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BURLINGTON, ALAMANCE COUNTY, NORTH CAROLINA, FRIDAY, APRIL 16th, 1915.

WEDDING AT MACON.

Miss Selma McCorry Thornton
The Bride of Charles V.
Sharpe.

Macon, April 15.—A marriage of unusual interest was solemnized in the Methodist Episcopal church, south, here April 7, when Miss Selma McCorry Thornton became the bride of Mr. Charles V. Sharpe, of Burlington.

The historic old church, in its elaborate decorations of white and green, with a splash of bright color furnished by masses of yellow jonquils, and under the mellow light of numerous candles, never made a more beautiful picture than this occasion.

Promptly at 12 o'clock noon, Mrs. John Monroe Coleman, of Macon, took her place at the organ, and as the strains of the "Bridal Chorus" from Lohengrin pealed forth, the officiating minister, Rev. R. H. Broom, of Warrenton, the bride's pastor, advanced to his position within the altar. Immediately the bridal party entered. First came the ushers, Walter Douglas Egerton of Macon, and John Wright Smith, of Bracey, Va., Cecil Percy Thornton and John Skinner Nowell, of Macon. Following the ushers came the dame of honor, Mrs. Daniel Charles Lawrence, of Sanford, the bride's sister, who wore blue crepe de chine with large black hat. Next entered the maid of honor, Miss Emma L. Taylor, of Jackson, handsomely gowned in rose-colored chiffon over crepe with hat to match, and carrying pink Killarney roses.

The bride followed on the arm of her brother, Nathaniel Macon Thornton, and was met at the altar by the groom with his brother, Walter E. Sharpe, of Burlington, who was best man. While the solemn and impressive words of the beautiful ring ceremony were being spoken, the organist softly played "Schubert's Serenade." Mendelssohn's wedding march was used as the recessional.

The bride wore a handsome pretty-colored going away suit with hat and gloves to match and carried bride's roses with shower bouquet of lilies of the valley. Her only ornament was a necklace with diamond and pearl pendant, the gift of the groom.

Immediately after the ceremony the happy couple left by automobile for Norfolk, where they took the S. A. L. train for Washington, D. C. After a few days' sojourn in the capital they go to New York city. Returning from their tour, they will be at home in Burlington.

The bride is the youngest daughter of the late Robert Boyd and Rebecca Egerton Thornton. She is a charming and cultured young woman, a graduate of Littleton college, studying later in the conservatory of music, Peace institute, Raleigh.

The groom is a popular and progressive young business man of Burlington. The esteem in which this splendid young couple are held is attested by the magnificent display of gifts in silver, cut glass, china, hand-paintings, linens, etc. Noticeable among these is a chest of silver from the bride's sister.

BURLINGTON DYE WORKS DESTROYED.

Small Insurance Carried.

About \$2,000 Worth of Stock of Local Hosiery Mills Was Destroyed.

No Clue as to Origin of Fire.

Fire early Wednesday morning entirely destroyed the Burlington Dye Works including the building, machinery, stock on hand and all the books, papers, etc., of the company, entailing a total loss of about \$5,000, this being divided between Mr. E. H. Murray, who owned the building and the Burlington Dye Works, who owned the machinery.

The fire was discovered about 8 o'clock, when the entire roof was in a blaze and beyond hope of being stopped. The fire whistle sounded the alarm, but the roof was about ready to fall in when the alarm was given. The fire company responded as quickly as possible and did all they could but the flames were so far beyond their control that they could do little but save adjacent property.

COMING TO BURLINGTON NEXT TUESDAY, APRIL 20th.

The Atlantic Coast Realty Co., the largest auction company in the South will be in our city next Tuesday to sell John Ireland's land, "the old show ground property" at auction.

This company has done business in 17 states and are now returning from a four days' sale in Kentucky. They carry their own all star band, which play the latest creations, and every member is an artist.

They also have their own private Pullman car. It's a treat to hear Jolly Orr—their 250th auctioneer.

The company are selling here for the Piedmont Investment Company and will give away some valuable presents at the sale consisting of \$100.00 in gold and \$100.00 diamond ring and a beautiful pony. Every one at the sale will have a free chance for these presents.

REVIVAL MEETING AT GRAHAM.

The town of Graham is in the midst of a great revival meeting this week. Rev. Victor Lightbourne, whose home is in Dover, Del., but has been residing at Elon College for some time, is assisting Rev. J. F. Morgan of the Christian church, in a series of evangelistic services.

The Rev. Lightbourne is a comparatively young man, and a very eloquent and forceful speaker. His sermons are attracting large crowds. The services were held in the Christian church for the first few days, but the congregations grew immensely, so the meetings are being held in the court house in order to accommodate the large crowds that go out to hear this gifted pulpit orator. Much interest is being manifested in the meeting, and a good number of conversions have already resulted from the services.

Two services are held daily. In the afternoon at three o'clock and at night at eight o'clock.

DEMOCRATS REGISTER NEGROES IN RALEIGH THE ORGAN CHARGES

Followers of The Game of Politics Understand.

THE "INS" JUST LAUGH

Both Factions Want the Black Man's Vote And Have Set Out to Get It.

"ARE PLAYING WITH FIRE" Mr. Mebane, Who Has Been Charged With "Sniping", J. Y. Joyner, Replies to the Charge.

Raleigh, April 12.—The municipal campaign, which has had little of those baseball elements denominated "pep" and ginger, received double portions this morning when the News and Observer editorially charged that an abnormally large number of negro voters have been registered and have registered.

The paper makes the charge with great caution and does not say who is guilty. The fact that attention is directed to the circumstance, however, leaves no place for doubt. Followers of the game of city and county politics understand thoroughly and the ins laughed this morning inordinately. They accept the chastisement as a concession of defeat. They like to see "the heathen rage and the champions of the people imagine vain things."

The black man will get into city politics in spite of everything, it seems. Two years ago when the commission form of government was agitated, the black folks almost to a man lined up with the opponents and the victory was a walk-off. The antics then set out to capture the office which they did in startling easy fashion. The advocates of commission form with their organization put out also a ticket, but the black voted against the slate. Both sides had the black man and used him. The one denied it when beaten; the other laughed in good-natured impudence and regretted that the blacks were not more numerous.

It looks like a pretty solid support for the present administration, this registration of negro voters. The ins are not hypocritical about it and do not disdain support where they find it. They had to fight their allies two years ago in one election and absorb them in another. The editorial rebuke declares that friends of the candidates who are now city officials have "been most active" in this work and warns them that they are playing with fire.

The beneficiaries of this large negro vote do not worry. They merely add a few hundred to what they believe their majority will be and get ready for the next election.

Olive B. Webster To Be Siler City Postmaster.

Washington, D. C., April 14.—Olive B. Webster was today appointed by the President to be postmaster at Siler City.

AN ECHO FROM THE DEBATING CONTEST HELD AT CHAPEL HILL.

In the debating contest held at Chapel Hill, March 26, 1915, the Burlington High School was represented by Sam Eason and Nina Ingie, and Cordelia Cox and Hobart Steele. These debaters acquitted themselves well. The fact that they did not bring back the cup was due to the fact that another team won rather than that Burlington talent lost. In the preliminary contest, were some fifty teams. Of these at least half had to drop out on the first go-round. Both the teams from Burlington were selected for the second preliminary. There were five schools that had both teams in the second, preliminary. Burlington was one of these.

The secretary of the debating union met the debaters at University station. At the Chapel Hill station all debaters and their friends were met with automobiles and carriages and carried to their places of local abode free of charge. The girls were entertained in the home of the President of the University. The boys were entertained by the members of the Alamance County Club of the University. After the final debate all the debaters were tendered a reception in the Carnegie Library of the University.

THE CHAMPION TRUCKER.

Burlington can boast of the champion trucker any where in this section, Mr. A. O. Hurley is the man and a good one, too. Mr. Hurley brought to us last Monday a nice large bunch of onions and two large well headed cabbage, the cabbage was as well headed as those now upon the market from South Carolina. Mr. Hurley believes in making two heads of cabbage grow this year where one grew before. We wish our community had some more hustling truckers like Mr. Hurley and if we did, we could keep some of the money at home that is now going South for early vegetables.

NEW TRUCK FOR PESI-COLA BOTTLING WORKS.

Mr. L. M. Squires, the progressive Pepsi-Cola man has recently purchased an auto truck for the purpose of conveying his trade to the rural customers. The truck has the initials of Mr. Squires and is evidence that he is enjoying good business. It is remembered that Mr. Squires recently purchased an interest in the High Point Pepsi-Cola plant.

BREAKING IT GENTLY.

"Oh, Dick, I have had the most trouble with the cook today."
"I know. She told me. She says that you and she can no longer live in the same house."
"Well?"
"Well I suppose I'll have to humor her. She's a good cook."
—Houston Post.

It is a telling commentary on a man when he begins to figure his money in liquid measure.—Philadelphia Inquirer.



HON. J. C. WOOLLEY



DR. G. W. MORROW

Great Union Anti-Saloon League Meeting To Be Held In Burlington Next Monday, April 19th,

At 8 P. M. Place of Meeting—Front Street Methodist Church. Addresses will be made by

Hon. J. C. Woolley and Dr. Geo. W. Morrow
National Anti-Saloon League Campaigners.

WASHINGTON PARTY LEADERS WILLING TO BECOME REPUBLICANS.

Solid Front For 1916.

Harrisburg, April 13.—Washington party leaders in this State have offered to merge their organization with the Republican party if Governor Brumbaugh is made the leader of the Republican party on a platform embodying the campaign pledges made by him. Not only will the Washington party hosts come back into the Republican party, but an offer has been made that as soon as the Governor gives the word a meeting will be held at Harrisburg, at which the Bull Moose organization in this State will be dissolved and the party machinery will become part and parcel of the G. O. P.

When Governor Brumbaugh was asked today if he had anything to say at this time, he replied:

"I have no comment to make." From authoritative sources it was learned that the Washington party leaders sent word to the Governor that his program of legislation was in thorough accord with their party principles and that they had been convinced that he intends to carry out his ideas to the letters. In view of this, they told him they are ready and willing to join the Republican party provided he will take the leadership and place on the statute books the legislation for which he stood during the campaign and the enactment of which he is now working for.

Furthermore, the Bull Moose leaders assured him they will call a meeting of the Progressives of the State whenever he gives the word, and when they assemble in Harrisburg their party will be dissolved and all members of it urged to go back into the Republican party with the Governor as the directing factor.

Governor Brumbaugh, it was learned, has given consideration to the plan, but has not as yet reached any decision.

The desire of the Progressives to come back into the Republican party at this time is regarded as being of the utmost political

significance in view of the approaching Presidential election. It is an indication of a strong "get-together" movement which will have an important bearing on the election of a United States Senator in 1916 to succeed George T. Oliver.

Guilford Pinchot, Washington party nominee for United States Senator in the last campaign, polled a total of 269,175 votes and the Progressive leaders assert that a large proportion of these voters, if not all, are willing to return to the Republican party ranks.

Virtually all the Progressives in Pennsylvania are Republicans at heart. They are in favor of a protective tariff, and realize that their leaving the Republican party was responsible for the election of President Wilson. They withdrew from the G. O. P. as a protest, and now they are desirous of returning to bring success in 1916 to the Republican party.

Governor Brumbaugh has been mentioned as a prospective party leader, but the offer which aims to bring about a consolidation of the stalwarts and the independents.

Thus far nothing has been said of the status of Col. Roosevelt in the situation. It seems probable that the former President has not been taken into consideration.

ROOT FOR PRESIDENT.

Albany Officials Boosting New York Senator.

Albany, April 13.—Elihu Root was boosted for president tonight by Governor Whitman, Lieutenant Governor Schoeene, William Barnes, Jr., president pro tem of the senate Brown and all but himself at a complimentary dinner given him by the upper members of the legislature.

Governor Whitman said: "There is nothing in the state or nation Mr. Root cannot have if he will take it. His name is a synonym for everything that is great in statecraft."

Mr. Root, himself, declined the proffered crown.

If you would flatter a married man tell him he doesn't look it.

FRENCH OFFICERS ACQUITTED.

Captain Herail Was Accused of Killing Wife at Compiègne.

Paris, April 10.—Jean Herail, a French cavalry officer, was tried by court martial today and acquitted of killing his wife at Compiègne last November because she persisted in following the army to be near him, in direct violation of orders issued by the military authorities. When Captain Herail was sent to the front his wife, to whom he was deeply attached, ascertained that he was stationed at Compiègne and went there to visit him. The French commander in chief had just issued a circular prohibiting all officers and soldiers from receiving their wives during the campaign. A superior officer remonstrated with Captain Herail, and though the captain endeavored to persuade his wife to return home she continued to postpone her departure. A second warning was given the captain with no better results, and when a third warning came he was told he would be discharged unless his wife left. She refused to do this, and the officer, fearing dishonor and degradation, shot and killed the woman.

For some time after the crime he was a mental and physical wreck.

NEW YORK CONFRONTED BY MURDER MYSTERY.

Body of Young Woman Found Under Pile of Stones; Had Been Slain With an Axe.

New York, April 10.—New York police were confronted today with one of the most mysterious murder cases of recent years after the discovery of the body of a woman under a pile of stones in a vacant lot in Rosedale avenue, the Bronx. An autopsy tonight revealed that the woman, who was about 22 years old, had been killed by an axe blow on the head. She was foreign born and wore a wedding ring.

Apparently she was about 22 years old, of medium height and weight and of fair complexion. The clothing was dark and of inferior quality. Two rings and two cheap pins were the only jewelry found. Short dark hair, which detectives thought were those of a man, were on a comb found near the body and also inside a torn glove taken from the woman's hand.

TOLD EASILY.

A witty political candidate, running to an agricultural district, after making a speech announced that he would be glad to answer any questions that might be put up to him.

A voice from the audience. "You seem to know a lot sir, about a farmer's difficulties. May I ask a question about a momentous one?"

"Certainly," replied the candidate nervously.

"How can you tell a bad egg?" went on the merciless voice.

The candidate waited until the laughter died away. Then he replied:

"If I had anything to tell a bad egg I think I would break it gently."

He won the place.

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MARRIED IN A MORGUE.

Undertaker and Judge Performed the Ceremony—Couple Happy.

Virginia, Minn., April 10.—Ben Isaacson, a farmer living near Zim, and Miss Ida Peterson were married here last week at the undertaking room of Harry S. Gillispie. The ceremony was performed by Gillispie, who is special judge of the Municipal court.

Isaacson and his bride-to-be entered the morgue at an early hour, before Gillispie's clerk had arrived. They were unaccompanied. Gillispie asked them to attend to the place while he went to find two witnesses as required by law. Gillispie was gone 15 minutes.

The happy couple sat practically surrounded by coffins. There were two bodies being embalmed in an adjoining room. The knot was tied and Mr. and Mrs. Isaacson boarded the first train to Zim, where Isaacson owns a large farm.

THE SONG OF WAR.

Go out, go out on the firing line
From peaceful realms afar,
Where sabres ring and bullets sing

In the desolate song of war:
And heed not now the aching brow.

The soothing hand denied—
But what a woman's sorrowing tears,
And what of a man that died?

Go out, go out on the firing line,
Where ghastly forms lie still:
Forget the love of God above,
And only strike to kill,
And turn away with those who slay

From the wounded martyr's side—
But what of a widow's pining brood,
And what of a man that died?

Go out, go out on the firing line,
And breathe the breath of Cain,
Where death is sweet, and bleeding feet

Must tread the way of pain:
And mark ye not the bloody spot,
Where the children cried—
But what of a voice from Calvary.

And what of a man that died?
—H. Graham Du Bois.

Coble's Township Sunday School Convention.

Coble's township Sunday School convention will be held with Mt. Hermon church, Sunday, April 18, 1915.

The following will be the speakers for the day:

- Rev. C. H. Whitaker.
- Rev. H. S. B. Thompson.
- L. H. Holt.
- J. W. H. Isley.
- W. W. Clapp.
- Rev. J. A. Branson.
- W. L. Kinney.
- Rev. A. B. Kindall.

Also Orchestra from Elon College.

Dinner will be served on the ground. Come and let us enjoy the day.

H. M. NEESE, Pres.
J. E. Stroud, Sec'y

Baltimore Stood For It All.

"Jones tells me he has just started a bank account for his new baby."

"I see; a fresh heir fund."—Baltimore American.

British brewers claim that prohibition in the United Kingdom would throw one million men out of employment. Well, isn't Kitchener ready to guarantee each and every one of them a job in the trenches on the Continent?

DAVID AND LEIGHSON FREE

Men Arrested at Marion Released Without Bail.

Marion, April 10.—E. D. Davis, and J. F. Leighson, who were arrested by order of the postoffice inspector, charged with the robbery of several postoffices in South Carolina, were released this afternoon without bond on account of lack of sufficient evidence. While circumstances seemed to justify the action of Government officials in ordering the arrest, yet it is fair to the defendants to state that no evidence of an incriminating nature was brought out in the examination.

CHICKENS ROOST IN CELLS.

Georgetown, Del., April 10.—Elwood Armstrong, the only prisoner in the Sussex county jail here, who recently complained to Sheriff Jacob West that he was lonely and afraid to remain in the prison at night without company, was paroled to Chas. S. Richards of Georgetown, ex-secretary of state, for two years. This was done after he had confessed to the theft of five dozen eggs.

The jail is now empty. The turnkey has taken a vacation and the sheriff does not have enough to do to keep him busy. Chickens are roosting in the cells and the jail yard will shortly be planted in early corn.

The "dry" forces say it is a concrete example of what happens when booze is cut out. This is a local option section.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Having qualified as administrator of the estate of Murphy Jenkins, deceased, late of Alamance county, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned at Burlington, on or before the 8th day of April, 1916, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment.

This 8th day of April, 1915.
GEO. W. JENKINS,
Administrator of Murphy Jenkins.

SALE OF REAL ESTATE.

By virtue of the power contained in a certain Mortgage executed by Will Burton and wife, Catherine Burton to the undersigned on the 16th day of May, 1914, and duly registered in the office of the Register of Deeds for Alamance county, State of North Carolina, in book No. 64 of Mortgage Deeds, pages 493-495 to secure the payment of a certain bond, conveyed certain real estate, and whereas default having been made in the payment of said bond and interest, I will expose to public sale to the highest bidder for cash at the courthouse door of the county of Alamance, on Monday, May 10, 1915, at twelve o'clock P. M., the land conveyed in said mortgage deed to-wit: A certain tract or parcel of land lying and being in Alamance county, State of North Carolina, in Graham township, and defined and described as follows:

It being lot No. 133 in plat recorded in the office of Register of Deeds of Alamance county, in deed book No. 35, page 455, reference to which is hereby made for a more complete description. This deed conveys all of said lot except a front of 25 feet extending back the full length of the lot and adjoining lot No. 132, upon which is situated a three room new cottage dwelling.

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Agreement Between, THE ALAMANCE, DURHAM & ORANGE RAILWAY & ELECTRIC CO., And The PIEDMONT TRUST CO.

WHEREAS, on the sixth day of April, 1915 a petition was presented to the Board of County Commissioners of Alamance County, North Carolina, by certain citizens, taxpayers and freeholders, of Morton's township, Alamance County, asking that the said Board of Commissioners order an election on the question of the issuance of ten thousand dollars (\$10,000.00) of bonds by said Commissioners, on behalf of said township for ten thousand dollars of the preferred stock of, and in the said Alamance, Durham and Orange Railway & Electric Co.;

AND WHEREAS, on the same date a like petition was presented to the said Board of County Commissioners by certain citizens, taxpayers and freeholders of Faucetts township, Alamance county, asking for a like election, in said Faucetts township, on the question of the issuance of ten thousand dollars (\$10,000.00) of bonds for a like amount of the stock aforesaid;

AND WHEREAS, on the same date a like petition was presented by certain citizens, taxpayers and freeholders of Burlington township, Alamance county, to the said Board of Commissioners, asking for a like election in said Burlington township, upon the question of the issuance of fifty thousand dollars (\$50,000.00), of bonds for a like amount of the stock aforesaid;

AND WHEREAS, on a later date a like petition will be presented to the said Board of County Commissioners for Alamance county, by certain citizens, taxpayers and freeholders of Graham township, Alamance county, asking for a like election upon the question of the issuance of thirty-five thousand dollars (\$35,000.00) of bonds in said Graham township for a like amount of the preferred stock of the said Alamance, Durham and Orange Railway & Electric Co.;

AND WHEREAS, on a later date a like petition will be presented to the said Board of Commissioners, by certain citizens, taxpayers and freeholders of Thompsons township, Alamance county, North Carolina, asking for a like election in Thompsons township on the question of the issuance of twenty thousand dollars (\$20,000.00) of bonds for a like sum of the preferred stock of the said Railway & Electric Co.;

AND WHEREAS, on a later date, a petition will be presented to the Board of Commissioners of Orange county, North Carolina, by certain residents, taxpayers and freeholders of Bingham township, Orange county, North Carolina, asking that the said Board of Commissioners order an election on the issuance of fifteen thousand dollars (\$15,000.00) of bonds by said Commissioners on behalf of said township for fifteen thousand dollars of the preferred stock of the said Alamance, Durham and Orange Railway & Electric Co.;

AND WHEREAS, on a later date, a like petition will be presented to the said Board of county Commissioners by certain citizens, taxpayers and freeholders of Chapel Hill township, Orange county, North Carolina, asking for a like election in said Chapel Hill township on the question of the issuance of twenty-five thousand dollars (\$25,000.00) of bonds by said Commissioners, on behalf of said township for a like amount

of the preferred stock of the said Railway & Electric Co.;

AND WHEREAS, on a later date, a petition will be presented to the Board of Commissioners of Durham county, North Carolina, by certain residents, taxpayers and freeholders of Paterson township, Durham county, North Carolina, asking that the said Board of Commissioners order an election on the question of the issuance of fifteen thousand dollars (\$15,000.00) of bonds by said Commissioners on behalf of said township for fifteen thousand dollars of the preferred stock of the said Alamance, Durham and Orange Railway & Electric Co.;

AND WHEREAS, on a later date, a like petition will be presented to the said Board of Commissioners of Durham township, Durham county, North Carolina, signed by certain residents, taxpayers and freeholders asking for a like election in Durham township on the question of the issuance of one hundred and fifty thousand dollars (\$150,000.00) of bonds for a like amount of the preferred stock of the said Railway & Electric Co.;

AND WHEREAS, on the sixth day of April, 1915, an order for an election was made by the Board of county Commissioners for Morton's township in Alamance county, North Carolina, said election to be held in said Morton's township on the first day of June, 1915, to determine the question of whether the said township should subscribe the amount, in the bonds of the said township, as prayed for in the petition presented, in exchange for a like sum of the preferred stock of the said Alamance, Durham and Orange Railway & Electric Co. to aid in the construction thereof;

AND WHEREAS, the Alamance, Durham and Orange Railway & Electric Co., the proposed beneficiary of said bonds, is desirous of assuring the voters of the said several townships, and each of them, that in the event the said bond election shall be carried, that the money derived from the said bonds will be appropriated and applied to construction of a certain line of Electric Railway;

NOW THEREFORE, the Alamance, Durham and Orange Railway & Electric Co., party of the first part, in consideration of the qualified voters of each of the three aforementioned counties, as above set forth, and each of them, severally, voting in favor of the issuance of said bonds, agree with the Piedmont Trust Co., party of the second part, acting as Trustee for the several townships, in each of the three counties heretofore named, voting for the issuance of said bonds, that the said bonds, when issued in conformity with the said elections so held in said townships, shall be turned over to the Piedmont Trust Co., to be held by it in trust upon the following conditions, to-wit:

First: That the said bonds shall not be delivered to the Alamance, Durham and Orange Railway & Electric Co., or any one else for it, unless and until there is constructed by it, or by its successor, successors, or assigns, so much of it projected, or proposed, railway as shall constitute and include a line of Electric Railway, for the transportation of both freight and passengers, as described below, viz:

BEGINNING at a point near to, or between the two manufacturing villages of Altamahaw and Ossipee, in the northwestern section of Alamance county; and running in a southeasterly direction through, or nearby, the manufacturing villages of Glencoe, Carolina and Hopedale; THENCE by, or through, the city of Burlington and the town of Graham; THENCE in a con-

tinuing southeasterly direction by, or through, the manufacturing villages of Swepsonville and Saxapahaw to the Orange county line; THENCE through the township of Bingham and Chapel Hill; THENCE to the Durham county, near or by or through the town of Chapel Hill; Thence to the Durham county line, and to and into the city of Durham, North Carolina.

Second: That in the event the said portion of the line of Electric Railway, of the party of the first part, is not constructed by it, or its successor or successors or assigns, within five (5) years from the date of the issuance of the said bonds, as indicated and set forth in condition First, as above set out and numbered, and then, in that event, it is agreed by the party of the first part, that the party of the second part (The Piedmont Trust Co.) shall, and it agrees that it will, in that event, deliver all of the bonds so issued by the counties of Alamance, Durham and Orange, by the several townships in said counties, to the Board of County Commissioners of each of the said counties in order that they may all be destroyed and it is further agreed by the party of the first part, that in the event of the failure to construct the said line of Electric Railway within five (5) years from said date of the issue of said bonds, that all rights and equities, which the party of the first part may have had in said bonds shall cease.

Third: That said bonds shall not be delivered by the party of the second part to the party of the first part, or to any one for it, unless and until the party of the first part, its successor, successors or assigns, construct and line of Railway agreed in condition number one (First), as above set forth, and has in operation over said line of railway within five (5) years electric cars or trains for the transportation of both passengers and freight.

Fourth: It is further agreed by the party of the first part to and with the party of the second part, as Trustee as aforesaid, that until and unless the preferred stock of the Alamance, Durham and Orange Railway & Electric Co., which is issued, or which is to be issued, in exchange for said bonds, as provided by the order of election, is redeemed at par that there shall not be issued by the party of the first part, or by its successor, successors, or assign, a greater amount of preferred stock than seven thousand dollars per mile upon the line to be constructed as aforesaid; the preferred stock to be five (5) per cent, non-cumulative and redeemable at the option of the party of the first part at any time within eight years from the date of its issuance.

Fifth: It is further agreed by the party of the first part with the party of the second part as Trustee, that, in the event the said election are carried and said bonds of said townships, or either of them, are issued and delivered to the party of the second part in trust as above indicated, and are subsequently delivered to the party of the first part by the party of the second part, upon the construction of the said line of railway, and the operation thereover, between the termini indicated, that the coupons upon said bonds, for one-half of the time between the date of the issuance of said bonds and the date of the operation of cars or trains, as aforesaid, over said line of railway, shall be clipped by said Trustee and delivered to the Boards of County Commissioners for each of the aforementioned counties, for the purpose, and with the obligation of the said Boards of County Commissioners that such coupons

shall be destroyed, and that all other coupons shall remain attached to said bonds and be collected by the holder or holders thereof.

All of the above provisions to apply with equal force to bonds issued under elections already called, and under the elections to be called. IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the party of the first part, and the party of the second part have hereto set their hands and official seals, and caused the same to be signed by the President of each, and attested by the Secretary of each. This the 12th day of April, 1915.

PIEDMONT TRUST CO. W. J. GRAHAM, Pres. D. M. TEAGUE, Sec'y. ALAMANCE, DURHAM & ORANGE RAILWAY AND ELECTRIC CO. JAS. H. HARDEN, Pres. C. BROWN COX, Sec'y.

ALAMANCE COUNTY. Morton's township—5 miles of road, \$10,000.00. Faucetts township—3 miles of road, \$10,000.00. Burlington township—5 miles of road, \$50,000.00. Graham township—5 miles of road, \$25,000.00. Thompson township—10 miles of road, \$20,000.00. ORANGE COUNTY. Bingham township—6-1 2 miles of road, \$15,000.00. Chapel Hill township—7-1 2 miles of road, \$25,000.00. DURHAM COUNTY. Pattersons township—4 miles of road, \$15,000.00. Durham township—3 miles of road, \$15,000.00. A total of 49 miles of road, \$230,000.00.

A PERTINENT QUESTION.

Vice-President Marshall was described a precocious little girl. She showed her precocity the other day," he said, "by a question that she asked me. I had said to her in the course of an examination in mental arithmetic: 'How old would a person be who was born in 1861?' 'She smiled, and asked: 'Was that person a man or woman?' 'National Monthly.

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One of our expert surveyors has subdivided the JOHN IRELAND LAND AND LAKE-VIEW AVE., (better known as old show ground), into the most beautiful lots ever placed on the market in the city of Burlington. This property is LOCATED JUST FOUR BLOCKS FROM THE BUSINESS DISTRICT, and about the same distance from the Railroad Station. Every advantage offered by the city of Burlington, is included in the purchase of the lots.—electric lights, city water and a splendid graded school is within one block of these lots. They are also on the car line. The magnificent new hospital will be constructed very close to the property. The health record of Burlington is splendid. The city is not heavily bonded, and the tax rate is low.

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Your own price does the buying. Go out and take a look. Our special representative, Mr. A. B. Windham, or the representative of the Real Estate Investment Co., will be glad to show you over the property at any time.

BUY BURLINGTON DIRT, THERE IS NOTHING BETTER. Be sure to meet us on the ground, and remember that we sell rain or shine. Music will be furnished by our All Star Brass Band.

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\$100.00 Diamond Ring, \$100.00 in Gold and A Beautiful Shetland Pony are the Grand Prizes. Attend this Sale, back Your Judgment with Your Money, and you will always have the money with which to back Your Judgment.

Immediately after the Burlington sale, we shall sell a few business lots known as the P. R. Harden old store property at Graham. Go with us to this sale.

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Today and tomorrow, Saturday, is the last day in which you can register for the charter election. Are you registered. If not get busy.

The Republicans of St. Louis before election only calculated on seven thousand majority, but when the returns were counted, they found that they had twenty-five thousand. There is no telling just how high the tide is going to rise, only it is going to be high.

While you do not have to pay your poll tax in order to vote in the charter election, yet you will have to pay it on or before May 1st to vote in the Mayor's election. Better attend to this before May 1st, there may be something doing soon.

We have heard of several candidates for the mayoralty, all of them pretty good material. We will name some of them in a future issue. Trot out some more and let's pick the best one for the position. This is a migh-

ty good town and we need a real live wire. Who is your favorite?

We are doing our best to give you a good paper, and just how well we are succeeding we leave it to you, but in passing we want to call your attention to the fact that we are up-to-date with our news service, as evidence of this we are having requests of sample copies of our paper almost every day from people who live some distance from here both in this state and other states. All of them say, "we have heard your paper spoken of by some friend and we want to see a copy." If all who ask for samples subscribe, we will swell our subscription list to five thousand before July 1st. Well, here is hoping we may do it.

We want to congratulate our esteemed contemporary, The Burlington News upon its announcement of issuing a daily soon. We feel that this community needs and can support a daily and we are glad that the News has both the money and the nerve to tackle it. The Dispatch wishes them success in their undertaking and will lend them all the encouragement we can. For ourselves we want to make a success of our Twice-A-Week before tackling anything bigger. However, we doff our hat to the prospective Daily News, and a hoping and a wishing you good luck.

If it is a fact as stated, that the many officers that have been appointed at high salaries to look after the collection of the income tax, have not collected enough to pay themselves. It would appear that it is about time that some heads were being chopped off to save expenses. But what do the parties care who have the appointing power,

so long as a few pets and a lot of politicians have their nose in the pie trough. No wonder the government is so nearly bankrupt and the people are having to pay a tremendous war tax in a time of peace.—Creedmore Times-News.

A PRETTY GOOD LAW.

The Legislature passed a bill that makes it unlawful for a loud mouthed self-acting scandal monger to slander a bank. That is to say if you go out and tell a man you think some bank is on the ragged edge, unless you can sustain your statement you are going to get into trouble. That is a good law. Often wild rumors are started and runs no banks precipitated, causing great loss. And it all came about by some fool talking about something he knew nothing about.—Everything.

GUDGER DIDN'T LAND.

"Ex-Congressman Gudger failed in his effort to get an appointment as a judge at the expiration of his term as a Congressman. President Wilson acted wisely in not giving him the appointment for he had a chance before his people in the 10th district to hold the position of Congressman but they said stay at home and he should have returned there and gone work when his duties at Washington ended. It is pretty hard to shake some fellows from the pie counter when they have once had a taste of pie, but Mr. Wilson knows how when he takes a notion."—Norlind Headlight.

No, brother Gudger didn't land, but there are many that have landed that ought to be at home. The scramble of the "Lame Ducks" has been revolting and disgusting. To see men

rush for the land, that could not be elected dog catcher at home, is nauseating to good honest, right thinking people.—Creedmore Times-News.

WHAT IS THE LAW IN REGARD TO THE SALARIES OF COUNTY OFFICERS?

Mr. Editor:—As you are always willing to accommodate the people, I write to ask a special favor of you and this favor will also accommodate many others who are talking among themselves but who seems to be slow to say anything publicly.

The special favor we desire is that you get a copy of the law in regard to the salaries for our county officers and publish it in the next issue of your excellent paper. If it has ever been published we have never seen it. It has been rumored that the last legislature passed an act to increase the salaries of the county officers. That certainly is not true, is it?

It is also said that the county commissioners allowed the Register of Deeds on extra clerk last year at a salary of four hundred dollars. Can that be true, too? It is also claimed that the county has two assistants of public schools at a salary of \$900 or \$1,000 for the white assistant and \$300 or \$400 for the colored assistant. Can that be true? Also that the county has a consulting cook and housekeeper at a salary of \$1,200 a year. Is it possible that this is true?

If all this can be true that the county has provided for so many extra officers, then we poor farmers may look out and expect to catch it in the neck when the tax assessor comes around, for taxes are bound to be increased to pay all these extra salaries. Now, Mr. Editor, we want to

know the authority for providing all these extras. If there is any law on the statute books of N. C., we want you to publish it. If there is no law for it, then please tell us by what authority the county commissioners and the Board of Education have placed these extra burdens upon the people. We want to know and we think we have a right to know. Can't you help us to learn what we want to know?

While impatiently waiting for an answer to the above inquiring, I remain,

AN HUMBLE CITIZEN.

THE PRESIDENT ON THE STUMP.

The political advisers of the President think he ought to go before the country and explain his legislative policies, and according to reports the recent elections have about convinced the President himself that something of the kind is needed.

The country will patiently hear anything the President can say in justification of legislation which has done so much injury to the country, but we are of the opinion that he will be much too late with anything he may say to turn the political tide that is now running so strongly against his Administration.

It is proper, however, for the Democratic leaders to look to Mr. Wilson to defend himself, instead of expecting them to do it. What has been done is almost exclusively his own work, and much of it done in opposition to the mature judgment of experienced leaders of the party.

It is not an uncommon thing for a President to address his fellow citizen on public affairs, but it is not at all common for him to feel obliged to go before

the country to defend his policies. Mr. Wilson's experience with his Indianapolis speech ought to have warned him against that.

APPOMATTOX.

April 9, 1865.

Where did a defeated cause,
Like the shining sun go down?
Where, upon a martyr's cross,
Brightest shone the victor crown?
Appomattox.

Where did Valor, all unsought,
Win from Fame her golden meed?

Where was glory greatly wrought,
Out of an immortal deed?
Appomattox.

Every land has holy ground,
Shrine approached with feet unshod

Where, my Southland, where is found;
Thine own consecrated sod?
Appomattox.

There a great though vanquished cause,
Fell in glory free from shame,
There the crown won through the cross;
Gave to Lee his deathless fame—
Appomattox.

—Charles W. Hubner.

In the General Assembly of Maine there is pending a bill which calls for a tax of ten dollars each on cats, while a Western legislator is seriously trying to pass a measure to keep bees off the public roads. And yet there are people who insist and persist in asking "Why is a Legislature?"

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

You are always welcome at Walker's.

Mr. H. L. Thomas spent Tuesday in the city of High Point.

Mr. G. F. Blackmon of Greensboro was in the city yesterday.

Boys get yourself an Rauhut bicycle. Best wheel for money. Rauhut's Shop.

Mr. H. G. Kime was business visitor to the city of Greensboro Wednesday.

Mr. Will Coley, representing the News & Observer, of Raleigh was in the city Wednesday.

Mr. Thomas Isley spent Wednesday as the guest of relatives in Greensboro.

Mr. C. M. Coble has recently purchased a new 1916 model Ford automobile.

Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Morrow returned yesterday from High Point where they spent a few days with friends.

Mrs. Stiner Coble of Chester, S. C., arrived this week to be the guest of her parents for several days.

The ladies are especially invited to attend the auction sale of the John Ireland land, next Tuesday, at 10:30 A. M.

Big Band concert in front of City Drug Store next Tuesday at 10 A. M. by the Atlantic Coast Realty Co's All Star Band.

Mr. Dudley Riggins, of Gibsonville is the guest of his daughter, Mrs. George Allen for a few days.

"The Old Maids' Club" was presented again at the Graded School Auditorium last Tuesday night to a fairly good audience.

Mr. and Mrs. Amick Johnson of Greenville, S. C., are spending the week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Johnson, on R. F. D. No. 9.

Dr. C. A. Anderson requests us to announce that those wishing his service may leave calls at the Burlington Drug Co. in the future.

Prof. Mead Hart of Friendship High School was in the city yesterday en route to Chapel Hill. He was accompanying several of his students who will be in an athletic contest at Chapel Hill.

Miss Ruth Heritage was taken to Rex hospital at Raleigh Tuesday and was operated on for appendicitis. The operation was successful and she is getting along fine.

A representative of the Creditors Protective Association of Washington, D. C. has been in the county several days securing members. The Association renders the same service to the merchants and professional men that the mercantile agencies give the wholesalers and manufacturers.

"IN TRUST, NEVERTHELES"

Have you minor children—loved ones now depending upon you who have no financial wisdom and will be easy prey of the sharper when you are gone? Will your daughter marry a man who will squander her money and leave her—your child—penniless and destitute? Protect those who cannot protect themselves with a TRUST ESTATE. Consult us about it. We act as Guardian, Trustee, Executor. We carry out your wishes with absolute impartiality. We do for your loved ones what you cannot do when you are gone. Why not see us about this now? All advice and consultations confidential. No charge is made for same.

Alamance Loan and Trust Co. THE LARGEST AND OLDEST BANK IN THE COUNTY (The One With the Chimes.) BURLINGTON, N. C.

Mr. C. M. Coble is in Greensboro today on business.

Go to the land sale next Tuesday and draw the Shetland pony for your boy.

Mrs. M. B. Smith and Miss Price spent yesterday in Greensboro shopping.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Crawford were visitors with friends in Orange County recently.

Mr. Charles May is in Guilford County this week the guest of his mother.

"Tar Baby" is his name—a beautiful Shetland pony free at the big lot sale Tuesday.

Mr. Coy Moore, of Durham spent a few days recently at home.

Miss Nettie Clark is critically ill at her home in East Burlington.

Mrs. Levi Burke has returned from a visit to relatives and friends at Durham, N. C.

Mr. Siler Solomon left first of the week for Durham where he has accepted a position.

Messrs. James and Will Thacker visited their little sister, Miss Pansy, who lives with Mr. George Whitmore near Graham, last Sunday.

Mr. J. T. Nance, of Durham spent a few days recently with his niece, Miss Nettie Clark, who is confined to her home on account of illness.

The \$100.00 diamond ring and \$100.00 in gold to be given away at the auction sale next Tuesday are on display at the Burlington Drug Co.

The pupils of Rev. Mrs. G. L. Curry's music class gave a recital at the M. P. parsonage last night from eight till ten. A very interesting program was rendered, which was highly enjoyed by several of their friends.

Mr. M. A. Isley is erecting a nice 7 room dwelling on Dixie street. When completed it will be one of the most convenient and beautiful residences in that section of the city.

Dr. Norton and Mr. Jackson, were heard by a large audience at the Graded School Auditorium Wednesday night. These gentlemen are splendid entertainers and those who heard them were highly pleased with the entertainment.

Rev. H. Shelton Smith, pastor of the Elm St. Christian Church, Greensboro, N. C., will occupy the pulpit at the Christian church Sunday morning at 11 o'clock in the absence of the pastor who will be at Friendship where he will deliver an address at Coble township Sunday School convention.

If a lazy man has nowhere else to go, he ought to go to work.

BETTER BY FAR.

It was in a country town and the traveling company was playing "Richard III." The performance seemed to drag terribly and the audience became very tired.

"A horse, a horse; my kingdom for a horse!" roared the actor.

"If ye quit now ye'll be able to ketch the ten-thutty trolley," shouted a tired voice.—Exchange.

A PLAIN AMERICAN.

"Why don't you organize with us Turks and Bulgarians and Serbs to demand your rights in the United States?"

"I haven't any special rights in the United States," responded the other, quietly. "I was born here."

NEW TREATMENT FOR COLD TROUBLES

Is plenty of fresh air in the bed room and a good application of VICKS' Group and PNEUMONIA SALVE over the throat and chest, covered with a warm flannel cloth; soothing antiseptic vapors are released by the body, warmth and inhaled directly to the affected parts. No need of disturbing the stomach with medicines. The worst colds relieved in one night, cough in fifteen minutes. At all drug stores, 50c and \$1.00. Sample on request. Vicks Chemical Co., Greensboro, N. C.



Baby Doll Ankle Strap Pumps.

We have in stock a beautiful line of Baby Doll Pumps in Patent Leather and Gun Metal Calf, also White Mercerized Duck with white Rubber Soles and White Rubber Heels, that we are offering at

\$1.75 to \$2.50

the pair which are exceptionally strong values and are among our best sellers. They particularly appeal to the Young Ladies that do not care for the High Heels and Narrow Toe Styles. We have the same styles for the little ones also, at proportionate prices. Would be glad to have you call and see the many new Spring models.

FOSTER Shoe Co. Burlington, N. C.

LOOK, LISTEN AT OUR PRICES!

We are cutting down the War Prices and the High Cost of Living. Lard, per pound 10c. Meat, heavy thick per pound . . 12 1/2c. Irish potatoes, per peck 24c. All 10c. Canned Goods 9c. All 15c. Canned Goods 12c. All 10c. Articles 9c. Cut Prices on everything.

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HIGHEST MARKET PRICE PAID FOR COUNTRY PRODUCE.

Come and see us—it will pay you. We have just opened up in the W. E. Hay Building on Front Street. Phone us your order and we will give prompt delivery.

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AN ENERGETIC NEWS BOY.

Clifford Stubbins, One of Burlington's Energetic News Boys Honored—Photograph Appears in Saturday Blade.

We take pleasure in reproducing the photograph of Clifford Stubbins, of this city, which appeared in a recent issue of the Saturday Blade of Chicago. Clifford is one of Burlington's energetic and progressive news boys, and is making good selling papers each week.



Clifford Stubbins, Burlington, N. C.

Many of the newspaper men of the present time started as a news boy, and no one knows but that this bright and promising young man may some day wield the editorial pen and figure prominently in the realm of journalism.

Clifford is deserving of all the support and encouragement of his friends, and we hope for him continued success as the local agent for the Saturday Blade and Chicago Ledger.

The projectiles fired from these guns weigh 1,4000 pounds each and are expensive. It costs the Government \$777 every time one of them is used.

GOOD NEWS.

Many Burlington Readers Have Heard It And Profited Thereby.

"Good news travels fast," and the bad back suffers in Burlington are glad to learn where relief may be found. Many a lame, weak and aching back is bad no more, thanks to Doan's Kidney Pills. Our citizens are telling the good news of their experience with this tested remedy. Here is an example worth reading:

John W. King, near Fair Grounds, Burlington, says: "I have taken Doan's Kidney Pills off and on for several years, whenever my back has caused me any misery and have always found them to be all that is claimed of them. Sometimes my back gets so stiff and lame that I can hardly straighten after stooping. A few doses of Doan's Kidney Pills never fail to fix me up in good shape." Price 50c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mr. King had. Foster-Milburn Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y.

DIED.

At Lake-side mills in Burlington, April 13th, 1915, Mr. J. H. Morton, aged 69 years and 17 days old, died. He had five children and 18 grandchildren and they all mourn his death. The funeral and interment was held at Bethlehem Christian church and was conducted by Rev. J. W. Holt, assisted by Rev. A. B. Kindall of Burlington, N. C. J. W. HOLT.

A woman weighing 460 pounds is advertising in a Western paper for a husband, but he would indeed be a brave man who should undertake such heavy responsibility.

DR. STUART SPEAKS TO PRESBYTERIAL.

The feature of Thursday night's session of the Norfolk Presbyterial which is holding its sessions at the Park Avenue Presbyterian church, was addressed by Dr. J. Leighton Stuart, a missionary, to Hank Chow, China, who spoke on missions. Dr. Stuart told of the wonderful opportunities from all standpoints of mission work in China and traced the progress that had been made in that country within the last 100 years. He told of the conditions existing in many places in the empire and explained how necessary the Christian religion has become to the development of the Chinese. He mentioned the fact that Yuan Shi Kai, President of China, has modeled his plan of action as executive on George Washington and the policy he pursued. Rev. Stuart Nye Hutchison made an address in the afternoon which dealt with home missions and the need for interest and progress in this work. There was also an address by Miss French of China, who wore her Chinese costume and told of her work among the lepers. Miss French says that leprosy is not contagious. Devotional exercises were conducted Thursday morning by Rev. J. A. Christian of the Park Avenue church and the address of welcome was made by Mrs. E. H. Philhower, of the Park Avenue church, the response being by the president, Mrs. R. E. DeJarnette. Many reports were read at both sessions and were all good. Friday morning's session was included of reports of unfinished business and the election of officers, was carried out.

SCIATIC RHEUMATISM CURED.

Five bottles of Mrs. Joe Person's Remedy cured T. H. Harrison, Clerk Superior Court, Yanceville, N. C., of sciatic rheumatism. The blood is purified, the body built back to health, and strength and all the ills resulting from impoverished or poisoned blood, such as rheumatism, nervous dyspepsia, gastritis, indigestion, eczema, scrofula, etc., are completely overcome by Mrs. Joe Person's Remedy. This remedy has been successfully used for forty years and hundreds of testimonials declare its superiority as a blood medicine. It is scientifically compounded of vegetable ingredients of the highest purity. When you suffer these ills, you need Mrs. Joe Person's Remedy for your blood.

Your druggist should have it, if he hasn't we will supply you. Large size bottle, one dollar.

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Mrs. Joe Person's Remedy should be used in connection with the Remedy for the cure of sores and the relief of inflamed and congested surfaces. It is especially valuable for women, and should always be used for ulcerations.

CAN ASSAULT WITH AUTO.

So Rules Judge in Remarkable Case in New Jersey.

"An assault may be committed with an automobile."

This decision was handed down by the Supreme court here today in affirming the conviction of Walter Schutte, of Jersey City, who was indicted for "wilfully and unlawfully striking and wounding Thomas Mitchell."

Justice Garrison in his decision said: The driving of an automobile at an excessive rate of speed is a wilful act likely to inflict injury, from which the malice and intention to inflict injury may, if the circumstances so warrant, be replied."

The result of the elections out West is going to make everybody want to run for office on the Republican ticket.

We Do All Kinds Of Job Work LET US FIGURE WITH YOU UPON YOUR NEXT JOB?

NOTEHEADS, LETTER HEADS, STATEMENTS, ENVELOPES, CIRCULARS, PHAMLETS, BOOK WORK NEATLY DONE, PRICES REASONABLE, GIVE US A TRIAL, PROMPTLY DELIVERY and SATISFACTION GUARANTEED.

THE DISPATCH JOB OFFICE BURLINGTON, N. C. WORK WILL BE DELIVERED BY PARCEL POST WHEN REQUESTED WITHOUT EXTRA CHARGE.

NOTICE OF SPECIAL BOND ELECTION IN MORTON TOWNSHIP.

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Commissioners of Alamance county, pursuant to the power, in them, vested by an act of the General Assembly of North Carolina at its session, 1915, same being House Bill No. 1,274 and Senate Bill No. 1,387, has ordered an election to be held in Morton township on the 1st day of June, 1915, for the purpose of submitting to the qualified voters of the said township the question of voting the sum of ten thousand dollars of five per cent (5%) thirty year bonds of the said township, to give in exchange for ten thousand dollars of the five per cent (5%) preferred stock of and in the Alamance, Durham and Orange Railway and Electric Company. That said election will be held in said township at the usual voting precinct therein and will be conducted in the same manner and subject to the same rules and regulations as provided for the general election of county officers by the general election laws of the State of North Carolina.

That for the purpose of this election an entirely new registration of voters of said township has been ordered, and C. M. Pritchette is the duly appointed registrar, and Jas. W. Summers and Hugh Burch are the duly appointed pollholders and judges for said election.

That said C. M. Pritchette registrar for said election in Morton township shall keep open the registration books for the registration of voters of the said township for a period of not less than twenty days (Sunday excepted) preceding the said date of closing and shall close on the second Saturday before the election.

This the 6th day of April, 1915.

NOTICE OF SPECIAL BOND ELECTION IN FAUCETT TOWNSHIP.

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Commissioners of Alamance county, pursuant to the power, in them, vested by an act of the General Assembly of North Carolina at its session, 1915, same being House Bill No. 1,274 and Senate Bill No. 1,387, has ordered an election to be held in Faucett township on the 1st day of June, 1915, for the purpose of submitting to the qualified voters of the said township the question of voting the sum of ten thousand dollars of five per cent (5%) thirty year bonds of the said township, to give in exchange for ten thousand dollars of the five per cent (5%) preferred stock of and in the Alamance, Durham and Orange Railway and Electric Company. That said election will be held in said township at the usual voting precinct therein and will be conducted in the same manner and subject to the same rules and regulations as provided for the general election of county officers by the general election laws of the State of North Carolina.

Try the Merits of the Dispatch Ads.

CAKES and CANDIES Reduced In Price, All Twenty-cent Cakes and Candy now 10c - - - Ten Cents - - - 10c Fresh Roasted Peanuts, full line of Fancy Groceries. When you trade at this store you do not have to pay other people's debts. Nothing delivered, Nothing charged. Your patronage solicited. Ralph's Place "THE LADIES' STORE."

sum of ten thousand dollars of five per cent (5%) thirty year bonds of the said township, to give in exchange for ten thousand dollars of the five per cent (5%) preferred stock of and in the Alamance, Durham and Orange Railway and Electric Company. That said election will be held in said township at the usual voting precinct therein and will be conducted in the same manner and subject to the same rules and regulations as provided for the general election of county officers by the general election laws of the State of North Carolina.

That for the purpose of this election an entirely new registration of voters of said township has been ordered, and A. O. Huffman is the duly appointed registrar, and E. L. Boswell and Chas. A. Wilson are the duly appointed pollholders and judges for said election.

That said A. O. Huffman registrar for said election in Faucett township shall keep open the registration books for the registration of voters of the said township for a period of not less than twenty days (Sunday excepted) preceding the said date of closing and shall close on the second Saturday before the election.

This the 16th day of April, 1915.

NOTICE OF SPECIAL BOND ELECTION IN BURLINGTON TOWNSHIP.

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Commissioners of Alamance county, pursuant to the power, in them, vested by an act of the General Assembly of North Carolina at its session, 1915, same being House Bill No. 1,274 and Senate Bill No. 1,387, has ordered an election to be held in Burlington township on the 8th day of June, 1915, for the purpose of submitting to the qualified voters of the said township the question of voting the sum of fifty thousand dollars of five per cent (5%) thirty year bonds of the said township, to give in exchange for fifty thousand dollars of the five per cent (5%) preferred stock of and in the Alamance, Durham and Orange Railway and Electric Company. That said election will be held in said township at the usual voting precincts therein and will be conducted in the same manner and subject to the same rules and regulations as provided for the general election of county officers by the general election laws of the State of North Carolina.

That for the purpose of this election an entirely new registration of voters of said township has been ordered, and W. A. Hall is the duly appointed registrar, and J. W. Cates and Adolphus Cheek are the duly appointed pollholders and judges for said election for South Burlington voting precinct; and R. J. Hall is the duly appointed registrar, and H. W. Trollinger and John R. Huffman are the duly appointed pollholders and judges for said election in North Burlington precinct.

That said R. J. Hall and W. A. Hall registrars for said election in Burlington township shall keep open the registration books for the registration of voters of the said township for a period of not less than twenty days (Sunday excepted) preceding the day of closing and shall close on the second Saturday before the election.

This the 6th day of April, 1915.

YOUNG MAN DROPPED DEAD IN WAYNESVILLE.

Waynesville, April 10.—Abram Whitener, the 16-year-old son of Capt. and Mrs. W. A. Whitener, dropped dead on the streets here last night at nine o'clock. Young Whitener was on his way with a number of companions to a medal contest and appeared to be in the best of health until he fell to the pavement. His friends carried him to a nearby house and three physicians were summoned; but when they arrived it was found that the young man was dead. The deceased was one of the popular young men of Waynesville and was a student at the high school here. His father is captain of the local police force.

DEBATE.

Spring Graded School Wins Over Mandale Night School.

An interesting and inspiring debate was waged between Spring Graded School and Mandale Night School last Saturday night, April 10, at the home of the latter. Query: "Resolved that Immigration to the United States should be prohibited." Messrs. Eugene Riddle and Butler Lewis of Mandale supported the affirmative and Messrs. Percy E. Lindly and Grady McBane of Spring defended the Negative. Messrs. William Lindly of Mandale, M. D. Boone of Greensboro, and Clyde Ferguson of Chapel Hill served on the decision committee.

The debaters and officers waited near the door until the house was filled with anxious hearers. There they were met by marshals and as the music began, were used to their respective places on the stage.

President Newlin made a short speech of welcome after which Secretary McBane read the program for the evening.

Riddle opened the discussion by showing how "Immigration" to the United States is determined both to our labor and educational systems. Lindly then presented the facts that the foreigner helped establish our republic and should have a share of its bounties, and that the real mission of our government is, and should ever be, to admit the oppressed of all lands. Lewis in turn represented the influx of immigrants as an aid to Catholicism. Lastly McBane dwelt upon "the need of an interchange of universal ideas" and the demand for foreign labor among our natural resources.

On the re-joinder only two entered the conflict—Riddle and Lynd. The first was very brief, however, and soon ended his final remarks giving way for his

opponent, who rose and, with a smile, gladly resumed his plea for the foreigner. In this he pictured the untold horrors and sufferings of unfortunate aliens who are reaching their hands piteously to us for mercy. "Their only hopes of light and liberty," he said, "rest beneath the shelter and folds of the star Spangle Banner." Sympathy was the keynote. Furthermore he proved that the safety of our religious institutions depended not so much on the "Prohibition of Catholics" but in real, genuine and charitable service. Lewis' eloquent talk against Catholicism seemed almost groundless when Lindly struck it a blow with the "Doctrine of true Christianity." The time was limited and seemingly short, yet sufficiently long to render a clear decision.

As soon as Judge Ferguson had announced the decision all rushed to the stake to congratulate the speakers. The Spring boys gave a yell for their school and left us.

FORMER PRESIDENTS EXCHANGE GREETINGS.

New Haven, Conn., April 13.—Former Presidents William H. Taft and Theodore Roosevelt met and clasped hands and exchanged polite greetings this afternoon for the first time since they came to the parting of the political way.

The meeting was at the funeral ceremonies of a mutual friend, Prof. Thomas L. Lambury, of Yale University, a noted authority on English language. It was in the corridor of Battel chapel on the Yale campus where the funeral was held. Each was named as an honorary pall bearer.

The greeting of the two was neither warm nor cold. It was simply a formal handshake.

Colonel Roosevelt inquired of Mrs. Taft's health and Mr. Taft inquired of Mrs. Roosevelt's health. Each asked the other to remember his to the wife of the other.

DEATH OF MR. W. H. MONTGOMERY.

After about ten day's illness of pneumonia, Mr. W. H. Montgomery of near Dodson's Cross Roads, on Hillsboro Rote No. 3, departed this life at 6:00 o'clock P. M. Easter Monday, the 5th. All that his physician a faithful companion, and his children could do, seemed of little avail, as that dreaded disease got such a grip on his aged system, that to survive seemed impossible. He was 70 years, 3 months and 20 days old. He leaves a wife, 8 children living, besides a son who passed to his reward 13 years ago.

His living children are: Mrs. S. F. Clark of Mebane, N. C., Mrs. Mack Neville of White Cross; Messrs. W. F. and J. W. Montgomery of Burlington, N. C., Mrs. A. J. Bowland and Mr. C. L. Montgomery of High Point, N. C., Mrs. T. J. and Mrs. S. H. Cates of Hillsboro, Route 3.

He was quietly laid to rest in the Cane Creek cemetery, Wednesday the 7th, at 11 o'clock. Rev. J. T. McDuffie conducted the service.

He was a member of the Cane Creek Baptist church for more than 45 years. As a Christian, his life was characterized by one of peace and quietness. He was a Confederate veteran, who fought for the Confederate cause under Maj. Graham. He will be greatly missed by relatives and friends but their loss is his eternal gain.

We extend our heart-felt sympathy to the bereaved, and point them to Him who is able and willing to fill the vacant place in the home, and in the hearts of those bereaved. A FRIEND.

CHURCH DIRECTORY

REFORMED CHURCH. Corner Front and Anderson Streets. Rev. D. C. Cox. Sunday School every Sabbath at 9:45 A. M. Preaching every First and Third Sabbath at 11:00 A. M., and 8:00 P. M. Mid-Week Service every Wednesday, 8:00 P. M. Everyone Welcome. Parsonage Corner Front and Trolinger Streets.

HOCUTT MEMORIAL BAPTIST CHURCH. Adams Avenue and Hall Street. Rev. James W. Rose, Pastor. Preaching every Fourth Sunday at 11:00 A. M. and 8:00 P. M. Sunday School every Sunday at 9:30 A. M. Prayer Meeting Wednesday, 8:00 P. M. Ladies' Aid Society First Sunday Afternoon.

EPISCOPAL CHURCH. Church of The Holy Comforter. The Rev. John Benner Gibble, Rector. Services every Sunday, 11:00 A. M. and 8:00 P. M. Holy Communion: First Sunday, 11:00 A. M., Third Sunday, 7:30 A. M. Holy and Saint's Days, 10:00 A. M. Sunday School 9:30 A. M. The public is cordially invited. All Pews Free. Fine Vested Choir.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH. Corner Church and Davis Streets. Rev. A. B. Kendall, D. D., Pastor. Preaching every Sunday 11:00 A. M. and 8:00 P. M. Sunday School, 9:45 A. M. John R. Foster, Superintendent. Senior, Intermediate and Junior Endeavor Societies meet for worship every Sunday evening at 7:00. Mid-Week Prayer and Social Service, every Wednesday at 8:00 P. M. Woman's Home and Foreign Missionary Society meets on Monday after the first Sunday in each month. Mrs. Ada A. Teague, Pres. Ladies' Aid Society meets on Monday after the second Sunday in each month, at 8:00 P. M. Mrs. W. R. Sellars, Pres.

FRONT STREET M. E. CHURCH SOUTH. Rev. D. H. Tuttle Pastor. Peace to those who enter. Blessings to those who go. Preaching every Sunday, 11:00 A. M. and 8:00 P. M. Sacrament of the Lord's Supper with offering for Church charities, First Sunday in each month. Sunday School, every Sunday, 9:30 A. M. Prayer Meeting, Wednesday, 8:00 P. M. Board of Stewards meet on Monday 8:00 P. M., after Fourth Sunday each month. Woman's Missionary Society meets 4:00 P. M., on Monday, after 1st and 3rd Sundays. Parsonage, corner W. Davis and Hok Streets. Pastor's Telephone, No. 168. Ring—Talk—Hang Up—"Busy."

WEBB AVENUE M. E. CHURCH SOUTH. Rev. E. C. Durham, Pastor. Preaching every first Sunday at 11:00 A. M., and 8:00 P. M. Second Sunday at 8:00 P. M. Sunday School every Sunday at 10:00 A. M. A. M. H. F. Moore, Superintendent. Everybody Welcome.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH. Rev. Donald McIver, Pastor. Services every Sunday at 11:00 A. M. and 8:00 P. M. Sunday School at 9:45 A. M. E. R. Sellars, Superintendent. Prayer Meeting, Wednesday at 8:00 P. M. The Public is cordially invited to all services.

BAPTIST CHURCH. Rev. M. W. Buck, Pastor. Sunday Worship, 11:00 A. M., and 5:00 P. M. Sunday School at 9:30 A. M. J. H. Vernon, Superintendent. Praise and Prayer Services, Wednesday at 8:00 P. M. Christian Culture Class, Saturday at 8:00 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. Preaching Services every Sunday at 11:00 A. M., and 8:00 P. M. Prayer Meeting, Wednesday 8:00 P. M. Ladies' Aid and Missionary Societies every Monday afternoon after First Sunday in each month. Christian Endeavor Society meets at 7:00 Every Sunday Evening. Sunday School, 9:30 A. M. M. A. Coble, Superintendent. Good Baraca and Philathea Classes. You are invited to attend all these services.

MACEDONIA LUTHERAN CHURCH. Front Street. Rev. T. S. Brown, Pastor. Morning Service 11:00 A. M. Vespers 8:00 P. M. Services every Sunday except the morning of Third Sunday. Sunday School, 9:45 A. M. Prof. J. B. Robertson, Supt. Teachers' Meeting, Wednesday 8:00 P. M. (Pastor's Study). Woman's Missionary Society, First Thursday, Monthly, 3:30 P. M. L. C. B. Society, Second Thursday Monthly, 8:00 P. M. Young People's Meeting, Second Sunday at 8 P. M.

Information. At an "information test" in a Baltimore high school a few days ago some of the answers were these: "Watchful Waiting is a Christmas hymn." "The Bear Who Walks Like a Man is an orang-utan." "Busy Bertha is a prehistoric animal shown in moving pictures." "Tommy Atkins is a famous baseball pitcher." "Sir Isaac Newton invented moving pictures." "Maid of Orleans is a kind of molasses candy." "Lord Kitchener is some kind of an Englishman."—Kansas City Star.

THE TREND OF EARLY STYLES.

Suggestions For The Spring Trousseau

BOLEROS AND BLOUSES

April, with apple blossoms and arbutus and the fresh green of the first leaves of Spring, has become the bride's month.

A traveling costume which I saw not long ago was shown with all the things necessary for a trip across the continent or for European travel.

With this suit was shown a trim little turban of straw the same color as the suit, but with gay double wings of rose color placed directly on top of the hat.

Batiste and handkerchief linen with inch-wide stripes of blue, gray, lavender, green, pink, or yellow and white are extensively used for tailored shirt waists and are a decidedly smart innovation after the vogue for plain colors.

A very stylish linen suit for the bride, or for others who are adding to their wardrobe, may



A Rose Colored Linen With The New Smart Bolero And The Flaring, Pleated Skirt.

be seen in the illustration. Rose-colored linen is the material from which the suit is fashioned.

skirt, pleated and stitched at the waist and hips, is made with wide tucks at the bottom.

A frock which will be a standby in any woman's wardrobe is of sand-colored twilled taffeta.

An evening dress is made of changeable green taffeta, with a bodice rounding low, in front and back, and edged with a pleated frill of fringed taffeta.

For afternoon frocks, very large polka dots are very smart and new. Cream, white and ecru, dotted with red, green, blue, or lavender dots are seen.

A striking costume is made with a blue polka-dotted skirt with fulness held in at the waistline, trimmed with two scant ruffles on the lower edge.

PEACE TALK IN THE AIR.

It is hardly conceivable that Germany would deliberately provoke the Netherlands to join the formidable list of her enemies.

Furthermore, the chances are that Germany is desperately seeking means to procure an honorable peace.

The chancelleries stoutly deny any intimation of the end of the war, but there is peace talk in the air, nevertheless.

It is possible that the optimists who have been predicting the end of the war in June may not have been as wild as they appeared a few weeks ago.

WINS \$5630 HEART BALM OF DOCTOR.

Miss Mamie T. Martin Gets Verdict Against Dr. William F. Quinlan—Suit Unsettled.

Miss Mamie T. Martin, who lives at 1738 North Warnock Street, was awarded a verdict of \$5,630 against Dr. William F. Quinlan, in Judge Bregy's court yesterday for breach of promise.

The action has been pending a considerable time, and Francis P. Stockley, attorney for Miss Martin, insisted that the case go to trial yesterday.

About two years ago the physician's love cooled and his ardor in courtship diminished to such an extent that he stopped meeting his putative fiancée.

Many ardent love letters were produced in court showing the state of the physician's feelings toward Miss Martin.

"Dear Darling:— 'Was somewhat disappointed that my dearest did not send her intended husband a line or two this morning.

"Brown Eyes, I have practically settled on the 25th, but will talk the matter over with you tonight, because I agree with you that once the date for our wedding is absolutely decided upon, we want no disappointment.

"But dearest, I wonder if you missed me badly and sadly as I craved for you, sweetheart. I feel you are the whole world to me and without you, it would appear dismal and gloomy.

"I am crazy about you. Your husband.

"WILL."

CHAPEL HILL LETTER.

Chapel Hill, April 15.—The Country Gentlemen, the oldest and most authoritative agricultural journal in the United States, in its issue of April 10 carries a photograph and write-up of Dudley Hall, North Carolina's champion corn grower of 1914.

The story of Dudley Hall and his corn-growing operations occupies a leading position in the "Farmers of Tomorrow" department of The Country Gentleman.

boys' corn club work in North Carolina. State Demonstration Agent T. E. Browne reports an increase of 100 per cent in membership over 1913.

"Dudley Hall, of Rowan County, won the state championship prize for the year. He produced 148.5 bushels on the acre, at an average cost of 9.5 cents a bushel.

"The soil I produced my corn on was of a sandy loam. The acre was in oats previous to planting it in corn.

"I prepared a seed bed to plant the corn. On first seeding I did not get a good stand, and the plot was worked over and re-seeded on June 13.

"I worked the corn four times in all. A windstorm on August third blew the stalks to the ground, and another plowing was prevented. This cut down my yield.

"Five ears of my yield were

placed on exhibit at the corn show. It was the only yellow variety on exhibition that was considered of first rank.

"The sort of intensive farming engaged in by Dudley Hall and his co-workers in the boys' and girls' club is serving as a wholesome object lesson to North Carolina farmers.

It is a telling commentary on a man when he begins to figure his money in liquid measure.—Philadelphia Inquirer.

If you would flatter a married man tell him he doesn't look it.

SALE OF REAL ESTATE.

By virtue of the power contained in a certain mortgage executed by Henry Rogers to the undersigned on the 22nd day of September, 1914, and duly registered in the office of the Register of Deeds for Alamance county, North Carolina, in book No. 66 of Mortgage Deeds, pages 314-317, to secure the payment of a certain bond, conveyed a certain real estate, and whereas default having been made in the payment of said bond and interest, I will expose to public sale to the highest bidder for cash at the courthouse door of the county of Alamance, on Monday, May 10, 1915, at twelve o'clock P. M., the land conveyed in said Mortgage Deed to wit:

A certain tract or parcel of land in Thompson township,

Alamance county, State of North Carolina, adjoining the lands of William Bason and others and bounded as follows:

BEGINNING at a stone, corner with Bason and Newlin's line running North 45 deg. East with Bason's line 19 poles to a stone; thence 45 deg. West 24 poles to a stone; thence South 34 deg. West 4 poles to a stone, corner of Church lot; thence South 12 deg. East with said line to first starting, containing one and one-half acres, more or less, upon which is situate a three room frame dwelling.

This 31st day of March, 1915. G. W. HOFFMAN, Mortgagee.

A Nervous Wreck



Had No Desire To Live — Peruna Is A Tonic and Strength Builder So Says

Mrs. Frank Stroob, R. F. D. 1, Appleton, Wis. Her letter reads: 'I began using Peruna a few months ago when my health and strength were all gone, and I was nothing but a nervous wreck. Could not sleep, eat or rest properly, and felt no desire to live.'

Pepsi-Cola Makes Rosy

Cheeks and Healthy Children

We know of a large number of families who have adopted Pepsi-Cola as the beverage to use in the home, to drink between meals, and with the meals, who have the healthiest and most robust children to be seen today.

Superior Merits of Pepsi-Cola

As a beverage unequalled for indigestion. It is the very best drink available today for relieving that heavy, uneasy feeling after eating—AND WHEN USED CONTINUOUSLY you will never have indigestion.

Pepsi-Cola is The King of Drinks.

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L. M. Squires, Proprietor Burlington, N. C.

R. F. D. News
Gleaned By Our Rural Correspondents.
ROUTE No. 9.

Well, spring is here. The trees and flowers are wearing a different aspect to what they did last week. The voice of the turtle dove is heard in our land once more, reminding us of by-gone days. The birds are busy caroling their songs of praise; people are busy preparing their gardens for the coming summer.

We must have something to eat, war or no war. We folks down in this part of the county are beginning to curtail the cost of high living. We use old John Constant, better known as corn bread, twice a day and "Adams Ale" to assist digestion with no 7 cents sugar in it, and biscuit Sunday morning with "fat back" gravy and no desert; all caused by the European war, so some say, but we don't believe it. But we will grant and endure until Nineteen and Sixteen when prosperity will again abound throughout our loved land.

Well, our much loved Carrier is always on time, snow rain or sunshine. We are all Republicans down in Stoveville except one or two, but we all get along together lovely.
Success to our lovely paper, the Dispatch. Long may it live and daily increase in subscription.

SAXAPAHAW ITEMS.

Mr. Joseph Woody of near this place died Saturday morning after a lingering illness at the age of seventy years. He had been a faithful member of Bethel M. P. church for many years. The funeral services were conducted at Bethel Sunday morning by the pastor, Rev. Mr. Ledbetter, assisted by Mr. Alfred Zachary. He was laid to rest in the Bethel cemetery. He

and a host of friends and relatives to mourn their loss. To the bereaved family we extend our deepest sympathy.
Mr. J. Wilson Williamson is at the Stakes hospital at Salisbury at present where he is being treated for paralysis resulting from the pasteur treatment. His father, Mr. B. J. Williamson accompanied him.

Quite a number of our people went to Greensboro Saturday to see Carolina and Virginia play a game of base ball.
The local basket ball team defeated Spring Friday afternoon in a game on the Saxapahaw grounds. The score was eight to eighteen in favor of Saxapahaw.

A large number attended the funeral of Mr. Joseph Woody at Bethel Sunday from this place.
Mrs. W. O. Hackney returned home Saturday after spending a week visiting her sister, Mrs. Sonnie Carl in Chatham county.

Messrs. Clifton Hugh and Vernon McVey who have been sick for several weeks are much better, we are glad to note.
Miss Adelaide Riddle returned home Saturday after spending a few weeks in Chatham county.

Mr. Sam Shaw returned to Graham Sunday after spending last week at home.
Mr. and Mrs. Earl Marlett of Hillsboro spent the latter part of the week visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Lacy Marlett of Burlington visited at Mr. R. G. Marlett's Thursday and Friday.
Mrs. Roland Roberson visited her parents in Hillsboro last week.

Mrs. Mattie Winningham is visiting her sister, Mrs. John Hoit in South Alamance this

A BARREL OF MONEY FREE!

Also Free Tickets to the Mexican Theatre, Free Candy, Free Ice Cream and Free Souvenirs.

Saturday, April 17, 1915.

For full particulars see large circulars.

HAYES DRUG COMPANY, GRAHAM, NORTH CAROLINA.

COUNTY COMMISSIONERS PROCEEDINGS.
Required Two Days' Session to Transact All Business Coming Before the Body.

TAX ASSESSORS APPOINTED
Elections Ordered For Special School Tax And for Alamance, Durham And Orange Railway.

The Board of County Commissioners of Alamance county met in the court house on Monday, April 5, at 10 o'clock A. M., with the following members present: Geo. T. Williamson, chairman, W. H. Turrentine, Chas. H. Roney, Chas. F. Cates, M. C. McBane.

The following orders were posted by the board:
That J. Frank Garrison be relieved of tax on \$100 for 1913 and 1914.
That C. A. Dillard be relieved of tax on two dogs.
That C. A. Dillard be relieved of tax on one lot in Mebane.
That Dr. O. J. Paris be relieved of tax on one town lot.
That Mrs. Bettie Quakenbush be relieved of tax on one dog.
That F. S. Cheek be relieved of one poll tax.
That C. S. Smith be relieved of graded school.
That James W. Wyatt be relieved of one poll.
That John Alvis be relieved of tax on one dog.
That George L. Phillips be relieved of tax on 40 2-10 acres of land.
That R. Alex Coble be relieved of one dog tax.
That C. P. Shepherd be relieved of graded school tax.
That Sam Wilson be relieved of tax on \$100 solvent credits.
That Mrs. May E. Steele be relieved of tax on 81 acres of land.
That W. I. Montgomery be relieved of tax on \$345. Also graded school tax on \$345.
That Joseph Irwin Grant be relieved of one poll tax.
That J. J. Lambeth be relieved of tax on \$2,025. Also graded school tax.
That Walter Lindley be relieved of tax on one dog.
That Capt. W. H. Turrentine, D. F. Williams, D. J. Horner and R. W. Scott, with G. Ab. Fogleman be appointed a committee to investigate the road from Alfred Newlin's store to the store at Swepsonville asked for by citizens in that community.
That G. A. Simpson be relieved of tax on \$500.
Whereas, J. B. Geringer was elected constable for Boon Station township and presents his official bond in the sum of \$500, and upon motion duly made and seconded that same be received, accepted, ordered recorded and filed. Upon roll call the following members voted for said motion: George T. Williamson, W. H. Turrentine, Chas. H. Roney, Chas. F. Cates and M. C. McBane. Whereupon the said J. B. Geringer took and subscribed the oath and entered upon his duties.
That Capt. Turrentine and G. Ab. Fogleman be authorized to buy a road cage for convicts.
That the report of J. D. Kernodle, clerk of court, for fees collected in the clerk of court's office for March be accepted and filed.
That the road asked for near Elmira cotton mill by citizens be granted and said road be opened

OAKWOOD ITEMS.

Honor Roll For March, 1915.

3rd Grade—Miss Mary McCray, teacher. David Matkins, Mildred Somers and Glenn McCray.
4th Grade—Ethel Gilliam, Reid Smith.
6th Grade—Laura McCray.

Oakwood school will close on April 21st. The commencement address will be given by Dr. J. O. Atkinson, of Elon College, at 1:30 P. M., Wednesday. On Tuesday night, April 20th at 8 o'clock, the pupils and teachers of the school will give two plays, "The Joys of Country Life" and "Going to California." Admission fees 10 cents and 20 cents.

RUSSIAN DENIALS BRANDED AS FALSE.

American Jewish workingmen's organizations issued a joint statement here today branding as false the recent denial by the Russian official press bureau in behalf of the Russian government, of charges that Jews in Russia had been persecuted during the war.
The statement asserts that facts prove that Russian Jews have been the victims of cruelty by the Russian soldiers and calls upon the civilized world "to protest against the policy of the Russian government which has only one aim in view—to exterminate the Jewish race." Of this the Russian people themselves, it is explained, are not accused.

HUERTA ARRIVES AND LANDS IN NEW YORK.

Ex-Dictator Swears He does Not Intend Going to Either Mexico or Cuba.
New York, April 12.—General Victoriano Huerta, the exiled ex-President of Mexico, arrived here tonight from Spain on the liner Antonio Lopez.
General Huerta was permitted to land after he had taken oath before the immigration inspectors that he was not going to either Mexico or Cuba and had said his stay in this country would be divided between business and pleasure.
At Quarantine, Huerta said he would stop at the Vanderbilt Hotel. He said he expected to see his friends here, but had no plan for his future movements. General Huerta said he was in the best of health and his appearance bore this out.

as perpetuation at the expense of the petitioners and all damages, if any, be paid by said petitioners.
That the report of Chas. D. Johnston, register of deeds, for fees collected in the register of deeds office for the month of March be accepted and filed.
That the report of Dr. Geo. W. Long, superintendent of health, be accepted and filed.
That the report of G. Ab. Fogleman, superintendent of roads, be accepted and filed.
That the report of A. B. McKeel, superintendent of county home, be accepted and filed.
The board adjourned to meet Tuesday, April 6th, 1915.

Tuesday's Session.
The following business was transacted:
That Johnston-Thompson Store company be authorized to furnish Pear Woods in provisions to the amount of \$3 per month for two months.
That Ralph Thompson be authorized to furnish Henry C. Bachelor in provisions to the amount of \$1.50 per month for three months.
The following list takers and assessors were appointed to list and reassess the real personal property for taxes for the year 1915:
Patterson—John M. Coble, Jot. W. McPherson; Coble—J. E. Stroud; Boon Station—J. B. Geringer, Jule B. Summers; Morton—D. M. Ireland, T. B. Barker; Faucett—A. O. Huffman, John Wilkins; Graham—Ben M. Rogers, V. M. Euliss; Albright—Chas. C. Thompson, G. F. Thompson; Newlin—A. N. Roberson, J. A. Winningham; Thompson—Geo. T. Morrow, W. H. Bason; Melville—W. O. Warren E. P. Cook; Pleasant Grove—W. B. Sellars, S. E. Tate; North Burlington—E. L. Morgan, Sam G. Moore; South Burlington—J. W. Cates, H. C. Stout; Haw River—J. H. Blackmon, Will J. Crutchfield.
That W. A. Kime be relieved of tax on \$500 solvent credits.
It is ordered that F. L. Williamson, W. W. Brown and R. W. Scott be appointed a board of appraisers to appraise all property belonging to Alamance county—as court house building, work house, county home, jail, steel and wood bridges, live stock, road tools, etc., in order that the books of the county may be made to show the proper values of the various properties owned by Alamance county, and the report of this board of appraisers is requested to be made to the board of county commissioners on or before the first day of July, 1915.
Whereas, A petition of the citizens residing in Sylvan graded school district asking for a special election to be held in the present Sylvan graded school district and the boundaries of said territory to be the same as the present boundaries of Sylvan graded school district, to vote upon the question of levying a special tax in said territory for high school purposes, and the same being endorsed by the county board of education. It is ordered that said petition be and is hereby granted, and said election ordered to be held on the 15th day of May, 1915, at the present Sylvan graded school building. A new registration is ordered for said election and all voters who wish to vote in said election will be required to register.

The registration books for the registration of voters will open on the 8th day of April, and remain open for 20 days (Sunday excepted) and close on the 1st day of May, 1915.
W. P. Stout is hereby appointed registrar for said election and D. H. Lashley and Chas. Durham are appointed judges for said election.
List of jurors drawn for May term which convenes on May 24th, 1915 for the trial of civil cases only:
W. J. Huffines, No. 4; D. A. Rumbley, No. 7; Eugene Kimery, No. 1; S. A. Brown, No. 12; Geo. A. Garrison, No. 12; T. M. Graves, N. 7; Ira Guthrie, No. 8; H. A. Dixon, No. 10; L. B. Oliver, No. 11; Ernest Thompson, No. 6; Jas. W. Gilliam, No. 5; Thomas Snipes, No. 9; W. V. Dodson, No. 8; L. D. Rippey, No. 4; A. E. Perry, No. 8; W. H. Brannoch, No. 12; J. H. B. Holt, No. 7; W. H. Euliss, No. 1; E. Dalley, No. 11; Walter L. Smith, No. 3; M. M. Wicker, No. 1; L. C. Sykes, No. 10; E. C. Ingle, No. 12; S. L. Spoon, No. 1; F. F. Spoon, No. 7; Ed. C. Edwards, No. 6; A. Cheek, No. 12.

Petitions from Morton, Faucett and Burlington townships asking for a special election to be held in said townships to submit to the qualified voters the questions of subscribing to the capital stock of the Alamance, Durham & Orange Railway and Electric Company and for other purposes. It is ordered that said petitions be granted and that the election for Faucett's township was ordered to be held on the first Tuesday in June, it be the first day of June, A. O. Huffman was appointed registrar, E. L. Boswell and Chas. A. Wilson were appointed judges and poll holders for said election, and a new registration was ordered.
The election in Morton's township was ordered to be held the first Tuesday in June—it being the first day of June, and C. M. Pritchette was appointed registrar and James W. Summers and Hugh Burch were appointed judges and poll holders for said election.
The election for Burlington township was ordered to be held on Tuesday after the first Monday in June—it being the 8th day of June. R. J. Hall was appointed registrar and H. W. Trolinger and John R. Hoffman were appointed judges and poll holders, for North Burlington precinct. W. A. Hall was appointed registrar and J. W. Cates and Adolphus Cheek were appointed judges and poll holders for South Burlington precinct.

There being no further business, the board adjourned to meet on Monday, the 19th day of April, 1915.

REDFIELD'S ASSAULT ON AMERICAN BUSINESS MEN.

No American manufacturer has been hung as high as Haman for not being able to meet foreign competition under the reduced schedules of the Wilson-Underwood tariff Act, and the Wilson-Redfield threat that if mills were shut down and wage-earners were laid off or put on part time the manufacturers would be held accountable for acts intended only for political effect has not been made good. It was such a bald absurdity that any manufacturer would

suspend his business, or any part of it, for political effect that could be made to answer even for Democratic campaign purposes, though hardly anything is too absurd for that. Secretary Redfield has taken a different tack in excusing the failure of the Democratic tariff. He is hotly engaged in the lofty and high-minded endeavor to show that American manufacturers do not understand their business, charging the damage that has been caused by the tariff revision to the incompetency and inefficiency of American manufacturers.
When the lumbermen of the State of Washington made their complaint that the tariff was giving Canadian lumber great advantages to the detriment of their business the Department of Commerce cooked up a report on the representation of agents sent out for the purpose, that the lumber business in Washington was incompetently managed. When the pottery manufacturers of New Jersey made it plain that under the Democratic tariff schedule they were unable to maintain their business, unprotected as it was against cheap foreign competition, the Secretary of Commerce procured reports from his agents to the effect that the pottery manufacturers do not understand their business, and that calumny was spread before the country by department authority.
The Manufacturers' Association were stigmatized in the same way when they called attention to the distressing effects of the new tariff Act on the industries of the Schuylkill Valley. These manufacturers are men of experience—many of them of life-long experience—in their business. With large capital invested they were not likely to neglect any means that would contribute to the efficiency of their establishments and to profitable results, and yet because a low tariff had compelled them to put their factories on part time and reduce the number of their employes they are branded as incompetent by the Department of Commerce.

All this is an outrageous and unjustifiable reflection on the intelligence and capacity of American business men and manufacturers whose energy and enterprise contributed to make this the most prosperous country on earth until the Democratic party slipped into power two years ago through a division in the Republican party. There are no more competent and efficient business men anywhere than those of this country, but to withstand the assaults of Democratic legislation and the effects of a tariff law which Chairman Underwood declared had "not an atom of protection in it" would be an impossible effort.
Nothing more shameful has occurred under the present Administration than Secretary Redfield's assault upon the efficiency and competency of American manufacturers and business men. It is a most unworthy but characteristic method of bolstering up an indefensible party policy.—Philadelphia Press.

About the time we imagine that our cup of happiness is going to run over it springs a leak.