for Roxboro, South Boston and Lynchburg 7:00 a. m. daily, and 5:30 p. m. daily except Sunday. W. B. BEVILL, Gen. Agt. M. F. BRAGG, Trav. Pas. Agt. Roanoke, Va.

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## The Busy Fruit Store

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## Elon College No. 1

Messrs. L. T. and Billy Barber of Gibsonville, spent Sunday with their father, D. R. Barber, Messrs. Maud and Irene Tickle, No. 1, and Billy Barber, of Gibsonville, took in the excursion to Raleigh Saturday last, the former visiting their brother at the A. & M. College and the latter his sister. They all report a very pleasant time.

The ice-cream supper given at the R. Somers Saturday night was well represented from this route and all are unanimous in their praise and pronouncing it a great success.

Willie Cable went over the river Sunday evening, think there must be some attraction over that way for "Bill."

Messrs. Jacob Patton and Luther Tickle spent Saturday and Sunday in Greensboro. They went with the Gibsonville Cornett Band who furnished music for the opening of the park.

Miss Zora Nicholson and Jeter Moser were welcome visitors on this route Sunday.

Crops are looking fine and harvest will soon be the order of the day.

Messrs. Zeb and Jake Patton have bought them a new reaper and biner, as cutting wheat has got to be too strenuous for them, so they say.

All who have any news items will do the carrier a favor to hand them in on Monday so they can be put in shape to get them off on Tuesday.

# Hico Milling Co.

Has just completed the installation of new and up-to-date machinery throughout our mill, which enables us to double our capacity. Our mill is now equipped with the best machinery in the State. We make the following brands of flour:

ALL WHEAT and HICO BEST also large supply of feed SHIPSTUFF BRAN, ETC.

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We thank our many patrons for their liberal patronage during the past and earnestly solicit your patronage in the future, promising you at all times courteous treatment, and the best goods that years of experience and first class material can produce, and we would say to our farmer friends that we are in better position to serve you than ever before. Always in the market for corn and wheat and we hope for a continuance of your patronage in the future as in the past.

Hico Milling Co. Burlington, N. C.

# Institute For Teachers

A County Institute for teachers will be held at GRAHAM, N. C., beginning JULY 4, 1910, and continuing two weeks. Section 4167 of the School Law says: "All public school teachers of any county in which such institute and school is conducted are hereby required to attend the same continuously during its session unless providentially hindered, and failure to attend the biennial institute and school shall deprive any teacher so failing to attend continuously from teaching in any of the public schools of the State for a period of one year, or until such teacher shall have attended according to law some county institute and school as herein provided for in some other county."

You are required to bring all of the text-books used in the public schools through the primary and intermediate grades, as the institute will partake largely of the character of a school. For the primary work bring, in addition to the readers, some tablets and a pair of scissors.

P. H. FLEMING, County Supt. J. Y. JOY ER, Supt. of Public Instruction.

# THE TIME

Is near to hand when the harvest is to be pulled off and we are offering as a relief to man and horse. The Milwaukee line of Binders, Mowers and Hay Rakes, the lightest running harvesting machinery known to man. We have many satisfied customers from last year and every one singing the praise of the Milwaukee light draft machine. If you don't get the Milwaukee it is not our fault, we are here with the goods, come to see us. If you can't come write or call us over the phone. The new Century Cultivator has proven itself all O. K., the simplest plow made, come and see one before you buy. Just received car fine Buggies and Surries. It will pay to get our prices before you buy.

Hardware, Paints, Oils, and everything found in an up-to-date Hardware store. Wishing everybody all kinds of good things and thanking the public for liberal patronage in the past, and soliciting a continuance of same.

## Coble-Bradshaw Company

Headquarters for Hardware, Burlington, N. C.

The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Atlas Moody was buried at Pine Hill Cemetery Monday evening.

Invitations were out announcing the wedding of Dr. J. S. Frost and Miss Nina Holt June 8th at the home of the brides parents.



### NEIGHBORHOOD NOTES

#### Items of General Interest Clipped From our Exchanges.

**Elkton Times.**  
We note with pleasure that Prof. E. Leit Wagoner has been elected Superintendent of the Orphan Home, located at Oxford, N. C. The position is a responsible one and we understand it carries with it a good salary. This means, we take it for granted that Prof. Wagoner will go to Oxford in order to give the work his attention.

**Chapel Hill News.**  
Dr. Abernethy broke all records in going from down town to West End in his auto Saturday morning. He got a hurried call and by time one could call up central and get an answer he was on the spot attending a young man by the name of Gilmore, who had his hand caught in a spinning frame, severing two of his fingers. We hear that he is getting on nicely.

**Asheboro Courier.**  
One white man, who is an employee of a wood-working factory in Asheboro, remained away from his work last Wednesday; and when questioned as to the reason said he preferred to be at home if anything happened from the comet.

Miss Ida Wright, daughter of Mr. S. M. Wright, died at home in Grant township, recently, aged seventeen years. Miss Wright had been a great sufferer from heart dropsy for some time. She was survived by her father, two brothers and two sisters. Ed. Wright of Asheboro, is one of the brothers. She was a member of the Ramseur Holiness church.

**Leaksville Gazette.**  
Paul Fleming, son of our popular assistant postmaster, came perilously near drowning one day last week. He was bathing in Matrimony creek at "Big Rock" and got into deep water. He sank twice beneath the surface before he was rescued by his companions.

Tuesday afternoon, a little after 2 o'clock, a very severe wind storm accompanied by rain, came to this section. The smokestack at Morehead cotton mill blown down and across the telephone wires, smashing them to the ground. A freight car in Leaksville was unroofed, a few trees uprooted, and other minor damage done.

**Henryville Sentinel.**  
It is reported here, but we do not know the facts, that there was a serious shooting affray over in the Jordan Creek section yesterday. The shooting was, we understand, done by a negro William Neal.

The negroes, over at Sweet Gum church, had a battle royal Sunday an Alamance County negro by the name of Jeffreys shot another Alamance negro of the same name. We understand that they were tanked up on mean liquor. The shootist has departed these whereabouts.

**MI. Army Leader.**  
On last Monday morning, about day break, Sheriff C. H. Haynes, Chief of Police Tobe Taylor and a Deputy Sheriff located a blockade still, on Slate Mountain, about six miles from this city and near the Virginia line. There was no one at the place but it had been operated during the night for there was plenty of slop, beer and singlings but the still, cap and worm had been removed. The outfit was destroyed and the liquids poured out but the owners or operators have not been located.

While a force of hands were blasting in the basement of the new Merritt building yesterday morning a large rock was thrown across Main St. and struck a circular glass show case at the front of W. E. Jackson's store. The case was completely destroyed and several gentlemen standing in front of the store barely escaped injury.

**Orange County Observer.**  
Wm. J. Workman a Confederate Veteran died at his home in Chapel Hill township on Sunday May 22, at 1:30 o'clock p. m. Mr. Workman was an honorable man and soldier. We extend our heartfelt sympathy to the bereaved widow and other relatives.

**Headlines Patrick.**  
The work of constructing a concrete platform under and between the train sheds at the passenger station has been completed. The concrete walls in back of the old board-

walks and adds greatly to the appearance of the surroundings. The train sheds and the wood-work of the station are now being painted.

A friend at Julian informs the Patrol of a serious accident that befell Will Clapp, a young man employed by J. F. Brown & Co., on Tuesday afternoon May 17. It seems that he fell on a cut-off-saw, which practically cut off his right hand. His fore finger was cut off at the knuckle joint and the two middle fingers at their base. It is thought that the little finger can be saved.

**Alamance Gleaner.**  
Leighton Walker was carried to St. Leo's Hospital, Greensboro Monday by Dr. W. E. Walker who amputated his diseased leg Tuesday. Mr. Walker's physicians had tried for several months to save the limb, but in vain. Mr. Walker is an excellent young man and his many friends will learn of his affliction with sincere regret.

**Lexington Dispatch.**  
The material for the new electric light system has arrived in large part and the remainder will be in soon Monday the engineers put a force to work. They have eight miles of wire to string. It will be no great while before the job is finished and the system ready for the Southern Power Company's "juice." People who have moters will have to buy new ones suitable for handling the alternating current.

**Duton Republican.**  
Tap Mabe, Jack Mabe and Dave Joyce, of Stokes county were arrested in Stokes county the past week and brought to this city charged with illicit distilling. Pending a preliminary hearing, Tap and Jack furnished bonds while Joyce being unable to do so was committed to jail.

The wooden trestle across Brushy Fork Creek, just east of the city, caught fire Sunday afternoon and but for the prompt work of Prof. Atkins and some other citizens of Columbia Heights would have been consumed. The trestle is built of pine, has done long service and should long ago have been replaced by an iron bridge.

**Don't Be Fooled Again.**  
People in Ohio can remember when bogus peddlers went through the State after the passage of the McKinley tariff bill explaining that the high prices they asked for their saucapans and dippers was because "everything's gone up on account of the new tariff." And Ohio slipped in her political moorings and sent a Democratic delegation to Congress—but has since furnished the nation with two Republican Presidents.

Don't be fooled again!  
Ohio Republicans remember that when they awakened from their hysteria over the McKinley bill, they elected its author Governor by a majority unprecedented in the political history of the Buckeye State.

Just now the Democrats are persistently repeating, as they reiterated twenty years ago, that increases in prices today are "due to new tariff law." And there is just as much truth in their present-day assertions as there was in their reckless slanders of the McKinley bill.

Don't be fooled again!  
Bear in that while lumber has advanced, the Payne tariff reduced the schedule on common boards 75 cents a thousand feet. Do not forget that though the wholesale price of shoes has been increased recently, hides went on the free list through the enactment of the Payne law.

Remember that the woolen schedule was unchanged except in two minor instances where it was reduced, from the Dingley duties, and that therefore the Payne law can in no way be responsible for advances in the prices of clothing.

Don't be fooled again!  
**Administrators Notice.**  
Having qualified as administrator of the estate of Mary Carter, deceased, late of Alamance county, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned at Burlington, N. C., on or before the 28th day of April 1911, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to the said estate will please make immediate payment.

JOHN M. COOK,  
Administrator of the estate of Mary Carter deceased.  
This the 20th day of April 1910.

### The Horse.

Charleston News and Courier.  
A statistician has figured it out that whereas there were almost half million horses in London a decade ago there are now not more than one hundred thousand. It is deduced from this that the horse is losing his place in the world and that he will eventually disappear.

City people have a habit of deciding questions from their own viewpoint without regard to what is going on elsewhere. New York is woefully ignorant of the rest of the country. Every horse might disappear from London and every horse from New York, yet this could not be taken to mean that the horse had lost his place in the world. As a matter of fact, horses have never been more precious than they are now. They cost more than they ever did, at least, within recent years. Time was when a good horse could be bought for \$60 or \$75, but even the meanest plug cannot now be purchased for any such sum. Mules and horses cost money.

It may be that the production of horses in this country has decreased and that the high prices are the result of this, but the probabilities are that while the production is greater than ever before it has not kept pace with the demand. We venture to say that there are more horses on farms today than there ever have been because there is more farming and the advent of the steam plow and other mechanical machinery has not yet had any general effect.

**Saved from Awful Death.**  
How an appalling calamity in his family was prevented is told by A. D. McDonald, of Fayetteville, N. C. R. F. D. No. 8. "My sister had consumption," he writes, "she was very thin and pale, had no appetite and seemed to grow weaker every day, as all remedies failed, till Dr. King's New Discovery was tried, and so completely cured her, that she has not been troubled with a cough since. Its the best medicine I ever saw or heard of." For coughs, colds, lagrippe, asthma, croup, hemorrhage-all bronchial troubles, it has no equal 50c, \$1.00. Trial bottle free. Guaranteed by Freeman Drug Co.

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# THE DISPATCH PRIZES

The following prizes have been arranged for our Popular Voting Contest and they may be seen at the places named below:

1st Prize, \$400 Cote Piano, at Ellis Music Store.	2nd Prize, \$50 Sewing Machine, being dropped direct from factory
3rd Prize, \$40 Bed Room Suit, at Stokes Furniture store.	4th Prize, \$25 Leather Couch, at Smith Furniture store.
5th Prize, \$20 Ladies' Gold Watch, at Stewart's Jewelry store.	6th Prize, \$10 Morris Chair, at Smith Furniture Store.
7th Prize, \$8 Toilet Set, at Smith Furniture Store.	

## The CONTEST Will Close TUESDAY, NOV. 15th AT NOON

# The State Dispatch

Burlington, North Carolina.

Those of the Contestants who are making no effort to secure a prize will be dropped from the list after July 1st. If you expect your name to remain on the list, get busy. Just a little effort may secure one of the above valuable prizes.

**RURAL CARRIER ITEMS**

R. F. D. No. 5.

Farmers are very busy working corn and tobacco. Harvest will soon be here the prospect for a good wheat crop are favorable.

Misses Sadie Patton and Hattie Rogers entertained quite a number of their young friends last Saturday night at the latter's home by giving a birthday party they were the recipients of many little gifts. Ice cream and cake were served and all who were present had a good time.

D. D. Satterfield of Prospect Hill and Miss Bessie Allen of Cedar Grove visited at the home of R. G. Aldridges Saturday night and Sunday.

Mrs. Kate Wyatt is visiting J. A. Hessie's family in Durham this week.

Miss Mamie Anderson has returned home from Burlington where she has been attending school. She was accompanied home by her little cousins Banks and Grace Whitted.

Mrs. C. A. Wyatt is on the sick list we hope her speedy recovery.

Miss Mamie Johnston of Haw River spent a few days last week visiting her grandfather L. M. Johnston.

Mrs. Eugene Anderson went to Raleigh Saturday to spend some time with her people.

Pres. Featherston of Ridgeville and Miss Leslie Hester of Prospect Hill visited B. T. Hester Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Sullivan and little son, of Greensboro spent last Sunday night with M. R. Kimreys.

Misses Oler Sullivan and Mattie Foster spent a pleasant afternoon with Miss Roxie Murray over on Harthorn No. 1.

Among the visitors at Albert Smith last Sunday was Messrs. Bud Shoffner Cyrus Coble hope they all had a fine time.

Messrs. Fletcher Smith, Jesse Swing and Flody Spoon were callers over on Harthorn No. 1, last Sunday evening.

Lewis Coble and his two little boys was visiting his father last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Murray were visitor on this route last Sunday.

Alger Stuart called to see his best girl last Sunday night hope he had a fine time.

Dickie Sullivan of Greensboro were visiting his cousin last Sunday Robin Kimrey.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Smith called to see their daughter of Kimesville last Sunday evening.

Miss Norvia Smith who has been staying with her sister is at home this week.

Hello! What has become of Mr. Moser I saw in last week where he ask Harthorn No. 1, to write some for him Mr. Moser about the cultivator. You are mistaken about the man who bought one and could not use it he could use it, but it

is not for the poor it is for the sick. Well Mr. Moser I suppose you will not have any corn to sell to loafers or news paper reporters, but I am glad to say that I never got lost and had to ask one of my good brothers to show me the way back home well I had better quit nosing around for you may get back again. H. Hal so come again Mr. Moser.

R. F. D. No. 7.

Property will depreciate from fifty to seventy per cent this month.

Number 9 still sticks to "base" while No. 7 continues to play in the "right field."

D. M. Sharpe, rural carrier from Ashboro, N. C., visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Sharpe, Saturday and Sunday.

Landy Watkins was riding Sunday with 'Aun' instead of Miss 'Lottie'.

Sidney Russell is sorry he is not at home Saturday night entertain his best girl who came to see him.

He will try to be at home next time Miss Caroline calls.

"Jap" Albright cut a bee for W. H. Ingold last week, there was no honey for them hive. They hived the bees right as "Jap" had a big fun made out of screen wire to cover his head to keep the bees from sticking splinters in his hair.

Mr. and Mrs. Ingold carried a bundle of smoking rags and kept it at distance from the danger line.

Percy Isley was riding a trying to plow corn today when we learned later that it was because of a new boy at his school that arrived last Sunday. Guck to the young man.

W. L. Spoon Sr., is on the sick list this week.

Fennimore Nicholson and J. Neese are both improving this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Burke, Swepsonville, visited Misses L. E. and Sarah Siler Sunday.

J. H. B. Hoyt and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Isley, son, Hubert, visited at W. Robinson's Sunday.

John Thompson and son, Du of Saxapahaw, spent Sunday evening with his sister, Mrs. F. Robinson.

Miss Josie Spoon visited Sim Shoe's Sunday.

Calvin G. Sharpe, of Goldsboro, N. C., visited his father, W. Sharpe and other relatives Sunday.

No. 7 from last Saturday Monday. Calvin says he has the first corn silk in his patch May 23rd.

Our farmers are about chopping cotton and getting ready for wheat harvest which will begin next week.

Leonard Isley, of No. 1, G. Sharpe Sunday.

H. M. Isley and family visited relatives on Bass Mountain Sunday.

On account of sickness, J. A. Burgess did not fill his pointment at Mt Hermon day. J. A. Branson, of Belle made a nice talk that was enjoyed by the congregation.

E. A. Isley, who has been South Alamance with his scraping force for a week or so spent Sunday at home with family.

That high toned, liberal, Christian gentleman scholar and Esquire, John Dixon, gave nice ripe peaches today, (31st) a peach for every day the month, for which he has sincere thanks, also that of "widow" and orphans that at our house. The first year and the earliest we ever eaten home grown peaches.

Elon College No. 1.

Farmers are very busy their crops.

Quite a number of people this route expects to attend commencement at Elon College Wednesday hope they will have a nice time.

Miss Lydia Low is on the sick list.

Quite a number of young people attended the Ice Cream party at G. R. Summers Saturday night.

Mrs. J. D. Cook is on the sick list.

Mrs. Ava Apple and Daughter Lalah of Gibsonville spent Saturday night with her mother.

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