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CARRANZA AND VILLA PREPARING FOR A FIGHT TO THE FINISH FOR SUPREMACY IN MEXICAN AFFAIRS

Washington, Sept. 8.—Administration officials here are closely watching the military situation in Central Mexico, where Carranza's forces are planning a general attack against Villa.

American Counsuls at Torreon, Saltillo, Monclova, Monterey, and neighboring towns have been asked for all available information regarding troop movements. A message received tonight and dated yesterday from the Consul at Torreon said Villa troops, recently driven from Saltillo by Obregon, began arriving there last night and another important battle is expected soon.

Unofficial reports have reached Washington that Villa is planning to evacuate Torreon and to concentrate his forces at Chihuahua for the struggle with Obregon and other Carranza generals whose recent successes have paved the way for an attempt to close

in and crush Villa. The forthcoming battle, it is recognized here, probably will have an important effect on Mexico's political future.

Secretary Lansing said today that plans for the meeting of the Pan-American conference next week had not been completed. Villa and his adherents are preparing for a peace convention and reports reaching here say he already has chosen his delegates. What the conferees will do in view of Carranza's apparent attitude of defiance, has not yet been disclosed.

The rapid advance of Carranza's forces has aroused the optimism of his Washington representatives, who now assert that his complete domination of the situation soon will demonstrate his reasons for seeking recognition and his unwillingness to confere with his military adversaries.

WHITSETT ITEMS.

C. A. D. Eakes and brother, B. Y. Eakes, of Oxford, accompanied by two friends spent a few hours here on their way to Asheville. Some years ago the Messrs. Eakes were students here, and they made happy talks at Chapel service, on Monday morning.

John S. Moore reached here Saturday from Columbia University in New York City where he had been in the summer school. He was on his way to Chapel Hill to resume his studies. For some years he has been engaged in teaching a part of his time.

One student from Baltimore, Md., and one from South Carolina came in yesterday.

The reception to students and friends of the school will be held Saturday evening, September 11th from 8 to 10. Special committees have been appointed from three literary societies, and from the Y. M. C. A. and the Athletic Association to assist in making the occasion pleasant to all who attend.

Mrs. W. T. Whitsett and Mrs. R. K. Davenport spent yesterday in Greensboro.

The lecture Sunday night on Lessons from an Old Story was well attended. These weekly lectures will be a feature of the school work again this year as last.

M. D. Carrie of Scotland county left for the University today after spending a few days here with his brother who is a student.

Messrs. C. G. and J. I. Somers of Route No. 8, Burlington were here Thursday of last week visiting; they both enter at Chapel Hill this week.

Rev. W. S. Hales preached on The Life of Righteousness at his service here this week.

Supt. Wm. G. Sneed spent the day here yesterday with friends. After graduating here in 1905, he went to Wake Forest College. For some years he has been principal of Elm Street School in High Point, and is now elected for this year Superintendent of the Pomona Graded School. He is making quite a success in his chosen field of teaching.

Among the young lawyers who passed the examination last week in Raleigh were two of the Whitsett graduates—Julius G. Dees of Pamlico county, and Dale H. Pegg of Guilford county. The first named went to

the law department of Wake Forest College, and the other to the University.

Marvin P. Johnson is spending the day at Kimesville where he thinks of teaching the coming year.

Chas. S. Jones and family of Greensboro have been recent visitors in the community with relatives.

Students engaged yesterday from both Pitt and Guilford counties.

A. F. and F. B. Greeson, and Miss Maggie Greeson were among yesterday's visitors to Greensboro.

The work of the Y. M. C. A. has opened for this year with promise of unusually fine results. The membership is large and the young men take much interest in the work.

UNCLAIMED LETTERS.

The following letters remain in the postoffice at Burlington, N. C., unclaimed by the person to whom addressed on September 4, 1915:

- Miss Corineth Cooper.
- Miss Mary Dufham.
- Mrs. Jno. Huffines.
- Miss Florence Hunt, (Special)
- Mrs. J. F. Harvey.
- Mrs. Ruth Johnson.
- Miss Bertha Kirkpatrick.
- Miss Hosen Moore (2).
- Mrs. G. G. McCarty.
- Miss Addie Murry.
- Miss Beulah Smith.
- Miss Addie _____
- K. Amore.
- J. B. Batman.
- Bill Barnhill.
- W. A. Barber.
- W. M. Browning.
- Mill Clabough.
- H. C. Holmes.
- Robert Mills.
- E. L. Moon.
- B. Loyd Rudd.
- W. J. Smith.
- L. G. Wadlin.

Persons calling for any of these letters will please say "Advertised" and give date of advertised list.

O. F. CROWSON,

Postmaster.

A press item recites that Limburger cheese is now being made in Wisconsin. The next thing we hear somebody will probably be giving it out as news that Persian rugs are being manufactured in Paterson, New Jersey or that French champagne is being produced in California.

GIRL DISAPPEARS ON HER 16TH BIRTHDAY

Miss Adelaide Baylor Goes From Home For Mail And Does Not Return.

(From News & Observer).

The mysterious disappearance of Miss Adelaide Baynor, the 16-year-old daughter of Mrs. N. H. Baynor, from her home, 1018 Westover avenue, Monday afternoon, is causing her relatives and friends great anxiety. Monday was the young lady's birthday. She and her mother have been in the city only two weeks, having come here from Patterson town, a small village in Eastern North Carolina.

Monday about noon Mrs. Baynor sent her daughter to the home of Mrs. E. D. Lea, 218 West Bute street, where they had lived immediately before moving to Westover avenue, to see if there was any mail for her there. The lady went to Mrs. Lea's home and after inquiring if there was any mail for her mother, stated that she was going down town to see if she could secure a position. She said a young man had told her that there was a position open with a bakery and he felt sure she could get the place. That is the last any of the friends of the young lady have seen or heard of her.

Mrs. Baynor said last night that her daughter had no girl friends in the city, and that there was no basis for a theory that she was at the home of a friend. She is very much worried about the girl. She said that her daughter had told her about a young man stopping her on the street a few days ago and asking her if she were not from Newport News, and upon the young lady's reply in the negative had carried on a short conversation with her, during which he learned that the girl was on the lookout for a position. He had told Miss Baynor that there was an opening for a young lady in a bakery on Granby street. Neither Miss Baynor nor her mother knew the name of the young man who had accosted the girl.

The police have been notified of the girl's disappearance, and are working in an effort to locate her. When she left home Monday Miss Baynor wore a white dress with a small Panama hat. She is about five feet, three inches high and weighs about 110 pounds. She is slim and her hair is medium brown.

PROCEEDINGS OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS.

Graham, N. C., Sept. 6, 1915.

The Board of Commissioners of Alamance County met in the Court-house on the above date with the following members present:

- Geo. T. Williamson, Chairman.
- W. H. Turrentine.
- Chas. H. Roney.
- Chas. F. Cates.
- E. C. McBane.

The following business was transacted by the board:

Ordered: That the Board allow Buck Capes to peddle goods in Alamance county free of license tax, on account of disabilities.

Ordered: That M. C. McBane and G. A. B. Fogleman be appointed a committee to investigate the road asked for by Mr. Rumbley near Copper Mine, and that they locate road where they can reach an agreement with parties concerned, and if they cannot reach agreement, locate road to the best of their judgment and report to the Board at their next meeting.

Ordered: That W. T. Hunt & Co., be authorized to furnish John Brooks in provisions to the amount of \$5.00 per month for one month.

Ordered: That R. N. Cook, sheriff, be authorized to summon jury to assess damage, if any, caused by road across the land of Lewis H. Holt.

Ordered: That James J. Johnson be permanently relieved of poll tax on account of infirmities.

Ordered: That the articles of the association of the People's Fair Association, Incorporated, be filed in the office of the clerk to the Board of Commissioners of Alamance County and there kept.

The Board adjourned to meet on September 22nd.

The findings of that Georgia grand jury which is unable to discover the identities of the lynchers of Leo Frank furnish fresh illustration of the constantly demonstrated fact that the blindest of a blindness is the blindness that does not want to see.

FIGHTING WITH GREAT INTENSITY IN THE EAST

Russians Trying to Gain the Initiative in the Southern Section.

ON WESTERN FRONT

Another Day of Heavy Artillery Engagements, Seres of Air Raid and Coast Bombardments.

The transfer of Grand Duke Nicholas to the Caucasus and the Russian Emperor's assumption of command of all his land and sea forces, has caused surprise among the Allied Nations, but the opinion is expressed that the Emperor merely is following Russian traditions and that the Russian troops will give a better account of themselves in the knowledge that "the little father" is personally directing their efforts.

Hard fighting is in progress along the eastern front as well as in France. Germany has made another air raid on the London district, loss of life and material damage resulting. Heavy fighting has been going on in Gallipoli, the troops on land being assisted by the fleet.

It was a German submarine that sunk the White Star steamer Arabic August 19, with the loss of 39 lives, among them two Americans. The commander of the U-boat responsible for the disaster at last has returned to his base and has so reported. He declares that while the submarine was sinking a freighter, the Arabic swung around and headed toward the scene as if to attack or ram the submarine and that he fired in self-defense.

Germany also has spoken officially concerning the recent sinking of the Allan line steamer Hesperian. In a message to Ambassador Bernstorff, the German foreign office says it appears improbable that the Hesperian was torpedoed, and that it is much

more likely the boat ran on a mine. Washington, however, still is awaiting Germany's formal statement.

For the first time in several weeks on the western line there has been infantry fighting, and in it the Germans were successful in gaining a foothold in some advanced French trenches in the western Argonne region. Paris admits the gain, but says the new Teuton attempt to break the French front was repulsed.

On the Russo-Galicia front, running from Radziwillow the Podkamien the Russians, according to Vienna, have been forced to retreat on a line of 56 miles to behind the River Ikwa. The Russians, however, are on the offensive and giving hard battle to the Teutons along the Sereth and south of Tarnopol.

In Courland in the region of Friedland, the Germans are making progress in the fighting directed toward the capture of Riga. Farther south, in addition to the capture of Wolkowysk, a railway junction east of Bialystok, the Teutons on various sectors are continuing their gains.

Germany, in a note to the United States, has acknowledged that the White Star liner Arabic was sunk by a German submarine. The note declares self-defense was the motive of the submarine commander. Regret is expressed that American lives were lost, and the offer is made to submit question of reparation to The Hague.

R. F. D. No. 8.

J. J. Taylor and daughter, Miss Mary, spent Saturday and Sunday with us. Glad to see the home folks again.

Ira and Claud Somers left this week for Chapel Hill where they will enter the University. We wish these clever young men much success, and we are sure they will make good.

W. A. Lewis still continues right sick. Hope he will soon be able to get out. Mr. Lewis is one of our best friends.

Thanks to Mrs. Ann Ross for a buggy full of nice Magnum bonum apples. Also to Miss Grace Somers, and Aunt Esther Gant for nice melons.

R. L. Foster lost a nice lap robe last Saturday between Trollinger's and Coble-Bradshaw's Store. Finder will please notify No. 8 carrier and Mr. Foster will appreciate it.

Thanks to John Blanchard, J. C. McCulloch, Mrs. Ed Faucette, Aunt Fannie Fuller and others for fruit and vegetables.

People on No. 8 are very busy cutting and curing tobacco—getting very good cures on it too.

Mrs. Clyde Isley spent part of last week visiting friends at Hillsboro.

John Cantrell gave us two fine twists of tobacco yesterday. It was something good, but not as good as the kind Waddell keeps.

Miss Neva Parker left last week for Elon College.

George Wyatt and wife of Mebane made a flying trip to the city yesterday. Glad to see them.

We spent part of our Monday holiday in Graham shaking hands with some of our good friends. We are always glad of a visit to Graham.

Our old friend, "Og" Gerringier got married last week. He has been wanting to get married for a long time.

Hope he is satisfied. Og is one of our best friends and we wish him and his charming wife a long and happy life. Good luck to them every way.

Miss Margaret Hayes spent Monday with Mrs. Kate Keyon, who is visiting her mother, Mrs. Sallie Turner. Mrs. Turner is right sick, we regret to say.

FAREWELL AND SURPRISE PARTY.

A large crowd of friends very pleasantly surprised Miss Lyda Spoon Tuesday night at her home on Broad Street, the occasion being a farewell party, as Miss Spoon left Wednesday for Raleigh to enter Merideth College.

The evening was spent in playing progressive rook and hearts. Music was furnished by Misses Celeste Isley and Miriam Williams. Refreshments consisting of cream, cake and mints were served. About 30 young people were present.

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RECORDER DALTON STRONGLY OPPOSED TO WIFE BEATERS.

High Point, Sept. 3.—In the Municipal court this morning, Paul Johnson, a negro, was sentenced to serve six months on the county roads for mistreating his wife. Later, after the prosecuting witness, the defendant's wife, and the defendant's counsel had both pleaded for the removal of the sentence, Recorder Dalton commuted the sentence to one month. However, he took a firm stand that the defendant should serve a road sentence. "Any person convicted of wife beating," stated the recorder in commuting the sentence, "will, as long as I have the authority, serve a road sentence and any wife bringing such charges against her husband will, if found guilty, be given a road sentence, regardless of any change afterwards, in the wife's demeanor towards him."

Germany is going to express her regrets. Here's hoping that she won't express 'em in a submarine.

LIST TELLS OF UNDER SEA TRIP

American Boy Says That the U-39 Gave All a Chance to Escape—Was on One Cruise.

Captured by the Germans and Carried on 3,000 Mile Trip.

New York, Sept. 4.—Car Frank List, an American sailor boy, captured by the famous German submarine U-39 has written for the International News Service the first and only narrative that has come out of the war zone telling exactly how twentieth century naval warfare is made by submarine.

Young List sailed from Oregon last spring on the Norwegian vessel Cambus Kenneth, loaded with wheat for England. She was caught in the Irish channel by the German submarine and sunk. Most of the crew were sent away in a life boat, but List, the son of German-American parents and speaking German, was taken on board the submarine and was put to work passing ammunition. He remained there eleven days during which the submarine chased fourteen enemy ships and sunk eleven of them. After describing the interior of the submarine, which he said looked like a long cigar about 200 feet long, List describes the chase and sinking of the enemy ships. He said in part: "Running below the sea in chase the captain would keep his eyes glued continuously to the eye piece of the cunning toy, the periscope, turning it right and left, searching for a victim. The skipper's orders were relayed by a messenger through speaking tubes. There was no telephone. The periscope showed everything plainly just like in an opera glass, and you saw the ocean flat before you. The engineer submerged the ship and brought it to the surface at the captain's orders. Behind him two men operated the wheels controlling the horizontal rudders in the bow of the submarine and their eyes were on the diving gage which registered the depth of the ship.

"With orders both engines full speed ahead the U-39 passed through the sea at top speed in chase of a smoke cloud on the horizon just visible in the periscope. Then the submarine leaps to the surface and the eight centimeter gun is cast loose. The first shot crashes through the air and makes a white splash ahead of the steamer. She slows down, stops but does not show her nationality. The distance diminishes and with the glasses the name is ascertained. We tell her to get her people in the boats. There can be no lingering. A destroyer might surprise us. Her lifeboats drop in the water and row away. Then the gun speaks again. A string of whizzing shells, a gaping hole in the side, another smash at the water line and sinking she rolls over. The air bursts through her hatches and she vanishes into the deep, under a cloud of smoke. I hear no gleeful shoutings of hate. Simply 'wieder, einweg,' another out of the way."

"I gave a hand in taking down the empty shells. The submarines destroyed all of an enemy but save everything of their own. Whether conveyed or not we would sink any ship and sink them as they came along, just in a day's work. If there was a convey we would stay below and pass them out a torpedo. For heavy work, sinking battleships or big liners we had big torpedoes, but for lesser prey little ones, less expensive and with a smaller whir head. But we had none to waste. The supply was only eight in all, two for each tube.

"But most of the work was on the surface with the guns, and of neutral vessels we sank only those bound for the allies with contraband. We held up everything for examination and let one Greek, a Hollander and a Spanish one which had no contraband steam on.

"Often we would be in plain sight of the Irish coast, all hands loafing around, telling yarns and smoking, waiting for something to take up. Afraid of trawlers we were not, you see. We could see them on the horizon before they could see us. We left them alone. There were too many and none worth a torpedo or the bother of wasting shells. But we

were afraid of destroyers. We had stopped an English steamer, and in spite of trawlers we managed to put a few holes in her side, sink her and left before they came in range. Sometimes we got left. One time a sailing ship appeared and we started after her. But the patrol boats got their first and our chase was for nothing. So we ducked."

List says that after a voyage of nearly 3,000 miles the submarine U-39 returned to her base at Heligoland, not because she was out of fuel or stores, but because she was out of torpedoes. When released at Heligoland List was penniless and without clothes except those he wore.

IT ISN'T YOUR TOWN—IT'S YOU

If you want to live in the kind of a town Like the kind of a town you like, You needn't slip your clothes in a grip And start on a long, long hike. You'll only find what you left behind, For there's nothing really new, It's a knock at yourself when you knock your town, It isn't your town—it's you!

RUSSIA WILL FIGHT TILL SHE WINS WAR.

Petrograd, Sept. 4.—"Russia will continue the war until a complete victory has been achieved." This was the statement of Emperor Nicholas today, presiding at the first meeting of a special conference of Russia's representative men called to discuss, organize and devise means for continuing the war. "The questions we are confronted with are of the gravest importance," declared the Emperor. "Our troops wait only for arms and munitions to achieve success. The great problem involved requires the utmost effort on our part. It is necessary to put it into action at once and the way in which it ought to be done will be decided on in our conference.

THE PRIZE WINNER.

A Sunday School teacher had been telling her class of little boys about crowns of glory and heavenly rewards for good people.

ASKING HER PA.

"Sir," said the young man with much respect, "I know that you are a millionaire and that I am poor. It seems presumptuous in me to aspire to the hand of your daughter. But I have thought the matter out and with some diffidence I have resolved to make my request. Love, sir, is not bound by sordid considerations or by mere social convenience. I have very real attachment for your daughter, and I pray that you will put no obstacle in the way of our early marriage." The old man seemed interested in the young fellow and inclined to listen. "Quite so," said he. "As you know I am not in the habit of sticking at trifles, providing the main purpose is straight. But which of my girls do you want?" The young man breathed a sigh of relief, and courteously replied, "O, I'll leave that to you, sir."—Glasgow Times.

THE CRITERION.

"Them was nice folk you waited on, Mamie, ain't they?" "No, no, dear! Appearance is deceitful. They didn't have no charge-account. Paid cash for everything."—Judge.

HAT SAVES GIRL'S LIFE.

Wire Frame Protects Her Head From Falling Hammer. (Scranton, Pa., Dispatch) A wire frame in her hat saved the life of Miss Lillian E. Woehrlie, 20 years old, a stenographer in the recorder of deeds office, when a machinist's hammer fell from a four-story building on Washington avenue and struck her on the head. Miss Woehrlie is at the State hospital suffering from a severe scalp wound. She was on her way to the courthouse when a roof repairer let the hammer drop. Physicians say the wire in the young woman's hat saved her from a fractured skull and perhaps instant death.

PROOF POSITIVE.

On a Chicago street the following conversation was overheard between two Irishmen: "I understand, McGuire, that ye was fined five dollars for assaulting Culley." "And why?" "Beggory, O! I'm thinkin' it showed which of us had the best of the fight, didn't it?"—Youth's Companion.

THE SOUTHERN RAILWAY SERVES THE SOUTH LAST MOUNTAIN Excursion -TO- ASHEVILLE, N. C. Tuesday, September 14th, 1915. -VIA- SOUTHERN RAILWAY Premier Carrier of the South Schedule and low round trip fares, as follows: Lv. Goldsboro, 6:45 A. M. \$6.00 Lv. Selma, 7:40 A. M. 5.00 Lv. Raleigh, 8:52 A. M. 5.00 Lv. Durham, 9:50 A. M. 5.00 Lv. BURLINGTON, 11:18 A. M. 5.00 Low fares in same proportion from all intermediate points up to and including Lexington, N. C. Tickets good returning on any regular train leaving Asheville up to and including SATURDAY, SEPT. 18th. THE AUTUMN SCENERY IS VERY FINE IN "THE LAND OF THE SKY" Don't miss this last opportunity of visiting Western North Carolina at very small cost. Use regular train No. 21, Parlor Car service. For detailed information, see large flyers, ask Southern Railway Agents, or write O. F. YORK Traveling Passenger Agent RALEIGH, N. C.

WAR CAUSES BOOM IN HORSE AND MULE TRADE.

425,000 Have Been Shipped From the United States to Europe up to Date.

Washington, Sept. 2.—To date 425,000 horses and mules have been shipped out of the United States for the European belligerents and their purchase has caused a big boom in the market for medium class horses, department of agriculture officials said today. Government experts have been watching the records closely and they find that very few high bred horses have been exported, with the result that prices for ordinary equines have increased.

Most of the horses have gone to England but many shipments have been made to France and some to Italy. The supply is not being seriously depleted, government officials estimating that there are today approximately 21,000,000 horses and four million mules in this country.

WHAT SHE WANTED.

(Louisville Herald.) "And now, madam, hat about penciling the brows?" "I think," said Mrs. Nurich, "I'd like one of these highbrow effects that I read so much about in the papers."

FACES ASSAULT CHARGE BY OWN STEP-DAUGHTER.

Asheville, Sept. 3.—Charged with committing a criminal assault upon Sadie Allison, his eleven-year-old step-daughter, Talmage Allison today was held for trial at the next session of the Buncombe county superior court under bond of \$2,000. He was unable to furnish the amount of bail required and went to the county jail from police court.

The evidence was of a revolting nature, indicating that the little girl was assaulted while her mother, the wife of the defendant, was in jail on a charge of retailing.

SNAKE BITES WOMAN.

Statesville, Sept. 3.—Dr. and Mrs. R. A. Bass and children have returned from Asheville where they were called two weeks ago on account of the critical condition of Mrs. Bass' mother, Mrs. Pressly, who was bitten by a snake. Mrs. Pressly heard a hen cackling in the honeysuckles on her premises and thinking the hen had laid an egg went to look for the nest. When she put her hand in the vines to push them aside a big rattlesnake fastened its fangs in her finger and would not release its hold until it was pulled entirely from the vines. It was killed.

OFFER CHARLOTTE FIRM \$4,000,000 WAR ORDER.

Charlotte, Sept. 3.—Agents of the British government have offered the Moffatt Machinery Company here a contract to make 1,000,000 steel shells for \$4,000,000, 25 per cent of the money to be advanced before work is begun.

There will be a further conference today between the agents and the local company, which will be given ten days to accept or reject the proposition. Specifications call for steel shells of from 3.25 to 3.27 inch bore 9.69 inches long, to weigh 14 1-2 pounds. The shells are to be sent to England to be filled with lyddite.

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Many eyes were saved last year by the wearing of goggles. Let us save them all this year.

It is a safe proposition that "We can't all be presidents of these United States," but we can all "boost for safety."

You have read the newspapers advertisement which starts like this: "I am for men." That is the idea of the safety department. And it wants to include all men too.

You cannot afford to take a chance. Play safe.

Acquire the safety habit. It is the only habit that will never injure you. Haste makes waste, and may cause an accident.

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In Years to Come.

"Scuse me boss, but would ye mind givin' a retired naval man the price of a glass o' grape juice?"—Life.

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Ah! That's what I'm looking for, Grandma! Leave it to "Young Hopeful" to know what not only tickles his palate deliciously but what also satisfies his thirst and refreshes his tired little body. It's Pepsi-Cola. A God-send to the thirsty—old and young. No wonder it has achieved such popularity as a delicious, tempting drink that has a joyful taste in every sip. PEPsi-Cola For All Thirsts—Pepsi-Cola At the mountaintops or carbonated in bottles, at your grocer's. Pepsi-Cola Bottling Works L. M. SQUIRES, Proprietor. Phone 435 Burlington, N. C.

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The rich chocolate flavor and absence of other taste, make Dr. Miles' Laxative Tablets the ideal remedy for children.

If the first box fails to benefit, the price is returned. Ask your druggist. A box of 25 doses costs only 25 cents. Never sold in bulk. MILES MEDICAL CO., ELKHART, IND.

**HE'S DOOMED TO ROAM AS LOVE
TAKES WINGS.**

Henry Gehrke's Pathetic Letter to Wife Disclosed in Divorce Action—No Home, Job or Money.

New York, Sept. 5.—A pathetic letter written by a husband to his wife after he had been accused of unfaithfulness and driven from home was disclosed in the Supreme Court when it was made the basis of an application by the wife for permission to serve papers in a divorce action on her husband by mailing them in Chicago, where the letter was written.

The action is brought by Mrs. Elsie Gehrke, 717 Second avenue, against Henry Gehrke, who was a prosperous carpenter foreman up to a few months ago. Gehrke left home on May 23 and his wife had no idea where he could be found until she received a letter written on August 13 last from the Hotel Paul Engel, Chicago. Westelman & Krause, attorneys for Mrs. Gehrke, submitted the letter to Justice Shearn in obtaining permission to mail the papers to Gehrke. The letter says in part:

"I write you a few lines to find how you are getting along. From that time on when I was driven from my home the world has been only a dream to me, and I can see nothing but ghosts around me. The world is dead to me and everything I see goes against me. The wish which you sent along with me has come true. I have searched through eight large cities for work, but without success. If I should find no work here I shall go on to St. Louis, my last city, or to my death. I must go on foot, as all my money is gone.

"Your love for me was gone after the first year of our married life. I hope you are living like a little queen and that you are enjoying yourself with your friends and relatives, as you know when the room is warm no fire is needed.

"Dear wife, I wish to ask one favor, and I hope you will not deny it. I would like to have one picture of the family, even if it is the one you took yourself, but ask that you will destroy all pictures you have of me."

Gehrke also asked his wife to send him his plane, saw and gun, saying she would only give them to her friends and he didn't want her to do so. He also asked for some worn clothes and wrote that, although he wouldn't have been seen wearing them in New York, no one knows him where he is and he doesn't care.

"I have lost 15 pounds already," wrote Gehrke in conclusion. "I cannot smoke, as I have nothing to smoke, and I am always hungry. If what I write you appears as a joke, let me know at least how my little daughter Elizabeth is getting along, and let her write a few lines to me. I hope you will not bring her up to hate me.

"I am very truly your once loved husband and father.

"HENRY GEHRKE."

The complaint in the divorce case states that the couple were married in 1901 and accuses Gehrke of misconduct with one Anna Ackerman between September 1, 1914, and May 30 last.

**"PEEPING TOM" IS CAUSING
MOREHEAD CITY SOME AL-
ARM.**

New Bern, Sept. 4.—Visitors in the city from Morehead City tell of the excitement being caused there by a "Peeping Tom" who is making almost nightly visits to one or more homes and who has created so much alarm that the citizens are now each night securely barring and fastening all doors and windows. It is said that this man usually picks the dead hours of the night to carry on his work. Finding a door or window open he removes his shoes and stealthily enters the building and goes from room to room until he finds the one in which the occupants are sleeping. Several ladies have recently been awakened to find the miscreant in their apartment but he has always managed to make his escape. A few years ago Morehead City was the scene of nightly visits of one of the marauders and drastic measures had to be taken to put a stop to it.

NEW YORK LETTER.

FASHIONS FOR SCHOOL GIRLS.

Norfolk Suits in Tweed and Serge—a Word on Sport Clothes.

Vacation's over. The Pattys and Julias and Sallys are coming from everywhere—mountains, shore and far-away homes, with pretty frocks and bright, alert brains ready to absorb all the learning possible between now and next summer. The time has come for Latin, Greek, geometry and incidentally fudge parties, candy pulls and midnight lunches, not included in the regular curriculum, therefore far more fascinating, and, of course, basket ball and the various other gymnasium stunts to help out the physical and mental machinery.

The Morning Walk. Our streets are gay with them in the early morning; these bright faced happy school girls. They stride by in smart, straight-heeled shoes, Norfolk suits of tweed or serge, set off by chic velvet tams, hats of velour or a softly colored felt. As the days are still bright and warm, one often sees a trim serge frock with bretelles, worn with a blouse of contrasting crepe de Chine, or one of the brightly striped or dotted voiles. Our exclu-



Bretelle Frock of Serge

sive school frock upon an elaborate wardrobe no matter how prosperous papa may be; many of them give out a list of clothing required, with one thing uppermost—simplicity. This does not necessarily mean that the clothing must be ugly. The smart little suits and dresses of serge, tweed, or the attractive checks and novelty fabrics with contrasting collars and cuffs, are smart and becoming to a degree. One particularly smart little dress, worn the other morning was

of dark blue gabardine, that practical sister of serge, which wears so well and sheds dust and dirt so effectively. It had bretelles and a wide stitched belt of the material of the skirt and was worn with an under-blouse of herringbone striped crepe de Chine, cuffed with the material of the skirt and collared with sheer, crisp organdy. The wearer, who was a smart New York day-school girl, carried her bundle of books nonchalantly over one shoulder, and wore her velvet tam on the back of her bright hair so carelessly that more than I turned for a second look.

The Second Suit. On matinee days and Sundays the suit is a trifle more dressy, of French serge, gabardine, broadcloth, or one of the new satin finished materials, and is trimmed with a line or two of braid or a band of fur. An attractive hat of velvet, or satin and velvet with the soft, drooping brim, now modish, and just a suggestion of trimming, is most becoming to young girls. The soft, graceful tilt to the brim this season is particularly pretty and youthful. An attractive little Miss from the southland, whose eyes are as dark as the oft quoted Spanish maidens, wore a suit of midnight blue velours de laine with high military collar of black silk braid, inset, between the rows of braid, with scarlet and gold; the scarlet and gold was repeated in the carved buttons, which closed the coat, Russian fashion, on the left shoulder, in the braided girdle, and again heading the hem of the short, full skirt. With this suit, which was worn one afternoon at a concert, she wore a very simple blouse of baby-flesh pink Georgette crepe. The costume was simplicity itself, but chic, well thought out simplicity.

**CALL FOR PRAYER IS SENT OVER
COUNTRY.**

It is Addressed to Every Individual And Carries the Words "Pray, Pray Without Ceasing."

Chicago, Sept. 3.—A call to prayer addressed to every individual in the country and carrying the words "pray, pray without ceasing," was sent out today by the laymen's missionary movement of the United States and Canada in preparations for a series of conventions, the first of which will be held in Chicago, October 14th to 17th.

The movement is designed to be of a nation-wide character for the spread of the gospel during which 75 conventions will be held in various cities culminating in a national missionary congress in Washington, D. C., April 26 to 30, 1916.

The denominations which have entered into the movement this year included among others, the Baptist convention, (Southern) Christian church, Methodist Episcopal church and the Protestant Episcopal church.

TAKES HER PLACE.

At the court last week here a fine example of fidelity was set. A colored man named Morris Graves, whose wife had been sentenced to jail for six months upon a conviction for selling liquor, asked leave of the court to serve his wife's sentence.

The court was touched by the offer. He allowed the husband to plead guilty in a made-up case, and sent him to the roads for three months, and let the wife go. It is a rare thing to see such fidelity; rather one sees shirking and conniving to escape regardless of whom the hardship falls upon. Such examples are rare. Morris Graves is a credit to his race.—The Gleaner.

Evidently the Gleaner man does not know Morris.—Editor.

**FREE LECTURE ON SANITATION
And Health by Dr. Rankin, Sec.
State Board Health.**

Dr. W. S. Rankin, Secretary State Board of Health, has accepted an invitation from the Woman's Club of Graham to deliver a free lecture on health and sanitation, in the Court House on Monday night, September 13th. Let everybody, young and old, come out to hear Dr. Rankin. He is interesting and his subject is one that should appeal to all.—The Gleaner.

**CURRITUCK COUNTY'S ELECTION
CONTEST IN THE SUPREME
COURT.**

Issue, Involving an Office, is Between Democrats.

**Trull is Electorated—Mecklenburg
Boy Goes Unafraid And Unassisted
to Chamber of Horrors.**

W. H. Perry of Alamance County Tells of Submarine Scare.

Raleigh, Sept. 3.—Currituck county's election contest involving the office of register of deeds was finished in the Supreme court this morning with P. N. Bray, defeated or counted as the partisans present it, relator, against T. W. Baxter, the gentleman who draws the salary.

The issue is between Democrats who have no opposition in Currituck and get on bad terms with themselves to experience the biennial thrill in November. Mr. Bray had held the offices several terms but in the election last year was denied the certificate of election and T. W. Baxter was seated. Judge Justice was riding that district then appointed J. Burwell Leigh referee to take the evidence in the litigation.

The relator, who is Mr. Bray, the appellant, excepts to numerous findings of Mr. Leigh which Judge H. W. Wheeler accepted as correct when he heard the conclusion of the case in March. These exceptions are largely matters of fact. The judges of the election threw out four votes in one precinct because the tickets had more names on them than the electors were allowed to vote for, and the referee finding three such tickets threw them out and allowed only one vote to be counted for Mr. Bray.

Just Anybody Could Run.

To this finding the appellant's attorneys object and say that in the November election there were no county officers nominated and that all who wanted to run for office had their names put on the ballots allowing those who wished to vote for a candidate to do so and to mark out the names of those for whom they did not wish to vote.

The relator also contends sharply against the voting of one H. D. Doxey, who is shown to have tried in one precinct while voting in the other. The referee held that he should have voted in a certain precinct but it appearing that Doxey had always voted where he last cast his ballot he should be allowed to vote in that precinct and this challenge was not sustained. The appellant argues that this was an illegal vote and that it cannot be justified by continued error.

One of the eastern habits, contracted in the olden days, is charged in one of the exceptions, the relator contending that the precinct of North Banks showed 30 votes, 21 of whom voted for Baxter and 3 for Bray. But the registration is that 22 persons "voted at North Banks precinct whose names were not on the registration books used at the election." The referee found that the old registration books for this precinct were either lost or misplaced and could not be found.

Aydlett and Simpson, Ward and Thompson appear for Mr. Bray and A. M. Simmons and Eringhaus and Small for the incumbent. The referee having found with the register the brief of the defendant's attorneys is quite short. The election was very close and a few votes would decide it either way.

Story of Submarine Scare.

W. H. Perry, an Alamance county boy, who recently returned from England on one of the last trips made by the Arabic, tells an interesting story of a "submarine" scare out from Queenstown a few miles.

The Germans had been busy and the captain of the Arabic told his passengers that it would be a very good thing if they kept their clothes on for the first two or three days. "We are not going to blow the fog horn even in this dense fog," he said, "so if you hear the whistle you may know there is trouble." The passengers armed themselves with buoys and the life boats were swung over the sides of the boat.

"We were going along all right,"

Mr. Perry said, "when we heard the whistle. We rushed to the deck and were told that the torpedo was coming through the water. The boat turned its course and exposed its narrow parts. It could be seen easily making the water shoot up slightly. But when it came near enough to us we found that it was a dead horse which had been thrown overboard and had been washed out to sea. But it was worth something to see the discipline of passengers who believed they were being attacked."

**LARGE TOBACCO CROP IN VIR-
GINIA BELT.**

Lynchburg Dealers Believe Yield Will be 16 Million Pounds.

Lynchburg, Va., Sept. 2.—The Lynchburg tobacco market has opened for the sale of 1915 primings, and the sale has started off with prices higher than they were at last year's opening, some pilsen selling for \$3.10 a hundred.

Local tobacco men estimate that the crop this year will aggregate at least 16,000,000 pounds, which will be 25 per cent larger than last year. The crop is in excellent condition, and cool nights and warm days during the next few weeks will mean a very desirable crop. Local commission men believe conditions on the market here will be normal this year despite the fact that the major portion of the crop sold here eventually finds its way to Europe.

"When you married me you promised to share my lot with me."
"I did, but I thought that you would build a house on it."—Pitt Pauther.

HE LET IT GO.

Fault-finder (in front of dairy restaurant)—I notice the word dairy on your new sign is spelled d-i-a-r-y.
Proprietor—I know it is, I was going to have it changed, but the painter convinced me his way of spelling the word was more suggestive.
Fault-finder—More suggestive?
Proprietor—Yes; he said it conveyed the idea of putting things down, Judge.

Blease is to be a candidate again for governor of South Carolina, which illustrates the point that here may be worse ills than war.

WANTS HIS RING; SUES FIANCEE

Man Declares Girl Broke Engagement and Refuses to Return Diamond.

(Orange N. J. Dispatch). Because she broke her engagement to be married to Frederick L. Galm, 257 South Eighth street, Newark, and refused to return to him the diamond engagement ring which he gave her last April, Miss May E. Piche, 808 Bergen street, Newark, will have to appear in the East Orange police court and explain why she insists on keeping the ring.

Galm said their courtship proceeded smoothly until a few weeks ago, when Miss Piche broke off the engagement. He says he asked for the return of the ring, but Miss Piche refused to give it back. Galm then began a replevin suit.

THE LOOM GIRL.

I stand at a loom
In a sitting room
Ten hours a day;
The wheels whirr 'round with a mad-
dening roar,
Five hundred of them are on our floor,
I work for pay.

Could you blame me much
Should I feel the touch
That leads to sin,
If I yielded once or twice or more?
I need some clothes, we are awful
poor;
My shoes are thin,

Oh, I'm half-way sick!
I must speed up quick;
The loom is sick,
God knows my heart, I want to be
good
And do what's right; but we need
some food;
I'm on a rack.

Oh, ye who pass by,
Will you heed that cry
Of the tempted girl?
'Tis the cry of thousands sick and
worn
Whose hearts are right, but whose
nerves are torn,
Caught in the whirl,
—James Riddick Loughton, in the
Times-Dispatch.

CUPID ROUTS BACHELOR MAIDS

Takes Prisoner Three of Leading
Spirits in Man-Haters' Club.

(Pitman N. J. Dispatch). Cupid is riddling the ranks of the Independent Order of Bachelor Maids, an organization comprised of well known young women of this place, and within the last year three of the leading members have broken their solemn pledges to scorn mere man, and have succumbed to the wiles of the little god.

A further blow to the bachelor girl's club has been the announcement this week of the engagement of Miss Vestina Porch, one of the officers, and a leading spirit in the organization, to Harry Edwards, of Busletton, Pa.

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We are glad to learn that the cases against the City have been compromised. This is as it should be and ought to have been done sometime ago. No good can come from such suits and we rejoice they are settled.

CASE SETTLED.

Mr. John H. Vernon, City Attorney, authorizes us to say that jurors and witnesses in the case wherein certain parties are plaintiffs and the City of Burlington is defendant need not attend court next week as the cases have been compromised. That is the case known as the Sewer case.

WASTING MONEY ON NEWS-PAPER.

You will smile at the "cheek" and "gall" displayed in the following letter, but the shame and pity of it is that it is not exceptional and rare. The editor of a Kentucky weekly some time ago received this letter: "Please send me a few copies of the paper containing the obituary of my aunt. Also publish the enclosed clipping of the marriage of my niece, who lives in Lebanon. And if it does not cost anything, that I have two calves for sale. As my subscription is out, please stop paper. Times are too bad to waste money on newspapers."

MR. STEELE PASSES.

Mr. H. W. Steele, a highly respected citizen of Gibsonville, died Thursday morning about 2 o'clock. He had been a sufferer for a long time, having been confined to his bed for several years caused by a stroke of paralysis from which he never recovered. His wife preceded him and he now goes to join her. Mr. Steele was beloved by all who knew him, and was the old fashioned rugged type who would rather be right than be President. Before declining years he was an active business man engaged in mercantile pursuits. At one time he was superintendent and general manager of the Belmont Cotton Mills of this county and later moved to Gibsonville. Mr. Steele was 71 years of age and is survived by two sons, Ralph and Garland. The funeral will be conducted by some well known Lutheran divine at Macedonia Lutheran Church of which he has been a constant member for a number of years. The funeral and burial will take place Friday at 11 o'clock. It is said that no man is so important that the world cannot do without him, but when men of the type of Mr. Steele passes, they will be missed. Peace to his ashes and love and sympathy to the bereaved ones.

REPUBLICAN VOTES FOR NATIONAL DEFENSE.

President Wilson will need to rely on Republican votes in Congress to carry through whatever plans for improving the national defense may be submitted at the next session. This condition is indicated in the attitude assumed by Senator Kern, the Democratic leader in the Senate, and Representative Kitchin, the Democratic leader in the House.

Senator Kern declares he has not found in his rock-bound State of Indiana any popular demand for an enlarged navy. His Hoosier constituents are apparently convinced that no

more warships are needed to protect their ocean washed shores from a foreign invader. Should the many harbors that indent the long coast line of Indiana tempt some enemy to send a hostile fleet, charged with the capture of Lafayette, Terre Haute and Tom Taggart, the coast defenses on the banks of the Wabash are so formidable that their 42-centimeter guns, aided by a few submarines, would quickly send the invading fleets to Davy Jones' locker.

Similarly the ingenious Mr. Claude Kitchin feels convinced that the sea coast of North Carolina is as strongly fortified as the Bardenelles, and that no insolent foreigner need ever hope to pilot his gigantic super-dreadnoughts and battle cruisers into Raleigh or Charlotte. As for army reorganization why sir, North Carolina and her sister State of Kentucky can furnish Colonels for all the "skeleton regiments" that can be raised in the United States.

Now it would seem that the Hoosier statesman and his younger colleague from the Turpentine State are taking a rather short-sighted view of the situation. They overlook the fact that New York and Philadelphia, for instance, to say nothing of Boston, New Orleans, Baltimore, and some other parts of the Atlantic seaboard, are not so strongly fortified against naval aggression as Indiana and North Carolina. Consequently these weaker places are timorously concerned in approving the suggested naval program. As already pointed out in "The Press" the recommendation of four super-dreadnoughts and two battle cruisers is by no means extravagant or unprecedented. Even the "little navy" advocates favor spending as much as \$20,000,000 on submarines. Consequently they cannot object to the recommendation of the General Naval Board for sixty or seventy submersible craft.

Under the circumstances such tenacious advocates and upholders of the "pork barrel" as Senator Kern and Representative Kitchin might well surrender a little of the appropriations for alleged "rivers and harbors" toward enlarging the navy for the better defenses of those places that are not so fortunately situated as Indiana and North Carolina. No doubt a similar plea would be made on behalf of San Francisco, Seattle and other Pacific coast cities. Yet it is to be feared that the "pork barrel" habit is a hard one to shake off. Senator Kern and Representative Kitchin are expected to have so large a following of other proponents of the "pork barrel" and "little navy" men as to amount to fully one-half the strength of the Democratic party in Congress.

In that case whatever legislation is enacted to insure an adequate condition of national preparedness for defense will be carried with the aid of Republican votes. As against 231 Democrats there are 193 Republicans in the House of Representatives. So the Administration program should fare pretty well if it corresponds to the expectation of the country.

MARKETING.

Edgecombe Cotton Exchange First Cotton Marketing Association in the South Formed at Tarboro.

In a meeting held at Tarboro on August 28, the cotton growers of Edgecombe county decided to incorporate an organization to be known as the Edgecombe Cotton Exchange. The form of by-laws submitted by the Division of Markets of the North Carolina Experiment Station was adopted with a few slight changes. Mr. C. F. Bassett, Organizer, and Mr. O. J. McConnell, Cotton Grader, both from the United States Bureau of Markets, assisted Mr. Wm. R. Camp in the work of organization.

The purpose of the exchange is stated as follows:

1. To co-operate with the Bureau of Plant Industry, U. S. Department of Agriculture and the Division of Agronomy of the North Carolina Agricultural Experiment Station in order that our members may select, grow and maintain the variety of cotton best adapted to our soil and to the demands of the trade, that we may facilitate the sale of cotton in large

lots of one kind, staple and grade.

2. To develop a reputation and demand for Edgecombe County cotton; to find out the needs of the mills of the State and to furnish them the cotton which will meet their demands.

3. To co-operate with the Office of Markets, U. S. Department of Agriculture and the Division of Markets, North Carolina Agricultural Experiment Station to secure a proper grading of cotton so we may know what we are selling and be in a position to sell in the best markets. Dependence upon one market is contrary to all business practice.

4. To work in co-operation with the departments named in section 3 in order to find and keep in touch with the best markets in this and other states and countries.

5. To distribute our cotton in such markets as will recognize our grades and pay us prices according to general market conditions.

6. To provide warehouse facilities for storing our cotton that we may be able to assemble it in large lots of a given staple and grade and furnish the banks with the proper form of warehouse receipts.

A complete set of the by-laws adopted at the Tarboro meeting will be mailed to communities interested in this form of organization upon application to the Division of Markets.

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HOW TO RUN A PAPER.

The stockholders of the Newport Times, having been unexpectedly left in charge of the paper, are not laying claims just now, to knowing all there is to know about the newspaper business. Perhaps we know better how not to run a paper than how to run one. If we were asked to lay down a few rules on "how not to run a country paper," we would include the following:

"Do not abuse every man who differs with you about politics. The other fellow may be right part of the time, and even if he is wrong all of the time, abusing will not help him.

"If you have occasion to criticize a man, it will rarely be necessary to denounce him as the most infamous scoundrel unhung. On looking around a little you may observe several bigger rascals than he is and some of them may be close home.

"If you are criticizing the record of a political opponent, a public man or business rival, you will not strengthen your cause by dealing in petty personalities.

"In dealing with the faults and shortcomings of your fellowman confine yourself within the reasonable limits of the truth. There is usually enough unfavorable truth to tell about a man without bemirching him with lies and befouling him with slander. Remember that a printed lie is the blackest of all lies.

"If your own public record and private life are covered with hideous deformities, concealed by nothing more than transparency of a glass house, throwing rocks would not be considered safe and sane exercise for you.

"The operation of a country newspaper does not entitle a man to set himself up as judge and censor of the remainder of the human family.

"Don't do too much knocking. Any fool can do that. See the good in your town, its people, and its possibilities.

"Don't expect to have your way all the time. Comfort yourself with the thought that no man ever had everything just as he wanted it every day.

"Don't consider competition a curse. This is a big world, full of folks and ideas. There is room for you and your little idea if you have one. Your personality and plans will hardly loom so large as to cause you to be crowded for lack of room.—Newport Times.

We don't see how Cole Blaise can hope to be elected governor again while all the convicts he pardoned are again in prison.

A NEW BOOK BY MEMBER OF EXPERIMENT STATION STAFF.

"The Fundamentals of Live Stock Judging and Selection" is the title given by Professor R. S. Curtis of the Animal Industry Division, North Carolina Experiment Station, to a book which he has just had issued by Lea & Febiger of New York. The work of Professor Curtis as a judge of live stock is familiar to all North Carolinians, who have had animals competing for prizes within the show pens of the fairs of the state and he needs no introduction along this line of work.

As a reason for his publication Professor Curtis says: "The recent progress of the teaching of Animal Husbandry, especially live stock judging and selection, commends this division of the subject to a full modern treatise dealing with all domestic animals. Rapid advancement in special fields of production and selection, and the addition of new phases of animal judging, have furnished much new material for the work."

The volume is nicely illustrated with one hundred and eighty engravings which make a complete and convenient reference to breed characteristics. It is intended primarily for students, farmers and stockmen who wish to become familiar with the methods and practices in judging the pure breeds and the market and show classes of live stock.

26 ARE LOST IN SINKING OF HESPERIAN.

12 Passengers and 13 of Crew on Torpedoed Liner Missing; Woman's Body Found—Captain is Silent—Efforts to Tow Vessel Fail; Goes Down Near Scene of Attack.

Queenstown, Sept. 6.—Six second cabin passengers, six third cabin passengers and thirteen of the crew of the steamer Hesperian, torpedoed 150 miles off Queenstown Saturday evening, were unaccounted for tonight, according to the revised official figures issued by the Allan Line. This brings the probable death list, including Miss Carberry, of St. Johns, Newfoundland, whose body is here, up to twenty-six.

The captain of the stricken liner remained by his ship until it sank. He declined to comment on the disaster for publication; hence the official statement as to whether he believes his ship was a victim of a torpedo or a mine must come from the Admiralty, although the captain is quoted as having told an Allan Line official today that the Hesperian was torpedoed.

WEEKLY WEATHER FORECAST.

Issued by the U. S. Weather Bureau Washington, D. C., for the Week Beginning Wednesday, September 8, 1915.

For South Atlantic and East Gulf States: The week will be one of generally fair weather and normal temperatures.

INVITATIONS ARE OUT.

Invitations have been issued for the marriage of Miss Bernice Corene Bright, of Mebane to Mr. James Henry Brown, of Greensboro.

The invitations issued read as follows:

Mr. and Mrs. Richard W. Bright request the honor of your presence at the marriage of their daughter Bernice Corene to Mr. James Henry Brown Tuesday afternoon, September 14th at 3:30 o'clock First Baptist Church Mebane, North Carolina.

FIND CONSPIRACY IN BORDER FIGHT.

State and Federal Agents Get Evidence of Plot to Overthrow U. S. Forces.

Brownsville, Texas, Sept. 7.—More evidence of a widespread conspiracy among Mexicans on both sides of the Rio Grande to overthrow American authority along the border was dis-

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covered today by State and Federal authorities investigating the recent border outbreak.

One circular, dated October 1, 1914, which was said to have been widely distributed in Texas and Mexico, appealed to Mexicans to "rise in favor of Carranza and independence because at the rate we are going, we soon will be slaves of the Americans."

The names of the Mexicans who signed the call were not made public.

Letters from points in Lower California indicate that plans for uprising along the border were in process of formation for more than a year, also were found today. Buttons enclosed in the letters were inscribed "Land and Liberty."

The situation along the border today was quiet. All important towns and railroad bridges now are under guard of United States troops.

FRENCH AIRMEN DROP BOMBS ON SIX TOWNS.

Paris, Sept. 7. (10:30 P. M.)—An official communication issued tonight says:

"Our artillery in the region of Nieuport has co-operated in the bombardment of German coast batteries at Westende by the British fleet.

"A violent cannonade has occurred to the north and south of Arras. At several points our batteries have inflicted grave damage on the enemy's organization.

"A French air squadron has dropped bombs on the station and military establishments at Freiburg (Buden). Fire broke out in the town.

"Our aeroplanes likewise bombarded the stations at Saarburg, Pont-Faverger, Warnerville, Tergnier and Lens."

A Memphis woman is suing for divorce because her husband has bought her only one hat in a year. Possibly he didn't have the money, but of course, that wouldn't make him any the less a stingy brute deserving to have to spend his life in single cussedness.

Why should we worry? Potato pieces are ripe.

THE CONDUCTOR'S HOPE.

"I hope," said the car conductor, pensively, after taking the names of the people who saw the lady lose her balance, "that women will vote, and that they'll have a political party of their own and a convention and a platform."

"And then what?" "And that they'll advocate capital punishment for anybody who gets off the platform backward."—Washington Star.

"Well, Bobby," said the minister to the small son of one of his deacons, "what is the news?"

"Popper's got a new set of teeth." "Indeed!" said the minister, restraining a desire to laugh. "And what will he do with the old set?"

"Oh, I suppose," replied Bobby, "they'll cut 'em down and make me wear 'em."

Two men were standing outside a show window where a vacuum cleaner was being demonstrated. Suddenly one of them burst out with enthusiasm:

"These inventions are the things that clean up the money! Just think of the million that fellow vacuum must have made out of that thing."—Everybody's Magazine.

Tom, the country six-year-old, presenting himself one day in even more than his usual state of dust and disorder, was asked by his mother if he would not like to be a little city boy, and always be nice and clean in white suits and shoes and stockings.

Tom answered scornfully: "They are not children; they're pets.—Happer's Monthly.

Little Elizabeth and her mother were having luncheon together, and the mother, who always tried to impress facts upon her young daughter, said:

"These little sardines, Elizabeth, are sometimes eaten by the larger fish."

Elizabeth gazed at the sardines in wonder, and then asked: "But, mother, how do the large fish get the cans open?"

EXCURSION

Hillsboro to Graham
SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 11TH

Championship game of the Alamance Base Ball League
MEBANE
Vs
SWEYSONVILLE
Double Header Scheduled

Leave Hillsboro 12:45 P. M. Round Trip.....	.65c
Leave Efland 1:00 P. M. Round Trip.....	.50c
Leave Mebane 1:15 P. M. Round Trip.....	.50c

Returning, leave Graham immediately after game.

Come and go With Us

MEBANE BASEBALL ASSOCIATION.

POOR

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Mrs. S. A. Steele is confined this week on account of illness.

Mr. W. B. Durham spent part of last week with friends at Raleigh.

Miss Gertrude Isley has recovered from a protracted illness.

Mr. Walter Smith left first of the week for Chapel Hill to re-enter the University of North Carolina.

Mrs. George F. Hunt of Wilmington is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lafayette Holt, this week.

Cabbage for krauting, cheap at Merchants Supply Co.

Miss Lottie Steward of South Alamance left last Tuesday for Pleasant Garden to enter school there.

Mr. L. H. Mebane of Danville, Va., was the guest of his father, Mr. J. R. Mebane, yesterday.

Miss Beulah Boone went to Hillsboro yesterday morning to visit relatives for several days.

Miss Bessie Wilson is back at her post in Whitted's Store after a brief vacation.

Mrs. E. M. Long went to Roxboro Tuesday to visit her parents for several days.

Mr. Roy Ray, who has a position with the Harrison Printing Co., at Greensboro, is at home this week.

Seed oats and fruit jars at Merchants Supply Co.

Miss Clara Montgomery of Graham left Tuesday for Durham to enter Trinity College.

Mrs. Annie J. Shatterly, who has been confined with an illness for several days, is improving slowly.

Mrs. G. J. Raper of Winston-Salem visited her father, Mr. J. R. Mebane, yesterday.

Messrs. W. F. Way of Liberty, Route 3, and J. W. Way of Swepsonville spent a few hours in town last Tuesday.

Mrs. Margaret Whitley of Greensboro has come to spend several months with her son, Mr. J. R. Whitley, in West Burlington.

Rev. E. M. Andrews and two children of Greensboro spent yesterday morning in the city with his mother, Mrs. M. J. Andrews.

Rev. and Mrs. D. E. Bowers and son of Waughtown, N. C., spent yesterday with Mrs. Bowers' father, Mr. J. R. Mebane.

Oats, corn, hay—cotton seed—meal and hulls at Merchants Supply Co.

The Fairground Graded School will open Monday, September 13th, with Miss Ella J. Andrews as Principal.

Patrons are earnestly requested to have their children in on that day.

Miss Clara Whitley of Smithfield arrived in the city yesterday to be the guest of her friend, Miss Lois Workman, for a few days.

Misses Manie Malone and Grace Sutphin left Monday night for Philadelphia where they go to prepare themselves for the profession of trained nurse.

Miss Mary McVey and Mrs. A. H. Stuart, of Snow Camp, were in Durham last Tuesday visiting their brother who is confined at Watts Hospital.

Miss Ollie Whitley, who is engaged in teaching music at Greensboro, has been the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Whitley for the past two weeks. She will return and resume her work Saturday.

Miss Annie May Horne of Charlotte returned to her home first of the week after spending a few days the guest of Misses Bertha and Aliene Horne.

According to information obtained by a representative of the Dispatch, the Lake Side Mills will start operations again next Monday morning after being idle for nearly three months.

Miss Loraine Isley, the beautiful and accomplished daughter of Mr. C. L. Isley went to Durham last Tuesday where she resumes her duties at Trinity College.

Mrs. John Q. Horne of Spencer, who has been spending a few days with her son, Mr. W. J. Horne, has gone to Orange County to visit her sister, Mrs. Elizabeth Hunter, for several days.

Prof. Blake Isley has returned to Asheville, N. C., where he resumes his duties as Principal of one of the City Graded Schools. Another instance of a Burlington boy making good! The Burlington pluck is of the right kind, all you have to do is to have the grit and catch the Burlington spirit. Pluck and perseverance always win.

The series of revival services that are being conducted at the Methodist Protestant church have been largely attended and much interest has already been shown by the people. The pastor, Rev. G. L. Curry, is delivering splendid gospel sermons, while Prof. T. O. Pender of Mebane, who has charge of the song services, is directing the singing in a most excellent manner, and is delighting the congregations with beautiful solos. A hearty invitation is extended to the public, and to members of other churches to attend these meetings.

Mr. James Cheek and family spent last Sunday at the home of Miss Dixie Ward. They live near Alamance Mills.

Rev. J. W. Clegg of Guilford College filled his regular appointment at the Elmira Presbyterian church last Sunday night, preaching a very interesting and helpful sermon to a good-sized congregation. Rev. Mr. Clegg is pastor of that church and preaches there twice each month.

TAKEN TO HOSPITAL.

The many friends of Mrs. Ab Steele will regret to learn that she was taken to hospital last night for an operation. She has been right sick for several days.

MASONIC NOTICE.

There will be held a Regular Communication of Bula Lodge No. 409 A. F. & A. M. in their hall on Monday evening, September 13th, 1915, at 7:45 P. M. A large attendance is earnestly requested.

GEO. W. HATCH, W. M. CHAS. V. SHARPE, Sec'y.

FUNERAL OF SIDNEY L. BOGGS.

On last Thursday afternoon the remains of Sidney L. Boggs, one of the victims of the terrible boiler explosion near Snow Camp, were laid to rest beneath the quiet sod in Cane Creek cemetery.

Long before the appointed hour, friends and neighbors began to assemble in order to pay the last tribute of respect to that noble youth who was just in the prime of life.

The pall-bearers were six of his old school mates, namely, Harry Stout, Ed. Griffin, Earl Williams, Lonnie Teague, Harry Johnson and Lyndon Stuart. The flower-girls were also his school-mates.

When the remains had been viewed by the tear-stained eyes of that large sympathetic audience, in spite of the hard down-pour of rain, a crowd, with bowed heads and sad hearts, followed to the grave where the services were concluded by Rev. Oscar Cox who had conducted the funeral.

The deceased leaves a father, mother, one sister and a score of relatives and friends.

A FRIEND.

How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by him.

NAT. BANK OF COMMERCE, Toledo, Ohio. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price 75 cents per bottle. Sold by all druggists. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

KEEPING SWEET POTATOES.

The keeping qualities of the sweet potato depend upon the variety grown, the type of soil in which it was grown, and the methods of handling at digging time. Clay soils on which highly nitrogenous fertilizer has been used will produce rough cracked potatoes. Such potatoes are generally poor keepers. A poor sandy soil will produce small, well matured, smooth, uncracked potatoes. Such potatoes are usually good keepers.

Too much care can not be spent in digging the potato. If carelessly dug and handled the potatoes become bruised, hence they very easily rot. When digging it is best first to cut the vines, preferably with a vine cutter, and then run under the potatoes with a regular sweet potato digger. The diggers are similar to a plow but have fingers attached to a short mould board. After digging, the plants or hills should be lifted and laid carefully in piles, after which they can be picked off by hand. This method will prevent a lot of needless handling and bruising. When the potatoes are shaken off in heaps, or are picked and pitched to a heap or into a basket they are badly bruised and skinned, and when in this state are in a very favorable condition to rot. Before being placed in storage they should be allowed to dry out as much as possible.

The successful keeping of sweet potatoes depends on the following principles:

- 1. Harvest potatoes before they are frosted.
2. Don't bruise them, handle as little as possible when digging.
3. Throw out all cracked and broken potatoes.
4. Dry out as much as possible before storing.
5. Keep dry.
6. Keep warm.

A man who wears a wrist watch will bear watching.

CHICHESTER PILLS

DIAMOND BRAND. Ladies! Ask your Druggist for CHICHESTER'S DIAMOND BRAND PILLS in Red and Gold Metallic Boxes. Sold by all Druggists. Price 25c.

TWENTY-SIXTH OPENING OF THE AGRICULTURAL AND MECHANICAL COLLEGE.

West Raleigh, N. C., Sept. 8.—Thursday, September 2, the Agricultural and Mechanical College opened for its twenty-sixth scholastic year. The boys began arriving on Tuesday and Wednesday and on Wednesday afternoon some five hundred were on the campus ready for registration Thursday morning. All the available dormitory space has been filled and numbers of boys have obtained rooms in the near vicinity of the college.

The boys seemed to be in fine spirits and eager to get back to the college. Football practice begins Monday morning with Dr. John E. Hegarty, coach, and Captain Winston in charge of the squads. The trainer, Mike Martin, will arrive October 1.

FRENCH U-BOAT SINKS GUN-LADEN TRANSPORT.

London, Sept. 7.—An Athens dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph Company says a British submarine in the sea of Marmora has sunk a Turkish transport which was carrying 28 centimeter guns from Constantinople to Gallipoli.

WILSON TOBACCO GOOD.

Wilson, Sept. 7.—Nearly a million pounds of tobacco have been sold on the warehouse floor in this city in the past two days, and while the prices are a little off they seem to be satisfactory to planters—the bulk of the offerings being lugs. Triple sales were inaugurated this morning.

COMFORTING WORDS.

Many a Burlington Household Will Find Them So.

To have the pains and aches of a bad back removed—to be entirely free from annoying, dangerous urinary disorders, is enough to make any kidney sufferer grateful. The following advice of one who has suffered will prove comforting words to hundreds of Burlington readers.

Mrs. M. E. King, 608 Broad St., Burlington, says: "I had an attack of lumbago that nearly laid me up. My back was so weak that I couldn't lift anything without suffering awful pain. I felt dizzy and when I lay down, it seemed as if everything was going around. I was very nervous. After taking a few doses of Doan's Kidney Pills, my back felt much better. I used several boxes in all and the sharp pains in my back left. Now as soon as my kidneys get out of order, a few doses of Doan's Kidney Pills give me relief."

Price 50c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mrs. King had. FOSTER-MILBURN CO., Props., Buffalo, N. Y.

BIDDY'S BON MOT.

(Boston Transcript.) "You'd better hide somewhere," said the rooster to the hen. "The boss has an ax in his hand and he's laying for you." "Well," said Biddy, resignedly, "I presume I have no right to complain. I've been laying for him for a good many years."

WAITING TO SEE.

Gladys—Why did you refuse him if you loved him? Gwen—Well, you see, he said he couldn't live without me, and it aroused my curiosity.—Sydney Bulletin.

FOSTER SHOE CO. Leading Shoe Store BURLINGTON, N. C. PRICE \$2.50. This is another one of our latest fall models. The Military Gaiter Lace with low or high heels, Patent or Dull Vamps with either black or colored tops.

THE KEY TO HEALTH

is Pure Blood. Get the blood pure and all the ills that follow from impoverished or tainted blood, such as indigestion, nervous dyspepsia, gastritis, rheumatism, eczema, scrofula, etc., will disappear, leaving the body healthy and the mind clear. Mrs. Joe Person's Remedy is a real blood "purifier," according to hundreds of testimonials from people who have used it successfully during the last forty years. It puts the blood right, then builds the body back into health and energy.

"For eight or ten years I was subject to severe attacks of eczema. Mrs. Joe Person's Remedy made a perfect cure of me," writes Mrs. J. H. Wilkins, Bessemer City, N. C.

Your druggist should have it. If he hasn't, send us his name and one dollar for a large bottle. Remedy Sales Corporation, Charlotte, N. C. Mrs. Joe Person's Wash 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.

HIGH INTEREST.

The positive statement is made by Mr. John Sprunt Hill, after research, that the North Carolina farmer who buys on time pays 38 per cent for that privilege; some times 40 per cent, says the Raleigh Times. He says he knows that this is true because he has operated a store. It is a tremendous drain on the 111,000 tenant farmers and a lot of others also in this state to have to pay such a rate as this, and Mr. Hill declares it to be a wonder that the farmers who are poor can get through at all. It costs them in the aggregate, he further says, nearly \$5,000,000 a year to meet this miserable system of crop-liens and credit, which has cursed the state almost since the Civil War ended. The average property value in the state per farmer is \$830, where these systems prevail, while in the West where such things are unknown the average is over \$3,000. Mr. Hill sees in the rural credit societies the remedy for this sort of thing, and he wants all the building and loan associations, 138 in number, united at Raleigh as a great lending agency, and also hundreds of credit societies, formed by the farmers. Mr. Hill evidently thinks very little of the federal reserve law, so far as the poor farmer is concerned, for he terms it "the rich man's laws," which gives no relief whatever to the 111,000 tenant farmers in the state.

When President Wilson's term of office expires he might make good conducting a correspondence school.

ENGLAND RAIDED BY TEUTON

London, Sept. 8.—A German air-raid on the east coast of England occurred last night. An official statement says:

"Hostile air craft revisited the eastern counties Tuesday night and dropped bombs. It is known that there have been some fires and some casualties, but particulars are not yet available. The number of the casualties will be communicated to the press as soon as they can be obtained."

"Do you think college is doing your son any practical good?" "Unquestionably. He's already learned to write the most compelling money-getting letters imaginable." "Indeed! He's taking a business course, then?" "Oh, no; he writes them to me."

A merchant who had been traveling some months was on his return informed of the death of a valued friend. A few days later he called upon the bereaved widow to offer expressions of sympathy. During the visit he remarked:

"I was a good friend to your late husband. Is there something of his which I could have as a memento of him?"

She raised to his her velvety eyes, which a few moments before were moist with tears, and said: "How would I do?"

"Cheer up, old boy," advised the married man. "You know 'tis better to have loved and lost than never to have loved at all."

"Yes," agreed the rejected suitor, jingling a bunch of keys in his pocket, "better for the florist, the confectioner, the messenger boy, the restaurant waiter, the taxicab man, the theatrical magnate and the jeweler."

"The great strategist of the present war," said "Clemson Ford at a banquet in New York, "is Marshal von Hindenburg. But Hindenburg himself is nothing to a chap I know in Orange."

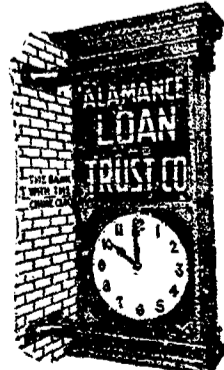
"This Orange chap," explained Mr. Ford, "got his salary raised a year ago and his wife hasn't found it out yet."

She was from Boston and he was not. He had spent a harrowing evening discussing authors of whom he knew nothing, and their books, of which he knew less.

Presently the maiden asked archly: "Of course, you've read 'Romeo and Juliet'?"

He floundered helplessly for a moment and then, having a brilliant thought, blurted out happily: "I've—I've Romeo."

"The suffragettes will see Taft," reads a headline. They won't if he sees them first.



A MATTER OF ECONOMY

It is more economical to appoint this Trust Company as your Executor and Trustee. When an individual buys and sells investments for an estate he charges the estate with brokers commissions. When you name us as Executor and Trustee you are charged with no commissions either for the purchase or sale of the securities the law requires the funds of your Estate to be invested in. May we talk this matter over with you?

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CHURCH DIRECTORY

THE CHURCH OF THE HOLY COMFORTER.

The Reverend John Bannera Cible, Rector.
12th Sunday after Trinity (Aug. 22nd) services as follows:
Sunday School—9:30 A. M., Morning Prayer and Service—11:00 o'clock, Evening Prayer and Service—8:00 o'clock.
Public cordially invited. Pews free.

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. Goble, Superintendent.
Good Baraca and Philathea Classes. You are invited to attend all these services.

BAPTIST CHURCH.

Rev. M. W. Buck, Pastor.
Sunday Worship, 11:00 A. M., and 8:00 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, 8:30 P. M.

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.

FRONT STREET M. E. CHURCH, SOUTH.

Rev. D. H. Tuttle Pastor.
Preach 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 of each month.
Woman's Missionary Society meets 4:00 P. M., on Monday, after 1st and 3rd Sundays.
Parsonage, next door to Church, Front Street.
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.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH.

Corner Church and Davis Streets.
Rev. A. R. Kendall, D. D., Pastor.
Preaching every Sunday 11:00 A. M. and 8:00 P. M.
Sunday School, 9:45 A. M. John E. Foster, Superintendent.
Senior, Intermediate and Junior Endeavor Societies meet for worship every Sunday evening at 7:00 P. M.
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. E. Sellars, Pres.
A cordial invitation extended to all. A Church Home for Visitors and for Strangers.

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. B. E. Sellars, Superintendent.
Prayer Meeting, Wednesday at 8:00 P. M.
The Public is cordially invited to all 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. J. Robertson, Supt.
Teachers' Meeting Wednesday 8:00 P. M. (Pastor's Study).
Woman's Missionary Society, First Thursday, Monthly, 8:30 P. M.
L. C. E. Society, Second Thursday Monthly, 8:00 P. M.
Young People's Meeting, Second Sunday at 8 P. M.

HOCUTT MEMORIAL BAPTIST CHURCH, WEST BURLINGTON, N. C.

Preaching Second and Fourth Sundays, Morning and Night.
Prayer Meeting Every Wednesday Night at 7:30.
Aid Society Tuesday Night After Fourth Sunday, Mrs. G. D. Smith, President.

Sunday School Every Sunday at 9:30 A. M., W. M. Williams, Supt.

A most cordial welcome is extended to you to attend all our meetings. We want you to feel at home in our services.
JAS. W. ROSE, Pastor, Graham, N. C.

You Are Judged by the Appearance of Your Letter

If your stationery is up to the minute, with type the proper size and neatly displayed, your communication will command attention.

That Is the Kind of Stationery That Our Job Office Turns Out

When President Wilson's term of office expires he might make good conducting a correspondence school.

WILL RUN AGAINST HUSBAND

Subsragette Wants to Keep Political Job in Family.
(Bloomfield, N. J., Dispatch.)
Mrs. Raymond F. Davis, whose husband is town clerk, is so certain woman suffrage will triumph at the special election next October that she is planning to oppose her husband for office.
"My husband and myself are both suffragists," she said. "When women receive their right to vote, which they will on October 19, I will run against my husband for the office of town clerk so as to keep the position in the family."
Mrs. Davis is acting town clerk while her husband is confined to his home with injuries to his foot suffered accidentally while bathing at Lake Hopatcong.

JUDGE O. H. ALLEN ON THE LIQUOR TRAFFIC.

"The liquor business is the meanest in the world," began the judge, "and the man that defies the law by selling liquor is the meanest of criminals. The blind tigers have thrown down a challenge to the judges and juries and I have accepted it as a representative of the State."
"I pity you, Thompson. The liquor men have been using you as a tool. They are sending your soul to hell and your body to the roads. They don't care anything about you, but have just used you to sell horse-stable liquor."
Judge Allen said that some lawyers soon after the prohibition laws were passed had stood before juries and ridiculed it, but that the time for that has passed. "Now there are some lawyers who will not defend a blind tiger," he said, "but I think that is wrong, as a man should be defended on a charge until he is proven guilty."

"The blind tiger," said Judge Allen, "is the worst criminal that we have to deal with. He is worse than the man who is passion kills another, and commits murder. Also he is worse than the man that steals or commits many other crimes, for he is living in open defiance of the law."
Durham Has Reputation.
"Durham has the reputation over the state of having some blind tigers who have made ten and fifty thousand dollars in the liquor business," continued the judge. "This word has gone out over the state and I have heard it here in Durham. If this is true it should not be, and if it is not true, then Durham should remove those charges. If there are such men in Durham they ought to be on the roads with these poor fellows, who have been used as tools. There was once a man in Wilmington like Bullock, the detective who worked up these cases, and I sentenced him to the roads for selling liquor. He reformed and is now a deputy sheriff in that city."

The judge declared that a man who will in open defiance sell liquor will burn barns, steal and commit nearly any other crime. They will do anything, he said, for they are worse than cowards.
Judge Allen told how the blind tigers were wronging poor women, crippled persons, and doing pretty near anything else in their effort to make money and how the liquor dealers were now shipping liquor into this state and buying it in horse stables. "I don't know why they do that," he said, "but I guess that's what it really is, horse stable liquor."
At this point in his address, the judge's face softened and he spoke of the wives and babies of the man he was going to sentence. "I am truly sorry for them," he said, "but if they can't make a living they always have the county home open to them, and I want to say Durham has one of the best county homes in North Carolina. If the children are large enough they can be let out to good people, and may do better than if they remained at home."
With this little word to the mothers and children, the judge announced a sentence of six months on John Thompson, whom he spoke of as possibly the least guilty of all the defendants whom he was to sentence.

Color Makes no Difference.

Jim Hayes, colored, was the next defendant up.
"You ought to feel proud, Jim," said the judge, "to be in the same box with the white folks, and doing the same thing."
With this little opening remark the judge began a short address of sarcasm that ended in a twelve-months sentence for the negro. The sentence was not to have been but six months, as the judge explained that he did not put it on to a negro heavier than a white man, but he found out that Jim had been sentenced before and consequently upheld the sentence of the recorder.

SEND TO COLLEGE YOUNG LADY SUNDAY SCHOOL WORKER.

Statesville, Sept. 3.—Miss Gertrude Allen of Alexander county, who is distinguished as the youngest Sunday School Superintendent in the county, is to be given a college education at the expense of the Men's Bible class of Broad Street Methodist church, of Statesville. When the class decided to educate a young lady at Davenport college Miss Allen was selected because of her unusual activity and success in religious work and her fine personal qualities. She is only 15 years old & is superintendent of a Sunday School. Seeing the need of a Sunday School in her home community, she organized a class in her own home. Neighbors were enlisted and within a short time there were several classes which meet each Sunday at her home. Then the Sunday School organization was perfected and she was made superintendent. The school now has an enrollment of 45 to 50 and is doing fine work.
This is a commendable undertaking.—Editor.

During the week after Columbia university had given Walter Damrosch the degree of Mus. Doc., the noted conductor received a note from Alexander Lambert in which the piano pedagogue remarked:
"I am so glad you are a doctor of music. Now, when I get sick of music I shall know where to go."

CHARGED WITH MURDER OF HIS WIFE AND CHILD.

Covington, La., Sept. 4. Harry Froesch was placed in the Parish prison here today charged with the murder at Mandeville of his wife, 20 years old, mother of a four-weeks-old baby. Froesch's arrest followed the verdict of the coroner's jury at Mandeville that the woman's death last Thursday was due to peritonitis from wounds inflicted by the husband. At the inquest testimony was given that a few days before the woman died, Froesch beat her and kicked her in the stomach and back. A physician testified these alleged injuries caused her death.

NO JOB FOR CIGARETIST.

Kansas Not to Employ Smokers or Drinking Men.
(Topeka (Kans.) Dispatch.)
Cigarette users as well as drinking men are to be barred from state employment in Kansas under the rules promulgated by the new state civil service commission.
In a preliminary statement issued some time ago it was announced that users of intoxicating liquors would be ineligible to hold state jobs, but in the completed rules issued recently is the following:
"The commission may refuse to certify an application for the habitual use of intoxicating beverage or cigarettes."

OF COURSE SHE DID.

(Boston Transcript.)
"Did Alice take her husband's failure in the right spirit?"
"Oh, yes. Just as soon as she knew he was going under, she went out and bought her entire summer outfit."
If this butchery keeps up we'll have to repopulate Europe by sending some of our Poles to Poland, Germans to Germany, etc.

EASY TO GUESS.

(Houston Post.)
Dorothy Dix says girls ought to know what their beaux make. Don't they?
Unless times have changed the girls get three-fourths of it during the courtship and make a clean sweep after the wedding.

WHERE FEAR LAY.

Evelyn is very cowardly, and her father decided to have a serious talk with his little daughter.
"Father," she said at the close of his lecture, "When you see a cow, ain't you afraid?"
"No, certainly not, Evelyn."
"When you see a bumblebee, ain't you afraid?"
"No!" with scorn.
"Ain't you afraid when it thunders?"
"No," with laughter. "Oh, you silly, silly child!"
"Papa," said Evelyn, solemnly, "ain't you afraid of nothing in the world but mamma?"

Samuel Gompers says that "employers have some rights. What are they, pray?"

There may have been doubts before, but it is certain now that the Germans have got the Bug.

Gen. Wood has been instructed to muzzle Roosevelt. A moving picture of the process would make a good scene on the screen.

They used to be called "limbs," when you couldn't see 'em, but now, when they're so anxious to show 'em, it doesn't hurt anybody to call 'em "legs."

The reason the European armies are not talking about Christmas dinners this year is that there "ain't goin' to be none."

A man who wears a wrist watch will bear watching.

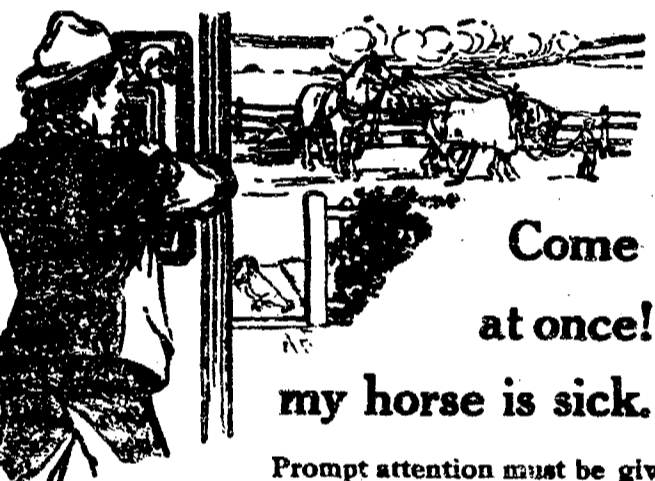
PEACE WITH HONOR.

(New York Sun.)
Remarked the hippopotamus: "I think I am a lucky cuss; The mule and horse in battle fall, But no one uses me at all."

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BREAKERS AHEAD FOR THE CAN'T STALL THE DEADBEAT PRESIDENT.

(Col. Watterson in Louisville Courier Journal.)

It is observed chiefly in Republican quarters that "the Administration is preparing to revive the shipping bill defeated by the last Congress." Such a measure put forward by the Administration would be a serious mistake. It would split the Democratic party wide open and go far to make the re-election even of Woodrow Wilson problematical.

Nay, more than this and worse than this, it would inevitably breed scandal, dragged first through the corridors of the Treasury Department until finally it might reach to the very door of the White House, more or less to compromise the President and his family.

The agitation is not only a menace to Democracy but a check to commercial enterprise and national prosperity. It is the threatened competitions of the Government that discourages the private investment of capital in shipping. The sooner the President allays this apprehension by the announcement that there is no purpose at Washington to embark upon such a hair-brained project the sooner will legitimate shipping interests begin to hearten and organize for themselves.

Mr. McAdoo may be the ablest of Secretaries and the best of sons-in-law. The ill-starred shipping scheme seems to be his bantling. The President should lay it gently in its little trundle bed and wheel it out of sight. As an Administration measure it will surely encounter defeat and perhaps humiliation. As a party measure it will prove Pandora's box.

Drop it, Mr. President, drop it!

HOW TO LIVE TO BE 100.

(From The American Magazine.)

Henry F. Swanback, the oldest Odd Fellow in America, lives at the age of 100 at Greenwood, Neb. Mr. Swanback was a boyhood friend of Bismarck's. His grandfather lived to be 117. Following are his rules for living to be 100:

"Go to bed early and get up early.

Never sleep in a heated room.

Keep fresh air in the sleeping room.

Sleep out of doors in Summer—Winter, too, if it can be arranged.

Drink plenty of fresh water.

Use very little red liquor.

As old age comes on take each morning a small wine glass of one-third glycerina and two-thirds good whiskey.

Smoke as often as you please, but do not inhale the smoke, or blow it out through the nostrils.

If you are unfortunate enough to lose your wife, get another. It is not good for man or woman to live alone.

Don't worry over anything. Worry kills more people than disease.

Keep an even temper at all times. Be cheerful at all times.

Keep the feet dry and the head clear.

Never eat meat. A little chicken will not harm one, but must not be eaten too often.

Eat plenty of fresh fish.

Do not drink coffee.

Keep away from sweet stuff. It ruins the stomach and kidneys.

Take plenty of outdoor exercise. Walk a great deal.

Follow these rules and any normal man, barring accidents, can live to be 100.

FRENCH SHIP TORPEDOED.

Paris, Sept. 7.—The French steamship Bordeaux has been torpedoed and sunk twelve miles outside the mouth of the Gironde off the western coast of France.

Her crew was taken aboard a pilot boat.

"Now, tell me," she said, at the close of the season, "who will get the biggest crown?"

There was silence for a minute or two, then a bright little chap piped out:—

"Him wot's got t' biggest 'ead."—Tit-Bits.

(From Everything.)

The Statesville Landmark wants the preachers to tell the deadbeats that they will have no place beyond the gates.

Judge Clark thinks the man who doesn't pay his debts is the worst kind of a sinner, and he wants the minister to remind the deadbeat, if any such there might be in the congregation, that if he doesn't pay he doesn't ride.

This is good advice, but the deadbeat is a free passenger, always. He is an artist in his line and he has the knowledge. He comes in with a smile and a bluff, and he says he will stand to it. He finally is chased off the premises, but finds another place to light. He is known to every grocer and every grocer shudders to see him come in—but the grocer lacks the nerve to take him by the slack of the pantaloons and throw him into the street.

The deadbeat is no more to blame than the merchant who allows himself to be gold bricked. There are deadbeats in all communities. They are known, and strange as it may appear, they seem to get along about as well as the punctual man—the honest man who pays the debts of the dishonest man.

THE CITY OF IT.

If you get pleasure out of the other fellow's misfortunes, then you are to be pitied more than the other fellow, for there is more the matter with you than with him. If you are so constituted that you can feel a secret satisfaction in the misfortunes of another human being, then you have a disposition that is going to make you very unhappy and cause you a lot of trouble.

There is more of envy and jealousy in the world than shows on the surface, perhaps. And it is well that all the envy and jealousy of the world does not show itself. It might turn a lot of us into pessimists who now have a little trouble in remaining optimists.

The next best thing to succeeding yourself should be to see some one else succeed. If you cannot make money, it ought not to be impossible to rejoice with a friend who can. If you hear a friend complimented, tell him about it; if you hear him condemned, stick up for him. If you can do these things you can get much out of life, because you will put much into life.

TO YOUTH.

(Walter Savage Landon.)

Where art thou gone, light-ankled youth?

With wing at either shoulder,
And smile that never left thy mouth
Until the hours grew older.

Then somewhat seemed to whisper near,

That thou and I must part;
I doubted; I felt no fear,
No weigh upon the heart:

If aught befell it, Love was by
And rolled it off again;
So, if there ever was a sigh,
'Twas not a sigh of pain.

I may not call thee back; but thou
Returnest when the hand
Of gentle Sleep waves o'er my brow
His poppy-created wand.

Then smiling eyes bend over mine,
Then lips once pressed invite;
But sleep hath given a silent sign,
And both, alas! take flight.

GOT THE BEST OF IT.

Smith—Be sure and show the collar and the eyeglasses and don't forget to give the cane the correct pose.

Photographer—Certainly not. Now—hold steady. All right; it's done, sir.

Smith—Done, is it? And are you quite sure you have taken the best side of my head?

Photographer—I'm quite sure, sir. I took the outside.—Philadelphia Record.

YOUNG MAN HELD FOR KILLING HIS SISTER.

Says, According to Witness, He is Glad He Slew the Girl, Because of Tales about Her.

Just two days after the arraignment of a boy accused of the murder of his brother, Giovanni Avigione had a hearing in Central Station yesterday charged with the murder of his sister, Antoinette.

While witnesses of the quarrel in which he shot his sister were describing the tragedy in detail, Giovanni stood quietly in the prisoners' dock. He heard them tell how he first remonstrated with Antoinette, then slapped her, then kicked her and finally shot her.

Mrs. Filonane Costella, Maria del Buono and Antoinette del Buono testified. The last girl, who is only fifteen years old, was taken in charge by a social worker over night, instead of being put in a cell.

Giovanni was held without bail to await the action of the Coroner.

After the shooting the accused said he was glad he killed his sister, because he had heard "bad things about her and she was causing him disgrace."

BRITISH CRUISER IS SUNK BY GERMAN SUBMARINE.

Berlin, via London, Sept. 7.—The Admiralty announced today that the German submarine U-27 sank a small British cruiser several weeks ago. The U-27 has not been heard from since August 10, the Admiralty also says and probably is lost.

SIMPLICITY IN SKIRTS.

According to the Dry Goods Economist, in the simple tailored suits the skirts are made very plain, with more or less flare around the hem. This is introduced both in the gored and in the semicircular models. A few skirts, however, are shirred on at the waist line. Some pleated skirts are also included in the orders.

In the dressy suits the skirts are usually made on similar lines, the pleated effects particularly being popular. In some instances these dressy skirts are finished off at the bottom with cordings, tucks, bias folds of the material, silk braid or velvet ribbon.

Leading Man in Traveling Company—We play "Hamlet" tonight, do we not?

Submanager—Yes, Mr. Montgomery.

Leading Man—Then I must borrow the sum of two-pence.

Submanager—Why?

Leading Man—I have four days' growth upon my chin. One cannot play "Hamlet" in a beard!

Submanager—Um—well—we'll put on "Macbeth!"

SO THEY WAITED.

(From the Newark News.)

The story is told of two Trenton men who hired a horse and trap for a little outing not long ago. Upon reaching their destination the horse was unharnessed and permitted peacefully to graze while the men fished for an hour or two.

When they were ready to go home a difficulty at once presented itself, inasmuch as neither of the Trentonians knew how to re-harness the horse. Every effort in this direction met with dire failure and the worst problem was properly to adjust the bit. The horse himself seemed to resent the idea of going into harness again.

Finally one of the friends in great disgust sat down in the road. "There is only one thing we can do, Bill," he said.

"What is that?" asked Bill. "Wait for the foolish beast to yawn."

John Kendrick Bangs was one day calling up his wife on the telephone. The maid at the other end did not recognize her "master's voice," and after Bangs had told her whom he wanted, the maid asked:

"Do you wish to speak with Mrs. Bangs?"

"No, indeed," replied the humorist; "I want to kiss her."



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