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## CLOUDS LIFTED-HUERTA WILL SALUTE

### Mexican President Will Make Full and Prompt Apology For Repeated Offenses Against American Dignity.

#### U. S. WILL RETURN SALUTE.

President Wilson and Other High Administration Officials Make It Clear and Emphatic That White the Tri-color of Mexico is Recognized There Is No Recognition for the Huerta Regime—Washington Is Joyful, the President Goes to West Virginia Resort and Secretary Bryan to Florida. Commendation for Treatment of Foreigners by Constitutionalists.

Washington, April 16.—The United States Government tonight accepted General Huerta's offer to salute the Stars and Stripes as an apology for the arrest of American bluejackets at Tampico a week ago today. The Huerta government's salute to the American flag will be answered with a salute to the tri-color of the Mexican nation.

This arrangement, the details of which were being finally arranged to night, in an exchange of official messages between Washington and Mexico City, ended, in the view of all high administration officials, the crisis that had resulted in the dispatch of American war fleets to Mexican waters. Executive officers and Congressmen breathed a sigh of relief that the tension had passed.

#### MANY VESSELS TO GO ON.

No time has been set for the firing of the salute, and until the details are arranged, no further orders will be sent to the American fleets now proceeding south. It is practically certain, however, that while many of the vessels will be turned back, others will continue south and a substantially increased naval force will be maintained in Mexican waters.

Huerta's offer, and request for a return salute, caused President Wilson to ask for an opinion from the counselor of the State Department and Navy Department officials. All reported that it was the invariable custom in navy practice to return a salute, and cited precedents. The President also was informed that Rear Admiral Mayo, on making his original demand for a salute, agreed to return the courtesy.

#### NO RECOGNITION INVOLVED.

Mr. Wilson said a return of a salute under such circumstances did not involve recognition of the Huerta government, but was merely an act of the same character as grasping the hand of an individual who was apologizing as he extended it. Secretary Bryan, too, took the view that the American salute would be given to the flag of the Mexican nation, just as much respected by the Constitutionalists as the Huerta Government and no technical recognition was involved.

Precedents in which the United States returns the salute of other nations who apologized to it, were cited at the White House and the Navy Department and it was generally agreed in executive quarters that General Huerta's compliance with the American demands had dissipated a tense situation.

#### HUERTA'S ACCEPTANCE COMPLETE.

In less than forty-eight hours after President Wilson had ordered the Atlantic and Pacific Fleets to Mexican Waters, and had informed General Huerta that unless a salute was fired to tone for repeated offenses against the dignity of the United States, there would be serious consequences, the answer came—a complete acceptance of the demand of the Washington government.

#### OFFICIALS ARE RELIEVED.

Immediately there was a change in the atmosphere of official Washington. As the storm clouds lifted and a wave of satisfaction spread through official quarters, President Wilson arranged to go to White Sulphur Springs, W. Va., for the week-end, and Secretary Bryan, who is ill, planned to take his long delayed trip to Miami, Fla. Attention that had been temporarily diverted from the legislative program turned again to Con-

gressional routine.

#### CRISIS HAD BECOME GRAVE.

The numerous happenings which led to the aggressive stand of the American Government, the strong pressure brought to bear at Mexico City by Charge O'Shaughnessy, and the diplomatic representatives of other governments backed by advices from the French and German Ambassadors at Washington, who learned from the State Department the serious intentions of the Washington government, all had brought about a grave international crisis.

Congress showed its readiness to stand by the administration, and the House Committee on Foreign Affairs passed a resolution upholding the President's position.

#### CONSTITUTIONALISTS PRAISED.

While the President declared the firing of the salute would close the Tampico incident, it will have no particular bearing on the general Mexican policy of the administration. Incidentally, the President as well as Mr. Bryan, in their conversations on the situation, generally drew attention to official reports they had received praising General Villa and the Constitutionalists for their treatment of prisoners and foreigners in the bloody battle at Torreón. Not a foreigner was injured, according to official reports from eye-witnesses.

#### UPHOLDS THE PRESIDENTS.

Pennsylvania Democratic State Committee Indorses President's Policy—Changes Party Rules.

Harrisburg, Pa., April 13.—Pennsylvania's Democratic State Committee today unanimously voted an indorsement of President Wilson's Panama tolls stand and of the Democratic Congressmen who stood by him in the House as the reply of the State organization to Henry Budd, of Philadelphia, who took issue with the President in the platform which he announced on Monday night.

A. Mitchell Palmer said he was glad support was shown the President's policy when he "who ought to be supporting it," were making attacks on it.

Roland S. Morris, Democratic State chairman, said from the chair that every cent collected by the State Committee from Democrats was being used for the benefit of the whole party without regard to faction and that there was no ground for the charge that part of the contributions was being used for any candidate in the primary contest. He said afterward that candidates were paying their own expenses.

Vance C. McCormick and Palmer were declared in the closing address of the meeting, delivered by Lee F. Lybarker, of Lewisburg, to be worthy of the support of every Democrat who cherished his party.

The meeting was called to act upon changes to the rules and was attended by seventy-eight of the eighty-nine members of the committee.

The committee spent nearly two hours discussing proposed changes to make the rules conform to the primary act of 1913, finally adopting them.

If Detective Burns does not hurry up with his report in the Frank case some people may think he has been talking for the advertising he was getting out of it.

If put to it the water company might possibly be able to prove that the fourteen-inch pipe put down on Main Street was sixteen-inch pipe, as the contract called for.

It would have been just as well if Admiral Mayo had said nothing about it, but as he gave the order we suppose we shall have to back him up.—Durham Herald.

The Senate Committee conducting the tolls hearing will, of course, find that all those who would be benefited by free tolls will oppose the President's plan.—Durham Herald.

Before this thing came up we did not think that the water company even pretended that it was trying to live up to its contract with the city.—Durham Herald.

## COUNTY SCHOOL LINES.

A Few of the Happenings With the Superintendent and the Schools of Alamance County.

### By J. B. Robertson.

#### Alamance County School News.

The County Commencement which will be held in Graham on Saturday of next week, April 25th, is the one event which claims the special attention now of all the educational forces of the county. Every department of the work and every part of the days' program is being developed and made ready. Walker Bros have been working on a special seating plan for a large out-door auditorium for several days. Seating capacity for several thousand will be provided. The parade will be a thing of beauty and inspiration for all. Each township will have its own banner and each school will be marked by its own banner and many schools will be marked by other pennants and colors. The City Schools and the Country Schools will unite in making the grand parade. The parade will be formed in the following order: Oneida Band in new uniform, graduates wearing red, white and blue; tomato club girls in special uniform, boys corn club of the county in straw hats, red handkerchief and overalls, and then all the schools in regular order the teachers and committeemen marching with their respective schools.

Mr. Clarence Poe, editor of The Progressive Farmer, who will make the address, will come in on the morning train from Greensboro and spend the day with us. Mr. Poe is a thinker and an interesting speaker. His humor and practical illustrations mixed with thought enables one to listen to his address with ease and interest. Many farmers will hear Mr. Poe with special interest.

About 100 students have taken the examination for graduation from the Public Schools. So many as pass a satisfactory test will receive a certificate of graduation on commencement day. The certificates will be presented from the rostrum immediately after the address.

Contests in recitation and declamation will be conducted in the afternoon. Any graduate may take part in one of these contests. These contests compose one of the beautiful parts of the day's program. The prizes for these contests will be a copy of English Literature, together with a copy of American literature.

Athletics is not to be omitted but to have a special place. High jumps, broad jumps, shot put, foot racing, and baseball are all fetes that are to be put into the athletic program. The athletic feature is in the hands of the three high schools and the Graham School. And from the number of cups and other trophies that were brought home to Alamance from the recent State meet, we may expect athletics on commencement day unequalled by any other county.

Every one that likes horses, and everyone that likes children will want to see the float parade at the Court House. At 5 o'clock, just before going home the floats will be refilled with children and exhibited at the court house. Those schools that offer the best and second best floats are to receive \$15 and \$10 respectively.

One of the most important features will be the exhibition of school products. These will be shown through the day so that they may be seen at any time. Drawing, composition work, number work, cooking and sewing, etc., will make an exhibition of variety and interest.

The members of last year's corn club are now receiving splendid suits of overalls made and given by the Scott-Mebane Manufacturing Co.

Following the sermon on the "Resurrection of Our Lord," preached last Sunday morning, Rev. D. H. Tuttle is preaching a series on Life After Death, from Job 38:17, "Have the gates of death been opened unto thee, or hast thou seen the doors of death?" The special line of thought next Sunday morning will be, Our Dead, where are They Now; What is their mode of life; what are they doing now, and shall we know them again?"

## STAY OF EXECUTION.

The Convicted Atlanta Man Will Not Die Today as Had Been Scheduled.

### Appeal Granted.

Atlanta, Ga., April 16.—Execution of Leo M. Frank, the young factory superintendent sentenced to be hanged tomorrow for the murder of Mary Phagan, 14 years old, was stayed by legal action today.

The motions were filed by counsel in an effort to save the life of the defendant, who is the central figure in a case that has caused national comment. One asks the annulment of the guilty verdict on the ground that the trial judge erred in allowing Frank to be absent from the court room when the verdict was announced. The other asks for a new trial on the claim of newly-discovered evidence.

Arguments on both motions which were filed in the Superior Court, will be heard by Judge Hill on April 22. This action of the court automatically stays the hanging of Frank until final action is taken on the two motions.

#### ATTORNEYS CLAIM VIOLATION.

Violation of the United States Constitution is claimed by counsel for the defense in the action of Judge Poon, who presided at the trial, in allowing Frank to be absent from the court room when the verdict was returned. It is believed this plea will constitute the basis of an appeal to the Supreme Court of the United States in case the State Courts finally decide against a new hearing.

#### LAWYERS AGREED TO ABSENCE.

The motion for the annulment of the verdict was filed by attorneys who heretofore have not been connected with the defense. It raises the question of the legality of waivers of both the defense and prosecution which permitted the factory superintendent to be absent from the court room when the jury returned its verdict. Absence of the young defendant from the court room was agreed to by the trial judge and two of the three lawyers then associated with the defense. The third defense attorney knew nothing of the plan, it is said. Judge Roan, presiding, is said to have suggested the absence and the attorneys for both sides agreed, fearing violence to Frank in case a verdict of acquittal was returned and the defendant was in court. The defense attorneys also were absent.

The interpretation of the law made in the motion to set aside the verdict holds the defense counsel had no right to agree to Frank's absence at the rendition of the verdict. It deprived Frank, the motion asserts, of his right to counsel at that time and deprived the factory superintendent of his legal privilege to be in the court room.

#### DORSEY MAKES STATEMENT.

Relative to the agreement of Mr. Frank's absence at the time of the verdict, Solicitor General Hugh M. Dorsey, chief of the State's counsel, issued the following statement late today:

"Under the promise of Frank's attorneys, R. B. Arnold and L. Z. Rosser, that no advantage would be taken of it, and over my protest to the judge against proceeding under that promise, Judge L. S. Roan, on his own motion, permitted the accused to be absent from court when the verdict was rendered."

#### DEFENSE ADMITS AGREEMENT.

The two defense attorneys concerned also issued a lengthy statement regarding the agreement. After pointing out the feeling prevalent against the defendant at the time of the trial, reviewing the suggestion of the trial judge and their agreement to it their statement says:

"Because of our participation in the agreement with the judge as the counsel, we feel that we ought not to take part as attorneys in the motion to set the judgment aside upon the ground of Frank's absence. This case, however, is an important one to Mr. Frank and we have no right or desire to dictate to him what he ought to do under the circumstances. The case is his, not ours, and it

is his life, and not ours, at stake. Frank made no agreement with the court and was asked to make none. If, as a result of what happened, he has been deprived of his legal rights, no fairminded man can complain when Frank asks the law to correct the wrong done him.

#### DENIAL OF RIGHT CLAIMED.

"The circumstances worked in the case of this man a practical denial to him, as well as to his counsel, of the valuable right to be present when the verdict was received. This condition was brought about by the unjust, excited and prejudiced surroundings which made it impossible to conclude this trial with legal regularity.

"Under ordinary, sane conditions, no such agreement would have been thought of by court or counsel. The agreement was made and carried out on both sides with the utmost good faith in promotion of what was thought to be in the interest of the safety of Frank and public tranquility."

#### SEPARATE AFFIDAVITS IN MOTION.

Affidavits included in the motion for a new trial discredited, it is claimed, testimony given by James Conley, the negro factory sweeper, who testified that Frank killed the factory girl in the plant of the National Pencil Company, here, and that he aided in the disposal of the body in the basement. Conley is under sentence of one year's confinement as an accessory after the murder.

Sworn statements also were included in which witnesses against the defendant repudiated portions of their evidence especially that reflecting on his character. Methods used by the prosecution in preparing the case against Frank also were attacked.

The body of the murdered girl was found in the basement of the National Pencil Company's plant on the morning of April 27. Authorities have failed to agree definitely as to whether death resulted from a blow she had received on the head or from strangulation.

Frank was convicted on the first trial of the jury. The motion for a new trial filed today was an extraordinary one. A previous motion was denied by the Superior Court and an appeal to the State supreme Court also proved futile, the latter affirming the conviction.

#### Surprise Mr. Buchanan.

Last night Mr. J. C. Buchanan was very pleasantly surprised by the clerks of the Buchanan 5 & 10¢ Store and a number of other friends. The evening was spent in music by Miss Lala Patterson. Delicious refreshments were served, followed by an hour at the Grotto.

#### Jack Johnson to Get Retrial, Court Rules.

Chicago, April 14.—Jack Johnson, colored heavyweight champion pugilist, today was granted a new trial on the Mann white slave act charges, under which he was sentenced to serve a year and pay a fine of \$1,000. The United States Court of Appeals reversed the decision of the lower court. By the decision the case is returned to the lower court for sentence on one of the counts in connection with Johnson's transporting from Pittsburgh to Chicago of Belle Schreiber, a white woman.

#### "Fine," Says Mrs. Thaw of Son's Victory.

Pittsburg, Pa., April 14.—"That's fine. I hoped for this. I saw no reason why I should not expect it." Mrs. William Thaw had just learned of Harry's victory in his fight for writ of habeas corpus. Over the telephone, from her home in Beechwood Boulevard, the mother's voice sounded calm, yet glad.

"Read that again, please," she requested quickly at one point, where the significance to her son of Judge Aldrich's decision was explained.

Mrs. Thaw manifested the joy of the prospect she has for her son's release, with only the barrier of the United States Supreme Court decision intervening.

Fact of the matter is that few people cared about the free tolls proposition one way or the other at the time it was endorsed by the Democratic national convention.—Durham Herald.

## NEW POLITICAL ERA

"Principles Should Dominate Instead of Men and Leadership Should Depend Upon the Leader."

### Some Doctrine.

To a Jefferson Day banquet of Democrats held at New York, Secretary Bryan sent this message: "In this new era of politics, principles should dominate instead of men, and leadership should depend on the leader's ability to think with the people, not on his desire to think for them." Yet Mr. Bryan's official place of residence is only a few steps from the White House, the home of the birchen switch of the Administration.

This is certainly remarkable doctrine to come from the man at the head of the Wilson Cabinet. If the present regime at Washington is noted for any one thing it is the rule of a man. I there is one principle that is consistently followed by the President it is that of desiring to do the thinking for the people of the country. Mr. Bryan is right in saying that this is a new political era, but the picture that he draws will not be recognized as a portrait of the Wilson policy.

It is certainly a new era. In it the White House is all, and Congress is considered only as a necessary legal handicap and a fifth wheel to the Administration coach. Dictation has taken the place of discussion. It is contrary to the Wilson organic law for Congress to do its own thinking. The seat of the mind as well as of power is at the White House. The domination of principles is unknown. The rule of the man is ever in evidence.

Here is a much better picture of the present state of things. It is drawn by a member of Congress from Florida and appears in a Southern publication. "I have," he says, "like all the rest of the Democrats, obediently voted for the tariff law, which none of us understood, but which we accepted on the floor as containing the President's idea of carrying out that plan in the Democratic platform demanding for a revision of the tariff."

"I had nothing to do with the currency bill," he declares, "and neither did any other one of the four hundred members of the House. Not one of us had a chance to embroider his initials on any corner of that bill. It was an administration bill in conception and in execution, and nobody had a show to say anything about it, except to rear a little bit in the caucus and then to obediently vote for it when it came on the floor of the House."

That is a true photograph of the Wilson policy. The White House both proposed and disposed. Its measures are the product of the star chamber and the secret conference. The "pittiless publicity" which Mr. Wilson advocated so eloquently and promised so constantly is now relegated to the attic of forgotten things. The influence of the Congressional leader ends at the Wilson threshold. Advice is not desired, nothing is wanted but prompt and unquestioning obedience.

It is an era in which the pledges of party platform mean nothing if they happen to run counter to the Presidential will of the moment. The declaration of principles adopted by a Presidential nominating convention are but words written in the sand which any tide of thought in the White House can wash away entirely. Yet Mr. Wilson when a candidate for President stated in a speech: "Our platform is not molasses to catch flies. It means business. It means what it says. It is the utterance of earnest and honest men, who intend to do business along those lines, and who are not waiting to see whether they can catch votes with those promises before they determine whether they are going to act upon them or not."

Mr. Bryan's definition of leadership does not fit the present leader of his party. If Mr. Wilson has thus far in his presidential office manifested any desire to think with the people, he has kept such desire successfully concealed. His ambition to think for them is always in the foreground. And a very dangerous feature of such system is that his thinking is not based upon the necessary experience in the world of business and of affairs.—Press.

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BATTLESHIPS TO MEXICO.

Virtually Entire Atlantic Fleet Goes to Tampico to Force Respect of the Stars and Stripes.

New Orleans, April 14.—The Mexican foreign minister, Sr. Pardo y Fajardo, has transmitted to the American Charge, Nelson G. H. Henssey, a note declining with the arrest of the assault on Tampico and a demand of the United States.

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LIND COUNSELED FORCEFUL MOVE.

This was the situation laid before the Cabinet today by the President. Some administration officials were inclined to wait for more facts and to nothing until an investigation had been completed.

John Lind, it is understood, in his conference with the President, and Secretary Bryan, and counseled a forceful move. For two hours the Cabinet discussed the pros and cons of the possible consequences of a decisive action.

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Patron, Ky.—In an interesting letter from this place, Mrs. Bettie Bullock writes as follows: "I suffered for four years, with womanly troubles, and during this time, I could only sit up for a little while, and could not walk anywhere at all. At times, I would have severe pains in my left side.

The doctor was called in, and his treatment relieved me for a while, but I was soon confined to my bed again. After that, nothing seemed to do me any good.

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The only message from Charge O'Shaughnessy of which the officials spoke, was his report that the final shipment of arms for the protection of the American embassy had been received.

**BADGER IS READY.**  
Rear Admiral Badger tonight telegraphed the Navy Department: "Can sail from Hampton Roads tomorrow for Boston with Arkansas, Vermont and New Jersey. The New Hampshire may be delayed a few hours for provisions, but will follow as soon as possible. Louisiana and Michigan will be directed to follow and the South Carolina ordered to Washington. Fleet at Hampton Roads."

This dispatch came from the transport ship at New Orleans. "Receipt of orders to proceed to Boston," Admiral Badger telegraphed to the Navy Department. "The Arkansas, Vermont and New Jersey are ready to sail at once. The South Carolina will follow as soon as possible. Louisiana and Michigan will be directed to follow and the South Carolina ordered to Washington. Fleet at Hampton Roads."

**LOUISIANA IS UP.**  
New York, April 11.—Captain Gen. Cooper, commander of the Louisiana, received orders tonight to sail from this port at 11 o'clock tomorrow forenoon. At the Brooklyn navy yard there are 1 battleships, a cruiser, one torpedo boat destroyer, two submarines, and a tender. It was said there later tonight no sailing orders had been received. Another battleship, the new dreadnaught New York, which has been building here, goes into commission tomorrow and could be ready to sail within 24 hours.

**TACOMA GOES FROM BOSTON.**  
Boston, April 11.—The protected cruiser Tacoma, after filling her magazines with coal and her hold with other supplies today, was ordered to sail to Newport to Tampa. The probably will see under way tomorrow.

As far as could be ascertained tonight no sailing orders had been received by other vessels in the fleet from the navy yard. The Georgia, Virginia, Nebraska and Rhode Island are here.

**COUNTING THE MEN.**  
Newport, R. I., April 11.—Orders were received at the naval training station tonight to have ordinary seamen and coal passers ready for transport to the cruiser Tacoma which will sail tomorrow from Boston to Tampa. There are 500 men aboard, but it is thought the Tacoma will take less than 100.

Anticipating further orders, officers of the station canvassed the number of men at hand tonight and found 2,600.

**TORPEDO BOATS READY.**  
Pensacola, Fla., April 11.—Officers of the torpedo boat flotilla here received orders late today to be prepared to sail on short notice. The fleet here comprises 18 torpedo boats, the scout cruiser Birmingham, the repair ship Dixie, the supply ship Calumet, and the fuel ship Arcton.

**VILLA WILL NOT HELP HUERTA.**  
Juarez, Mexico, April 11.—Developments at Tampico excited far more interest here than reports of a new rebel victory at San Pedro. No official would lend his name to comment on the situation, but one man in a confidential constitutionalist position said: "In case of a foreign invasion General Villa and General Carranza long ago agreed that they simply would content themselves with opposing any armed force which entered rebel territory." It is known that Villa would find it almost impossible to cooperate with Huerta, who, it is related, at the battle of Bellano two years ago compelled Villa, then serving under him, to get on his knees and apologize for some offense. Later Huerta threw Villa into prison in Mexico City, where on the assassination of Madero and

the elevation of Huerta to the provisional presidency, he started a revolution and in due time joined other insurgents under Venustiano Carranza.

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"You haven't been under any strain, have you?" "No, sir, I haven't." "You haven't been under any strain, have you?" "No, sir, I haven't."

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"Whose cell is that?" asked the visitor. "Mrs. Pankhurst's," replied the turnkey.—Glaucineti Enquirer.

A teacher trying to impress on her children the rightness and kindness toward all animals, took them for a walk to bring the lessons home to them.

"Holding a screen from little Johnny," she asked: "What's the matter, Johnny?" "I've been sitting on a horse!" was the fearful response, "and I'm afraid I've lost the poor thing!"—The Boston Herald.

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**Colin Hold White Girl Not Negro Man.**  
Mt. Airy, April 15.—Yesterday at the Southern depot in this city there was an unusual occurrence in which one corpse was mistaken for another and requiring the opening of the casket to solve the mystery. When the train arrived about 100 negroes had congregated at the depot to receive the remains of Joe Banger, a famous negro resident of this place who had died elsewhere. A casket was placed upon the platform, but the crowd, mistaking the name of Newberry for that of Banger, and that of the negroes for that of the white man, opened the casket and found the remains of a white man.

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### Railroad Man Has a Terrific Fall.

Rocky Mount, April 16.—Jefferson Davis, a machinist with the Atlantic Coast Line at South Rocky Mount, yesterday afternoon suffered injuries that may prove fatal in a fall from the top of an engine upon which he was at work. Mr. Davis in some way slipped from his position and was precipitated head downward some 15 feet to the ground. He was picked up in an unconscious condition and rushed to the relief hospital, where a more thorough examination disclosed a severe fracture at the base of the brain, and a report of his condition today is to the effect that there is little hope entertained of his recovery. Mr. Davis is a young man about 22 years old and is held in the highest esteem by his fellow workers.

### Suffragette Speaks to Asheville People.

Asheville, April 16.—The Democratic county court house was almost filled last night when Miss Lavinia Engle, of Baltimore, made the first suffrage address yet delivered in this city by a representative from the national headquarters of the movement. Some thirty or 25 people, although the larger part of the audience was composed of men, greeted her. The Central Labor union marched in about 50 strong and occupied seats well towards the front of the room, where they were attentive listeners throughout the address delivered by Miss Engle. It was a surprise to many that a few women and so many men attended the meeting, but one of the speakers declared that the leaders in the movement had always maintained that it was the women that they would build a movement to the state and to the nation, the men would follow.

### Investigating Vocational Education.

Washington, April 16.—To ascertain the views of the country generally on the forms vocational education should take, the committee to investigate the subject, recently appointed by the House, has sent out a questionnaire to all the states.

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### Girl Must Give Up Her Sweetheart or Estate.

Somerset, Pa., April 14.—Unless she gives up her former sweetheart, Miss Mary Charlotte Meagre, of Salisbury, this county, will lose an inheritance amounting from \$15,000 to \$25,000 under the terms of her mother's will.

### Dr. Reitzel, of High Point, Brother of Mr. M. A. Reitzel, of Elon College, was thrown from an automobile while on his way to Greensboro and killed.

The officers of the navy will perhaps obey the order of Secretary Daniels if there is no way of securing the Durham Herald.

### FOR SALE.

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land in this way, I find it pays well to use a good quantity of acid phosphate broadcast. I am preparing to plant Batts' prolific corn this year for my entire crop as I made last year an average of forty bushels per acre on two acres planted to this variety. Have hauled and put out all manure broadcast as fast as it accumulated all winter. In fact, I am doing my best to raise everything consumed on the farm and also to follow the instructions laid down in the Southern Ruralist.—W. E. Avery.

### A Renter and Cattle.

It pays a renter to raise cattle. In the fall of 1912 I bought fourteen head of cattle to feed through the winter to have ready for the high price of beef in the spring. I kept six of the nicest heifers to raise from. That left me eight to sell for beef and I made enough profit on them to pay for their feed and my trouble, so I had all the manure as clear profit, which was a lot, for I kept the cows in the stable all the time and fed them on meal and hulls and pea-vine hay. I did not have to buy any of my feed, as I took my cotton seed to the oil mills and traded them for meal and hulls, getting 1800 pounds of meal and 2,000 pounds of seed and three pounds of hulls for one of seed. Last fall I got one pound of meal for one pound of seed. I had thirty-five two-horse loads of the finest manure.

I am a renter, but you see it certainly must have paid me, but it would have paid me much better if I had had of my own to put it on.

Last fall I did not buy any cows, as I am going to raise them. Two of my heifers calved last fall and were milking all winter. They paid for their feed with butter. I live nine miles from town, but can dispose of all my butter at a country store three-quarters of a mile from here.

Two more of my heifers calve this spring. I have a half Red Poll bull. Am going to try to breed my cows up. I have no market here for milk and don't think I would sell it if I did for I am raising hogs and there is nothing better to feed suckling sows and pigs than milk. I have three suckling sows and one boar. My sows are Berkshire and one boar half Berkshire and half Tamworth. That gives me one-quarter Tamworth pigs. Two of my sows are gilts, but will run the first of April. I have been selling from \$30 to \$40 worth of pigs every year from my old sow and keeping what I wanted for my own use. I do not know what my hog feed bill is, but not much. I have a good summer pasture for hogs and cows.

I am a two horse renter. I pay 1500 pounds of lint cotton every year and make from fifteen to twenty bales per year, plenty of corn, fodder, oats, wheat, etc. I hope I will not be a renter much longer. Have just scattered in life. I am now twenty-five years old and have been a reader of the Ruralist ever since before I started to work for myself and like it better and better every year.—J. P. Fellers.

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Anderson, who left Hagerstown recently, upon the Cumberland, thence to Lugham, was employed some time on the Norfolk & Western Railroad. In the case of the tragedy he was working for a steel company on a bridge near Shenandoah, Va.

He and his wife lived with his mother-in-law and last week, after buying a pistol in Shenandoah, he is said to have threatened his wife and her father.

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Piedmont Opera House FRIDAY APRIL, 24.

Thos. Dixon Jr. presents the LEOPARD SPOTS. This is the last of the attractions at this Opera House this season. PRICES \$.50, \$.75, \$1.00 and \$1.50.

Miss Maggie Hall, of Raleigh, is the guest of relatives and friends in town. Mrs. J. H. Coble, of Route 1, is a shopping visitor in town today.

The condition of Mr. Bob Keck, who was so seriously hurt some weeks ago, is slightly improved. Miss Hallie Rea Meban has accepted a position with the Alamance Insurance & Real Estate Co., as stenographer.

Graham Faucett has recently purchased an interest in Loy's Pressing Club, located in the Moore Building on Front Street. Winston-Salem and Burlington will play ball at the Piedmont Park Saturday evening.

Mrs. R. A. Coble and Mrs. W. W. Coble went to Greensboro Tuesday to visit the husband of the latter, who is at St. Leo's Hospital, and whose condition is very serious. O, Mr. Carnegie, look out for your dove!—Greensboro News.

It is homely and we know it, This olden thing to see, But soon you'll all come to it; It is a boon to me. Though the world is rough and rugged

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SPRING is time seed time. We have got 'em in bulk or packages. Burlington Drug Co.

Cow Testing Association. Asheville, April 16.—A Western Carolina Cow Testing Association is being formed in this section of the State under the auspices of the North Carolina Agricultural Experiment Station.

WILMINGTON CROWD THRILLED BY PLAY. Pleased and Interested by Thomas Dixon's "The Leopard Spots," Says The Star.

Miss Lena Walton and Master Henry Walton were recent visitors in the city of Greensboro. Miss Nonie Moore, who has been visiting in Virginia for the past week, has returned home.

Underwood and Clark plant themselves squarely on the plank, but refuse to walk it.—Greensboro News. Query is going the rounds, "what makes a girl giggle?"

The Sea. In you are all the little streams That came so far to reach your breast.

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The Jacksonville Times-Union remarks that there are 66,000 unemployed in New York and over 30,000,000 acres of uncultivated land in Florida.

Its purpose is to show that the white man is good of creation, born or raised, determined to carry out the mandate of nature.

Mrs. J. C. Walter accompanied her sister, Mrs. A. E. Isley as far as Greensboro Wednesday morning. Mrs. Isley was en route for Muncie, Ind., where she will make her home in the future.

Grandson Killed in Elevator Accident. Philadelphia, April 15.—F. C. Richter, editor of "Sporting Life," received a telegram last night from Helena, Montana, announcing that his grandson, Francis P. Conter, three months old, had been killed in an elevator accident.

At midnight when on land the dead arise, Creeping through the long grass like breathless.

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Strange Trucking. The trucking business in the South is a very interesting one, and the trucking companies are doing a large volume of business.

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Miss Swannie Crouse has accepted a position as bookkeeper for the Pepsi-Cola Bottling Works. Misses Julia Cates and Nina Lagle went to Wallburg Saturday to visit Miss Verna Cates and attend the ball game there Monday.

Miss Vivian Steele spent the Easter holidays at Greensboro, the guest of her sister, Mrs. C. I. Anderson. Wanted—Lady to solicit and collect for the State Dispatch Publishing Co. Apply by Letter.—State Dispatch Publishing Co., Burlington, N. C.

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### THAW PETITIONS FOR BAIL.

Habeas Corpus Plea Granted to Harry K. Thaw by Lower Court—Text of Decision.

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upon a charge of crime for the ultimate purpose of recommitment in the Mattawan hospital as an insane and dangerous person.

"I think a reasonable interpretation of the entire proceedings including the statement of counsel, 'We expect to take this man back; we expect to try him and punish him for his crime and when he has taken his punishment for his crime we expect to put him where he belongs and where he will not be a menace to the public' is at least the sole purpose if not to punish for the supposed crime of conspiracy to escape from quarantine."

### SUPREME COURT'S POSITION.

Washington, April 14.—Only by extraordinary steps can the Thaw case be considered by the Supreme Court. The court will not hear all cases on appeal until the first of October.

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### PROHIBITIONERS ASK TO VOTE.

Hobson Says Time Is Ripe for Submission of Question as 55 Per Cent of Country Is Dry.

Washington, April 15.—Prohibition advocates today presented to the House Judiciary Committee arguments in support of a constitutional amendment to enforce prohibition throughout the United States. They urged the committee to report to the House the resolution of Representative Hobson of Alabama, providing for the submission to the States for ratification of a constitutional amendment directed against the sale or manufacture for sale of all alcoholic liquors for beverage purposes.

For three hours men and women representing States all over the East presented their arguments and told of the progress of the prohibition cause. Tomorrow they will appear before the committee of the Senate Judiciary Committee in chambers of the United States Senate.

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Representative Hobson said the amendment would be a "double-edged sword" because it would give the States the opportunity to vote on the question. "We are not asking for a referendum," he said, "but we are asking for a referendum on the question of whether the States should be given the opportunity to vote on the question."

Representative Hobson contended the resolution would not interfere with States Rights. He said that under the proposed amendment it would be possible to manufacture liquor "for use" but not for "sale."

"This proposal will simply fill the pockets of the liquor traffic," he said, "and our boys will have an opportunity to grow up sober."

Students School to Train Substitutes. Kingston, April 15.—Next winter a reserve corps of teachers will be trained in the Kingston City Schools. The plan, proposed by S. B. Caldwell, a number of graduates of the high school, will be to enroll in a "normal class."

Man Fears He Will Do Harm; Asks Arrest. Wilmington, Del., April 14.—Declaring that he wished to be arrested and placed in custody because he feared he would either harm himself or somebody else, a man who said he was George S. Hall, of 659 Main Avenue, Clifton, N. J., approached two policemen and asked to be put in jail.

Fire Again Destroys School. Hagerstown, Md., April 14.—For the second time in three weeks the High School at Wolfsville tonight was burned out, desks, books and other equipment being totally destroyed. Since the destruction of the first high school building, school has been conducted in a building owned by Jacob Wray.

Auto Lynchers Driven Away by Fire Fighters. Canon City, Colo., April 14.—Masked and armed fifty men in automobiles seized Sheriff Newcomb, and armed with axes and ropes marched on the county jail with the avowed intention of lynching Charles England, colored, under arrest charged with the murder of Joseph Petty, a Florence merchant.

Mrs. Newcomb, the sheriff's wife, turned in the general fire alarm and telephoned to Warden Tynan at the State prison. Members of the fire department and half a dozen prison guards, armed with shotguns, drove off the invaders.

### UNDER SEALED COVERS.

Officers and Men Landed from Fleet to Bid Relatives and Friends Goodbye at Norfolk.

Norfolk, Va., April 15.—Bount to Mexico to force Huerta to salute the Stars and Stripes, nine American warships steamed out of Hampton Roads at noon today. Tonight they are 64 miles below Cape Henry in a dense fog, and with a northeast storm approaching. The ships are the battleships Arkansas, New Hampshire, Vermont, New Jersey, the dispatch boat Yankton, the tender Lebanon and the naval tug Patuxent, Sonoma and Petropoulos.

Every one of them carries a full supply of ammunition and provisions enough to last three months. The fleet is equipped with three-inch rapid fire guns, and carry a number of rifles, pistols and small arms ammunition.

Prior to the departure of the ships from Hampton Roads, the officers and many enlisted men went ashore at Old Point to bid goodbye to relatives. There were many touching scenes engaged in the parting ceremonies. It recalled some of the officers of the Spanish-American war and the families around the waterfront the fleet had during the Roosevelt administration.

Rear Admiral Beaman, who for the moment has his flag at the Arkansas, spent several hours ashore with relatives and friends. He was also in conference with Rear Admiral Fiske, who broadcast coded orders from the fleet for the commander-in-chief of the Atlantic fleet. What these orders were not known even to Beaman's staff.

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Free Medical Aid to Poor. Chicago, April 15.—A gift of \$1,000 from James Deering to Wesley Hospital medical school, announced here today, will be used in establishing clinics to furnish medical aid to the poor.

Race Riot in Missouri. Sedalia, Mo., April 14.—A race riot here was quelled only after the local apartment was ordered out to aid the police and sheriff's deputies drive the combatants to their homes.

To Prevent Blood Poisoning. Only at once the wonderful old reliable DR. CROXONE'S ANTI-SEPTIC HEALING OIL, a surgical dressing that relieves pain and heals at the same time. Not a stimulant. 50c. 50c. \$1.00.

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THE SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON.

The International Sunday School Lesson for Next Sunday April 19.

THE COST OF DISCIPLINE.

GOLDEN TEXT.

"Whoever will save his life shall lose it; and whosoever will lose his life for my sake shall find it." (Matt. 16:25.)

LURE 14:25-35.

25 And there went great multitudes with him; and he turned, and said unto them,

26 If any man come to me and hate not his father, and mother, and wife, and children, and brethren, and sisters, yea, and his own life also, he cannot be my disciple.

27 And whosoever doth not bear his cross, and come after me, cannot be my disciple.

28 For which of you, intending to build a tower, sitteth not down first, and counteth the cost, whether he have sufficient to finish it?

29 Lest haply, after he hath laid the foundation, and is not able to finish it, all that behold it begin to mock him.

30 Saying, This man began to build, and was not able to finish.

31 Or what king, going to make war against another king, sitteth not down first, and consulteth whether he be able with ten thousand to meet him that cometh against him with twenty thousand?

32 Or else, while the other is yet a great way off, he sendeth an embassy, and desireth conditions of peace.

33 So likewise, whosoever he is of you that forsaketh not all that he hath, he cannot be my disciple.

34 Salt is good, but if the salt have lost his savor, wherein shall it be seasoned?

35 It is either fit for the land, or yet for the dunghill; but men cast it out. He that hath ears to hear, let him hear.

TIME AND PLACE.

Late autumn, A. D. 26. Journeying toward Judea in the country east of Jordan.

In railway stations and in other public places one may see pictures of young men with an offer of a reward for their capture. In large, heavy type their age, height, color of hair and eyes, name, and personal appearance are announced, and they are published as deserters from the United States Army. These boys enlisted as soldiers, attracted to the army by love of travel, novelty, certain pay, and the expectation of a general good time. They were not influenced by patriotism or a sense of duty, and the hardships of camp life soon destroyed their zeal. They deserted their sworn allegiance, and henceforward through life they are disgraced. They are not willing to pay what it costs to be a soldier under our great government. Why is it that we condemn a deserter? Is it because we are sure that in our own lives there is no drawing back from the great task we have entered upon?

THE SHADOW OF THE CROSS.

Great multitudes were following Jesus as he journeyed and taught, and many of the people were eager to become his disciples. They thought that our Lord was soon going to establish a kingdom of his own, and that all who were known as his followers would have ease, pleasure, and protection all their lives. Before all such zealous but superficial adherents our Master set forth the dangers, hardships, and heartaches of his fellowship. The cold, hard facts of sorrow and sacrifice were not withheld from any in the hope of winning recruits. Said Jesus: "For ease, you shall have a crown of thorns; for pleasure, the taste of death; for protection, the separation from loved ones; for reward, you shall have the cross. No man can enter into true fellowship with me who does not bear the cross and follow me to the hill of crucifixion." The cross does not mean simply that it is hard to do; it means what St. Paul found it to mean when he said: "I die daily." "I am crucified to the world." "For me to live is Christ." One who has not a purpose to surrender everything he holds dear and to live as his Master, cannot have the true spirit of a disciple. A traveler in Central Africa describes a native hut so filled with idols and fetishes that there was no room to turn around. Christ cannot be one of many idols, one of many treasures; he is "all in all, or not at all," in each man's life.

AN UNFINISHED TOWER.

A certain man, acting upon an impulse, set out to build a tower which should be a means of defense in time of war and a monument to his name when he was dead. As it proceeded, labor was hard to secure and his money gave out; so, with building material lying about in heaps, the tower was left half finished. His neighbors laughed when they passed it, and

said: "Look at his castle for defense and his enduring monument. Is it not worthy of him?"

Thus the men in the railway station laughed at the picture of the deserters from the army. "Brave soldiers!" said they. "They soon had enough of bugle calls and drills. They ran before a gun was fired." Thus it is with the man of the world.

The men of the world taunt the followers of Christ who desert him when the cross appears in sight. "How can he be a good man," they sneer; "that you do not want to go there today." If these recruits had counted all the cost and had acted upon a better impulse, the weary struggle would have been as nothing compared to the sweet fellowship with Christ, and then the men of the world would have been lost in the praise of Christ.

A DISHONORABLE SURRENDER.

A certain king, having a weak first-born son, determined upon war. He sent out no armies to report the strength or condition of his enemy, but assaulted the aggressor with no sufficient basis for his contention. When the ranks of his adversary appeared across the plains, numerous small detachments met and under a flag of truce he capitulated before a few war steeds. Such a surrender dishonors not only his own generalship but upon all the soldiers in his army, who might have been taught to conquer or die. So it is with every one who enters the warfare with Christ. If he does not first conquer when he is demanded of him, his name brings disgrace both to his own name and the name under which he pretends to fight.

THE WAR WITHOUT DISGRACE.

We can have the souls of Christ's followers in two ways. We can let our souls be sold out. There is no dishonor in it, we cannot meet this simple condition of service. I would be a soldier for you, not for others. But if we desire to enter his holy army to fight in the world, if we say we will be his, we cannot be faithful; if we are faithful of the soldiers he commands of us, we have no need of our own arms. How do we escape the charge of cowardice if we surrender to the enemy we have begun to fight? There is only one thing to do: We must put ourselves wholly on the side of our Lord and continue the fight until our bodies are freed from the flesh. Christ is the royal Commander. He orders us into the conflict. To stay out is moral cowardice; to surrender is everlasting disgrace.

A Card of Thanks.

During the sickness of our dear father, we have been the recipients of many favors from our good friends and neighbors. It is impossible to thank every one personally and we wish in this way to express our most sincere thanks to every one who has in any way shown kindness or expressed sympathy.

Sincerely,  
Mary Zachary and Children.

Statesville Sells Bonds.

Statesville, April 14.—Thirty-thousand dollars of 30-year five per cent. improvement bonds were sold yesterday afternoon by the aldermen to Cutter, May & Co., of Chicago. There were six or eight bidders. Statesville bonds always appearing to be in demand. The purchasing company pays a premium of \$35 and bears all expenses, including attorney fees.

The Bush League Recruit.

Billy Evans, the famous American League umpire, tells about the Bush League Recruits in an article appearing in The Sunday Philadelphia Press for the issue of April 19th. Nobody knows more about this subject than Billy Evans. In his article he does not confine himself to players alone, but takes in Umpires as well. Every baseball fan will be interested in this article next Sunday.

McCarthy's Misfortune.

Mrs. McCarthy's husband went out in a boat alone, says The Poplar Magazine. The boat overturned and he was drowned. A friend met her some weeks later. "I hear," said she, "that Pat left you well off—that he left you \$5,000." "True," said Mrs. McCarthy, "he did." "How was that?" asked her friend. "Pat couldn't read or write, could he?" "No," said Mrs. McCarthy, "nor swim!"

Huerta Calls Congress.

Washington, April 15.—General Huerta submitted to an executive session of the Mexican senate today the demands of the American government for a salute to the flag. No answer has been received by the Washington government late tonight of the result of the deliberations.

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WILMINGTON CROWD THRILLED BY PLAY.

Pleased and Interested by Thomas Dixon's "The Leopard's Spots," Says The Star.

The play with an entire power from beginning to end is "The Leopard's Spots," the new play of Thomas Dixon. The play was presented at the Academy of Music twice yesterday. There were large audiences at both performances, and they showed their appreciation by frequent applause.

The play has attracted a large interest in the city. It is a play that is not only a play, but a lesson. It is a play that is not only a play, but a lesson. It is a play that is not only a play, but a lesson.

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by noon today there had been cast more than 500 votes for the issue and only 112 against it. The voting of the board is taken to be a very favorable endorsement of the three commissioners whose present administration is under the scrutiny here in beginning to end is "The Leopard's Spots," the new play of Thomas Dixon. The play was presented at the Academy of Music twice yesterday. There were large audiences at both performances, and they showed their appreciation by frequent applause.

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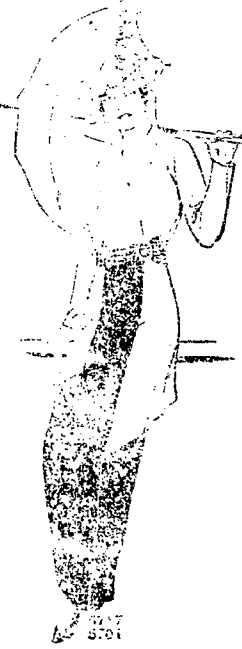
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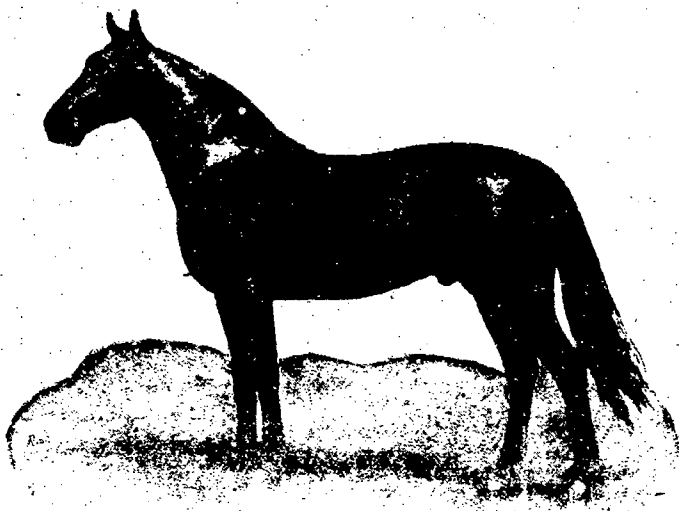
A BUSINESS MAN OF MINNEAPOLIS



Minneapolis is a city where they do things. Stimulated by a vigorous climate, surrounded by a fertile country, peopled by the best blood of the over-crowded east, it is a city of hustle, of great achievements, conceived and wrought out. Mr. Taylor, of Minneapolis, Minn., is one of this sort of men. A newspaper man, a political worker, an Englishman by birth, he has been in this country nineteen years. He has resided in the northwest, Winnipeg, Fargo, and for the last ten years in Minneapolis. Mr. Taylor is a friend of Peruna and does not conceal his friendship. He is thoroughly enthused with the belief that Peruna is a great remedy. He has a right to feel so. For several years he suffered with dyspepsia. This caused him to have very bad health.

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### Chapel Hill News.

Chapel Hill, April 17.—Numerous and varied are the inquiries mailed the Bureau of Extension of the University of North Carolina from many sections of the State. The people are taking advantage of the sources of information, afforded by the State University through its extension agency, guidance in educational affairs and enlightenment on every day subjects being sought through this medium. The information bureau has lately received an inquiry from a citizen of the State asking the names of the six most conspicuous men in the entire world today. The reason why these world-citizens hold such loftiness in the minds of their fellow men were asked to be stated. These names and the reasons for their world-wide recognition were forwarded to the inquisitive citizen: Woodrow Wilson, as President of the United States, and ranked as one of the nation's greatest executives; Bernard Shaw, foremost in the world of letters for reason of his literary talents and criticisms; Andrew Carnegie, a man of world business interests and whose amassed wealth is being used in the cause of world philanthropy; Lloyd George, English statesman, whose economic reforms for the benefit of the average man have attracted world attention; Theodore Roosevelt, whose personality is so dynamic as to fix the attention of all men, and J. R. Mott, of the Student Volunteer Movement, as an organizer of a world movement for the evangelization of the world.

"Foods and Foolishness" was the theme that Dr. Woods Hutchinson, noted physician, author, and lecturer, presented to a University audience in a lecture in Gerard Hall this week. Wholesome food and fresh air were declared the tonics and preventives of the ills and diseases of the future American citizen, while drugs and trashy foodstuffs were rated as dangerous enemies to the welfare of the health. Dr. Hutchinson asserted that the use of drugs has fallen off enormously lately in comparison with their use of thirty years ago, the decrease being a third percentage. Patent medicines and breakfast foods were outlawed by the distinguished American physician. He declared that the nutrition contained by many patent medicines, proclaimed by many manufacturers as restoratives of broken health, represented little more real value toward the upbuilding of a person than the label on the bottle containing the medicine. The physician's hostility to breakfast feeds was of negative sort, since he maintained that they possessed little nutritive value, though not injurious.

Chapel Hill and Bingham townships will hold elections on Saturday to ascertain whether the two townships will subscribe for \$50,000 worth of stock in the Greensboro, Northern & Atlantic for the construction of a railway through Chapel Hill. The new road, as mapped out, is to extend from Danville, Va., through Greensboro, Burlington, Durham and Chapel Hill, to a point on the coast. The railway company is not asking the subscribers of the stock for the new transportation line for payment of the stock till the railroad is constructed and the bonds are not to be delivered till the railroad is in operation. Failure to construct the road within a period of three years forfeits the validity of the bonds. The poor transportation facilities coming and going from Chapel Hill is an incentive that accounts for the activities of the public-spirited citizens of the University village in striving to carry the election subscribing for the \$50,000 bond issue.

Acting President Edward K. Graham announces the selection of Dr. John Dewey, Professor of Philosophy in Columbia University, as the speaker to deliver the McNair lectures for the college year of 1914-1915.

### Saxapahaw Items.

Quite a number of our people attended the ball game between Guilford and Elon played at the Piedmont Park Saturday afternoon.

Mr. William Lloyd, accompanied by his friend Mr. James Hopkins, of Guilford College, came down Friday to spend Easter, returning Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Cates, of Alamance, spent Easter in the village visiting relatives.

Those attending the ball game in Greensboro Monday were Messrs. Wilson, George T., and James E. Williamson, E. G. Guthrie, Ed. and Curtis Williams, Charles Pickard, J. O. Corbett.

Miss Blanche Check, of Burlington, spent Easter in the village.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Moser, of Burlington, spent Saturday and Sunday with the latter's parents here, Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Marlett.

The picnics around the village were largely attended Monday.

The Country Life Club will meet Thursday night. A special literary program will be rendered.

Mr. Ed. Winningham spent Monday in Burlington.

### Elon College Notes.

Mrs. Polly Tickle, who for some time has been seriously ill, passed away at her home near here Tuesday evening. The remains were laid to rest in Shallow Ford Cemetery. The funeral services were conducted by her pastor, Dr. J. O. Atkinson. She leaves a husband, Mr. Levi Tickle, one son, Rev. G. Willie, also one daughter, Mrs. R. P. Isley, several brothers and sisters, whom are Mr. J. C. Whitsell, Alfred Whitsell, Mrs. Elex Keck, Mrs. Nellie Tickle, all of whom live here except Mrs. Nellie Tickle, who is in Tennessee. She will not only be missed by her family, but by her many friends. She was 80 years, 2 months and 16 days old. A large concourse of friends attended the funeral, to pay their last respects to her.

In her early life she joined Friedens Lutheran Church and later changed her membership to Elon for her accommodation as she was not able to attend at Friedens.

Mr. W. M. Paris moved his family from here to Greensboro, where he is manager of the Carolina Wholesale Co.

Mr. G. E. Cook left Tuesday for Greensboro, where he will be with the Carolina Hotel.

The negroes had a big time here Monday from early to Tuesday morning. Ball games, gambling, drinking and dancing, festivals and lot of fights. Some had sore heads here today.

### Whitsett News.

In the Junior debates which are held during the Easter season the medals were won as follows: In the Athenian Debate on Saturday evening by E. V. Welch, of Beaufort County, who spoke on the affirmative of the question of the alien ownership of lands. The Dialectic debate was won by C. G. Somers, of Alamance county, who spoke on the negative of the Government Ownership of Railroads. Large crowds attended both debates, the number of visitors being larger than for many years.

On Saturday the first team defeated the strong team from Mars Hill College in a game running to eleven innings, and on Monday the second team took under cover the Highland team to the score of ten to five. Neither the first team or the second team has lost a game this season. On Thursday the boys will play the Twin-City League in Prince Albert Park at Winston-Salem. They have several strong numbers still on the list for the remainder of this season.

About fifty students went home for the Easter holidays; about all have returned and resumed their work.

The Y. M. C. A. held a most interesting Easter service Sunday morning with Prof. J. H. Joyner as the principal speaker. The special music for the occasion was of unusual beauty.

Several crowds in automobiles went over to Winston-Salem for the Moravian services; they started from here just after midnight and made the run in a little over two hours.

Miss Beulah McNemar, a reader of wide reputation is billed for this place Friday night, the 17th.

Rev. Robert E. Redding delivered a fine sermon here Sunday evening on the "Origin of Man," giving a very fine discussion of the Dardanian theory of evolution among other excellent points.

The Commencement programme is about complete; the dates are May 16th, 17th, and 18th.

The Whitsett Cornet Band expects to furnish music for the Guilford County Commencement at Greensboro Saturday, April 18th.

### Pull Teeth by Novocain at University of Pennsylvania Hospital.

Philadelphia, April 16.—Gas, ether and cocaine will soon give place in tooth-pulling operations to a harmless, painless anaesthetic which leaves no unpleasant after effects, according to Dr. Guide Fischer, dean and director of the Imperial Dental Institute of Marburg, Germany, who operated last night at the University Hospital before many dentists.

He took a man whose tooth had grown into the bones of his lower jaw, injected the anaesthetic—novocain, he calls it—then probed for the roots of the tooth. The patient showing no pain. He pulled the tooth and still the patient manifested no discomfort. And when the operation was over the man got up without a groan.

Dr. Fischer took another patient and injected novocain in the nerve of a front tooth. He then proceeded to cut the tooth in two. The patient evidenced no pain and smiled at the doctor when the job was through. The dentists present were amazed. Novocain can be used in any kind of surgical operations, says Dr. Fischer. Extractions, removal of pulps, grinding and even resections of teeth are possible when novocain is injected.

### IS IT RIGHT TO ADVERTISE COCA-COLA?

Men who play the wily game of politics have discovered that the best way to distract the attention of the public from their own shortcomings is to make a loud-mouthed sensational attack upon someone else. As the cuttle-fish eludes its pursuer by clouding the surrounding water with the contents of its inky sac, so the political adventurer takes advantage of the ignorance and prejudices of the people to escape from his indefensible position by muddying the waters of public opinion.

A case in point is the recent attack made upon the religious press for carrying Coca-Cola advertising. This attack was made by a politician who was supposed to be an expert in chemistry, but who, having brought a suit against the Coca-Cola Company, was humiliated by having to acknowledge that he could not qualify as an expert. The court decided in favor of the Coca-Cola Company as it was clearly shown that the only essential difference between Coca-Cola and coffee or tea is that the former contains only about half as much caffeine as the latter and that the flavor is different.

The question as to whether it is right to advertise Coca-Cola seems to resolve itself therefore into the question as to whether it is right to advertise coffee, tea, chocolate, cocoa and other beverages of the caffeine group.

### Liberty Route 3 Items.

The merry songsters of the air, the plow-boy's merry whistle, the swelling buds, the wee green grass peeping up—all tell us that Spring, beautiful Spring, is with us once more.

Easter passed off very quietly and pleasantly on Number 3. Quite a number of our young people spent Easter Monday on "The Mountains," had a picnic plenty of good rations, good music and a genuine all-around good time, so they say.

Mr. F. L. Spoon gave his Sunday school class a treat Easter Monday. He had them all to gather at his home Monday evening, and gave them an egg hunt. To say they enjoyed it does not express it and we think Mr. Spoon enjoyed the fun almost as well as the children.

We noticed the other day that Mr. W. B. Daffron had an unusual smile upon his face. Upon inquiring the cause, we learned a big girl arrived at his home Tuesday. Good luck to the little lady!

Our community was shocked when it learned that Willie Fegleman had developed unmistakable signs of insanity. He became worse rapidly and was carried at once to Raleigh for treatment.

Miss Myrtle Shatterly, the oldest daughter of Mr. Bob Shatterly, of near Oakdale, and a Mr. Roberson, of Greensboro, were married last Wednesday at Greensboro.

### A Check on Immigration.

Congress has not yet passed the bill that is to keep out of this country all intending immigrants who cannot read. It has passed another measure, however, the Democratic tariff law which promises to be much more effective in checking immigration than this reading or so-called literacy test. Immigrants come here to find work and as the report reaches Europe that work here is hard to get and that many men are cut of employment immigrants are naturally disinclined to come here.

The figures given by the North Atlantic steamship lines show that for the first three months of 1914 there were 21,759 fewer arrivals and 13,386 more departures from this country of third class passengers than on the corresponding period last year. This is but the beginning. As soon as it is generally known among the class in Europe from which most of the immigrants come that our Government tariff policy now favors European rather than American labor they will for the most part prefer to remain where they are rather than incur the grave risk of adding themselves to the army of the unemployed over here.

The habit peculiar to immigrants from southern and southeastern Europe of coming to the country with the intention of returning to their former home later on, though strenuously objected to as hurtful to the country, have some advantages. It acts as a safety valve when industry here is at low tide and many are unemployed. When thousands of them return at such times to Europe it relieves the pressure.

The return tide of immigration is now nearly twice as great as it was a year ago. In this they show wisdom. If the Democratic tariff shall work as the President expects it to work and stimulate and increase here the sale of European products labor there will prosper while here it languishes and Europe rather than America should become for industrial workers the land of opportunity.

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