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## HOLY WEEK.

When it Begins, How Long It Lasts and Other Interesting Facts Its Solemnness.

### Church Service.

Holy Week is the last week of Lent and commences at midnight on Palm Sunday and ends at cock crowing on Easter Day. It is a week of awful and solemn remembrance well fitted to fix our understanding and our hearts on Him, of whose Atonement all the sacrifices of the Law were types and shadows. The week includes Maundy Thursday, the anniversary of the institution of the Lord's Supper, and Good Friday, the anniversary of the Crucifixion. In the early Church all private and public business was suspended, even the courts were closed. All work was, so far as possible laid aside; and special opportunities of instruction in the elements of faith were offered, and the history of the Passion was recited on successive days. The events touch the sympathetic chord in every human heart. The story of Gethsemane and Calvary has caused the most passionate devotion for nearly nineteen centuries. It is a theme of universal interest because it tells of the greatest degree in which love can be manifested—"that a man lay down his life for his friends." The suffering and death of Christ tell the sweetest story of devotion human ear ever heard: "Jesus died for me, to manifest His Love."

Holy Week Services at the Church of the Holy Comforter will be as follows:

Daily, with address or reading on the events of the last week of our Savior's life, 5 p. m.

Good Friday—Service and sermon 10:30 a. m. Three hours devotional and commemorative memorial service of the Crucifixion, 12 m. to 3 p. m.

## DEBATORS GATHER AT CHAPEL HILL.

Forty-One State High Schools Contested in the Preliminaries Last Night.

Chapel Hill, April 2.—One hundred and sixty-four young orators and debaters, representing 41 North Carolina high schools are tonight agitating pro and con the popular topic of "Initiative and Referendum."

It is the preliminary contest of the cream of the 600 debaters selected in the preliminaries to come to Chapel Hill to compete for the Aycock Memorial Cup. Twenty-four girls are among the agitators of the question.

The first preliminary debate on the "Hill" began at 7:30 tonight. Eight sections divided into negative and affirmative teams will continue the oratory and arguments until past midnight. The society halls, the class rooms, the Y. M. C. A., the pharmacy building and other available debating halls are scenes tonight of young men and women championing with all earnestness the advisability of adopting the "Initiative and Referendum."

The high school orators here represent all sections of North Carolina, and both the rural and city schools have exponents. Manteo school in the extreme east and Piney Creek school in the west have representatives. The Piney Creek debaters, one of which is a girl, began their trip to the "Hill" on Monday, traveling over thirty miles of rugged mountainous country, reaching here last night.

The elimination contest tonight will reduce the forty-one schools to sixteen debaters, eight on each side, for the second preliminary in the morning. The final contest will come tomorrow night with one team on the affirmative and one upholding the negative.

The schools that were competitors for the cup last year that are again in the race are Durham, Pleasant Garden, Holly Springs, Graham, Stem, Lumberton and Stoneville.

Around 200 visitors have already arrived for the State-wide event. The 154 high school pupils are accompanied by school principals and superintendents from various parts of the State. Then, too, there are some alumni of the institution here for the educative event.

The inter-scholastic track meet of tomorrow afternoon is an additional drawing card. Seventy-five young athletes are entitled to compete for

## WHO THE DEVIL IS.

Read the Bible References As You Come to Them in Reading the Article.

### By Rev. Tuttle.

The devil is a person. He does things—very bad things; and all bad things can be charged to him.

Sometimes you hear the solicitor in reading a bill of indictment in court say: "Being moved and seduced by the instigation of the devil." No devil would mean no courts, for there would be no crime. The devil cannot commit crime by himself—he does it through people who lend him their eyes, tongues, feet, hands, yea, their whole selves.

Reader, how much meanness has the devil done with your hands, tongue, etc? Better change masters. See Roman's 6:14 to 23. Read carefully. The devil teaches some people to teach a no-devil doctrine. The devil is willing to count himself out till he can count you in—hell. Then the no-devil believers will be the devil's companions forever.

The word devil means slander, deceiver, etc. The devil slandered God before Adam and Eve in Eden, (Gen. 3:1-5), and slandered man before God, as we read in Job 1:6 to 12. He is a two-faced back-biter. Does he use you to back-bite?

1. Who is the devil? He is a fallen angel. Read Isaiah 14:12 to 17; Ezekiel 28:11-19, with Luke 10:18. These Scriptures describe him in his heavenly beauty and power, and how pride caused his ruin. Do not let pride be your ruin. Rev. 12:7, 8, 9 tells how the devil was cast out of heaven, and how he now "deceiveth the whole world." The purpose of Christ's coming was to destroy the works of the devil and cast him out of the world and into the bottomless pit.

2. Who is the devil and what is his official position in the earth? He is called Be-elzebub, the Prince of Devils. Matt. 12:24. In John 14:30 he is called "The Prince of This World." In Eph. 2:2 he is called "Prince of the Power of the Air." In II. Cor. 4:4, he is called "The God of This World."

3. The Devil's Work. (1) Seeks to devour men, soul and body—Job 1:7, and I. Peter, 5:9. (2) Perverts meaning of God's Word, Matt. 4:6. (3) Opposes and hinders God's work, Zech. 3:1; Matt. 13:19, and I. Thess. 2:18. (4) Works lying wonders, II. Thess. 2:8 to 10. Besides all this, he sends out false teachers, false Christs; appears as an angel of light. There are doctrines of devils. See I. Tim. 4:1-3.

4. The devil, defeated by Christ and all believers. See Matt. 4:11 and Matt. 12:28, I John 4:4. Believers conquer by Christ and His Word. The God of peace shall bruise Satan under your feet shortly. Rom. 16:20. Resist the devil and he will flee from you, James 4:7. See also Eph. 6:11, with I John 5:18. The devils could not destroy the swine of Gadara without Christ's permission, much less one who is made in God's image. Satan is tricky, so do not allow him to get an advantage of you, 2 Cor. 2:11.

5. Devil destroyed and who with him. Read Revelation 20th chapter. Reader make haste to Christ and He will cast the devils out of your life and save you forever.

The A. C. L. is preparing to issue \$200,000,000 worth of bonds—a pretty good indication that something is going to drop in eastern North Carolina.—Greensboro News.

### Will Be in Suspension.

Manchester, England, March 31.—General suspension during the Easter Week of mills in this district spinning American cotton, decided on last week by the employers, was abandoned today owing to strong objection raised by the workers. The condition of the cotton trade had led the employers to arrange a cessation but the Master Spinners' Association has resolved to leave individual firms to act according to their own desires.

honors on the cinder path. Other than the baseball game this afternoon, the visitors were afforded entertainment on a sight-seeing trip through the University buildings.

## CIVIL SERVICE TEST.

Mr. Williamson, of Haw River, Third on Civil Service Record Has Been Appointed.

### Four Took Examination.

Mr. W. P. Williamson has been named as postmaster at Haw River. He and Dr. McLarty were the only two who stood the civil service examination.

Mr. Williamson is a good man and will be acceptable to the people.—Burlington News.

We understand that the name of Mr. Williamson has been sent in, but whether he has been confirmed we have not learned. We also learn from good authority that the above report is incorrect as regards Mr. Williamson's and Dr. McLarty being the only ones who took the civil service examination. We understand that Messrs. S. A. and J. L. Vest each took the civil service examination and the grading shows that Mr. S. A. Vest made 90.50, J. L. Vest, 88.50 and Mr. Williamson 87.70.

According to this Mr. Williamson stands third on the civil service record. If Postmaster General Burleson expects to allow competency be the judge why should the third be named in preference to the first and second, of course we understand that the third is of the same political faith as the powers that be. But if political faith is to be the judge why not abandon the civil service commission with all its force of workers. Is the civil service commission a fake, certainly not, then why should the first be last and the last first.

### Masonic Notice.

There will be a call meeting of Bula Lodge No. 409, A. F. & A. M. in their hall on Tuesday evening, April 7th, 1914, at 7:45 o'clock. Work in the Third Degree. The lecture will be delivered by W. C. Wicker, of Elon College, N. C.

### C. A. WALKER, W. M. C. V. SHARPE, Secy.

### A Game of Ball Preper.

The first real game of ball of the season was played Thursday at the Piedmont Park when the local High School boys met Liberty-Piedmont, of Wallburg, and played a nine inning game with but one score and that made by the locals. The game was full of interest from the beginning to finish and afforded much amusement to the looked on.

The boys will play another game Saturday.

### To Organize Sunday School.

Next Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock a Sunday school will be organized at Mayhan, school house. Everybody who lives near enough to attend is cordially invited to be present and help organize. We need you.

J. P. Bowland.

### Mr. Bob Keck Seriously Injured.

While doing carpenter work on a scaffold at the new power plant Thursday evening Mr. Bob Keck had the misfortune of falling fourteen feet and narrowly escaped instant death. His hip bone is badly broken, an ugly gash was cut on his face and his bruises are considered very dangerous and little hope is entertained for his recovery.

The Emersonian dictum, "a foolish consistency in the hobgoblin of little minds, adored by little statesmen and philosophers and divines," is coming in mighty handy these days.—Greensboro News.

Speaker Clark deposes that it is a sight easier to be President than to be a representative. But a lot of difference between the task of "being" and that of "becoming" eh, Beau-champ?—Greensboro News.

### Counterfeiter Pleads Guilty.

Philadelphia, Mar. 31.—Sam. Tate, 80 years old, and a notorious counterfeiter, who has spent nearly 20 years in prison, pleaded guilty today to passing counterfeit half-dollars and was sentenced to five years in Federal prison at Atlanta. George Reilly, a companion of Tate's, received a similar sentence.

Government agents found a complete outfit for making coins in their rooms.

## COXEY'S ARMY.

The "General" Says He Will March on Washington With 500,000 Men.

### President Notified.

Cleveland, O., March 25.—President Wilson tonight was warned of the departure for Washington of a second "Coxey's Army" which, it is said, will start April 16 from Massillon, O., the starting point of the "first army" 20 years ago today.

"General" J. S. Coxey, of Massillon, the leader, tonight notified the President a letter telling of his plans and inclosing a pamphlet on "the Coxey plan of setting the idle to work on market roads and other public improvements."

The "army" expects to arrive in Washington May 21, Coxey says, to petition the President and Congress for measures which will give work to the unemployed.

New York, April 2.—Jacob S. Coxey leader of the army which marched on Washington in 1894, today established headquarters here. He said he would spend several days looking after plans for mobilization of the New York wing of an army of 500,000 men which he intends to lead into the national capital some time this month.

The main division of the army, he said, will leave Massillon, O., on April 16, and will be joined outside of Washington by the eastern division.

### Great European Shows Here Monday.

The Great European Shows will arrive Sunday in a special train of ten cars, and will unload their shows on Monday morning, and canvas men will be busy all day to get the big grounds ready for Monday night, when the big field, across the Southern depot will be turned into little Coxey Island, electric light current for 1,000 lights will make the carnival a brilliant affair.

The shows and different attractions are all high class and nothing will be shown to offend the best and refined taste of any lady or child, the Merry Go Round is one of the best on the road, costing \$10,000 and will no doubt be the delight of many a little heart. The big Ferris Wheel will take you high in the air, the Motor Drome will be the talk of the town after the first show, where dare Devil Hunter, of Cleveland, Ohio, will perform in death-defying speed; the Hippodrome with its ponies, monkeys, Dogs, clowns and acrobats, will give a performance well worth coming for.

All other attractions are clean and moral, and the recommendation the show has from all other towns which was given by the best citizen and officials of Salisbury, N. C., and Lexington, N. C., must be taken in consideration. This is a New York concern and are entirely different from any other show.

The Relay Italian Band will render sweet music every day and grand operas at Feast, William Tell and many others will be played. Lip free acts will take place every day.

Here is what some of the towns...

### FROM LEXINGTON.

To Whom It May Concern: The Great European Shows so far as I have seen are above the average carnival from a moral standpoint. P. V. CRITCHER, Recorder.

### FROM SALISBURY.

To Whom It May Concern: The Knox & Christ Great European Shows played here for one week it gives me pleasure to state that said shows while here exhibited nothing of an immoral or offensive nature, but were clean and entertaining. THOS. H. VANDERFORD, JR., City Attorney.

### Phys Parahakaranong—did we mention Phys before?—is the new minister from Siam to Washington.—Greensboro News.

In other words, if we gather the Hon. Champ Clark's drift, "my platform, right or wrong, my platform."—Greensboro News.

## ABOUT THE TEETH.

An Interesting Article on How to Care for the Teeth and Have Better Health.

### By Dr. Holt.

This article is written for the benefit of those who have one or more teeth that are so badly decayed that filling or crowning would be impossible. If your teeth are in this condition you are in danger of losing your health, for there is not a better place in the human body for the growth and multiplication of disease germs than in the cavity of a tooth where the food lodges and decays and becomes mixed with thousands of germs; a part of which will be squeezed out at your next meal and carried on with the food that should nourish and strengthen your body against disease, but instead of doing this it reaches your stomach teeming with all this army of deadly disease germs which attack the body at every point of weakened resistance.

Nature has endowed every one with some natural resistance to combat the hosts of disease, but in the mouth, the very gateway to an that sustains life is allowed to become and remain polluted it will only be a question of time until susceptible individuals will become badly diseased, and if neglected indefinitely the strongest constitutions will be wrecked.

Thanks to the public schools of our country for in most of them dental hygiene is now being taught. This means good teeth and better health for our next generation.

For the benefit of those who have failed to grasp the opportunity of saving their teeth, attention is called to the fact that the day has dawned when not only the intellectual, but even people of ordinary intelligence are taking advantage of the ability the dentist displays in saving teeth. They are not only learning to have each tooth filled as soon as decay is discovered, but they are also learning to visit the dentist regularly three or four times a year to get their teeth thoroughly examined in order that any decay may be found when just starting and the teeth filled while the cavities are small.

"Early Morning Scenes in the Life of Christ."

For twenty years past Rev. D. H. Tuttle, of the Front Street Methodist Episcopal Church, has been preaching a series of short sermons on "Early Morning Scenes in the Life of Christ." As three of these scenes are intimately connected with the death and resurrection of Christ he has more frequently than otherwise given these talks during Easter week.

Beginning on next Monday morning, April 5, Mr. Tuttle will conduct these early morning services, beginning at 6:15 sharp, and continuing for forty minutes, giving time after the services to reach the stores and shops by 7 o'clock. All lovers of Christ's life are cordially requested to join in these spiritually and physically refreshing morning studies in the life of our Savior. The program of services is as follows:

Monday, 6:15-6:55 a. m., "Day Breaking on Christ Praying in Solitude."

Tuesday morning, "An Early Morning Search for Laborers Among Idlers in the Market Place."

Wednesday morning, "A Hungry Savior's Disappointment at Breakfast Time."

Thursday morning, "A Woman of the Underworld Finds a Savior, Friend in the Early Morning, or the Power of Conscience to Convict."

Friday morning, "How a Cock Crowing for Day Puts a Disciple to Weeping, of Christ, the Comforter."

Saturday morning, "A Lost Savior Found Through Obedience, or a Night of Fruitless Toil Finds Rich Morning Rewards."

Sunday morning, "A Risen Lord, or the Grave's Victory Lost."

Attend these services and find both health and holiness through the spiritual and physical exercise.

The appointment of "Packy" McCabe as commissioner of conservation, by the governor of New York, was the final thing to convince Murphy of Tammany that the spirit is the thing.—Greensboro News.

## SEEKS HUSBAND.

Located at Richmond, Va., but Disappears—Married Only Eleven Days.

### Has Three Wives.

New Bern, April 2.—Mrs. J. C. Nicholas, an attractive woman who is but seventeen years of age, arrived in New Bern yesterday morning from Lynchburg, Va., in company with her uncle, A. C. Yakes, of that city, in search of her husband, who disappeared from that city on the 22nd of last November, eleven days after he had married her.

Nicholas, who is a carpenter, was boarding at the home of the young lady's uncle, when he fell in love with her and they were married. For 11 days the couple lived happily. On November 11, Nicholas told his wife that he was going out for a walk and would return within a short time. He left the house and since that time has not been seen by his wife.

Mrs. Nicholas, who before her marriage was Miss Bessie Rice, member of a prominent family of that city, and her relatives instituted search for Nicholas and learned that he had gone to Richmond, Va. From that city he sent his wife a postal card, telling her that as soon as he made a home for her that he would send for her. Then ensued a wait of several weeks during which time Nicholas came to New Bern and secured work with the Roper Lumber Co. Later he went to Bridgeton and remained there until about three week ago when he heard that his wife was making a search for him and had succeeded in locating him.

After learning this, Nicholas lost no time in seeking pastures new and he left no address behind him. Upon arrival in the city yesterday, Mr. Yakes got in communication with the local police and together they went over to Bridgeton and made an investigation. It was learned there that Nicholas had told several people that he had been married three times, and it is supposed that more than one of his wives are living and if this is true he will have to answer to a charge of bigamy when he is located. It is believed that Nicholas has gone to Richmond, Va., or at least is in the vicinity of that city and every effort is being made to find him. Mr. Yakes will leave this morning, returning to his home, but Mrs. Nicholas will remain in the city for several days, awaiting the results of inquiries now being made by the Virginia authorities. Mr. Yakes states that he will continue to search for the recalcitrant husband until he has been found.

In Tuesday's issue a number of small ads appeared calling attention to special sales at Buchanan's 5-10 & 25¢ Store would run Saturday. These ads should have been destroyed as this special sale on articles mentioned was Saturday, Mar. 28.

The date for the joint consistory meeting at St. Mark's is Sunday evening at three o'clock instead of Saturday.

Alabama Governor Absolved of the Charges Against Him.

Montgomery, Ala., March 31.—Governor Emmett O'Neal was completely absolved today by a grand jury that investigated public charges made against him by Theo. Lacy, formerly an official of the State Convict Department, and new under sentence for embezzlement of the department's funds. The grand jury's report, presented to Judge Amstead Brown, was as follows:

"The grand jury begs to report after investigation they are unable to find any evidence connecting Governor Emmett O'Neal with the Lacy defalcation."

The grand jury investigation was made at the instance of the Governor who vigorously denied the statements made by Lacy, were examined.

In accordance with his own wish no ceremony marked the inauguration of Colonel Goethals as governor of the canal zone Wednesday; but, as a matter of fact, the ceremony has been proceeding for the past half dozen years.—Greensboro News.

**Stubborn, Annoying Coughs Cured.**  
 "My husband had a cough for fifteen years and my son for eight years. Dr. King's New Discovery completely cured them, for which I am most thankful," writes Mrs. David Moor, of Saginaw, Ala. What Dr. King's New Discovery did for these men, it will do for you. Dr. King's New Discovery should be in every home. Stops hacking coughs, relieves la grippe and all throat and lung ailments. Money back if it fails. All druggists. Price 50c. and \$1.00.—H. E. Bucklen & Co., Philadelphia or St. Louis.

**Less Dyspepsia Now—Here's The Reason.**

The fact that there is less dyspepsia and indigestion in this community than there used to be is largely, we believe due to the extensive use of Rexall Dyspepsia Tablets, hundreds of packages of which we have sold. No wonder we have faith in them. No wonder we are willing to offer them to you for trial entirely at our risk.

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There is no red tape about our guarantee. It means just what it says. We'll ask you no questions. Your word is enough for us. If Rexall Dyspepsia Tablets don't restore your stomach to health and make your digestion easy and comfortable, we want you to come back for your money. They are sold only at the 7,000 Rexall Stores, and in this town only by us. Three sizes, 25c, 50c and \$1. Freeman Drug Co., Burlington, N. C.

**Retired Georgia Planter's Advice to Kidney Sufferers.**

Regarding the wonderful curative merits of your Swamp-Root, I cannot say too much. After suffering severely for three years or more with severe pains caused by weak kidneys, I was finally induced to try Swamp-Root through a testimonial I read in one of the newspapers. I was in such a condition that I was obliged to arise from my bed six or eight times every night. I purchased a fifty-cent bottle and before it was used I felt so much relief that I purchased a one-dollar bottle and by the time this was taken the old pains had left my back and I could sleep the whole night through. I am a retired planter, 70 years of age, and owing to Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, I am in the best of health and feel like a boy. I am always glad to recommend Swamp-Root to those who are in need of it.

Sincerely yours,  
 C. E. USSERY,  
 Bowersville, Ga.

Personally appeared before me, this 8th day of September, 1909, C. E. USSERY, who subscribed and above statement and made oath that the same is true in substance and in fact.

T. H. McLANE,  
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**Another Record Established.**  
 Chartres, France, March 31.—Aviator Garait today established another passenger carrying aeroplane altitude record when he ascended to a height of 5,280 feet with nine passengers.

**DEBATE ON TOLLS QUESTION.**

**President Characterized Knowland's Speech as The "Insult of Insults."**

Washington, March 30.—On the eve of the vote in the House of Representatives on the repeal of American toll exemption in the Panama Canal Act, Congress today was completely absorbed in the controversy. Verbal artillery thundered throughout the day in both the House and the Senate.

While opposing forces were clashing in oratorical fights at the capitol, President Wilson took occasion to discuss the all engrossing situation with callers, expressing keen regret that what had promised to be a dignified contest over principles had degenerated into a fight upon the administration. While on the subject President Wilson characterized as "a crowning insult of a number of insults" in the debate, the declaration of Representative Knowland, of California, that the administration had made a deal to repeal the tolls exemptions with Sir William Terrell, secretary to Sir Edward Grey, British secretary for foreign affairs.

**NO DOUBT ABOUT RESULTS.**

With the final vote on the Sims repeal bill in the house scheduled for late tomorrow, interest in the controversy revived, the closing speech of Speaker Clark in opposition to the repeal serving as the chief objective point of anticipation. Little doubt as to the results of the vote on the bill is entertained by any one, the majority for the repeal being variously estimated at from 30 to 75 votes.

All ears will be strained for the speaker tomorrow, and there is much speculation as to the course of his attack on the bill will take. His friends do not expect him to attack the President. Some Democrats believe that he will not refrain, however, from allusions to political entanglements.

Discussion of the issue in the senate today was enlivened by Senator J. H. Lewis, of Illinois, who pleaded for the President's cause, urging, however, a compromise giving the President authority to suspend the bill.

**LEWIS AROUSED ASTONISHMENT.**

Senator Lewis aroused mingled astonishment and curiosity among his colleagues by discussing the foreign relations of the United States and explaining what he thought the President might have referred to in his message on the tolls issue asking Congress to grant the repeal. He drew a vivid picture of dire things that would happen should the United States intervene in Mexico.

Referring to the President's failures to specify what foreign relations prompted him to appeal for tolls exemption repeal the Senator did not hesitate to give "what I feel may have been his reasons." He then entered upon a recital of acts of aggression on the part of the United States, beginning with the taking of Philippines.

Taking up the Mexican situation and reviewing the operations of the United States in other lands and the interests in Mexico of England, Japan and France and other nations, Senator Lewis dramatically declared: "The very first moment we move down into Mexico with a view of executing the Monroe Doctrine against foreign nations who have stationed themselves there upon the theory that we no longer had a right to execute the doctrine because our past folly, Japan promptly would seize the Philippine Islands. She would then seize Hawaii and then in such conditions—our armies in Mexico, the canal not finished, no way to have a joinder of our navy—in what condition would our country be?"

"Russia, with her grievances—she who sent aid to the Union at a time when it was threatened—feels that because of English influence the administration in power the last 10 years left its aid to Japan against her—Russia, remembering this wrong,

now in an offensive and defensive alliance of life and death with Japan, would not lose her opportunity. Russia, with her grievance, promptly would aid in seizing Alaska and the north near her.

"The north and the south, now united, would sail to the north sea to protect Alaska, and to the orient to the Philippines. The army would be divided, one part in Mexico and the other part moving to our possessions to protect them. England, feeling under those conditions no friendliness to us, and South America already imbued with a feeling that when under the administration of Colonel Roosevelt we performed a Caesarian operation on Columbia and excised from her the government of Panama, only waits that it may duplicate the performance upon one equally defenseless on the south near to the canal zone, furnishing supplies to the enemy and supporting the assault. In what a splendid condition we would stand. Sad, indeed, it is to contemplate.

Senator Lewis appealed to Congress to trust the President, "hoping that we may return to the doctrine of a true party."

Again today in the House a crowded floor and galleries thronged to a point which broke all records of attendance, listened to the arguments on the issue. The President was attacked and defended by vigorous orators. The campaign policy of the administration was derided and commended. The economic policy of granting American vessels free tolls was DEBATE ON GALLEY TWO alternately supported and condemned.

**WALSH DEFENDS PRESIDENT.**

Attacks on the President brought Representative Walsh, of New Jersey, to his feet with ar inging defense. The Democrats cheered his tribute to President Wilson vigorously. The importance of the occasion was impressed on the spectators when, shortly after the House met, Representative L'Engle, of Florida, a sufferer from rheumatism, was wheeled into the House in an invalid's chair, and from the chair he made a speech opposing the repeal.

During the day Miss Eleanor Wilson, the President's daughter, and several White House guests, took places in the executive gallery of the House, and listened to the debate for a time. In the Senate, Senator Owen read into the record a plank of the Baltimore platform denouncing ship subsidy. This, he said, was a flat contradiction of the plank favoring exemption in the Panama canal and was the expression of Democratic doctrine for many years.

Senator Owen declared he favored repeal of the navigation laws giving American owned and manned vessels a coastwise trade monopoly. Under these laws, he declared, the companies had so divided the traffic among themselves that they extorted improper rates from the shippers.

Senators Bristow and Fall declared that railroad domination of coastwise shipping, through arrangement with the Pearson syndicate, controlling the Tehuantepec railroad, had created a condition of monopoly in coastwise traffic. The exemption provision of the canal act was aimed at this monopoly, Senator Bristow insisted.

Representative Doremus, chairman of the Democratic Congressional Campaign Committee, one of the first speakers today, expressing regret that he had to differ with the President, declared that Great Britain had admitted the American right to exempt coastwise trade from payment of tolls. He said that if the Sims bill became a law, "we will be forever stopped from granting free transit through the canal to our ships in the coastwise or foreign trade."

**MONTAGUE SUPPORTS REPEAL.**

Representative Montague, of Virginia, vigorously supported the repeal. He declared that in interpreting the Baltimore platform pledge in favor of free tolls, Democrats must choose between following the ancient Jeffersonian Democratic policy forbidding subsidies and following the Republican doctrine advocating sub-

sidies. "I choose the time-worn Democratic policy," he said.

History of the treaties on the canal and various constructions of the Clayton-Bulwer and Hay-Pauncefote treaties were reviewed by Mr. Montague in an attempt to show that equal treatment of all nations in the use of the canal was a "historic policy" of this country.

Vigorous defense of Speaker Clark was delivered by Representative Sloan, of Nebraska, Republican. He declared the administration had shown no real reason for the repeal.

"We are told by the newspapers that the President does not propose reprisals against those who differ with him in this matter, but we are also informed that the speaker is to be punished," said he.

**SIR EDWARD GREY MAKES DENIAL.**

London, March 30.—Sir Edward Grey, British foreign secretary in the House of Commons today denied published allegations that the action of President Wilson over the question of Panama Canal tolls was the result of an understanding between the governments of the United States and Great Britain.

"It has been arrested," he said, "that under the terms of the understanding Great Britain had undertaken to assist President Wilson's policy in regard to Mexico. There is no foundation whatever for these reports and I am glad to be able to take as early an opportunity as possible for saying so."

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## Trick to Help Pupils Read As Easy As

Auburn, N. Y., April 1.—The faith that Lida L. Beecher, the murdered school teacher of Poland, Herkimer county, had placed in her grownup and wayward pupil, Jean Gianini, was revealed today when portions of the letter she wrote to William E. George, of the George Junior Republic, were made public. Mr. George received the letter March 10, and it was turned over to Superintendent Louis H. Burch, who in due time, the future of the Junior Republic being then in doubt, took up the matter. He wrote to Miss Beecher on March 24, sending application blanks and information concerning the Junior Republic. Her letter reads:

"I was very much impressed with the work done for and by the boys and girls of your Republic when I was visiting with a group of Courtland Normal girls three years ago. Have you room for another citizen, a boy of 15 years? He is a good hearted boy, one of my pupils last year and one of my most interesting boys. His mother died when he was too young to remember and left his father with Jean, the boy, and an older sister to care for in New York City. Jean's father married again. The boy's father finally thought it best to move up into the country.

"The father thinks a lot of the boy and has tried to do what he can for him. He dislikes school work. He got a working certificate, with his father's consent, and went to work in the mills four miles from here. He got restless. I don't know what the trouble was, but he got \$5 and started to go somewhere far away from home.

"He went to Buffalo, New York, Philadelphia, Albany and Lyons among other places, but could get no work. Finally, he called upon some humane society, they found out who he was and as a result he was sent to the Catholic reform school in Utica. On his return he did not like it here and had nothing in view. If he could get into some place such as the George Junior Republic, where he received a little kind treatment, as well as hard work, it would be fine for him.

"He responds to kindness very readily. He is not a bad boy by any means, he is simply unhappy, but is ambitious and has other fine qualities that would be revealed if he only had a little guidance to show him that he really could amount to something.

"I had a little talk with Jean tonight about the place, but have not yet asked his father. Jean seemed to be quite interested when I explained as well as I could what was expected of him. Would you please send circulars of your school, for I am pretty sure that Jean's father, who is well educated and wants to make something out of his only son, would be delighted.

"Lida L. Beecher." Miss Beecher must have received the application blanks last Wednesday and probably told Jean about them on Thursday. The next day, Friday, he enticed her to the spot where her dead body was found, on the pretence that he wanted her to see his father about filling out the Junior Republic application blanks and there committed the crime that has shocked the State.

## J. P. McLendon Falls Dead After Hitting Another Veteran

Raleigh, March 31.—In the hospital at the Soldier's Home Sunday afternoon John P. McLendon, of Robeson county, one of the inmates, who was in the general room in his rolling chair, suddenly rolled it up behind James Ray, another inmate, who was in a similar chair, and with a stick struck Ray two or three blows on the head. Ray wheeled about, seized the stick and pulled, McLendon holding on and falling on his face on the floor. McLendon, said to have been a man of passionate temper, became so angry that he ruptured a blood vessel and died an hour later. Ray never struck him at all. Coroner Separk made an examination, but found an inquest unnecessary. The coroner examined several witnesses, who described the occurrence as above stated. Ray said he was not angry with McLendon and to use his words, "I did not even get mad when he hit me."

Last summer Mr. McLendon, who was ardently devoted to baseball, was run over by a vehicle near the ball grounds, in a few yards of the Soldier's home and his left leg was broken between the hip and the knee.

## Negro Fireman in Cab Struck by Loaded Box-Car

Spartanburg, S. C., Mar. 31.—Six loaded box-cars broke loose from a Southern Railway freight train at Pacolet this afternoon, ran down a grade and crashed into the locomotive of a train on a siding bound for Pacolet Mills. The fireman, John Rogers, a negro, was killed and the engineer, H. S. White, escaped by occupying steam, but not seriously disabled. The locomotive and the box-cars were demolished.

## CHILDREN'S COLDS TREATED EXTERNALLY

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"One day I picked up the newspaper and accidentally found a testimonial of a woman who had been cured of gripe by Peruna. I told my husband I wanted to try it. He went directly to the drug store and got a bottle of Peruna. I could see the improvement in a very short time and was soon able to do my work. I continued using it until I was entirely cured."

Mr. Victor Patnaude, 225 Madison St., Topeka, Kas., writes: "Twelve years ago I had a severe attack of la gripe and I never really recovered my health and strength, but grew weaker every year, until I was unable to work.

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## 16-Year-Old Boy Charged With Murder of Teacher

Little Falls, N. Y., March 29.—Jean Gianini, who has been held as a suspect for the murder of Lydia Beecher, the young Poland, N. Y., school teacher, whose body was found in a clump of woods, near that town was arrested today on a warrant charging him with the crime. Alleged admissions made by Gianini, who is 16 years old and a former pupil of Miss Beecher, are held by the authorities as tantamount to a con-

## TORREON WAVES UNDER THE FIERCE ATTACK

General Villa, the Constitutional Chief Now Encamped Within the Coveted City.

Juarez, Mexico, March 27.—This city was in a turmoil of excitement today as report after report arrived with news of the occupation by the rebels of Gomez Palacio and the attack on Torreon, and it was predicted that when General Carranza, supreme chief of the revolution, arrives here tomorrow he will be shown original dispatches that the conquest of all three cities is complete.

News of the Torreon assault came exclusively in official dispatches during the day. General Herrera, with his own brigade and part of the Zaragoza brigade, all veterans are reported to have entered Torreon from the east, four thousand strong, and to have fought their way from house to house and from street to street until the bull ring on the northern fringe of the town had been taken together with the part of the city through which the railroad passes. This includes the business district, or most of it.

## CITY ON FIRE

At 3:00 o'clock this afternoon the Stiano Hotel in the heart of the city was said to be in rebel hands and the armies were fighting for possession of the railroad shops. The city was reported burning in several places, but as the buildings are mostly of adobe, there was no fear of a general conflagration.

Unofficial advices from the front were that the Federals were concentrated in their last defense in the western part of the city.

## VILLA'S LOSS HEAVY

The final and deciding assault was delivered yesterday. It was preceded by a bombardment, after which the infantry and cavalry dashed into the streets. Rifles, machetes, pistols and hand grenades were used in a hundred different encounters. General Villa does not know his own loss except that it was heavy. The wounded suffered terribly from thirst, and many died from lack of water and surgical attention. The dead of both sides were piled in the streets or huddled under adobe houses or corals, wrecked by rebel shells. Veterans say no more furious battle ever was fought in Mexico.

## FORWARD INWARD

General Villa did not stop to mourn his losses, but began preparations to move on Torreon. He expects to cooperate with 4,000 men under General Herrera, who is under orders to attack the town from the east.

News paper correspondents were permitted to enter the city with Gen. Villa. Everywhere rebel soldiers were rescuing the injured and taking them to the railroad.

## FIGHTING WAS FURIOUS

Villa's first assault in force took place four days ago. There was comparatively a number of Federals in the city and premature reports of victory were sent out. Soon, however, the Federals received reinforcements, and in the desperate fighting which followed the rebels had rather the worst of it, and General Villa withdrew.

The next day, Wednesday, Gen. Angeles, artillery commander, shelled the city all day and part of the night. Villa had learned that the Federal commander, General Velasco, was concentrated in force in the town and himself was in the trenches inspiring his men, and the rebel leader under cover of the bombardment concentrated every available man for a fresh assault.

This was delivered Wednesday night but was not decisive, although the rebels held the stone round-house and a few other natural defenses in the outskirts finally.

## SCENE OF HORROR

That night the third and final assault was delivered. Then Gen. Villa, grimy with dust and sweat, a red bandanna handkerchief around his neck, rode up and down the lines swearing and cheering, cursing and calling on the saints. At times he apparently was calm and again in a fury. Through it all he urged his men forward, and all seemed to realize that the attack was the crucial one. The whole picture was a confused blur of blood and fire. Men in their dying agonies pleaded for water or asked out quavering visas or de-

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## Miss Davis's Boys Will Tend to Eddie

New York, April 1.—"Eddie White," said Miss Katherine B. Davis, commissioner of correction, last night, "has been a foolish boy. 'Yes, it's true he has run away from the little farm colony at New Hampton, N. Y."

"I'm not sure," she concluded, reflectively, "but that the best thing to do with Eddie, when we lay hold of him again will be to send him right back up there on the farm and let the other boys pummel him a little bit.

"The eleven boys who didn't run away are indignant. I have just come back from New Hampton. It was only a coincidence that my visit come the day after Eddie disappeared.

"Just send Eddie right back when you catch him, Miss Davis," one of the others told me; "We'll show him what we think of his beating it away."

"Eddie is 23 years old. Both his parents are dead. He has an aunt in New Jersey, another in this city, a brother here and some other relatives. We have notified them all that he is missing, but the really important place to watch is the Hippodrome.

"Eddie's brother wrote him a letter just a few days ago in which he told him that there looked to be a good chance to get a job at the Hippodrome. I'm afraid Eddie has long been stage struck. That and three weeks of rain seem to have been too much for him.

"It is difficult to understand why Eddie, of all boys, should run away. When the boys were chosen at Hart's Island reformatory to go to New Hampton and start the farm colony, Eddie White stood near the top for good behavior. And he has been good at the farm.

"He was one of the boys chosen by Robert Rosenblut, the superintendent, to bring down the cows from Otisville, 12 miles away. All the boys on the farm are on their honor, but this task was a particularly responsible one.

"If we catch him now we could hold him for three years. Will I hunt him? If I get time, but I'm afraid I shall have to leave the search mostly to our patrol agents. When he is found I'll have to look him over a little but I'm inclined to the notion of letting the other boys straiten him out.

"Don't think our farm is an experiment, please. It is working well. The first dozen boys went there three weeks ago. The second dozen will go there this week. Bats and balls have arrived and the boys already at New Hampton are hoping hard that the new batch will get there in time for a game on Sunday."

Miss Davis said that Eddie White was originally "sent up" for petty larceny, the details of which she did not recall.

"He is not a gangster," she added.

## Tight Hats—No Hair, No Hair—Wigs—Q. E. D.

Withita, Kan., March 30.—An audience of clubwomen heard with alarm today the address of Dr. J. W. Cehultz, a prominent physician of this city, who told them that if they kept up the present styles in headgear—tight-fitting hats and head bands—they would soon find themselves parting with their own crowning glory. He said there would be an epidemic of baldness among women if they didn't watch out.

The physician said he had made a special study of the modern styles of women's body and head gear, and that they were similar to those of the ancient Egyptians.

"And you know what happened to the women of Egypt—they go bald," he said. "It's a good thing they invented wigs along with the new styles in hats, for many of those who adopt the tight hat will find that after the hat craze has passed they will need wigs. Any band around the forehead and lower part of the head stops the circulation, and that causes the hair to die invariably."

## A New Series of Pictures

A treat that will extend over a period of several months will be commenced in The Philadelphia Press on Sunday, April 5th, when the first of Jos. Clement Coll's "Peggy-on-the-Pulse" series of drawings will appear. The famous pen and ink artist will publish both text and pictures. The introductory picture will be in colors. "Peggy" wants to write. She wants to know life as it is. "I will have my fingers on the Pulse" she says. The resulting adventures with Bob, her companion and chaperone, give Coll opportunities to use his astonishing gift of portrayal and he does it well.

A new series by Harold MacGrath commences on April 12th in The Press.

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Senator Simmons Gets Positive As-  
surance that the \$20,000 Will  
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mons came from the Postoffice De-  
partment today bearing good news.  
He says he was assured by officials  
there that North Carolina will get the  
\$20,000 for road building which was  
so rudely jerked away some time ago.  
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the Winston-Salem-Statesville route,  
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begging.

GODWIN MAKES LIST PUBLIC.

Representative Godwin today made  
public a second list of eligibles to po-  
sitions as fourth-class postmasters  
in North Carolina, a list furnished  
him by the Postoffice Department. He  
is the only North Carolina Congres-  
sman who has allowed the eligible list  
in his district to be published. The  
others have made no announcement  
until their recommendations were  
made. Mr. Godwin has made no rec-  
ommendations yet, but will announce  
same in a day or two.

"I believe the people who are in-  
terested in these postoffices should  
know not only the name of the post-  
master recommended, but also the  
others who passed the examination,"  
said Mr. Godwin tonight. "The peo-  
ple in the community have a right to  
be heard if they have any choice of a  
postmaster. I believe in publicity in  
matters of this sort."

It will be many days before all these  
fourth-class offices are filled. In a  
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three eligibles on the list. In case  
there are less than three an appoint-  
ment may be made or the Civil Ser-  
vice Commission can hold another ex-  
amination or examinations until there  
are three on the list. Then a selec-  
tion can be made from one of these  
three. This will prolong the agony in  
several towns where the people or  
the congressman may not be satis-  
fied with one or two men who may  
be eligible. If three are on the list,  
however, one of them must be ap-  
pointed unless all are so unsuitable  
that an appointment is impossible.

The following is the list of eligibles  
made public by Mr. Godwin:  
Hope Mills—John M. Morgan, John  
T. Bynum, Mrs. Hannah J. Pate.  
Buies—Albert Britt, only eligible.  
Boardman—Troy Hester, George W.  
Brown, only eligibles.  
Bughill—Pearson A. Stanley, only  
eligible.  
Hallsboro—Joseph B. Wych, John  
W. Hall, only eligibles.  
Evergreen—Ashley M. Benton.

**BUSINESS LOCALS**

Wanted—25 good drivers. Good  
wages, good foreman. Pay every two  
weeks.

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Walnut Cove, N. C.

Golden Yellow Pippins and Fancy  
Wine Saps at Strader's.  
Ladies' beautiful Night Gowns and  
Corset Covers 25¢ each Saturday at  
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Buchanan's 5-10 & 25¢ Store.

Call No. 526 when you want apples.

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on Hall Street. Apply to A. A. Apple,  
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Buy your seed potatoes from home  
folks in whom you have confidence,  
then you run no risk getting stung.  
Genuine Maine Grown at Merchants  
Supply Co.

Car Genuine Maine Grown, Cob-  
blers, Early Rose and Red Bliss seed  
potatoes at Merchants Supply Co.

FOURTH CLASS POSTMASTERS

The following fourth class postmas-  
ters were appointed today having se-  
cured eligibility through the State-  
wide examination held in February.  
In Congressman Page's district:  
Wadeville, Ernest B. Wade.  
Wallburg, George W. Clinard,  
Hunting Creek, Mrs. Jennie C.  
Wright.

Trinity, I. R. Payne.  
Millboro, Miss G. M. Pugh.  
Boonville, H. W. Reece.  
Biscoe, David J. McLeod.  
Broadway, J. D. Thomas.  
High Falls, Claude H. Gaviness.  
Hoffman, G. C. Baldwin.  
Indian Trail, James W. Roberts.  
Newsom, H. Val Badgett.  
Norman, Wm. D. Blue.  
Osborne, N. B. Nicholson.  
Candor, A. A. Maness.  
Eagle Springs, L. A. Kelly.  
In Congressman Doughton's Dis-  
trict:  
Beaver Creek, R. A. Hamilton.  
Clifton, Charles R. Latham.  
Furchee, Mrs. Cynthia R. Tallart.  
Harrisburg, D. L. Morrison.  
Granite Falls, W. M. Moore.  
Mertimer, R. L. Farriss.  
Elmwood, E. L. Long.  
Harmony, Mrs. Margaret Nichol-  
son.  
Olin, James A. Weisner.  
Blowing Rock, T. H. Coffey.  
Blooms, Mrs. Sallie J. Rivers.

STORY IS RELATED OF REBEL  
DEFEAT.

Although General Villa Makes Pro-  
gress Slaughter Compels Him to  
Recuperate.

Chihuahua, Mexico, April 2.—Not  
since the battle began at Torreón has  
a day passed without the arrival here  
of a train oad of wounded from the  
ranks of General Villa's army. To-  
day's train brought some of the more  
seriously wounded and every carpen-  
ter in the city was busy making cots.  
From stories told by the wounded  
it was learned that the first rebel  
advance on General Velasco's feder-  
al garrison in Torreón and Gomez Pa-  
lacio resulted in a slaughter of reb-  
els, in which about 2,600 were killed  
or wounded within a few hours. A  
series of blunders is blamed for the  
heavy loss.  
All trustworthy accounts agree that  
the rebels' first attack was unsuc-  
cessful and that their combined  
forces although better equipped with  
field guns than they ever previously  
had been fully confident they would  
frighten the federals into a retreat.

were forced to retire in the begin-  
ning of the fight.

First the rebels were reported to  
have blundered in opening fire on their  
own men. Two accounts were given  
for this mistake. One was that a  
column of Rebel artillery trained over  
their mark and poured shells into the  
ranks of General Aguirre Benavides  
force, on the opposite side of Gomez  
Palacio. Another story was that a  
troop of rebels entered Gomez with-  
out orders, and the rest of the army,  
thinking them Federals, opened fire  
and killed many.

To add to the misfortunes of the  
rebels' first attack, according to de-  
tails gleaned from the wounded, they  
were lured into a section of Torreón  
under the impression that the fed-  
erals had fled. Suddenly they discov-  
ered they were under direct fire of  
well sheltered federal guns, which  
mowed them down by the scores. Many  
rebels were wounded as they attempt-  
ed to withdraw.

These were among the events that  
happened during the two or three  
days when the censor at the front  
refused to permit messages to be  
transmitted north.

General Villa, before he left for  
the south, emphatically declared that  
when the assault on Torreón once be-  
gan it would not last long, as he was  
prepared to fight it through without  
having to withdraw to rest his men.  
The stubborn resistance by the fed-  
eral garrison apparently has caused  
Villa to change his plans, for ship-  
ments of ammunition have been going  
south steadily, and it is reported that  
Villa, while holding some important  
positions in and about Torreón, real-  
ly has stopped aggressive fighting  
to recuperate from the first hard  
blow.

FINES IN GAMBLING CASE.

Solicitor Gattis Says That Publicity  
Has Punished The Students Se-  
verely—Cartmell Pays \$20.

Hillsboro, April 2.—Jack Sparrow  
did not show up today when the  
gambling cases against the University  
students, Nat Cartmell and others  
were settled, and he forfeited his  
bond.

The boys submitted without trial.  
Nat Cartmell, Tracy team coach, was  
fined \$20 and costs; W. J. Patterson,  
druggist, \$20 and costs, and Floyd  
Booker, automobile man, \$20 and the  
costs. The students, J. D. Kernode,  
Julius Johnson, Jr., F. C. Jones, G.  
B. Crowell, J. E. Ware, and Ralph  
Andrews, were fined only \$10 each.

Solicitor S. M. Gattis asked the  
court to be as lenient as possible. He  
said that the young fellows had been  
severely punished by the great notori-  
ety into which they had been  
brought by the newspapers and he  
thought a small fine enough punish-  
ment. Judge C. C. Long, of Eliza-  
abethtown, is trying the docket and  
imposed the penalty.

Many Chapel Hill boys were here  
and there was great interest in the  
case.

The failure of Sparrow to appear  
results in forfeiture of his \$25 bond,  
about the same as the fines of Cart-  
mell, Booker and Patterson.

Rube Waddell Has Pitched His Last  
Game.

San Antonio, Tex., April 1.—Geo.  
E. Waddell, the famous "Rube," as  
he was known wherever baseball is  
played, died at a sanitarium here  
late today a victim of tuberculosis.  
Waddell, until several years ago, one  
of the greatest of baseball pitchers,  
came to west Texas four months ago  
already weakened by pulmonary trou-  
ble, but buoyant and hopeful that a  
few months would see him restored to  
health and "back in the game." He  
lived on a ranch near Boerne, but in-  
stead of improving, his strength di-  
minished from day to day until his

condition became so acute last week  
that he was brought to a sanitarium  
here.

John Waddell, "Rube's father, and  
his mother arrived from Boerne two  
hours after their son died. A sister  
who lives here is the only surviving  
relative. Interment will be here to-  
morrow.

George Edward Waddell, one of the  
greatest of pitchers was noted nearly  
as much for his eccentricities as for  
his ability as a ball player. In the  
17 years he spent in professional  
baseball he held positions with 12  
teams. His longest term of service  
was with the Philadelphia Americans,  
where under the watchful eye of Con-  
nie Mack, he pitched winning ball for  
a half dozen seasons.

Waddell's inability to keep in con-  
dition discouraged most other man-  
agers and was indirectly responsible  
for his contracting tuberculosis, which  
caused his death. There was no bet-  
ter pitcher than he when he was in  
form, but he, as well as managers  
and club owners, was aware of his  
powerlessness to resist temptation.  
As a result of his weakness, the larg-  
est salary he ever received was \$3,000  
a year.

Waddell shared with Robert Glade  
the strike-out record of the American  
league. On July 29, 1908, while pitch-  
ing for the St. Louis Americans, to  
whom he had just been released by  
Mack, he fanned 16 of the Athletics,  
his former teammates.

Waddell was born in Butler, Pa.,  
October 13, 1876. When 20 years  
old he pitched his first professional  
ball with the Oil City (Pa.) team and  
the next year after a brief career  
with the Volant College (Pa.) nine,  
entered "big league" baseball as a  
member of the Louisville National  
league team. The pace was a bit too  
fast for him, however, and after a  
few weeks' engagement with Detroit  
he returned to his native State and  
joined the Homestead team.

In 1899 a scout for the Columbus  
team recommended him and he was  
drafted by that organization. The  
next year he was attached to the  
Louisville Club, but when the Pitts-  
burgh players were transferred to Pitts-  
burgh, he went along. The American  
league war, signal for a general period  
of players "jumping" gave Waddell  
the opportunity for another change  
and he became a member of the Mil-  
waukee team in 1900.

Waddell joined the Chicago Nation-  
als in 1901 and pitched a few games  
for the team under Jack Doyle. In  
1902 he jumped the Chicago club to  
the Los Angeles "outlaws" but again  
returned to organized ball, joining the  
Athletics.

From 1902 to 1908 he was a star  
of Mack's team and then, showing  
indications of a return to his old hab-  
its, Waddell was sold to the St. Louis

team, where he was a member of the  
staff of the team.

Waddell was a member of the  
American League team in 1908, but at the  
end of the season he was released to  
Newark.

The Minneapolis Club bought Wad-  
dell in 1910, and he was two years  
with that club. Illness began to get  
the better of him and last spring he  
was added to the roster of the Min-  
neapolis Northern league club.

M. E. Cantillon, of the Minneapolis  
club, sent Waddell to Texas last fall  
in an effort to prolong his life. Wad-  
dell at the time told old friends he  
was soon to die.

Triple Murder in Tennessee.

Clinton, Tenn., April 1.—Mystery  
surrounds the killing near here early  
today of three members of the Se-  
viers family. Millard Seviere was  
shot through the back of the head at  
his home three miles from this city  
and a short time later, three miles  
away, the bodies of his father and  
mother, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Seviere,  
were found lying in the dining room of  
their home.

Officers who spent the day investi-  
gating the tragedy could discover no  
definite clue. The coroner's jury like-  
wise could get nothing on which to  
render a verdict placing the blame.  
Millard Seviere's wife told the officials  
that she was awakened early today  
by a revolver shot and that she in-  
vestigated and found the body of her  
husband lying on the floor with blood  
from a bullet hole in the back of his  
head. His revolver was beneath him.

Mrs. Seviere swooned, she said, and  
does not know how long she remained  
unconscious. On recovering she sum-  
moned help and sent a messenger to  
the home of her husband's parents.

Unable to arouse any one of the  
elder Seviere, the messenger investi-  
gated and found the bodies of the  
aged man and his wife. Both of the  
Seviere were prosperous farmers. The  
elder Seviere was 65 years of age and  
the son 35.

Commissioners Sell Mill Site at Ra-  
leigh.

Raleigh, April 3.—Formal action  
transferring the five-acres of the city  
farm to the new Raleigh Cotton Oil  
Mill Company was taken up by the  
City Commissioners at their meeting  
yesterday at noon. Commissioner Sea-  
well was absent, but the resolution  
granting the sale was passed by Com-  
missioners Johnson and King. The  
city attorney was directed to have the  
deed drawn up and transferred to  
the company at once.

The price paid for the five acres  
that were purchased by the new com-  
pany was \$500 an acre, being a total  
of \$2,500. The agreement to sell was  
reached last week, and the company  
has since that time been actively en-

gaged in getting its affairs in  
shape for what it may begin to do  
promptly. The engineers for the  
Mill Company have already arrived  
here, and are busily engaged in lay-  
ing off the ground.

The new mill is to cost not less than  
\$75,000, and will be completed in time  
for operation in the early fall. The  
company will be ready for business  
by the time the first cotton seeds are  
placed on the market here in Septem-  
ber, and they will handle a large part  
of the business done in this section.

Report that Another Man Will Take  
Speer's Place.

Savannah, Ga., March 31.—Unof-  
ficial announcement was made here  
late today that Federal Judge Grubb  
of the Northern District of Alabama  
will conduct the United States Court  
here, commencing May 13, instead of  
Judge Speer, of the Southern District  
of Georgia. Judge Speer, whose offi-  
cial acts recently were investigated  
by a subcommittee of the House Ju-  
diciary Committee to determine  
whether impeachment proceedings  
against him should be recommended,  
recently announced that he would hear  
no cases pending final action in the  
investigation. The House Subcom-  
mittee has not yet made its report.

Among the cases scheduled to come  
up at the next session of the Federal  
Court here is that of the American  
Naval Stores Company, charged with  
being an organization in restraint of  
trade.

Mail Clerk Charged With \$20,000  
Theft.

Harrisburg, Pa., March 31.—Wil-  
liam R. Baum, aged 30, a mail clerk  
in the Harrisburg postoffice, was ar-  
rested today, charged with having  
stolen \$20,000 from the mail.

It is alleged that two packages,  
each containing \$10,000 in currency,  
were taken from the mails July 6,  
1912. The money was being sent to  
a bank in New York.

Doggone it all, we wish they would  
let Brother Hearst fight somebody.—  
Greensboro News.

The butter trust is strong, to be  
sure, but not strong enough for the  
department of justice.—Greensboro  
News.

"Who are the bosses?" the Raleigh  
Times enquires for to know. Who  
said "bosses," Esteemed?—Greens-  
boro News.

Dr. Wiley boasts that his eldest son,  
now 23 years old, speaks Latin as  
well as English. This is the most im-  
pressive argument in favor of pure  
food that we have met.—Greensboro  
News.

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**LOCAL AND PERSONAL**

Mrs. Fannie Kernode, of McCray, was in town Thursday shopping.

Mr. J. A. Wood was a recent visitor in Greensboro.

Mrs. D. L. Lang, of Lynchburg, Va., is in town on business for a few days.

Miss Juanita Ross, of Durham, is spending some time the guest of her parents.

Mr. A. J. Snipes, of Orange Grove, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Patterson.

Mr. G. C. Pickett, of Chapel Hill, was the guest of Mr. S. C. Patterson Thursday.

Mr. Manley Snipes, of near Hillsboro, is the guest of Mr. Horlis Patterson today.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Garrison, of near Union Ridge, were shopping visitors in town Thursday.

Mrs. Levi Burke was carried Wednesday to St. Leo's Hospital, Greensboro, for an operation.

Mrs. C. C. Anderson and children, of Greensboro, are the guest of relatives for a few days.

Mr. Herman Stansell, of Greensboro, spent a few days recently in town, the guest of his parents.

Mr. Jack Mitchell, of Winston-Salem, spent a few days recently in town the guest of relatives.

Mr. N. A. Thomy left Wednesday for McCall, S. C., where he will spend some time the guest of his brother.

The condition of Mr. W. W. Coble, who was carried to St. Leo's Hospital some weeks ago, is slightly improved.

Mrs. W. J. Martin and daughter returned Tuesday from High Point, where they spent several days the guest of relatives.

Miss Agnes Wood, bookkeeper for the Southern Bell-Telephone Co., was carried to the hospital Thursday for an operation for appendicitis.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Watson, of Elm City, are on an extended visit here the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Vaughn.

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 In the quarries should you toil,  
 Make your mark;  
 Do you delve upon the soil,  
 Make your mark;  
 In whatever path you go,  
 In whatever place you stand,  
 Moming swift of moving slow,  
 With a firm and honest hand  
 Make your mark.

Should opponents hedge your way,  
 Make your mark;  
 Work by night or work by day,  
 Make your mark;  
 Struggle manfully and well,  
 Let no obstacle oppose;  
 None, right-shielder, ever fell—  
 By the weapons of his foes  
 Make your mark.

What though born a peasant's son;  
 Make your mark;  
 Good by poor men can be done;  
 Make your mark;  
 Peasant's garbs may warm the cold,  
 Peasant's words may calm a fear;  
 Better far than hoarding gold  
 Is the drying of a tear;  
 Make your mark.

Life is fleeting as a shade;  
 Make your mark;  
 Marks of some kind must be made;  
 Make your mark;  
 Make it while the arm is strong,  
 In the golden hours of youth;  
 Never, never, make it wrong;  
 Make it with the stamp of truth;  
 Make your mark.

**I Loved You Better Than You Knew.**  
 It was the autumn of the year;  
 The strawberry-leaves were red and  
 sear;  
 October's airs were fresh and chill,  
 When, pausing on the windy hill,  
 The hill that overlooks the sea,  
 You talked confidingly to me—  
 Me, whom your keen artistic sight  
 Has not yet learned to read aright,  
 Since I have veiled my heart from you,  
 And loved you better than you knew.

You told me of your toilsome past;  
 The tardy honors won at last;  
 The trials borne, the conquest gained,  
 The longed-for Loon of Fame attained;

I knew that every victory  
 But lifted you away from me,  
 That every step of high emprise,  
 But left me lowlier in your eyes;  
 I watched the distance as it grew,  
 And loved you better than you knew.

You did not see the bitter trace  
 Of anguish sweep across my face;  
 You did not hear my proud heart beat,  
 Heavy and slow beneath your feet;  
 You thought of triumphs still unwon,  
 Of glorious deeds as yet undone;  
 And I, the while you talk to me,  
 I watched the gulls float lonesomely,  
 Till lost amid the hungry blue,  
 And loved you better than you knew.

You walk the sunny side of fate;  
 The wise world smiles and calls you  
 great;  
 The golden fruitage of success  
 Drops at your feet in plenteousness;  
 And you have blessings manifold,  
 Renew and power and friends and  
 gold;  
 They build a wall between us twain,  
 Which may not be thrown down again;  
 Alas! for I, the long years through,  
 Have loved you better than you knew.

Your life's proud aim, your art's high  
 truth,  
 Have kept the romise of your youth;  
 And while you won the crown which  
 now  
 Breaks into bloom upon your brow,  
 My soul cried strongly out to you  
 Across the ocean's yearning blue:  
 While, unremembered and afar,  
 I watched you as I watch a star  
 Through darkness struggling into  
 view,  
 And loved you better than you knew.

I used to dream in all these years  
 Of patient faith and silent tears,  
 That Love's strong hand would put  
 aside  
 The barriers of place and pride,  
 Would reach the pathless darkness  
 through  
 And draw me softly up to you;  
 But that is past. If you should stray  
 Beside my grave, some future day,  
 Perchance the violets o'er my dust  
 Will half betray their buried trust,  
 And say, their blue eyes full of dew:  
 "She loved you better than you  
 knew."  
 —Elizabeth Akers Allen.

**Get Free Car Fare on Toledo Cars.**  
 Toledo, O., March 31.—Thousands of citizens of Toledo continued to ride free today on cars operated by the Toledo Railway & Light Co., the city solicitor having advised that passengers refuse to pay a fare of more than three cents as provided by an ordinance that recently went into effect, and the company declining to accept anything but a fare of five cents. Persons who insisted that they would pay more than the three-cent fare were allowed to ride free, the company declining to recognize the ordinance over which litigation has been initiated.



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**Killed in Defense of Her Honor and Name.**  
 After Mrs. Charles Chapman told the court that she killed her uncle, Sidney Chapman, because he was guilty of improper conduct toward her, Justice Fox, presiding at her preliminary trial at Calhoun, Ga., ordered the woman's immediate release and she was restored to freedom.

Mrs. Chapman's confession was not unexpected, as her lawyers had announced that she probably would make an important statement in connection with the killing. Ten days ago the body of Sidney Chapman was found lying outside the door of Mrs. Lizzie Stearnes' home. Mrs. Stearnes and her daughter, Mrs. Chas. Chapman, were arrested as suspects and Charles Chapman later was taken into custody on the same charge.

At the preliminary hearing many witnesses were introduced by the State, some of whom testified they had heard Mrs. Chapman threaten the life of the dead man.

After the prosecution closed its case, Mrs. Stearnes was called as first witness for the defense. She said she knew nothing of the killing. After a brief consultation by the attorneys for the defense, Mrs. Charles Chapman was introduced and made her statement.

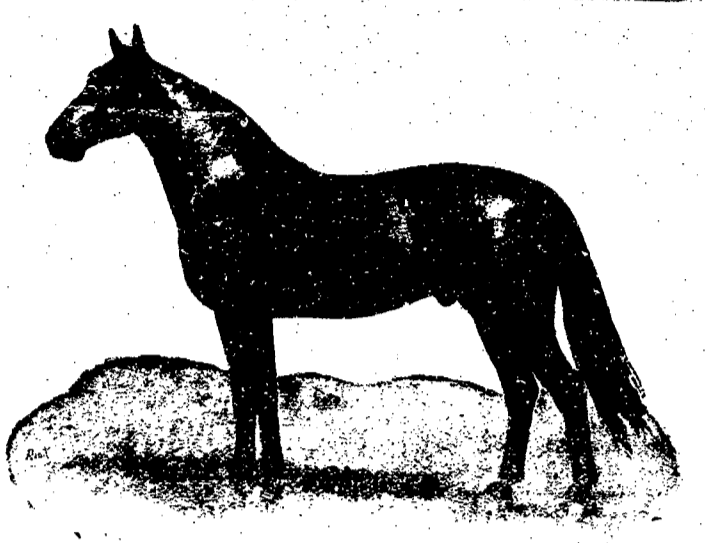
Simply and directly she told her story of how she shot her uncle. "It was I who killed Sidney Chapman," she said. "I did it to defend my honor and my good name. He had pursued me and continually thrust his unwelcome attentions on me. I said nothing to my mother because I knew it would worry her. "On Friday Sidney came to me and threatened me. That night I loaded the shot-gun and set it by my bed.

"Between 3 and 4 o'clock in the morning Sidney woke me, threatening to kill me if I uttered a word. He told me to follow him, and, in the darkness I secured the gun.

"Sidney went out the door and into the yard. I didn't follow, and when he turned to come back for me, I shot him and he fell dead, there outside the door."

As Mrs. Chapman finished, the spectators in the crowded court room cheered. There was renewed applause when Justice Clark ordered her restored to liberty. It was reported that the matter probably will be presented to the grand jury later.

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Danish authorities thesehndhrd papers of the lighters and the steamer, whose commanders were ordered to await further instructions. Today

Failed to Harmonize.  
 Lincoln, Neb., Mar. 30.—The meeting here today of the two rival Republican State Committees in the interest of harmony failed to effect a union. Instead, each committee voted to maintain its separate identity, but the chairman of each was asked to issue a call for a state convention at Lincoln July 28, and each was empowered to invite the other to cooperate in the holding of this convention.

The committees met simultaneously, but in separate rooms. Each committee voted to continue its organization, and then both adopted resolutions fixing identical dates for the State convention and adjourned.



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### GENERAL FEATURES

Victory Perches on Summit of the Administration by Dueshove Vote of 247 to 161.

Washington, Mar. 31.—The National House of Representatives today, after one of the most spectacular legislative struggles in the history of the nation, voted to repeal the provision of the Panama Canal Act, exempting American vessels from the payment of tolls. The vote on the repeal bill was 247 to 161, a majority of 86 votes, in support of the personal plea of Woodrow Wilson, President of the United States.

**IT WAS A STIRRING DAY.**  
This verdict on the issue which has absorbed congress for many weeks came at the close of a stirring day, made memorable in the annals of the House by a party division which found Speaker Champ Clark, Majority Leader Underwood, and other Democratic chieftains lined up in open opposition to the President on an issue which the latter declared vital to his conduct of the nation's foreign policy.

**FIRST PARTY STRUGGLE.**  
Today's result was the first struggle within the party since Democracy took control of the government one year ago. Tomorrow the bill goes to the Senate, where the fight will be renewed with all the vigor and determination that attended it in the lower House.

**IN "UNGRUDGING MEASURE."**  
On the final vote 220 Democrats in the House stood by the President, giving him in "ungrudging measure" what he had asked "for the honor of the nation" in its foreign relations. 25 Republicans and two progressives also voted to sustain the President. 52 Democrats followed Speaker Clark and Leader Underwood to defeat.

**NOTHING COULD STEM TIDE.**  
Nothing it seemed, could stem the tide of administration success. Speaker Clark, for nearly 22 years a member of the House, made the speech of his life to forestall what he termed "unquestionable degradation" of the nation. In this he failed, but he did smooth over the party breach with kindly words for his adversaries, praise for President Wilson and an unqualified denial of any vaulting ambition on his own behalf.

**WILSON SAYS NOTHING.**  
President Wilson was at dinner when the result of the vote was announced. He was gratified, but made no comment.

In the Senate the bill will be referred to the committee on inter-oceanic canals, of which Senator O'Gorman, of New York, a vigorous opponent of the measure, is chairman. Senator O'Gorman has said he would call a meeting of the committee immediately to consider the bill. That there will be a fight in committee is certain. Senator Owen is leading the fight for the President there.

**TWO OR THREE WEEKS MORE.**  
The committee will have many proposals before it, several in the nature of compromises, some resembling a motion of the House Minority today to recommit the repeal bill and to repeal the exemption clause with a declaration that the United States should have complete sovereignty over the canal. This motion in the House was defeated by a vote of 232 to 176. It will be the aim of the administration senators to have the repeal reach its final vote within two or three weeks.

Washington, March 31.—The scene in the House chamber when Speaker Clark yielded the gavel to Representative Underwood, the majority leader to defend his course in the great controversy, probably was unrivaled in the history of American legislation. Never before, within the recollection of the oldest members, had the galleries been so packed with interested spectators. Outside the galleries the corridors were jammed with disappointed hundreds. On the floor, nearly every member was in his seat. Even the Senate had adjourned and scores of Senators occupied seats on the floor.

It was a rare political stage setting that this throng witnessed. Standing before them, while Republican and Democratic members cheered him to the echo, was the sturdy, big-framed, silver-haired Speaker with resolution beaming on his countenance, his thin lips clenched tightly, his face pale and stern. Behind him, pounding for order was Mr. Underwood. There they were awaiting the climax of the long debate, these two leaders of the Democratic party, heading the first revolt in the party ranks since Democracy put Woodrow Wilson in the White House. Even those Democrats who for the first time had turned their backs on their immediate leaders and stood respectfully by the President throughout the fight were impressed at this scene. The interest was tense as Speaker Clark began to speak, and his first

words in support of the President and that country that the President had personally were at once, seemed to spread over the assembly—particularly the Democratic side of the House, a feeling of relief.

**CLARK PRAISES PRESIDENT.**  
At the outset the Speaker read his address, but soon he got into his old time oratorical swing and was hammering home with sweeping gestures his deliberately delivered words. When he praised the patriotic motives of President Wilson he was interrupted by applause. His emphatic declaration that with those who charged him with attempting to disrupt the party "the wish was father of the thought" was applauded by every member on the floor.

**NEVER DREAMED OF BOLTING.**  
The Speaker minced no words as he attacked newspapers which he declared had assailed him in this fight, and in referring to the charge that he was "bolting the President," he exclaimed: "Merciful God! what an idiotic phrase."

**GREETED WITH APPLAUSE.**  
Throughout the speech there was not a dull moment. Repeatedly he was cheered and the echoes of the plaudits rang through the reverberating halls of the Capitol in frequent waves. The Speaker talked calmly when he referred to the Baltimore Convention, and when he told his colleagues he was mindful of the fact that his course in this crisis might mean the end of his public career, there was no evidence of regret or of alarm in his voice or demeanor.

The Speaker said he had no harsh words to speak of any of his colleagues who had criticized him, but he referred to some of them—Representative Henry, of Texas, who led the fight for the cloture rule on the repeal bill; Representative Sherley and Representative Hardwick, who had aided in that fight. The House was moved to uproarious laughter when the Speaker said, referring to Mr. Hardwick:

"So far as the Gentleman from Georgia is concerned, I say: 'Shoo fly! Don't bother me, Shoo fly, don't bother me.'"

The House listened attentively to the Speaker's argument against the tolls repeal, his assertion that he believed the President was mistaken, his argument that the Canadian Pacific Railroad and the Tenahuetepec National Railway would most profit by the toll exemption, and his eloquent appeal against yielding anything to Great Britain holding the interest to the end. The Speaker remained a commanding figure, interrupted by applause as he proceeded.

Almost prayerfully he concluded, lowering his voice to say: "Now, may the God of our fathers who nerved 3,000,000 backward Americans to fling their gage of battle into the face of the mightiest monarch in the world, who guided the hand of Jefferson in writing the charter of Liberty, who sustained Washington and his ragged and starving army amid the awful horrors of Valley Forge, and who gave them complete victory on the blood-stained heights of Yorktown, may He lead members to vote so as to prevent this stupendous folly—this unquestionable degradation of the American Republic."

**HOUSE ROSE EN MASSE.**  
Speaker Clark had finished. As he walked from his place, the House en masse, Democrats, Republicans and Progressives alike, cheered him. When order could be restored Representative Adams took the floor to close the long debate.

Republican Leader Mann told the House three questions were involved in a repeal of the Panama tolls exemption—treaty rights, moral rights apart from treaty construction and the economic question involved. The economic question might be changed at anytime, he said, but a decision on treaty rights must be a lasting one. He maintained that no construction of the Hay-Pauncefote treaty compelled the United States to charge the same tolls on its own ships or those of other nations.

**CAN'T SEE APPLICATION.**  
"A reading of the rules to be observed by nations to receive equal treatment," he said, "plainly discloses that they are not applicable to the United States or Panama."  
"England's attempt to secure her construction of the treaty at this time is not for its present effect. It is for the long distant future. If we construe the treaty according to English claims, it is sure to rise and embarrass us whenever we have war with other countries. War is not desirable, but it is inevitable. We cannot always maintain peace."  
"If we agree now to the English construction, it is certain that in the future when we have a war with Japan or China, or some other country questions will arise in reference to their use and our use of the canal."

with the construction of the canal, but not ally of Japan, or by some other country that we have already constructed that treaty in such a way that we cannot protect the canal without bringing a protest from England or other countries which will embarrass us if we do not, in the war.

"I want to treat England fairly, but I believe that under the construction of the treaty we have the right to do as we please in this matter and that it is an unfriendly act of England now, at this late date, to insist upon any other construction."

Speaker Clark, closing the debate against the repeal, disappointed those who expected him to attack President Wilson. He disclaimed any personal issue with the President, declared he believed Mr. Wilson was actuated by the highest patriotic motives, and that there was no breach in the Democratic party. He argued at length against the President's contention and declared that "The Amazing request of the President for a repeal, like the peace of God, passeth all understanding." He added that if the President had reasons "which are not utterly untenable and which compel him to make this request," he had not made them to the House. He differed with the President's statement that toll exemption was "a mistaken economic policy," but admitted dispute on that point, proposed that the exemption be suspended two years. He contended that the President was mistaken in his view that the exemption was regnant to the Hay-Pauncefote treaty.

**"FACE THE WORLD IN ARMS."**  
"We want war with no nation," said the speaker, "but rather surrender our right to complete sovereignty over every square foot of our globe encircling domain, we will cheerfully and courageously face a world in arms." He attacked the attitude of House Democrats who have led the President's fight for the toll exemption repeal.

Referring to published declaration that his opposition to the President was the opening gun of his fight for the nomination in 1916, the Speaker declared he had told all to whom he had spoken about the 1916 situation that if the President's administration was a success, Mr. Wilson would be re-elected, and if it was a failure, "the nomination would not be worth having." As to his own future the Speaker insisted he could be happy without the Presidency or the speakership.

**NO PERSONAL ISSUE.**  
"There is no personal issue between the President of the United States and myself," began Speaker Clark. "I trust there never will be. I have at no time uttered one word of criticism of the President. At no time so far as I am informed, or believe, has the President said one single word of criticism of me."  
"I have never for one moment entertained the opinion that President Wilson is actuated by other than the highest patriotic motives."

"I do not believe the President Wilson has ever entertained any other opinion of us who find it necessary to differ with him on this measure. President Wilson does not desire a breach in the Democratic party. I do not desire a breach in the Democratic party, and there is no breach."  
"I would scorn to believe that President Wilson countenances for one moment the efforts of some of the jacked press to represent that we are seeking to disrupt the Democratic party. With most of those who have asserted that I am seeking to disrupt the party the wish is father to the thought."

**ATTACKS NEW YORK WORLD.**  
Replying to what he called a "scurrilous and slanderous article in the New York World," the speaker said the charge that he had been swayed in his attitude toward the bill by the "ship subsidy interests" was a "base and false insinuation."  
"If any man here believes that slander," shouted the speaker, "let him stand up here now, so that he may be seen by hundreds of witnesses."  
The newspaper he named, he said, "along with every editor in America who hopes to be an ambassador, minister plenipotentiary, consul general or in some other fat and juicy job, has been endeavoring to place me in antagonism to the President ever since the election. These papers declare I am opposing this surrender to Great Britain as an opening gun in my campaign for President in 1916. It may surprise these obsequious courtiers to know that I never hinted to any human being that I would be a candidate. Consequently, their insinuation has been a gratuitous mental degradation."

Continuing, Speaker Clark said: "I never entertained the slightest ill-will toward the President about the Baltimore convention. I wish him well. I did all I could to elect him."

"The fact that I am making this fight for our platform pledges may and my public career. There are many things worse than being defeated for Congress or defeated for the Speakership or even worse than to be defeated for the presidency and one of them is to repudiate the platform on which you are elected."  
"I can be happy without the Presidency. I can be happy without the Speakership. If my constituents should retire me to private life, I can still be happy in the love and affection of my wife and children in the society of my books and in cultivating flowers and trees."

Newspaper attacks, the Speaker charged, had been actuated "to bully and browbeat me into doing an un-American thing—an utterly unjustifiable thing—a thing which will excite the scorn and derision of the civilized world."  
Asserting that he had no criticism for the Democratic colleagues who would vote for repeal, the Speaker pleaded that "if we must differ let us differ in kindness." Then he launched into an argument on the merits of the toll issue.

### HUERTA'S SON IS KILLED.

General Velasco Goes Wildly Insane in the Trenches at Gomez Palacio.  
Juarez, March 31.—The reports that an armistice was in effect between the Mexican federalists and rebels at Torreon in order that General Velasco, the federal commander, might treat for the surrender of the city to General Villa, were today practically confirmed by officers close to General Carranza here. It was impossible to learn from General Carranza himself whether or not the report was true, but it was stated on high authority that he had received news to that effect from General Villa.

General Velasco went wildly insane while raging up and down the trenches at Gomez Palacio, during one of the seven assaults by the constitutionalists, according to Robert Dorman, a newspaper photographer reaching El Paso, Tex., from the battlefield. The federal soldiers were compelled to lock him in a room until he recovered his senses. Dorman also said that President Huerta's son was killed at Gomez Palacio.

Considerable apprehension is felt here over the safety of British Consul Cummings, of Torreon, who Dorman says was sent by General Villa on Friday to ask General Velasco to surrender. Cummings' failure to return before Dorman left Saturday night caused the starting of a rumor that Velasco had executed him for coming to him with such a communication. Dorman said that the newspaper correspondents at the front agreed that the seven attacks by General Villa, on Gomez Palacio would go down in history as the most striking exhibition of valor in modern history. Dorman said that the rebels finally captured Gomez Palacio charging afoot and carrying old fashioned hand grenades which they would not throw until they ran right up to the enemies rifles.

**Governor Craig Delivered the Address.**  
Raleigh, March 31.—Gov. Locke Craig delivered the address this morning for the presentation of the oil painting of the late Patrick Henry Winston, father of Francis D. George T., and R. W. Winston and Mrs. F. S. Spruill, to the supreme court, Chief Walter Clark accepted the portrait in a gracious manner.

**Twenty Masked Men Stab Wife Murderer in Heart.**  
Santa Fe, N. M., Mar. 31.—Twenty masked men took Adolfo Padilla, charged with murdering his wife, from the Santa Fe County jail to the nearest corner today and stabbed him repeatedly. He probably will die. The party overpowered the jailer and taking his keys, opened Padilla's cell and dragged him out.  
The mob quietly dispersed, leaving Padilla nearly dead in the street. Relatives of his wife found her dying at the home of her mother last Saturday. Her throat had been slashed with a razor and both wrists were cut.

**Hazard, Ky., Inundated.**  
Lexington, Ky., March 31.—Reports reaching here today from the mountain section stated that while the torrential rains that pelted that section during the last four days had stopped, Hazard, Ky., was inundated and that Beattyville, Salyersville and West Liberty, Ky., were threatened because the rivers continue to rise.

**Congressman Richardson of Alabama Dies.**  
Birmingham, Ala., Mar. 31.—Judge William Richardson, who had represented the Eighth Alabama District in Congress since his election to fill an unexpired term in the Fifty-sixth session, died at Atlantic City, N. J., today after being in poor health several years.

POOR



## SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON.

The International Sunday School Lesson for Next Sunday, April 5th, 1914.

### Christ's Table Talk.

LUKE 14:7-24.

7 And he put forth a parable to those which were bidden, when he marked how they chose out the chief rooms; saying unto them,

8 When thou art bidden of any man to a wedding, sit not down in the highest room; lest a more honourable man than thou be bidden of him;

9 And he that bade thee and him come and say to thee, Give this man place; and thou begin with shame to take the lowest room.

10 But when thou art bidden, go and sit down in the lowest room; that when he that bade thee cometh, he may say unto thee, Friend, go up higher; then shalt thou have worship in the presence of them that sit at meat with thee.

11 For whosoever exalteth himself shall be abased; and he that humbleth himself shall be exalted.

12 Then said he also to him that bade him, When thou makest a dinner or a supper call not thy friends, nor thy brethren, neither thy kinsmen, nor thy rich neighbors; lest they also bid thee again; and a recompense be made thee.

13 But when thou makest a feast, call the poor, the maimed, the lame, the blind:

14 And thou shalt be blessed; for they cannot recompense thee: for thou shalt be recompensed at the resurrection of the just.

15 And when one of them that sat at meat with him heard these things, he said unto him, Blessed is he that shall eat bread in the kingdom of God.

16 Then said he unto a certain man made a great supper, and bade many:

17 And sent his servant at supper time to say to them that were bidden, Come: for all things are now ready.

18 And they all with one consent began to make excuse. The first said unto him, I have bought a piece of ground, and I must needs go and see it: I pray thee have me excused.

19 And another said, I have bought five yoke of oxen, and I go to prove them: I pray thee have me excused.

20 And another said, I have married a wife, and therefore I cannot come.

21 So that servant came, and shewed his lord these things. Then the master of the house being angry said to his servant, Go out quickly into the streets and lanes of the city, and bring in hither the poor, and the maimed, and the halt, and the blind.

22 And the servant said, Lord, it is done as thou hast commanded, and yet there is room.

23 And the lord said unto the servant, Go out into the highways and hedges, and compel them to come in, that my house may be filled.

The convivial Christ is the central figure in this story. No anchorite or ascetic he, but a frequenter of feasts, a desired dinner-out. Because he spent his early life in a carpenter shop is no warrant for classing Jesus as socially unsophisticated. The three years of his ministry reveal him often in social aspects, and frequently at feasts. The boorishness which regards the possession of evening clothes as a mark of worldliness would do no encouragement from Jesus. He was so true a democrat that he could meet all men on their own level, from the highest to the lowest.

There was good dining over in the trans-Jordan country, even as today. It is a fat land. No traveler can forget the fruits of Damascus. At the time of this lesson Jesus was journeying in Parosa, where the forms of cultivated society were farther advanced even than in Jerusalem. We must see the story in this setting. Oriental hospitality, even to this day, has more of the outward forms of graciousness than we in the West know. In a recent "Atlantic Monthly" Rev. Dr. A. M. Ripley, a Syrian, tells how he at first declined dinner invitations in America, because they were so curt and casual; he was looking for oriental urgency.

Out of the table talk of a dinner party the text of this lesson is taken. Good table talk is the surest mark of good society. How would that of your home look in a book? Not the viands, but the guests and the conversation make a dinner notable. No other comments is needed upon some elaborate dinners that are reported in the daily press than that the guests have to be entertained by hired performers; they have no resources in themselves. To sit at some tables is as good as a college education; while as for others, the school teachers say that all their instructions in proper speech and refined usage are nul-

lified at home. The best stories, the most important news, the discussion of all that is worth-while in the world belong to the dinner table. Even though the roast be tender, if the talk is tough, the dinner is a failure. I know one family with young folks in it that has moved its Encyclopedia Britannica to the dining room, as an aid to profitable talk.

#### "BOUNDERS," THEN AS NOW.

As it was, so it is. The keen words of Jesus concerning the socially ambitious, the persons who thrust themselves forward into prominence, are as up-to-date as though spoken of last night's function. Then, as now, there were "bounders," and "climbers," living to be seen in the right "set," and reverting to the jungle for their code of manners in order to attain this ambition. The selfishness and ruthlessness of it all, and the bitter heartburnings and jealousies engendered, almost pass belief. Of no aspect of life can the Wise Man's words be more truly spoken, "Vanity, of vanities! All is vanity!" The person who seeks a social career as a life goal is due to learn to the full the taste of Apples of Sodom.

Everybody seems to be in a conspiracy to drag down the person who seeks the best seat for himself. Jesus pointed out, in a few luminous sentences, how such an one is sure to be called down; while the wiser, more modest person is set in the higher place. That is social sophistication, as well as good manners and fundamental modesty.

No truer life appraisal was ever made than these words of Jesus: "For every one that exalteth himself shall be humbled; and he that humbleth himself shall be exalted." The shores of social life are strewn with the embittered wrecks of the once proud and self-exalted. And it is as common as sunrise to see persons who despise social attention having it steadily showered upon them. Thus the laws of the kingdom work out in life.

#### HOW A "SET" SWAPS DINNERS.

We rather rub our eyes at the modernity of the conditions revealed by these words of Jesus: "And he said to him also that had bidden him, When thou makest a dinner or a supper, call not thy friends, nor thy brethren, nor thy kinsmen, nor thy neighbors; lest haply they also bid thee again, and a recompense be made thee." That sounds like a present-day social satirist.

The thing we call "society," be it in New York or in Podunk, is made up of an exclusive set who exchange visits and dinners among themselves, the chief charm of which consists in the fact that most other persons in the vicinity are not permitted to participate. Rebellious complaints are heard in private from the members of most "sets," that they have to go out night after dark to meet the very same people over and over again: "Flat, stale and unprofitable" is the verdict of even those who maintain this social barter, with its endless succession of expensive and profitless obligations.

A radical reform was proposed by Jesus. He said that the sensible and useful hospitality is that which is bestowed upon the needy, and the socially non-elect. Pity the shallow and conventionalized homes which never welcome to their table anybody from whom a return invitation may not be expected. They miss the zest and immediate rewards of real hospitality—to put the case on its lowest basis—because they who entertain the strangers sometimes entertain angels unawares. The guest who is on nobody's visiting list often is the most entertaining and profitable. Wayfarers often have an individuality denied to the socially elect, who have lived their commonplace lives in a commonplace way in a commonplace community.

Of course, the teaching runs deeper than this. The latest and wisest expert in sociology is pointing out the supreme place of the individual home in all reform. If there were more attractive homes open to young people there would be fewer on the streets and in the low places of amusement. A wise Christian hostess, administering her home as a talent for God, can fix the ideals of scores of plastic youth, and do truer service for the State than the one who serves on numberless committees and works for assorted reforms. I know one Boston woman who was thus "given to hospitality," and now workers for the world's welfare, scattered all over the earth, bless in their lives. "Back to the home" is a slogan that will be heard increasingly.

#### WHEN TRUTH CROWDS UNCOMFORTABLY.

A wee lassie known to me used to try to divert parental admonitions by saying, "Let's talk about the yellow cow." When truth crowds home, change the subject of conversation. One of the shrewd old Pharisees who reclined at dinner with Jesus, finding the table talk rather too warm for

comfort, piously remarked, seizing upon a phrase of Jesus, "Blessed is he that shall eat bread in the kingdom of God." He tried to use religion as a derailing switch; just as the church members whose business has crooked ramifications, cry "Stick to the simple gospel!" when they find themselves squirming under the preacher's application of truth.

This unctuous pharisaism only stirred Jesus to sterner reproof. The self-complacent religious snobbery of the leading Jews, which made them sure that they were the elect, aroused his indignation. The same sort of smug appearance is found today at old Tiberias, where two sects of rabbis have theological schools, on the traditional assumption that when the Messiah appears he will rise out of the Lake of Galilee, choose his lieutenants from the Tiberias theologians, and then proceed to the neighboring hill of Safed to set up his throne. Just as he could be very tender toward sinners, so Jesus could be very stern toward those who called themselves saints. Cried Frederic Lawrence Knowles:

"Gentle as she who nursed thee at her breast,  
(Yet what a lash of lightning once they tongue,  
To scourge the hypocrite and Pharisee")  
Nerve thou mine arm, O meek, O mighty One."

Countering full and fairly against the pious snobbery of the Pharisee Jesus told a story to illustrate that the first chosen might be the finally left. This parable of the great supper looks two ways: it is a rebuke to the Pharisees and an invitation to the multitude. In passing, the old observation may be repeated that the Master here once more presents the kingdom invitation in the guise of a feast. God has spread his finest repast in the gospel of His Son.

#### THE FREE FOR ALL FEAST.

All things were made ready by the host: the feast was spread. That was the host's party. His chosen failed in theirs: they did not come when called. The invitation was flouted. Shall a man spurn God? That is what is being done every day. The Great Invitation is rejected, with excuses as transparently false as those offered in the lesson today.

One man had bought a field, and must go look at it as if men examined land after purchase, instead of before! Another pleaded that he must try out a new yoke of oxen—which of course, should have been tested before purchase. The third had married a wife; and so, as a settled member of the community, should accept his social responsibilities.

An anecdote relates that one Arab went to another to borrow a rope. The answer came back, "I need it to tie up a bale of water."

"But water is not tied with a rope," was the response.

"Allah permits one to do wonderful things with a rope when he does not want to lend it," said the owner. Of this nature were the excuses of the guests first invited.

"Then the master of the house being angry said to his servants, Go out quickly into the street and lanes of the city, and bring in hither the poor and maimed and blind and lame." Some persons think God is a mollycoddle, and cannot grow indignant. Scripture teaches otherwise. The notion that God is a sort of vast, gelatinous geniality, whom mortal offenses cannot disturb, is as pernicious as it is false. The anger of the Almighty is predicted for those who reject the Great Invitation.

So the invitation was sent running through the lanes and streets of the city, where it reached the poor and maimed and blind and then even out into the highways and hedges, where the very riff-raff were to be found. Of course, the picture sets forth the gospel call to the heathen, and to the uttermost limits of humanity. All through the ages the parable-prophecy has been in course of fulfillment. The Gentiles of old, and the outcasts of India today are showing the greatest zeal to accept that invitation, which the proud and self-righteous refused. The gateway to the feast is inscribed, "Whoever will."

#### SALE OF REAL ESTATE.

Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain deed of trust executed to the undersigned Trustee, on the first day of February, 1911, to secure the payment of six bonds therein and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in book No. 51 of Mortgage Deeds, pages 366-378, conveyed certain real estate to secure said bond and default having been made in the payment of said bonds, the Undersigned Trustee will sell at the court house door in Graham, North Carolina, April 16, 1914, at 12 o'clock M., for cash to the highest bidder the following described tract of land:

Lot No. 1. Situate on Main Street, in the City of Burlington, North Car-

olina, beginning at the N. W. corner of the Fix Building on Main Street, and running with the line of Main Street 15 feet to an iron stake one inch South of the South wall of the Coble Building, thence with Coble's line 100 feet to an iron stake in Laley's line, thence in a southerly direction 15 feet to an iron stake Fix corner, thence with Fix line 100 feet to the beginning.

Lot No. 2. Situate on Davis Street, Burlington, North Carolina, fronting on Davis Street 25 feet front 64 1-4 feet deep, this lot being a part of Lot No. 104 in the plan of the town of Burlington, North Carolina. Said land was conveyed to J. D. Payne by D. F. Lamb and wife under deed bearing date of December 2, 1901, to which deed reference is hereby made. For full description see book No. 25, pages 123-124.

This the 14th day of March, 1914.  
CENTRAL LOAN & TRUST CO.,  
Trustee.

Warning to Users of Turpentine. Washington, March 31.—As the result of an investigation by the United States Department of Agriculture, it has been found that the adulteration of turpentine with mineral oils is so widespread that druggists and manufacturers of pharmaceutical products and grocer's sundries used for medicinal and veterinary purposes should exercise special caution in purchasing turpentine. Those who use turpentine for this purpose, unless they are careful, run the risk of obtaining an adulterated article and unnecessarily laying themselves open to prosecution under the food and drugs act.

It has been found, moreover, that the turpentine sold to the country stores, especially, as usually put out by dealers and manufacturers of grocer's sundries, is often short in volume by as much as 5 or 10 per cent. Dealers, therefore, should also protect themselves through a guarantee from the wholesaler that the bottle contains the full declared volume.

The department has found that turpentine may be adulterated in the South where it is made and that the further it gets from the South the more extensively and heavily it is adulterated.

#### RE-SALE OF THE "POLLY HODGIN" LAND.

Under and by virtue of an order of the Superior Court of Alamance County in which Nancy Carter and others are plaintiffs and Clem Coble and others are defendants, the undersigned commissioners will, on MONDAY, THE 6TH DAY OF APRIL AT 12 O'CLOCK, M., at the Court House door of Alamance County, at Graham, North Carolina, offer for sale to the highest bidder at public auction the following described real estate, to-wit:

Lying and being partly in Alamance and partly in Chatham County, North Carolina, on the waters of the middle rung of Rocky River, adjoining the lands of the late Alfred Pickett, William Pike, Gerton Butler, J. H. Johnson, A. L. Fuqua, W. H. Kimrey, and more particularly bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a stone, said Butler's corner, and running thence West with said Butler's (formerly John Dixon's) line 55 chains to a stone in the County Line; thence South with said County Line 17 chains 50 links to a stone in lot number one; thence East 55 chains 50 links to a small Poplar in said Pickett's line; thence North with a line of said Pickett and Pike 20 chains and 50 links to the beginning, containing 105 acres, more or less; the same being the property described in a Deed executed by K. T. Hodgin and his wife, Julia A. Hodgin, to Artilla Hodgin on the 12th day of August, 1881, and recorded in the Office of the Register of Deeds for Chatham County in Book "B. K." at page 447.

This property is known as the "Polly Hodgin" land, and is situated two miles from Liberty, North Carolina, and upon this land are situated a dwelling house, barn and granary. About one-third of this land is in woods, and the farm is well watered and especially adapted to the production of grain.

TERMS OF SALE: One-third of the purchase price to be paid in cash on date of sale, one-third within six months from date of sale, and the remainder of the purchase price to be paid within twelve months from the date of sale. Interest to be charged on deferred payments at the rate of six per cent. per annum and title to the property to be reserved until the purchase price is paid; however, with option to the purchaser of paying all cash and receiving deed upon confirmation of sale by the Court.

Bidding will start at fourteen hundred and nineteen (\$1419.00) dollars. This the 14th day of March, 1914.

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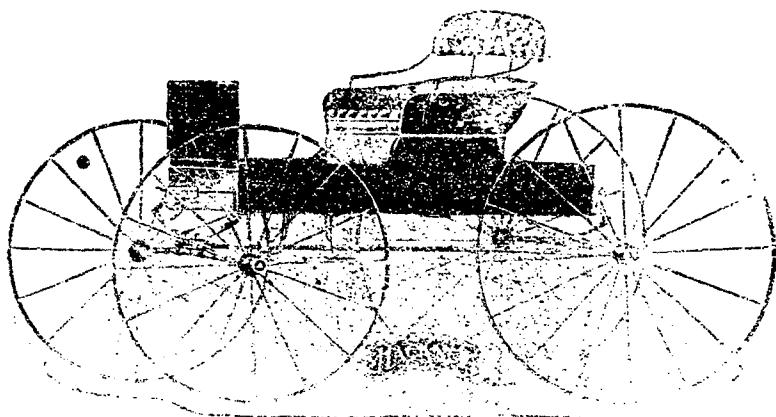
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**HOLT & MAY**

Elon College, April 1.—From the last writing we learned of the death of the young child of Mr. and Mrs. Will Loy. The family have our sympathy.

Several from here spent last week in Greensboro, attending "Every Woman" at the Grand.

April is here. Several pulled off the stunt of trying to April fool everybody.

Mr. J. B. Garringer has resigned his office as revenue officer. We are sorry to hear of Mr. Garringer's resigning as he had done a vast sum of work since he has been an officer.

Mrs. Polly Tickle, who has for some time past been sick, seems to be about the same. We wish her a speedy recovery.

Uncle J. W. Wellons has recently received from the press a neat little 20 page book. This is known as the Wellons' Family Devotion. The object of which is to assist in establishing family worship and systematic Bible reading. The author has been a preacher for 60 years, and is now in his 89th year. The price of the book is only 10 cents. He is not after the money, but is after making Christians.

Miss Ethel Clements gave her annual entertainment in the college chapel last week.

Mr. Grady Smith spent a few days visiting his parents.

Mr. W. M. Paris spent Wednesday visiting his family.

The hum of the saw and the echo of the hammer makes us feel as we are growing daily. Several homes are in course of construction.

Mr. T. A. May, our No. 1 Carrier, seems to be smiling. Guess the Batchelor has found him a girl. Still it's hard to get anything on "Bud."

Several had wood chopping near here for the past 10 days.

"Fatty" spent Monday in Greensboro on the search of a "Chatham" rabbit. Guess the lad will bring him one home some time soon.

Most of the farmers are getting ready for a big crop of tobacco.

Elon Graded School closed last Friday with a big year's success. Mr. R. A. Truitt, principal, assisted by Mrs. Walter L. Smith and Miss Sudie McCawley and Ivey Coble. Wednesday night the college bell called a large crowd to hear the graded school pupils exercises:

"A Soldier's Reprieve," Allie Brown.

Extracts from Berk, Mr. Carl McNally.

"Tommy's Prayer," Miss Lottie Pritchett.

"The Glory of the World," Mr. Mark Ingle.

"The Bridge of a Hundred Spans," Miss Josephine Farmer.

"Patsy," Miss Vera Oldham.

"The New Patriotism," Mr. Lenouis Cox.

"Valedictory," Miss Kathleen Huffman.

This was a well and surprising exercise. Everybody enjoyed it very much.

Work is being rushed on the Michael brick yard.

A gentleman walked into a local store yesterday and the clerk asked, "What can I do for you?" He replied: "I am looking for a jack-leg carpenter. Have you saw Peter James?"

Mrs. M. R. Cook spent Thursday visiting her sister, Mrs. G. R. Somers, on No. 1.

Robbers entered the home of Geo. Pinnix, colored, near Gibsonville, last week and stole two whole hogs. The meat was found by officers near Glen Raven in a hay stack. This is an old thing. Meat has for the past two years disappeared from here and the surrounding country. Why can't the rogue be caught?

Coch Duak is putting the baseball boys down to practice for a big game with the University of West Virginia Easter Monday at Burlington.

Mr. John Pettigrew, who for some time has been real sick, died Thursday night. The remains will be laid to rest in St. Mark's Cemetery to-day (Thursday.)

Don't you want to help up in items? Don't be afraid to let us have them. We want to make these very important. Write them and leave them at Gerringer's Store before Monday noon.

### Chapel Hill News.

Chapel Hill, April 1.—From every section of North Carolina high school debaters and athletes are this week coming to Chapel Hill to participate in State-wide contests. In debate the final contest of the High School Debating Union is the attraction, and in athletics, the second annual interscholastic track meet is the drawing card. Both of these events will be held on the same day, Friday, April 3. The track meet will be held in the afternoon, and the debate will be held in the evening. Accompanying the different teams there will be many superintendents of schools, principals, teachers and friends.

Forty high schools, winners of both debates in the recent triangular contest over the State, will send their representatives to Chapel Hill for the

State-wide contests. Among the teams are: Holly Springs, Kinston, Warsaw, Waverly, Watauga, Graham, Lenoir, Statesville, Winston-Salem, Asheville, Bethania, Belmont, North Wilkesboro, Trouman, Lumberton, Marshville, Dallas, Atkinson, Stems, Lenoir, King, Piney Creek, Glen Alpine, Booneville, Mt. Ulla, Sylvania, New Bern, Whitakers, Pikeville, Mason's Cross, Churchland, Snow Hill, Sparta, Belhaven, Manteo, Gatesville, Stoneville, Leaksville, and Wentworth. This final debate will be the culmination of the one hundred and fifty debates that took place all over the State on March 20, were participated in by six hundred student debaters, and were heard by fully thirty thousand North Carolinians.

The debaters will arrive in Chapel Hill at noon Thursday, April 2. They will be entertained by the different county clubs of the University. The first preliminary for the final debate will be held Thursday evening. The best teams from this preliminary will be selected for a second preliminary Friday morning, April 3rd. From these teams there will be selected one team on each side for the final debate which will be held in Gerrard Hall Friday evening at 8 o'clock.

The schools which will have representatives in the track meet are: Raleigh, Graham, High Point, Asheville, Washington, Oak Ridge, Sanford, Friendship and Huntersville. A trophy cup will be awarded the school whose representatives run up the highest number of points.

Letters of congratulation and good will upon the success of the High School Debating Union are coming in to the committee from every section of the State. Superintendent of the Kenly Schools, writes: "I believe this is the greatest movement Carolina has ever started." The Superintendent of the Garland Schools, says: "Our audience enjoyed the debate very much. We feel greatly benefited through having gone into the contests." The Superintendent of the Jamestown Schools, says: "In addition to the debating in the triangle with Burlington and Graham, our teams will debate the teams from the High Point High School this week. The Debating Union is proving very helpful to the high schools of the Piedmont section." The Superintendent of Bain Academy, says: "On the whole, our debates were fine, and we wish to thank you on behalf of the school and community for the good work you people of the University are doing for the high schools."

Saxapahaw Items.  
Mrs. James Williams returned home Saturday from the Rex Hospital Raleigh, where she has recently undergone an operation.

Mr. J. F. Winingham and Miss Stella Teague, of Swepsonville, visited at J. A. Winingham's Saturday night and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Pickard visited relatives in south Alamance Saturday night and Sunday.

Miss Nellie Williams who has been visiting relatives here for the past month, returned to her home at Lynnum Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Winingham delightfully entertained a number of their friends Saturday evening. Progressive Rook was the game of the evening, and all report a pleasant time.

Messrs. Charles Gibson and Lorenzo Turner, of Hawfields, visited at Mr. J. A. Winingham's Sunday.

The people here have purchased a two hundred dollar organ for the new church and have also purchased new pews and carpets and they expect to have it entirely completed, including the electric lights, by Easter.

Interesting Hillsboro News.  
Hillsboro, March 30.—Samuel Gattis, one of the oldest citizens of Orange county, died at his home near Orange Church, Wednesday morning. Mr. Gattis was the father of Hon. S. M. Gattis, of Hillsboro, solicitor of the ninth judicial district.

Mr. Gattis was 94 years of age and was probably the oldest connecting link between the present time and the American Revolution. His father was a soldier in the war for American independence.

Mrs. Jordan, wife of W. E. Jordan, died at her home in Hillsboro, Thursday. Besides a widower, she leaves a family of little children too young to realize their loss.

A freight train came very near being wrecked here last week when two "hoboes" punctured the air brake. It was thought that they intended stopping over at Hillsboro, but the engineer seemed to have had other plans. They cut into the rubber couplings and brought the train to a dead stop in a few yards. The cars were badly shaken and jostled, but all remained on the track. The hoboes jumped off and made for a get-away. One was last seen crossing the top of Occaneechee mountain. The other struck for the low country. The train crew was going such hot pursuit that he was forced to take to the water. The pursuers, however, succeeded in capturing

him. The man was taken to the Hillsboro Jail, which was to have been conveyed here today, is not in session. Owing to the death of his wife, Judge Lyon was not able to be on hand.

### "NO LYNCHING," SAYS FATHER.

Father of Murdered School Teacher Visits Scene of Murder—Opposite Lynch Law.

Herkimer, N. Y., March 31.—After making a complete confession of the killing of Lyda Beecher, his teacher at the Poland school and later making other statements to Coroner E. P. Hupck, Jean Gianini, 16, early this morning had a talk with his victim's father, the Rev. William A. Beecher, a kindly old gray-haired man.

Later the father visited the scene of the murder, and the people of Poland village told him the murderer would be lynched.

"My friends," the father replied, "two wrongs never make the right. I would have no mob rule. Lynch law is always to be deplored. Let the law take its course."

Peering through the steel bars earlier in the day at the slayer of his daughter, the Rev. Mr. Beecher extended his hand to the youthful murderer and cried out:

"My boy, were you with my daughter Friday night?"

"Yes sir!" was the faint response.

"How long were you with her?"

"About half an hour; maybe longer."

"How did you get my daughter to go up the hill?"

"I met her in the village," Gianini replied, "and we walked to the end of the sidewalk. She did not want to go any further, but I told her that my father was building a house further up the road. I told her she could see the house from the top of the hill and that I wanted her to see my father. So she went up the hill with me. At the top of the hill she said she could not see the house and started back."

The Rev. Mr. Beecher then left the jail and hurried to catch a train to Poland. Arriving there he went to the Gianini home, where he met the boy's father.

"I cannot believe my son is a murderer," said Mr. Gianini. "But if he is I would rather be in your place than in mine," he added sadly. The two men clasped hands silently for a few seconds and then parted.

Herkimer county justice will move swiftly in the case. Today District Attorney Farrell summoned 12 witnesses before the grand jury, and he will call a half dozen more. An indictment charging murder in the first degree, it is expected, will be returned against the boy.

Today the funeral of Miss Beecher was held in the village of Poland. There were brief exercises at the undertaking parlors where her body lay, and then the remains were taken to Herkimer and later to Sennet, Cayuga county, her home, where burial will be made.

"Did you sleep well after killing the girl?" District Attorney Farrell asked the boy.

"Sure I did," was the ready response. "Wasn't I revenge?"

The elder Gianini, after visiting his son in jail, said the accused youth was mentally unbalanced. He announced that he had engaged as counsel for the boy's defense Joseph A. Shay, who was one of the attorneys for Charles Becker, the former New York City police lieutenant, awaiting a second trial for the murder of Herman Rosenthal.

LYNCHED NEGRO WOMAN.  
She Killed White Man by Driving Knife Through His Heart in Oklahoma.

Muskogee, Okla., March 31.—Marie Scott, a negro woman who killed Lemuel Peace, a young white man Sunday, by driving a knife into his heart, was taken out of the Wagoner County jail early today and hanged to a telephone pole. The mob overpowered the jailer, threw a rope over the woman's head and dragged her out of the jail.

A knock at the jail door aroused the sleeping jailer, alone in the office. A voice outside said an officer was there wis prisoners.

The jailer opened the door and faced twelve revolvers. He was bound quickly and his keys taken.

The mob pulled the screaming woman from her cell, tied a rope about her neck and dragged her to a telephone pole, a block from the jail. An hour later the sheriff cut down the dead body.

The county attorney has started an investigation of the lynching.

Fourteenth Woman Murderer Freed.  
Chicago, March 31.—The 14th woman in two years to be acquitted in Chicago on the charge of murdering a man, was freed today when Judge Kerstan took from a jury the case of Miss Maude Oberg, accused of having murdered Edward Brasch. Brasch was stabbed to death by the woman December 25, 1912, during a fight.

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