

# BURLINGTON WINS FIRST

## THE TWICE-A-WEEK DISPATCH

PROGRESSIVE REPUBLICAN NEWSPAPER DEVOTED TO THE UPBUILDING OF AMERICAN HOMES AND AMERICAN INDUSTRIES.

BURLINGTON, ALAMANCE COUNTY, NORTH CAROLINA, FRIDAY, AUGUST 7, 1914.

### WINS \$100 FIRST PRIZE DEFEATS GERMANS

Burlington Fire Department Makes Fine Run at Winston-Salem and Brings Away Honor of State Championship of North Carolina and \$100.

Belgian Troops at Liege Repulse German Attack with Great Success, Losing Very Few in Engagement --- Germans Burn Small Belgian Town.

### THE TIME 30 3-5 SECONDS PRESIDENT'S WIFE DEAD THE GERMANS LOSE 8,000

Burlington Wins First Prize of \$100 in the State Races at Winston-Salem on Wednesday, by a Record Run of 30 2-5 Seconds, with Manly Baker Driving, J. Everette Thompson Putting Hose on Hydrant, Ed. Hinsley Taking Up Slack, Corrie Whitsell Turning on Water and Staley Cook as Nozzleman. Wins Fifth Prize in Interstate Races To-Day.

The Burlington Fire Department is in Winston-Salem taking part in the State Fireman's Tournament. The company took part in the State Races on Wednesday winning first prize, in a snappy race, witnessed by thousands of people from a large grand stand erected on Cherry street.

The company was in charge of Chief John Love and in the parade, which was viewed by thousands of people, showed up as well as any of the companies there. And "John" was a universal favorite with the on-lookers.

The following is the record of the races:

Burlington, time 30 2-5 seconds, first prize \$100.

New Bern, No. 1 and New Bern Riverside, tied, time 31 3-5 seconds; second prize \$75.

New Bern, Atlantic No. 1, time 21 1-4 seconds; third prize, \$50.

Tarboro, time 32 2-5 seconds, 4th prize, \$30.

New Bern, Fourth Ward, time 22 2-5 seconds; fifth prize \$20.

Other records were made as follows:

Morhead City 28 3-5 seconds.

Kinston, No. 3, 25 seconds.

Sanford, 35 seconds.

Statesville, 37 2-5 seconds.

Lexington, 39 2-5 seconds.

Caswell No. 1, Kinston, unrun out.

It will be noticed that the best time, 28 3-5 seconds, was made by the Morhead City company. But this record was thrown out on a technicality and the company not allowed to compete for the prizes.

The following companies participated in the parade, dressed in their uniforms and having their wagons and reels decorated:

Atlantic, of New Bern.

Burlington.

Statesville.

Morhead City.

Concord Reel Team.

Riverside, of New Bern.

Sanford.

Southside.

Reel Team of Salisbury.

Salisbury Hose Company.

Tarboro.

Spencer Shop Team.

Fayetteville.

Liberty Steamer, of Winston.

High and Ready, Winston.

Steamer No. 1, Winston.

West Side Reel Team, Winston.

New Bern No. 1.

High Point Auto Truck.

Winston Auto Truck.

### THE INTERSTATE RACES HELD TO-DAY.

In the Interstate Team Races, held in afternoon in Winston, the following companies took part, Burlington winning fifth prize:

Morhead City, 29 4-5 seconds.

Atlantic, New Bern, 31 3-5.

Buttons, New Bern, 31 4-5 seconds.

Fourth Ward, Newbern, 32 1-5 seconds.

Burlington, 32 2-5 seconds.

Riverside, New Bern, 32 4-5 seconds.

Tarboro, 33 1-5 seconds.

Kinston No. 2, 35 2-5 seconds.

Statesville, 36 2-5 seconds.

Kinston, 38 4-5 seconds.

Sanford, 39 3-5 seconds.

Lexington, 0.

### MISSSES ELLIS AND HALL ENTERTAIN.

At Miss Ellis' Beautiful Home on W. Davis Street in Honor of Misses Veda Barre and Mary Roof.

On Tuesday evening, August 4th, Misses Gertrude Ellis and Mary Kerr Hall entertained at the home of Miss Ellis in honor of Misses Veda Barre and Mary Sue Roof, of South Carolina. They had had planned to spend the evening at the park, but owing to the inclement weather supper was served at Miss Ellis' then spending a delightful hour at The Grotto. Those present were the following: Misses Mary Sue Roof, Veda Barre, Gladys Brown, Lucy Brown, Carrie Willis, Willard Smith, Mary Kerr Hall, Gertrude Ellis, Georgia Hatch, Mary Sue Browning; Messrs. George Fowler, Rodney Coleman, Norman Garrett, Rufus Wilson, Erwin Montgomery, Adrain Carroll, Kilby Page, Walter Bason, Charles Eklund.

Williams Fonville.

The following announcement is being received here by friends of the parties concerned: Mr. Frank P. Fonville, Mrs. Mary A. Williams, married on Wednesday the 5th day of August, 1914. Marion, Virginia. At home after October 1st, 1303 West Grand Street, Oklahoma City.

Mr. Fonville, or Prof. Fonville, as we all know him, is an old Alamance county man, well connected here, being a brother of Mr. L. J. Fonville and John W. Fonville, he was a fine educator and a high-toned Christian gentleman. His many friends will be glad to hear of his second happy marriage. His first wife was a most excellent woman, but died after a few years' residence in Oklahoma. Prof. Fonville's beautiful and accomplished daughter, Miss Fannie, who visited here, is so pleasantly remembered, is also married. The Dispatch wishes both of them a long and happy union.

Mrs. George A. Garrison Paralyzed.

Mrs. George A. Garrison suffered a stroke of paralysis Sunday morning at her home on Tarpley street, which affected her head and left arm.

She is able to walk around in the house at present and seems to be getting along nicely.

With due ceremony, the Government of Brazil has announced that the Rio Tanco, thus settling for all times the status of the River of Doubt, and carrying near-geographers can hang their heads.

(Greensboro News.)

After a Brave Struggle Mrs. Wilson Passes Away.—Hope for Recovery Vanished Early in the Day Yesterday.—The End Came at 5 O'clock in the Afternoon.—Family at the Bedside.—President Was Told Yesterday Morning that Mrs. Wilson Could Live But a Few Hours.—For Her Husband Welfare all the Time.

Washington, Aug. 5.—Mrs. Woodrow Wilson, wife of the President of the United States, tonight lies at the point of death.

Four months of almost unbroken illness, a complication of nervous ailments and Bright's disease, have sapped the vitality of the First Lady of the Land. The end is regarded as a matter of days, perhaps hours. Her husband and three daughters are at her bedside and relatives have been summoned. Physicians have been in consultation for days but it was admitted at the White House tonight that hope for her recovery had almost vanished.

Conscious only at intervals, Mrs. Wilson has been cheerful and has called for her husband constantly. Every moment that could be spared from urgent official duties have been devoted by the President to his wife. At the side of his constant helpmate and adviser, he wrote the tender of good offices appealing to the European monarchs to stay their conflict.

From the sick room he has been giving directions to the various department heads for the relief of thousands of Americans stranded abroad. The press of domestic legislation, the European war and Mexican situation and the flurry over financial conditions throughout the country have weighed heavily on the President as he has maintained his day and night vigil.

Washington, Aug. 6.—Mrs. Woodrow Wilson, wife of the President of the United States, died at the White House at 5 o'clock this afternoon. Death came after a brave struggle of months against Bright's disease with complications.

The President was completely unnerved by the shock and his grief was heart-rending. He bore up well under the strain, however, and devoted himself to his daughters.

The end came while Mrs. Wilson was unconscious. Her illness took a turn for the worse shortly before one o'clock this afternoon and from then on she gradually grew weaker.

Kneeling at the bedside at the end were the President and their three daughters. Dr. Cary T. Grayson, U. S. N., and a nurse were in the room, and just outside a door were Secretary McAdoo and Francis B. Sayre, Mr. Wilson's sons-in-law, and Mr. Tumulty, his secretary.

Both houses of Congress adjourned when Mrs. Wilson's death was announced for a brief time the wheels of the government virtually stopped.

BEGINNING OF THE END.

The beginning of the end came at 10 o'clock this morning when Dr. E. P. Lewis, of Philadelphia, who had been called in for consultation, realized the time or hope had passed. He took the President into the Red room and there in a broken voice told him the truth. Mr. Wilson's face blanched but he bore the shock well. He

was informed the end was a question of a few hours.

Mr. Wilson then took his daughters, Mrs. McAdoo, Mrs. Sayre and Miss Margaret Wilson, aside and told them. Until then they had thought there was a chance for her recovery.

From that time on the President and his daughters remained constantly at the bedside. The President held his wife's hand, and the three daughters were grouped nearby. Until she became unconscious Mrs. Wilson frequently nodded to one or the other and smiled cheerfully.

HER HUSBAND FIRST.

During the day Mrs. Wilson spoke to Dr. Grayson about the President of whose health she thought more than she did of her own.

"Promise me," she whispered, affably, "that if I go, you will take care of my husband." It was the same touch of devotion which she so many times had repeated—her constant anxiety having been that the President might not worry about her or be disturbed in official tasks.

The President returned to the sick room from the last conference with the doctor, his three daughters leaning on his arm. Francis Boves Sayre and Secretary McAdoo and Secretary Tumulty stayed outside the door. Mrs. Wilson lapsed into unconsciousness but rallied. By 1 o'clock she began to sink rapidly. She still could recognize those about her, and looked cheerfully toward them and smiled.

At 2 o'clock Mrs. Wilson still was conscious, but her strength almost had departed and a few minutes later she sank into the sleep of unconsciousness from which she never awoke. For three hours the President and his daughters gazed longingly into her eyes in the hope that she might speak again but she could not. The sun was casting its long shadows from the Potomac to the South grounds, coloring the fountains, gardens and elms.

There was hushed stillness in the upper apartments. All eyes were turned toward the southwest corner of the house.

Just at the hour of 5 death came. The President and his daughters were in tears. Secretary Tumulty walked slowly to the executive offices, his head bowed. Quickly he announced to the correspondents that the end had come.

Funeral arrangements have not been made. The place of burial will be either Rome, Ga., or Princeton, N. J., where the family lived for 25 years. Dr. S. W. Beach, of etatin

There is one good feature about married life. Your wife can't read your mind.

The party is hurt every time those in authority do anybody dirt.—Durham Herald.

Several Thousand German Troops Killed by Belgians in Attack on Liege.—Belgians Hurl Back German Invaders after Kaiser's Troops Bombard Liege, which is Gateway to Paris.—German Cruiser Sunk and Two Captured in First Battle in Mediterranean Waters.—Succumb to Attack of Allied British and French Squadrons.

Brussels, via Paris, Aug. 6.—1:35 a. m.—Several thousand dead and wounded is the toll paid by the German army of the Meuse for its attack on Liege.

The Belgians made a heroic defense, repulsing the Germans after heavy and continuous fighting.

The fortified position of Liege had to support on Wednesday the general shock of the German attack. The Belgian forts resisted the advance fiercely and did not suffer. One Belgian squadron attacked and drove back six German squadrons.

Eight hundred wounded Germans are being transferred to the city of Liege where they will be cared for.

Prior to the attack on Liege, General Emmich, commanding the German army of the Meuse, issued a proclamation calling for an open road through Belgium for the advance of his forces and suggested that prudence would show it to be the duty of the Belgian people to accede to this, to avoid the horrors of war.

The Germans committed reprisals against the civil population of the town of Vise, eight miles northeast of Liege, burning the city and shooting many residents.

LONDON REPORT.

Brussels, via London, Aug. 6.—Official dispatches report that the Belgians have repulsed all attacks by the Germans in the neighborhood of Liege. The Belgians delivered a vigorous counter attack, killing all the Germans who had passed the forts.

The fortifications afforded admirable resistance to German shells. Everree fort, which was in action all day, was absolutely unharmed. The Belgian aviators proved every whit as good as the Germans. Several civilians have been shot at Vise and the town has been burned.

Russian frontier patrols, driving enemy's cavalry before them, penetrated ten miles into Germany below Lyk Bala.

The ruler of Belgium, who ascended the throne at the death of his father, Leopold, will take command of Franco-Belgian troops in Belgium. The youthful monarch and his troops may shortly oppose the invading Germans in a gigantic battle.

Lloyd-George asks Parliament to vote an additional war loan of \$500,000,000.

President Wilson offers mediation to the powers involved in war.

German embassy in St. Petersburg wrecked. One employe killed. Report declares that Berlin mob has retaliated in kind by destroying Russian embassy at German capital.

Field Marshal Lord Kitchener has been appointed Secretary of State for War for Great Britain.

State Department makes representations to Germany for immediate release of Americans interned there during mobilization.

Martial law proclaimed in all parts of Holland.

Report declares Commander Lusitania is putting back to Portland, Me., pursued by two German warships.

Turkey closes the Dardanelles and Bosphorus, enabling Russian war vessels to lottle up German merchant vessels within the restricted maritime zone.

Russian troops and German patrols battle along entire frontier.

Boy Badly Hurt.

Wilhe Apple, son of Mr. A. A. Apple, suffered a severe cut on the foot Wednesday. He was coming down town with his dog and near the Mayor's Hall his dog got into a fight with the dog of Mr. N. A. Ward. Mr. Ward was near and had his knife open cutting at something in his hand. He started toward the dogs to separate them at the same time young Apple did. Forgetting the open knife he threw out his hand just as the boy kicked at the dogs. His foot came in contact with the knife and a gash three inches long was cut in the top of his foot.

He was rushed to the doctor's office and the wound dressed and he is getting along nicely. Mr. Ward deplores the accident deeply and there is no doubt that it was a pure accident.

Death of Little Henry Fisher Legitimate.

Henry Fisher, the little two-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Fogleson, died at their home on Hoke street Tuesday evening after a one-day's illness of membranous croup. The funeral was private and held at the home Thursday afternoon by Rev. Mr. Brown and the body interred in the cemetery. Their friends extend their deep sympathy in this sudden grief that has come to the family.

Child's Tragic Death at Orphanage.

Little Samuel Carroll, aged nine, died of internal hemorrhage at the Christian Orphanage, at Elon College at 8:30 o'clock Wednesday night. Part of a hot water boiler of the hot water system now being installed fell on him as he was examining it. The accidental accident is the second death in the history of the orphanage. His father lives at Garner.

Baptist Philatheas Entertain.

The Senior Philatheas Class of the First Baptist Church held a social at the parsonage on Tuesday evening. Games and music were enjoyed after which Misses Kate Buck and Lea served frappe. A silver offering was taken and a nice sum realized.

If the worst should come to the worst, and England be invaded by a conquering host, despair would be tempered by a lively curiosity as to how the said host would cope with the furies.—Greensboro News.

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### LETTERS THAT WERE NEVER WRITTEN.

From a Resident of the National Capital to a Solitary Stay-at-Home.

Dear Ed:—  
When were you read out of the Democratic party? I take it for granted that you are out, seeing that I haven't seen you here within the past fortnight, while all the rest of the party has been hanging around almost continuously.

We have had some little difficulty in making the party in the State understand exactly what is necessary; indeed, we have had to summon all four quarters of it to Washington, one after the other, in order to make sure that the situation was thoroughly understood. Truly, it is a notable gathering that we have had here, or rather, a notable procession, for of course, they didn't all come at once. First there was Warren, the Democratic party of the extreme east; he got his and was succeeded by Bailey, the Democratic party of the middle east; then came Watts, who rules the broad democracy between Salisbury and Asheville; and finally, Charlie Webb, the Old Man of the Mountain. All four now having visited Washington, the Democracy of North Carolina may be said to be cocked and primed—that is, unless you insist that you, too, are still a member of the Democratic party; but in that case, why haven't you been to Washington to get your orders?

I really think that you must have been excluded from the list of those summoned. Why, even McLean, the fair-haired child of destiny, was among those present. Indeed, Ed, you are no longer a member of the Democratic party; you have been relegated to the herd of mere voters, whose opinions don't count.

To you, then, a rank outsider, let me give the information that there are going to be big doings in the State before the robins nest again. In fact, a movement has already been begun to pound the fear of the Lord into the hearts of the dissolute. In the beginning Bailey, Josiah Torquemada Bailey, has been sent out as a sort of Grand Inquisitor to smell out the heretics that appear to infest the land. With bell, book and candle he has already cursed the Greensboro schismatic; but don't imagine for an instant that his work will stop there. He is given power, not merely to purge the system but also to examine into the extent to which the doctrines of this heretic have taken hold on the minds of the populace, so that if necessary we may bend our energies toward reconciling them with the doctrines of the true faith. If the world has, indeed, run after this heresy we must make the best of a bad bargain, and by propagating it ourselves with vast tumult, we may be able to hoist the engineer with his own petard—(to overcome the devil with fire!

At any rate the Democratic party in all its sections—that of the far east, that of the middle east, that of the middle west and the trans-Alpine contingent—has been to Washington and received detailed instructions and admonitions. Henceforth all things should work together for good to them that held the jobs.

Once more I must give expression to my grief that you are no longer numbered in the party fathered by Jefferson, fostered by Vance and foster-fathered by Farnifold M. Simons.

Sorrowfully yours,  
A. WASHINGTON MANN.

### Cow Attacks Automobile.

Dr. W. B. Murphy, a well known Snow Hill physician is having to pay for damages to his automobile from an unusual cause. The physician and his driver glimpsed a heifer coming down a road on which they were driving. The animal was evidently in a penicky condition and the chauffeur stopped the machine to avoid a collision. The heifer didn't put on her brakes at all, though, and ran straight for the automobile and crashed into it head first. The shock rendered her non-combatant and the crazed heifer walked to the roadside and lay down.

Time for the A B C powers of Europe to get busy.—Greensboro News

### More "Traitors."

About a fortnight ago the Dispatch sounded a warning to the Democratic party in North Carolina, admonishing that unless progressive principles were supported the party would lose in the State. This due warning, this prophesy was taken by some few, who had never bestirred themselves for the progressive principles already adopted, as treason. Their argument or spirit could not stand against the argument of men like William Jennings Bryan in time past, pointed out dangers that beset the path, instead of remaining quiet and allowing the party to be hurled to the rocks, made no impression upon them as precedent. But the army of "traitors" grows, which will, of course, terribly sock these inert souls.

Harker, of the Maxton Scottish Chief, a life-long Democrat, sounds a similar warning and in doing so copies an extract from the speech of Editor R. F. Beasley, of the Monroe Journal, delivered at the recent State Press Convention. Beasley stands high in the temple of Democracy, was the great mainstay of the party some time like four years ago, when our staff was to be leeled off by the Democratic press bureau, and it will be by men of the Beasley and Harker stripe that the party is going to be preserved, making those who did not see before now behold the true light and prodding those who do not want to see, to action, for self preservation even if not for true reformation. The extract copied from the Chief follows:

"In our State we have consigned to the keeping of one political party the welfare of a whole people throbbing with new and generous impulses, aglow with radiant hopes, touched with the spirit of progress, and craving us never before a wise and righteous leadership. This party cannot prove worthy of its great trust by standing still. It cannot satisfy the conscience nor challenge the intelligence of a noble people by dodging issues nor hiding behind the fallacy of letting well enough alone. It cannot fill a great mission by mistaking defeat as an end instead of an instrument. Its leaders will betray the principles of a party and a greater people if they think and act in terms of power rather than in terms of service. The Democratic party is today on the danger line. Remember that those of us who sound a warning speak not in hostility, but in love, not in criticism merely, but in friendship. We must face the stern truth that no party can sacrifice obligation for even party welfare. Individual office holding and party power are not materials upon which faith and fidelity long survive, and we do not have to go back three years in history to learn that though a party may seem impregnable, it can, when drunk with power and deadened to obligation be wiped off the political map in a twinkling."—Wilmington Dispatch.

### Rescued Once, He Drowns.

After having been once rescued by other bathers, and warned to keep in shallow water, Louis Schlet, 23, of Bristol, climbed to a spring board this afternoon and dived boldly into Lake Campounce, the famous bottomless lake in Southington, certain parts of which have never been sounded.

Schlet did not appear, and his first rescuers dived after him several times. After several minutes the body re-appeared in another part of the lake. Though a pulmoner and other methods of resuscitation were employed vigorously, it was impossible to arouse any spark of life. Medical Examiner Stedman, of Southington, gave out a verdict of death from heart failure, rather than drowning.—Hartford, Conn., Dispatch to the New York World.

What has become of the old-fashioned man who used to order ham and eggs every time he went into a restaurant?

When a man hollers that all he wants is a square deal you can bet that all he wants is about 95 per cent. the best of it.

Europe will have to have some more of our gold—and pay good and plenty for the use of it.—Greensboro News.

### Alamance County Sunday School Convention Program.

Alamance County Sunday School Convention meets in the Methodist Protestant Church, Mebane, August 22 and 23, where the following program will be carried out:

- SATURDAY MORNING.**  
10:00 A. M.—Meeting called to order by President, Mr. L. W. Holt. Song service.  
Devotional service, Rev. D. C. Cox. Enrollment of Delegates.  
10:15 A. M.—The duty of the adult Church member to the Sunday School, Rev. D. H. Tuttle.  
10:45 A. M.—How to win and hold the pupil, Dr. W. P. Lawrence.  
11:15 A. M.—Announcements and appointment of committees.  
12:00 M.—Adjournment.  
2:00 P. M.—Devotional service, Rev. Mr. Hackney.  
2:15 P. M.—How to advance from a Banner to a Front line county, Mr. W. E. Sharpe.  
2:30 P. M.—Round table discussion, led by Prof. J. B. Robertson.  
2:50 P. M.—The teacher and his message, Rev. Donald Melver.  
3:10 P. M.—The pastor's relation to the Sunday School, Rev. J. F. Morgan.  
3:45 P. M.—Report of committees.  
8:00 P. M.—Song and devotional service, Rev. O. B. Williams.  
8:15 P. M.—Report of World Sunday School Convention, Mr. J. W. Long.  
8:35 P. M.—The Sunday School's place in our civilization, Mr. W. C. Bourneiss.

### M. P. CHURCH—SUNDAY.

- 10:00 A. M.—Song and devotional service, Dr. W. E. Swaim.  
10:15 A. M.—The boy problem, Mr. D. E. Fonville.  
Efficient qualification, Dr. W. A. Harper.

### BAPTIST CHURCH—SUNDAY.

- 10:00 A. M.—Song and devotional service, Rev. J. D. Huffman.  
10:15 A. M.—Address, Mr. J. W. Long, Field Secretary.  
11:15 A. M.—Address, Mr. J. H. Vernon.

### M. P. CHURCH—SUNDAY.

- 2:00 P. M.—Elementary work in the Sunday School, Mrs. M. W. Buck.  
3:45 P. M.—A training for efficiency, Mr. C. Brown Cox.  
3:15 P. M.—Sunday School Evangelism, Rev. D. H. Tuttle.

Executive Committee: Rev. A. B. Kendall, Rev. Robert Parker, J. H. Vernon, C. D. Johnson, Rev. D. Melver, Rev. R. G. L. Edwards, J. B. Robertson, Rev. G. L. Curry, Rev. D. H. Tuttle, Prof. T. C. Amick, John R. Hoffman.  
Officers: L. W. Holt, President; Miss Annie Williams, Secretary and Treasurer.

All delegates to the Sunday School Convention should send name to Mr. J. A. Nickleson, Mebane, N. C.

### A Marked Difference.

The esteemed Raleigh Times thinks the Lessee can predominate the primary unless the people are aroused. Absolutely, but there is a marked difference—of right and chance. The convention system is wrong in principle while the primary is right. Under the convention form the people, if aroused, would have no chance, where under the primary they would. And we have generally found that the people, as a rule, measure up to their responsibilities. At any rate, if they don't it is up to them, and it is hard for a minority to logically preach that a majority is wrong. Besides, majority rule is Democratic, and the convention allows no chance for exercise of such, while the primary does.—Wilmington Dispatch.

Entireness, illimitableness, is indispensable to faith. What we believe we must believe wholly and without reserve; therefore the only perfect and satisfying object of faith is God. A faith that sets bounds to itself, that will trust thus far and no further, is none.—Anon.

That Supreme Court position seeks the man; at least theoretically.—The Greensboro News.

### No More Free Bus Rides.

A curious effect of the "psychological" depression, now existing was the recent discontinuance of free bus rides by Nugent's, Scroggs-Vandervoort-Barney, Famous & Barr and Grand-Leader, leading department stores of St. Louis. These stores had been operating several machines to and from the Union Station and the McKinley Station. Average cost had been \$250 a month or \$3,000 a year for each bus, bringing the total up to \$21,000. The stores a few weeks ago started to keep tabs on the passengers, whose average number was found to be 14, of whom four purchased merchandise from the store.

Suburbanites, it is said, brought the discontinuance on themselves, some not even taking the trouble to enter the stores, but going directly to their offices. Nevertheless, an investigation would never have been started had not there been a desire to curtail expenses.—Wall Street Journal.

The last, best fruit which comes to perfection, even in the kindest soul, is tenderness toward the hard, forbearance toward the unforbearing, warmth of heart toward the cold, philanthropy toward the misanthropic.—Richter.

Life is not jest and amusement; life is not even enjoyment; life is hard labor.—Turgenieff.

### Has Your Child Worms?

Most children do. A coated, furred Tongue; Strong Breath; Stomach Pains; Circles under Eyes; Pale, Sallow Complexion; Nervous, Fretful; Grinding of Teeth; Tossing in Sleep; Peculiar Dreams—any one of these indicate Child has Worms. Get a box of Kickapoo Worm Kiler at once. It kills the Worms—the cause of your child's condition. Is Laxative and aids Nature to expel the Worms. Supplied in candy form. Easy for children to take. 25c., at your Druggist.

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Very truly yours,  
THOMAS J. LYNCH,  
225 Newberry Street, Ripon, Wis.

I have read the above statement that Thomas J. Lynch bought Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root at my store and made oath the above statement is true in substance and fact.  
C. J. Burns, Jr.

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Sunday Worship, 11:00 a. m., and 7:30 p. m.  
Sunday School at 9:30 a. m. J. L. Scott, Superintendent.  
Praise and Prayer Services, Wednesday, at 7:30 p. m.  
Christian Culture Class, Saturday at 3:00 p. m.  
Church Conference, Wednesday before first Sunday of each month, 7:30 p. m.  
Observance of Lord's Supper, first Sunday in each month.  
Woman's Union, first Monday of each month, 3:30 p. m.

### THE METHODIST PROTESTANT CHURCH.

East Davis Street.  
Rev. George L. Curry, Pastor.  
Services:  
Morning, 11:00 Evening, 7:30  
Prayer Meeting, Wednesday evening.  
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Sunday School, 9:30 a. m. J. G. Rogers, Superintendent.  
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Preaching every first Sunday at 11:00 a. m., and 7:30 p. m. Second Sunday at 7:30 p. m.  
Sunday School every Sunday at 10 H. F. Moore, Superintendent. Everybody welcome.

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Rev. T. S. Brown, Pastor.  
Morning Services at 11:00 a. m. No services on third Sundays.  
Sunday School 9:45 a. m. Prof. J. B. Robertson, Superintendent.  
Teachers' Meeting Wednesday, 7:30 p. m. (Pastor's Study).  
Woman's Missionary Society, first Thursday in every month at 9:30 p. m.  
L. C. E. Society, second Thursday in every month at 3:30 p. m.  
Luther League, second and fourth Sundays at 8:00 p. m.  
Vespers at 3:30 p. m.

Rev. T. S. Brown, Pastor.



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Burlington, North Carolina, under the  
Act of Congress of March 3, 1879.

Wake County has saved \$35,837.95  
in three years by the adoption of the  
salary system as against fees. How  
much has Alamance County saved?  
Those whose business it is to say will  
not tell. It is public information. In  
fact it is the duty of the county of-  
ficials to publish it for the informa-  
tion of the tax payers, but they will  
not do it. Just why no one knows.  
Read what Wake saves:

"By reason of the operation of the  
Salary and Fee bill passed in 1911,  
Wake County has effected a saving of  
\$35,837.95 in three years. These were  
the figures submitted yesterday at the  
second meeting of the county com-  
missioners by Auditor H. G. Holding.  
The commissioners received the re-  
port with gratification. It was known  
that the bill had resulted in greater  
economy in the government of the  
county but it was not known that the  
saving was represented in such large  
figures.

"County Auditor Holding's report in  
detail was as follows: 'I beg leave  
to submit herewith the statement  
showing the net balance for savings  
to the county of the several offices  
through the operation of the salary  
and Fee Bill of 1911 for the years  
1911, 1912 and 1913:

C. H. Anderson, register of deeds, net balance . . . . .	\$ 6,274.55
Milla J. Mial, clerk, net bal- ance . . . . .	6,775.78
J. H. Sears, sheriff, net bal- ance . . . . .	19,694.84
G. T. Norwood, treasurer, . . . . .	2,694.48
	\$35,837.95
Less net expenses of audit- ing . . . . .	1,702.40
Total savings . . . . .	\$34,135.55

The Dispatch is engaged in making  
a fight in the interest of the tax pay-  
ers of Alamance County. There is  
nothing political about it. Certain  
laws are being violated and our coun-  
ty officials seem careless or do not  
want to comply with the law. The  
county's books should be audited, the  
law says they should be, but it is not  
done. The tax payers want certain  
information in regard to the salary  
and fee system. They desire to know  
whether we are saving money from  
the adoption of the salary system as  
against the fee system. If we are  
not saving money then we should go  
back to the fee system. If we are  
saving money we should stay upon  
the salary system. We do not know  
how we stand financially. The county  
officials will not tell us, just why, no  
one knows, but the voters are going  
to take the matter in hand and elect of-  
ficials who will do their duty and tell  
them the things they want and should  
know. The present officials will find  
this out sooner or later.

If Mr. Taxpayer was to walk into  
his bank and ask the cashier how  
much money he had to his credit in  
his account with the bank, and the  
bank man would refuse to tell him,  
what would happen? Mr. Taxpayer  
asks Mr. County Official how much  
money are we saving by the adoption  
of the salary system as against the  
fee system and Mr. County Official  
refuses to tell him, what will happen  
when Mr. Taxpayer gets a swipe at  
him at the ballot box?

We have a law in this county that  
all county officers books must be aud-  
ited every six months and the result

of said audit made public, how long  
has it been since the books have been  
audited? Some one is neglecting their  
duty. Attention voters!

**THE SALARY SYSTEM DISCUS-  
SION.**

Several Voters in the Various Sec-  
tions of the County Are Very Anx-  
ious to Know About it,  
Rock Creek, N. C., Route No. 1.

Editor Dispatch:

Our people are with you in this neck  
of the woods, in your efforts to make  
the county officials give out the fig-  
ures showing the difference between  
the salary and fee system. We are  
greatly surprised that officials claim-  
ing to be Democrats and holding of-  
fice under a Democratic administra-  
tion will act in a way to reflect seri-  
ously upon themselves and our party.  
I am a loyal party man and hope to  
always remain so, but unless our coun-  
ty officials give out this information  
I cannot support some of these of-  
ficials. Keep up the agitation until  
the information is furnished, and un-  
less furnished and that very soon  
count upon good support from this  
section for a part of the Republican  
county ticket.

Thanking you for the interest you  
are taking in behalf of the tax payers  
of our county, I am,

Yours for publicity,  
A LIFE-LONG DEMOCRAT.

Hartshorn, N. C.

Mr. Editor:

This is the first time in my life I  
ever tried to write for a newspaper  
but I am interested in your fight to  
have our county officers give out the  
information regarding the saving to  
the tax payers by the adoption of the  
salary system in place of the fee sys-  
tem. I do not want to do anything,  
or help you do anything that will hurt  
our party still if our officials are  
not doing their duty by refusing to  
give out this information, I am against  
those who are responsible for this  
condition of affairs. Please inform  
us whose duty it is to furnish this in-  
formation so that we may know who  
to hold responsible.

A DEMOCRATIC TAX-PAYER.

Graham, N. C., R. F. D. No. 2.

Editor: Twice-A-Week Dispatch:

As a tax payer, I am interested in  
knowing whether the salary system is  
a saving as against the old fee sys-  
tem, and how much. I notice your  
interest in this matter, and I trust  
you may be successful, with best  
wishes in this effort, but no farther I  
am,

AN OLD TIME DEMOCRAT.

Burlington, Route 3.

Dear Sir:

I am not much on writing, but I  
am a hard working farmer Democrat,  
and I want to thank you for your ef-  
forts in behalf of the tax burdened  
farmer. I do not like the way our  
county officers are acting in this mat-  
ter, and yet I don't see how I can  
go back upon the Democratic party.  
If I could get over to Graham I would  
give some of these officers a piece of  
my mind. I hope you may be suc-  
cessful in your efforts to turn on  
the light as to how much we are sav-  
ing by the new salary system.

DEMOCRAT.

Altamahaw, N. C., Route No. 1.

Editor Republican Paper:

You can count upon me to support  
your county ticket this fall. I cannot  
support people who want to hide  
things from the tax payers. I hope  
to live and die a Democrat, but I can-  
not support men who will not do their  
duty to those who helped elect them.  
Please do not publish my name.

Yours for good county government,  
A SMALL TAX PAYER.

Snow Camp, Route 1.

The Dispatch:

As a Democrat I have been a sub-  
scriber to your paper ever since it  
started, and you have done and said  
things that I approved of, and a great  
many things that I did not approve of  
but you are doing something now that  
I am heartily in favor of, namely, try-  
ing to make our county officials give  
out the figures showing the saving or  
loss of the salary system instead of  
the fee system. Our officials are in  
their own light in refusing to make

this information public, and may live  
to regret it. I hate to give encour-  
agement to our enemy the Republi-  
cans, but as an honest Democrat I  
cannot uphold the present county of-  
ficers in withholding information that  
properly belongs to the public, as long  
as you battle in the interest of the  
tax payers you can count upon my  
moral support, but no help for partis-  
an purposes.

Yours in confidence.

HONEST DEMOCRAT.

**SEES THE SCHEME.**

Burlington, N. C., Aug. 6.

Editor Dispatch:

I am a subscriber to your invaluable  
paper, but I think I see your scheme  
in agitating the salary and fee sys-  
tem, you hope to make votes for the  
Republicans, but if our county officials  
were wise in their day and generation  
they would nip your little scheme in  
the bud by giving out this informa-  
tion showing how much the county is  
saving by adopting the salary sys-  
tem in the place of the old fee sys-  
tem. You do not seem to have any  
complaint about anything else, and if  
our people would come across with the  
statement you would be robbed of an  
issue, just why they cannot see it, I  
am at a loss to understand. It is a  
short sighted policy and one that will  
injure us unless immediate steps are  
taken to furnish the information, but  
I want to tell you that you will not  
get any comfort from me. I am go-  
ing to stand by my party no matter  
what happens. I am a Democrat of  
Democrats, and a little secrecy like  
our officials are maintaining will not  
drive me from the party. I know it  
is a good thing to harp upon and you  
will mislead a great many good peo-  
ple, of course, their refusal to make  
public how much the county is saving  
looks bad to an independent or a  
weak-kneed Democrat, but it does not  
affect me. I hope our people will see  
their mistake and publish the infor-  
mation and stop your howling. I told  
one of our men only yesterday that  
you were making capital out of it and  
that they ought to stop it, but he  
said that they could not afford to let  
your party force them to furnish this  
Continued on Page 5.

**B. A. Sellars & Son**

**Last Call Sale of Ready to Wear  
Garments & Summer Dress Goods.**

So that all Ladies Ready to Wear Garments and Dress Goods may go before our  
Fall Goods arrive, we will for **THREE WEEKS**, beginning **AUG. 6th**, make the biggest  
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See these 1-2 price garments, they are of the season's best styles.

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Silk, Wool, Linen and Cotton Tub Dresses, in white and all the most popular colors. Over  
two months to wear them yet so why not get one of these stylish dresses at our **MONEY  
SAVING PRICE?** You can have your pick of our entire stock as none are reserved. Reg-  
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Burlington, N. C.

**MASS CONVENTION**

There will be a mass meeting of **REPUBLICANS,  
PROGRESSIVES, INDEPENDENTS,** and all  
others who want good honest county government,  
at the Court House in

**Graham, N. C., August 15th, at**

2:30 P. M.

For the purpose of selecting delegates and alternates to the vari-  
ous Republican conventions to be held this year. We invite all  
regardless of how they have voted heretofore, who are opposed  
to the management of the present county government to attend  
this convention and to take part in its deliberations. We will  
welcome advice from all good citizens and tax payers whether  
in person or by letter as to the best method of getting together  
for a solid front to the end that our county government may be  
administered in the interest of the tax payers and those who  
have the largest burdens to bear in county and school matters.  
This convention is not for the purpose of nominating ticket  
at this time, but its organization and conduct may have an im-  
portant bearing upon this future result. All good men who at-  
tend this meeting will be consulted in matters affecting this re-  
organization of the Republican party. Come and bring your  
neighbor with you; we extend you a most cordial welcome.

**GEORGE W. VESTAL, Chairman,**  
Alamance Co. Republican Executive Com.

POOR

Miss Margaret Brannock is visiting relatives in Caswell.

Dr. J. C. Staley left Wednesday for several weeks in Asheville.

Mr. Vilus Holt left yesterday on a business trip to Defiance, Ohio.

Freeland are visiting W. G. and J. J. Freeland at Hillsboro for a week.

Mr. Robert Cates is spending a week or ten days with his brother, Mr. C. Grady Cates, in Roanoke.

Misses Violet Holt and Virdie Trol-J. Mebane on Tarpley Street.

Misses Lois Workman and Chloe Mrs. Tom Davis and daughter, spent last night with Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Holt.

Mrs. C. R. Vernon leaves today for Roxboro to spend some time at her old home.

Mr. James Snipes from below Mebane, is here for a few days with Mr. Hollis Patterson.

linger left Wednesday for a two or three weeks' visit to Mrs. Harry Wood at Monterey, Va.

Mrs. H. C. Zachary is visiting here for some time with her mother, Mrs. Sarah B. Cates.

Misses Mamie and Rosa Crawford and Nora Thompson visited friends at Mebane Friday.

Messrs. Dewitt Cheek and Jerome Russell, from Mandale, were visitors in the city Tuesday.

Mrs. D. M. Davidson and baby, of Gibsonville, are spending a week with Miss Mary Freeman.

Among the business visitors in Greensboro Wednesday were Messrs. Eugene and W. K. Holt.

Mrs. Esther Vernon has returned from Greensboro after spending a few days with relatives there.

Mr. Clarence Wright, of Saxapahaw, has accepted a position in the Keystone Finishing Mills.

Miss Nora Thompson, of Oakdale, has been the guest of Misses Mamie and Nora Crawford for the past week.

Misses Bertha Cates, Nina Ingle, Rosa Patterson and Mrs. Boyd spent Wednesday in Greensboro shopping.

Miss Hazel Greeson is spending her vacation on R. F. D. No. 4. Miss Nina Ingle is at the Dispatch in her place.

There will be preaching Thursday, Friday and Saturday night and communion Sunday morning at 11 o'clock at Eimira Presbyterian Church.

Mrs. G. D. Crawford and daughters, and also Miss Nora Thompson attended preaching at their home church in Orange county Sunday.

Miss Myrtle Isley, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John H. Isley, returned to Raleigh Thursday, where she is a trained nurse.

Miss Mella Klarpp from Shanon, N. C., Mrs. John Dougald and daughter, Miss Ruth, of Statesboro, Ga., are here for some time with Mrs. B.

Rev. D. H. Tuttle, accompanied by his son, Mr. Herndon, and daughter,

Miss Ella, left Tuesday for a two weeks' vacation in the mountains.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilson and children, Rev. and Mrs. George L. Curry and children returned yesterday from an extended trip to Raleigh and Davidson counties. Rev. Mr. Curry will resume his duties as pastor of the M. P. Church next Sunday.

Miss Fannie Kilgo, from Durham, Miss Edna Taylor, from Goldsboro, came today to spend a few days with Misses Juliette and Ada Belle Isley.

Mr. J. L. Buchanan was a business visitor in town Wednesday and Thursday.

Whitsett News Items.

E. W. Joyner, of Manteo, Dare County, is here visiting his brother, Prof. J. Y. Joyner. He spent the summer at the University of North Carolina, taking a special course.

Miss Isla Wheeler has just returned from a visit to friends in Concord and Mt. Pleasant, in Cabarrus County. She is now the assistant postmaster here.

Mrs. G. W. Kernolde, of Washington, D. C., is here for a visit to her sister, Mrs. W. H. McLean.

Charles L. Jones and family are spending some time in the community visiting friends.

Edro and Glenn Wheeler are in Charlotte visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Rankin.

Miss Georgia E. Clapp is here for a visit of some weeks. She is just from Asheville, where she attended the Boston-Emerson School of Education. For six years she has taught in Cleveland County, but goes next year as a member of the faculty at Catawba College. Her uncle, the late Dr. Jacob C. Clapp was for a long time president of that school.

The protracted services are in progress in Springwood Church this week. The preaching is being done by the pastor of the church, Rev. R. E. Redding.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Davenport have had a number of improvements in the way of re-papering, painting, etc., made at their home here, "Rosemere Cottage."

Dr. Edward Clapp and family have moved from Gibsonville to their farm near here where they will make their home.

The Salary System Again.

To the Editor of The Dispatch:

As a tax payer of Alamance County, I am surprised that our county officials absolutely refuse or ignore the request of the tax payers of the county to give them the facts and figures as to the amount of salaries and fees of our county officers. As a tax payer I have a right to know—and I suppose that every other taxpayer of the county feels as I do about it. We see Guilford, Durham, Wake and other counties giving their tax payers these figures, and some counties report a saving of more than \$10,000 a year. We do not know whether Alamance is saving or losing. If our county officials continue to ignore and refuse to give the taxpayers this information, I ask, Are you going to submit (?) and re-elect these same officials? I sound the warning: What are you going to do about it?

TAX PAYER.

THE SALARY SYSTEM DISCUSSION.

Continued from Page 4.

information, that it would do you more good to force them to give it than it would do harm for them to refuse, and therefore they were going to refuse to furnish it. I did not see his logic then, and I do not see it now, but that is our attitude and we are going to stand by it. I am a regular party man, and right or wrong, I remain true, of course people will think there is something rotten in Denmark because we will not furnish the information the tax payers are asking for and while I would like to know just how much we are saving, yet I am not willing for my party to allow you radical to put anything over us, keep on howling you may catch a few but you won't catch me.

TRUE BLUE.

You may publish my name if you want to, but I would rather you wouldn't, as this is the first time I have written for papers, especially for a radical paper calling itself a Progressive Republican paper, but it is nothing but a Radical paper I know it by its howl against Democrats.

(We were tempted not to publish this, but it was so original we could not refrain.—Editor.)

Appreciates Mr. Vestal's Action.

To the Editor of The Dispatch:

I am glad to know that Mr. G. W. Vestal, Chairman of the Alamance County Republican Executive Committee, has taken the initiative in calling a Mass Convention of Progressives, Republicans and all others who are opposed to the present rule in our county, to meet in Graham on Saturday, August 15th, to discuss ways and means to unite all opposition to the Democratic party, on a county ticket. I can see no good reason why every tax payer and voter in Alamance County who is opposed to the present condition of our county affairs, should not attend this mass meeting and express his views. We have a great many bright, intelligent young men in our county who are worthy and capable of filling any office in the gift of the people of our county and I believe that the tax payers of Alamance county are anxious for a change. I urge and beg of you to come to the Mass Convention.

W. E. WHITE.

Mebane, N. C., Aug. 4, 1914.

I TOLD YOU SO.

The manufacturers of Coca-Cola, the popular soda fountain beverage, have had an excellent chance in recent years to laud the public with the old glib, "I told you so." When the product was first put on the market the manufacturer frankly told the public its composition and explained that it was composed of spruy (sugar), caramel and caffeine with fruit flavors.

It seems however, that some people preferred to believe the slanderous reports rather than the actual facts; and as slanders travel fast they soon came to the attention of the Government. In order to ascertain the exact character of the product, the Government seized a shipment of Coca-Cola at Chattanooga, Tenn., and brought a suit against the Company in the Federal court. Expert scientists were summoned from all parts of the country and labored on the case for nearly four weeks at a cost to the government which has been estimated at approximately \$100,000.

It was another case of the "mountain laboring and bringing forth a mouse." They found the sugar and the caramel and the caffeine and the fruit flavorings. That's all.

A Net Saving to Another County of \$35,837.95.

To the Editor of The Dispatch:

I notice from today's News and Observer that Wake County saves in three years \$35,837.95 salaries versus fees in three years, and the county officials give out this information to its tax payers. What has our county saved? Will our county officials give up this information? Don't they think that we are entitled to know? Why is it that they refuse to take us into their confidence?

Turn on the light.

CITIZEN.

THE JOY OF DANCING EXERCISE.

Very few women or men seem to care to Tango or get Dancing Exercise unless they are assured the freedom from aching feet that Allen's Foot-Ease, the antiseptic powder to be shaken into the shoes, always gives.

Since the tendency to hold Dancing Parties has become almost a daily and hourly necessity in every community, the sale of Allen's Foot-Ease, so the druggists report, has reached the high-water mark. Sold everywhere 25c. Trial package FREE. Address: Allen S. Olmsted, Le Roy, N. Y.

STRAYED, or stolen from my premises on July 31 one shepherd dog. Liberal reward will be given for his return.—J. R. Mebane.

TAX NOTICE.

All persons who have not paid their taxes for the years 1912 and 1913, must come forward and settle same at once or legal steps will be taken to collect them.

D. H. WHITE,

Finest car fresh Watson Watermelons and cantaloupes ever seen in Burlington, now at the Merchants Supply Co.

The Hawfields High School has arranged to run a boys' boarding club for ten boys next session. For further information, apply at once to Mr. E. C. Turner or Rev. J. W. Goodman, Melane, N. C.

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**COTTON STATES WILL BE HURT MOST.**

**Cotton Merchant Says Banks and Individuals Must Stand Together to Hold Products.**

Greensboro, Aug. 1.—In a comprehensive interview yesterday following the announcement that the stock exchanges had closed, J. E. Latham, a large cotton merchant of this city, made interesting observations on world conditions, business in this country, and especially in the south. That the cotton producing states will be hurt more by a war in Europe than any other part of this country is the belief of Mr. Latham. He gave the following statement:

"We are in the face of conditions which have had no precedent in the world. The conflict between these countries as indicated by the compacts and alliances with which the various ones have bound themselves makes the situation very dangerous. No man may say at this time how widespread or far-reaching it may be.

"Here in the United States we must regard things from the same standpoint. We must not have a panic. It is unfortunate that this should arise at this period because there has been an effort the past two years to put into use so many reforms that the great public have not become acquainted with them; namely, the reserve banks were to have been in operation September 1st, but it seems unlikely that they will be put into operation before January 1st.

"At this stage it is not becoming for any good American citizen to criticize the administration too harshly as there is no feeling among business men who are suffering the most that Wilson's intentions have been anything but the best. His policies have been questioned after and perhaps if he had given more heed to more experienced business men the country would have been in better shape to withstand such shocks at the past few days have brought us.

His approval in Europe comes at a time when business is bad, when over \$500,000,000 worth of interest-bearing securities are in default, but it is the duty now of everybody to look forward to a recovery, and this can only be brought about by standing together, both by individuals and individuals.

"The failures so far have not been many and while some deserving firms will no doubt be thrown down, it is by a far more will be limited very much. The board of directors of the New York Cotton Exchange, the New York Stock Exchange, the New York Cotton Exchange, the New Orleans Cotton Exchange and the Baltimore and Philadelphia Stock Exchanges closed their doors today until next Tuesday. And in foreign exchanges located in Berlin, Vienna, Havre and other European cities, very widely closed some days ago.

"A great conflict between Russia and Germany will hurt the cotton area of the world more than any other part of the country. For the reason that even 10 per cent. of the American production of cotton is exported and probably 50 per cent. or more of this exportation is sent out in foreign ships under foreign flags. Even if American commerce is not interfered with we do not own enough ships to make much headway in selling cotton or grain afar. Therefore, it is the duty of all our American bankers to provide as much money as possible so crops may be held until the situation clears so that the great staple products may be again sent to Europe."

**Wise Precaution.**

A tourist in Scotland came to a wide ferry, and the wind was constantly increasing. The Scotch ferryman agreed to take the tourist across, but told him to wait until he had first taken a cow across.

When he had returned and started across with the traveler the latter became curious.

"Will you tell me why you took the cow over and made me wait?" he asked.

"Well, now," explained the ferryman, "I see, the cow was valuable, and I feared the wind would increase so that her might upset on the second trip."

**JUDGE FOR YOURSELF.**

**Which is Better—Try an Experiment or Profit by a Burlington Citizen's Experience.**

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C. E. Ellis, the well-known merchant, Front St., Burlington, N. C., says: "Doan's Kidney Pills have never failed to help me. I am glad to confirm the statement I gave some years ago, praising them. I was suffering from a slight attack of kidney complaint when I got Doan's Kidney Pills and took them and the pain left. I know that the medicine is a reliable one." Price 50c. at all dealers. Do not simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mr. Ellis had. Foster-Milburn Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y.

From woman's eyes this doctrine I derive:

They sparkle still the true Promethean fire:

They are the books, the arts, the academies,

That show, contain and nourish all the world. —Shakespeare.

England is safe if true within herself.—Shakespeare.

**Snow in July.**

The high temperature of the last two weeks fell so decidedly yesterday that a light snow fell today along the grades in the mountains above Oakland. Stoves here have been lighted and people are wearing overcoats.

Complaint of cold weather comes from camping parties along the Potomac. Campfires are necessary to keep warm after nightfall.—Cumberland Md., Dispatch, July 30.

**PECULIAR AFTER EFFECTS OF GRIP THIS YEAR.**

**Leaves Kidneys in Weakened Condition.**

Doctors in all parts of the country have been kept busy with the epidemic of grip which has visited so many homes. The symptoms of grip this year are often very distressing and leave the system in a run down condition, particularly the kidneys which seem to suffer most, as almost every victim complains of lame back and urinary troubles which should not be neglected, as these danger signals often lead to dangerous kidney troubles. Druggists report a large sale on Dr. Kiltner's Swamp-Root which so many people say soon heals, and strengthens the kidneys after an attack of grip. Swamp-Root is a great kidney, liver and bladder remedy, and being an herbal compound, has a gentle healing effect on the kidneys, which is almost immediately noticed in most cases by those who try it. Dr. Kiltner & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., offer to send a sample size bottle of Swamp-Root on receipt of ten cents to every sufferer who requests it. A trial will convince any one who may be in need of it. Regular size bottles 50c. and \$1.00. For sale at all druggists. Be sure to mention this paper.

**FARMS FOR SALE!**

**200-ACRE FARM**—located on the public road, one mile off macadam road leading into Graham, N. C., being 8 miles southeast of said town, about 150 acres of this land is level, clear of rocks, stumps and gullies, and in open cultivation. The open land is about one-third chocolate loam soil, balance gray, and an excellent farm for grain, grasses, cotton or tobacco. This farm is well watered with several ever-flowing streams, about 100 acres under wire fence, one 5-room frame cottage, also large feed and stock barn and plenty of wood and timber. All of this farm could be cultivated with machinery. There is also a good Graded School within one-half mile of this farm. We can sell this farm for \$25 per acre.

**79-ACRE FARM**—2½ miles south of Mebane, N. C., located on new graded road from Mebane to Swepsonville, being macadamized from Mebane out to within one-half mile of this farm, also within one-half mile of Hawthfields Church and Graded School. All of this farm lays well and can be cultivated with machinery, in woodland, pine and oak, all well watered with several ever-flowing streams, gray soil, good farm for grain, grasses, cotton, truck or tobacco. We will sell this farm for \$20 per acre.

**165-ACRE FARM**—Two miles west of Mebane, N. C., fronting on public road for one-half mile, good 3-room two-story residence, good feed and stock barn, well watered with ever-flowing streams and adjoining Back Creek, about 65 acres in open cultivation, 50 acres open land is chocolate loam, balance red and gray soil, and a good Graded School adjoins this farm. This is a good farm for grain,

grasses, cotton or tobacco and abundance of wood and good market for same at \$2.25 per cord at Mebane, N. C. We will sell this farm for \$3,500.

**125-ACRE FARM**—2½ miles south of Mebane, located on public road, about 50 acres in open cultivation, balance in wood land, pine and oak, ½ of this farm is red soil, balance gray, good 6-room, two-story residence, newly painted, very good barn, fairly good orchard of apples and peaches, well watered with two ever-flowing streams, also good well of water on back porch of residence and good Graded School within three-fourths mile of this farm. This is a good farm for grain, grasses, cotton or tobacco. We will sell this farm for \$3,750.

**13-ACRE FARM**—One-half mile south of Mebane, N. C., 2-room log house, well watered, about 1-2 red soil, balance gray. We will sell this farm for \$35 per acre.

**80-ACRE FARM**—2 miles east of Mebane, N. C., located on public road, good red soil, lays well to cultivate and enough wood and timber on this place to pay for it. For quick sale, \$20 per acre.

**75-ACRE FARM**—One mile south of Mebane, N. C., located on macadam road leading out to Swepsonville Mills. The timber on this place has just been cut off, and it would make a splendid farm when put in cultivation. The soil is mostly good red soil, and lays fine. We will sell this place for \$30 per acre.

We have four acres of good land near Fair Grounds, Burlington, N. C., we will sell for \$500.

**BURLINGTON CITY PROPERTY!**

**7-ROOM, TWO-STORY RESIDENCE** on Front Street. Now occupied by Mrs. H. P. White, known as the White House. Lot 23 by 25½ feet, with both city water and electric lights. We will sell for \$3,000.

**5-ROOM COTTAGE ON LEXINGTON AVENUE**—Two blocks from the Postoffice. City water, electric lights and splendid location. We will sell for \$2,750.

**NEW 5-ROOM COTTAGE ON CHURCH STREET**—Lot 80 by 200, city water, electric lights, painted and papered, and a splendid location. We will sell this place for \$1,350.

**5-ROOM NEW COTTAGE ON WASHINGTON STREET**—City water and electric lights and good location. Will sell for \$1,200.

**6-ROOM COTTAGE NEAR FAIR GROUNDS**—Good barn, good well of water, large lot. Will sell for \$800.00.

**5-ROOM, TWO STORY RESIDENCE**—newly painted and papered, city water, located on Holt Street, two blocks from Passenger Station. We will sell for \$850.

**TWO NICE RESIDENT LOTS ON CHURCH STREET**—100x200 at \$500 each; four lots, 75x250 at \$260 each; three lots 100x250 at \$400 each; four lots, 100x200 at \$150, each, and one lot, 150 feet front and 400 feet deep at \$1,000.

**TWO LOTS ON WEST DAVIS STREET**—75x250 at \$1,000, each, and two lots 70x250, \$500 each. We also have several lots on Central Heights at \$50, \$75, \$100, \$125, \$150 and \$200.

**70 BUILDING LOTS AT ELON COLLEGE, N. C.**, for sale, ranging from \$60 to \$200 per lot, size of lots 100 feet by 200 feet.

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**5-ROOM COTTAGE** on North Avenue, Greensboro, N. C., painted and papered, city water, electric lights and gas. Will sell for \$1,500.

vated lots shaded with beautiful oaks. These houses are well built of good material and wired for electric lights. We can sell for \$1,250 each.

**NEW 4-ROOM COTTAGE**—two blocks of Graded School, well built of good material and painted, also wired for electric lights, beautiful lot and a splendid location. We will sell for \$1,000.

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**POOR**

## NEW YORK FASHION LETTER

The Basque and the Wide Girdle Dominate the Styles—White Reigns Unrivaled.

### System For The Wardrobe

New York, Aug. 5.—How few women realize the economy of a wisely planned wardrobe. Instead, they allow themselves to purchase each garment in a hap-hazard manner. This is the cause of more worries, more failures and more heartaches than women realize.

A woman usually receives but little preparation to fit her for managing a home. She takes it for granted that because her mother did it and her grandmother did it, that she, also, will be able to do it—when the time comes! This same lack of forethought extends to a woman's wardrobe. Clothes she must have, and pretty ones, and she buys regardless of whether or no, a thing is suited to her particular style or figure. Some special occasion arises which requires a gown, lacking in her wardrobe. Thereupon she rushes from shop to shop, finally buying (as her time is limited) something which costs more than she intended. The dress has to be altered; this again depletes her pocketbook, and as a finale she realizes that the hastily bought, hastily altered gown, did fairly well for the affair for which she bought it, but it is too elaborate for some occasions, too perishable for economy, and last, but not least, that it does not suit her style.

Another, insidious, deceitful and crafty enemy to the proper wardrobe, and to that feeling of well-being which is associated with being smartly and suitably gowned, is the unwise use of the bargain counter.

Its temptations are responsible for many an ill-chosen outfit. Money that should be saved for some really good thing is spent on something which is cheap, but has no value in the specific wardrobe. It may be a collar which is worth 50 cents and you get it for 35, but you have no dress with which to wear it; it may be a belt that is not appropriate or a pair of shoes the wrong color, or an array of conspicuous stockings when the frocks and shoes to suit are lacking. Colors, fabrics and accessories are constantly changing, and the temptation of getting something for little or nothing is a feminine characteristic much catered to by the wily storekeeper wishing to get rid of his stock.



A Striking Dress With Fitted Waist and Long Tunic Skirt.

In other, and shorter words, system and thought must be applied to the wardrobe. The few absolutely necessary clothes, suited to the occasions which your position in life calls for, are all that the well-dresser woman's wardrobe should contain; then, when the styles change, you are not forced to wear out-of-date frocks.

In every gathering of well-dressed women, mingling freely, unobtrusively, with coy gravity, among the loose kimono styles, is the basque of 1880. Not quite so tight to be sure, but with seamed and fitted back, and but-

toning snugly down the front. Wine colored poplin is used for the attractive model illustrated, with collars and cuffs of white satin. The back is fitted, but the fronts are unseamed except under the arm. The lower line of the waist is conservatively long, fitting closely over a skirt with a snug-fitting long tunic. The pleated lower section of this skirt gives ample fullness. To finish the smart stand-a-way collar is a narrow black moire ribbon tie, with flowering ends. The large hat in sailor effect is well suited to the costume with which it is worn, and accents the trimly picturesque effect of the costume.

The day-time dresses are often so low-cut that they seem most inconsistent. But the ways of arriving at these low neck dresses are like observing the letter of the law. The satin slip is cut very low, but is worn with a long sleeved bodice, of lace or maline, thin and transparent, which is cut high enough, however, to cover the collar bone.

Although color is conspicuous in the sash, stockings and hat of the tennis costume, in the lining of the cape coat, or in the development of the embroidered afternoon dress, there is no more striking costume than the all-white gown, worn with a white hat, white shoes, white gloves and even white veil.

Wide crushed girdles, buttoning up the back or front, give the basque effect to a dress, and are decidedly the rage. In silk, or in the same cloth as the dress, they are effective. As an addition to an old dress which needs a new touch to bring it up-to-date they are excellent. A straight wide belt of moire is an excellent addition to your white frock of crepe or of organdy.

Summer School Closed for the Year. Chapel Hill, July 28.—The Summer School for Teachers has practically finished its most successful year of work. The enrollment lacked five of reaching the 600 mark, which would have been exactly a hundred gain over the attendance of last year, which was 500. A distinctive feature of the registration this year was the 75 who enrolled for regular University Credit courses counting toward an A. B. or an A. M. degree. The presence of these courses, some twelve in number, has done much to improve the tone of the school. Better work has been done than ever before.

To the teachers in general, however, the thing of greatest convenience has been the plan whereby they are enabled to take many of the regular county examinations while here. The following list of counties have authorized the Authorities to hold the county teachers' examination here and then forward the papers for grading to the regular county officials: Bertie, Camden, Chatham, Chowan, Currituck, Davidson, Durham, Franklin, Gaston, Granville, Guilford, Johnson, Mecklenburg, Orange, Person, Robeson, Wake and Yancey. This is a great convenience, and if its range can be increased in future years it will materially increase the attendance and hold a much larger number toward the close. Heretofore the tendency has been for the large majority to leave before the examinations.

The State Board will hold a complete set of examinations on Wednesday and Thursday. The Five Year State Certificate work will be on Wednesday along with the examination in Public School Law. All remaining subjects and conflicts will be held Thursday.

Rabbi Lyons closed his remarkable series of lectures Thursday night. His ten lectures created a profound impression among the students and especially those that followed his Sunday address on "Jew and Christian," on July 19th. His entire series treated the Old Prophets of Israel. The Prophet, as described by him, is a highly developed, very spiritual, but withal very practical and real religious leader whose chief function was not to prophesy, but to teach and lead. The prophetic power of the Prophets was due more to a keen insight into human forces and progress.

Dr. J. M. Booker, professor of English at the University, and excellent reader, delivered a fine lecture Thursday night on the "Dramatic Monologue." His lecture consisted largely

of readings from works of Tennyson and Browning. He illustrated the growth and types of this modern form of poetry. He declared that the Dramatic Monologue is as typical production of the poetry of the nineteenth century as the short story is a product of the prose of the nineteenth century. It is characterized by brevity, compression, intensity of feeling, and swiftness of action. Tennyson unconsciously developed the Dramatic Monologue to a high place, but it took the conscious work of Browning to bring it to its climax.

Rural Carriers to Get More Pay. Raleigh, August 1.—Postmaster W. G. Briggs has received announcement from the postal authorities at Washington that 292 rural carriers of North Carolina will receive an advance in salary for the next year. There are 1,350 carriers in the State. Of the number who will receive increase in salaries, nineteen will receive the maximum of \$1,200. Hitherto the maximum salary for a rural mail carrier has been \$1,100. The basis of the increase in salary was the weight of the mail matter, the number of pieces, the length of the route.

If you wish to be miserable, you must think about yourself, about what you want, what you like, what respect people ought to pay you; and then to you nothing will be pure. You will spoil everything you touch. You will make sin and misery for yourself out of everything which God sends you. You will be as wretched as you choose.

Democrats of Nebraska have given Senator Hitchcock a vote of confidence. Mr. Bryan is well advised in removing to Asheville.—Greensboro News.

When they are courting, romance can choke the high cost of living until he yells "Uncle." But after they are married old hi cost gets up and knocks the tar out of romance.

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 We carry the Phoenix Hosiery for Men and Ladies.  
 50c Men's silk hose 25c.  
 15 & 20c Men's hose, special 10c.

#### WHITE QUILTS.

1.50 & 1.75 White Quilts special 1.15.  
 1.25 White Quilts, full size, August price 90c.  
 2.50 White Quilt, special price 1.95.  
 Laces and Embroideries Special for August.  
 25c lace bands, 7 inch wide, special for August 10c.  
 20c lace edging, 4 to 7 inches wide, special for August 10c.  
 13 inch wide Flouncing special 10c.  
 Flouncing 8 in. wide, now 5c.  
 Beautiful line of val laces insertion and beading 5 & 10c.  
 5c lace & insertion, now 2c.  
 1 lot of insertion, 5c at 1c per yard.  
 50c shadow lace flouncing now going at 29c.  
 25 & 35c shadow flouncing 19c.  
 The story of economy is tersely told here.  
 10c Men's Grey hose at 5c.  
 5c pearl buttons 3c per dozen.  
 5c safety pins 3c per dozen.  
 Ladies' handkerchiefs 1c each, value 5c.  
 10c staple gingham 5c per yard.  
 10c ladies' vests 5c each.  
 1 table of ratine, marg. plisse, crinkled crepe

white goods ranging from 15 to 25c per yard your choice ..... 10c.  
 35 & 50c bands white and cream, special 19c.  
 1.00 & 1.25 messaline and fancy silk, August price ..... 85c.  
 75c fancy crepe now ..... 39c.  
 10 & 12 1-2 gingham and chambré ..... 8c.  
 10c staple gingham, special ..... 7c.  
 10c Ireland special ..... 7c per yard.  
 Sheeting for wall papering 4c per yard, 1 yd. wide.  
 12 1-2 bleaching, best quality, August price 9c.  
 12 1 2 oambre, linen finish, big deal makes the price for August ..... 10c.  
 1 case lamb down outing, beautiful light colors, special for August ..... 9c.  
 Big stock of music ..... 10 & 15c.  
 Big stock of McCall patterns ..... 10 & 15c.  
 All millinery below cost. Big sacrifice to clean the shelves for our fall stock.

#### BIG CUT ON MEN'S CLOTHING

Palm Beach suits 5.95.  
 All wool blue serge suits 6.95. Compare these with 10.00 suits you buy elsewhere.  
 12.50 Sun proof, all wool fine blue serge now for August ..... 8.95.  
 15.00 Fancy suits at ..... 9.95.  
 Great Value in Men's Pants.  
 1 50 Pants ..... 98c.  
 2.00 " " " " 1.58.  
 3.00 " " " " 1.95.  
**BIG STOCK** of Dutchess pants just received Guaranteed not to rip or buttons to come off. Come in and let us show you what they are. Get ready for school or your pleasure outing. Buy your trunk or suit case here and save money.  
 \$1.00 suit case at \$ .69 (imitation leather).  
 5.00 " " " " 3.48 (pure leather).  
 7.00 " " " " 4.98.  
 A full line of trunks from 1.25 to 15.50.

#### MARCHING ORDERS TO ALL LOW CUT SHOES.

1.50 & 1.75 ladies' low cut shoes 1.00 & 1.25  
 2.50 & 3.00 ladies' oxfords, special ..... 1.65  
 3.50 & 4.00 " " " " ..... 2.75  
**SEE OUR OVERALL OPENING FOR AUG.**  
 \$1.00 & \$1.25 overall, August price ..... 89c  
 50c & 60c Men's good work skirt, Aug. price on these ..... 38c  
 50, 60 & 75c Men's dress shirt, August price ..... 45c  
 45 and 50c Men's dress skirt, August price ..... 29c  
 50c Men's caps ..... 25c  
 75c " " " " ..... 50c  
 Advanced styles in Fall Dress goods have just arrived and will be put on special sale for August.  
 Big stock of underwear just received and will be put on sale at special prices for August.

#### GROCERY DEPARTMENT

Why not buy here and save money. Stock large and fresh.  
 Fine parched coffee at special for August.  
 Arbuckle's  
 50 and 35c Louisanne fine coffee, special for Aug. ..... 23c per lb.  
 Best straight flour at special price.  
 Best patent  
 Mason fruit cans. Qts 69c  
 1/2 gal 72c  
 Best green coffee ..... 15c per lb.  
 Cotton seed meal ..... \$1.59 per 100 lbs.  
 Bran ..... \$1.49 per 100 lb. bag.  
 Fine Moca and Java Blend coffee at 35c per pkg. or 3 for \$1.00.  
 Economy fruit jurs, 69c, 1 qt. size.  
 79c, 1/2 gal. size.  
 Compound lard by the tub at 9 1/2 per lb.  
 Galvanized roofing, \$2.00, \$3.00 and \$3.25 per square.  
 Painted roofing, \$2.25 per square.

Special prices for pasture or poultry wire. Nails, sole leather, horse shoeing and rubber roofing. Call on No. 1 when you want anything in the line of groceries and you will receive prompt delivery. Don't forget our furniture and house furnishings department. Seven car loads for your selection. We have never been so well supplied to make your home comfortable as we are now. We have some August prices that mean a big saving to you. Our second and third floors are filled to greatest capacity. Come, let us show you our immense stock. Let us show you how cheap and easy we can furnish your home. See our glass ware and crockery department. See our enameled ware department. Keep cool cooking. Buy your oil stoves here. Let us show how economically and comfortably you can cook with an oil stove. Special prices on ranges and cook stoves for August.

Always keep your face towards Isley's Great Department Store. You can get what you want at a saving. If you can not come, call No. 1 or write us and your order will have the best of attention. Remember the August prices and come to

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