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AN ADDRESS

To The People of North Carolina

There is a proper and not unnatural public interest as to the present policy of North Carolina Anti-Saloon League, and in response to this feeling we have thought it advisable to issue the following public statement.

By an overwhelming majority the people of North Carolina have declared for the suppression of the liquor traffic in this State.

The State Anti-Saloon League stands simply for the enforcement of this expressed will of the voters of the State, and we appeal with confidence to the General Assembly elected by these voters to see that in no particular shall the verdict of last May be abated.

We do not ask for more than the people have declared for, nor do we expect less. The people having so unmistakably declared their wishes, it becomes the duty of their law-makers to provide in all cases the proper legal machinery for enforcing their newly-expressed will, and for punishing all violations of the new statute. Seeing that the enforcement of the law is now in the hands of our own State officials, we call attention to the fact that in most counties no compensation is now allowed sheriffs for breaking up illicit distilleries, and we earnestly ask for a general law providing for the payment of \$25 for each capture made by a sheriff, a policy which has worked successfully in Cumberland and other counties, and without which the machinery is manifestly inadequate. Beyond this we ask nothing.

We do not believe that the whiskey interests can bring any strong pressure to bear upon our law-makers for any weakening of the present law, but we do not think it amiss to warn our people against agitation for seemingly innocent or unimportant amendments. To make one change will open up the whole subject afresh, and offer another much-coveted opportunity for the whiskey forces to spend money in an effort to corrupt public sentiment. We have seen indications, for example, of a plan to use the apple growers as cats' paws—the liquor interests insidiously endeavoring to arouse a spirit of dissatisfaction among them in the hope of weakening the law for their own ultimate advantage. We warn our farmers against these schemes; we cannot afford to make a hole in the dike which might lead in the end to bringing down the whole flood of corruption and intemperance again upon our homes.

It is our belief that the people of the state, the Anti-Saloon League, and the general assembly, are alike resolved upon what has become known as the "stand pat" policy. Let us have no hurtful agitation, and if it come, let the blame be upon the heads of the whiskey element.

If they seek to violate the law, swift and sure punishment must be meted out to them. Upon this point we ask all good citizens to be alert. It is the duty of every friend of temperance, of course, to see that our prohibition law is thoroughly enforced, but it is not more the duty of the temperance man than of any other good citizen. It is now one of the State's statutes which every official and citizen is sworn to support, and whatever his original attitude may have been, it is as much the duty of every man to support the prohibition

law as to support the laws against gambling, theft, or arson. The same penalties provided by law for failure to enforce these last named laws are also available in the matter of prohibition, and the duty of the citizen is the same in each case. Any negligent official should be promptly removed as provided by the statute.

Good citizens everywhere should also let their officials, sheriffs, deputies, and their solicitors know that the better public sentiment of the community is behind law-enforcement, and in such cases even a determined minority, acting with the law as a club, can secure the same thorough-going enforcement which is expected in strongly prohibition communities.

The moral argument for prohibition has been too often stressed to require further mention here; but we do not think it unwise to add that considerations of patriotism have been no less potent in bringing the people of North Carolina and the South to the new policy of State-wide prohibition.

As a part of our progress is in striving for industrial leadership, and because the first consideration here must be the development of a strong, efficient people, the South in the same spirit in which it resolved upon an educated citizenship, has also unalterably resolved upon a sober citizenship. And having put our hands to the plow, we appeal confidently to the patriotic men and women of North Carolina to see to it that there shall be no looking backward.

COX'S MILL ITEMS

Cox Mill's, Jan. 21, 1909.

We are having fine weather this week and the farmers are making much progress in their work.

Misses Retta Page and Rosa Tyson spent Saturday night and Sunday with Miss Myrtle Stokes.

Miss Lena Cobb went to Winterville Sunday and will spend sometime with her sister there. Her host of friends regretted very much to see her leave.

We are pleased to see so many of our young people taking interest in our Sunday school. Quite a number of visitors were out Sunday and we hope to see them again soon.

H. A. Moore went to Simpson Sunday.

Madison McGowan has accepted a position as cashier at C. T. Mumford's.

Roscoe Cox spent Sunday with his parents.

Tom Tyson and W. F. Carroll spent Saturday in Greenville.

J. M. Cox, Jr., lost his store Friday night by fire. His loss is estimated at \$3,500 with only \$2,000 insurance. We extend our deepest sympathy to him.

Bill Williams continues very sick.

"Uncle" William Haddock, one of our oldest citizens, his son, Macon, and granddaughter, Helen, went to Kinston Saturday.

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By order of the Executive Committee of the North Carolina Anti-Saloon League.

Clarence H. Poe,
Chairman.
Raleigh, N. C., January 16, 1909.

Stock of Mdse. For Sale.

The stock of general merchandise in Farmville, N. C., in store recently occupied by M. Smith & Bro., must be sold at once. For terms &c., apply to J. B. James, Assignee, Greenville, N. C. Jan. 18, 1909. 1 18 tdf

THE LEGISLATURE.

What Our Law Makers Are Doing at Raleigh.

THIRTEENTH DAY.

While there was considerable business and many new bills in both the senate and house on Wednesday, nearly all were of purely a local nature applying to only certain sections.

A special order in the senate was the resolution, previously offered, to adjourn on February 15th. Put upon its passage the resolution was defeated, as were also a motion to reconsider and a substitute.

Senator Blow and Representative Gordon yesterday introduced bills to abolish the fee system of the solicitors and place those officers on the salary basis. Mr. Blow's bill provides that the solicitors shall receive a salary of two thousand dollars per annum, and no other compensation, in lieu of the fees they now receive, to be paid quarterly by the State treasurer upon a warrant issued by the State auditor. The bill would require the clerks of the several Superior courts to collect in every case tried and disposed of in their respective counties the costs which now are allowed by law to the solicitor, and to make out and certify an itemized statement of these sums collected by them, forwarding the statement together with the amount collected to the State treasurer.

In the house the bill to increase the salary of the commissioner of labor and printing came up as a special order, and after discussion was re-referred to committee.

The privileges of the floor was extended to Col. M. B. Whitfield, of Lenoir county, who was a member of the legislature fifty years ago. Representative Cotten, of Pitt, tendered Col. Whitfield his seat, it being the same seat the latter occupied when he was a member.

Another matter that provoked considerable discussion was a divorce bill, or rather a bill to repeal the divorce law that passed at the last session. Speaker Graham took the floor and stated that the law of 1907 was reported to have been passed to meet a special case, but this was denied by Representative Kitchin, who said he introduced the bill by request.

Mr. Hackett Out of Politics.

Congressman Richard N. Hackett, of Wilkesboro, was in the city a short while last night. He said, "I am out of politics," and he added parenthetically that if a man runs for congress a few times and gets defeated he will be out of everything—Salisbury Post, 16th.

District Meeting Coming.

The Pythians of this the second district will have their next meeting in Greenville. Several of the grand officers are expected to be present. Let every member of Tar River Lodge be at the meeting to-night so that the necessary action may be taken to entertain the district meeting.

It Reaches The Folks.

A gentleman dropped in to say a word about the benefits of advertising in The Reflector. He put in a few lines last week offering something for sale, and has already received inquiries from people more than five hundred miles from Greenville.

Full supply of blank land mortgages and deeds, chattel mortgages and crop liens at Reflector Book Store.

SUPERIOR COURT.

January Term in Session—The Cases Disposed of.

The following cases have been disposed of:

Isaac Frizelle, resisting officer, not guilty.

Willie Thigpen and John Henry Parker, larceny, both guilty. Thigpen sentenced 12 months on roads. Parker bound out until he is 21 years old. Thigpen also plead guilty of affray and of carrying concealed weapon, judgment being suspended in these cases.

Bill to Register Title.

Col. R. R. Cotten, one of the Representatives from Pitt county, has prepared a bill in relation to registering titles to real property and facilitating and expediting its transfer. This bill is based on the Torrens system of land registration and is similar to laws now in operation in Illinois, California, Massachusetts, Minnesota, Oregon and several other States. All the leading States of the Union are now realizing the advantages of this system and legislation similar to this is at present pending in many of the States of the Union. This bill would relieve all uncertainties as to title, prevent delays in the transfer of title, and cheapen the cost of the transfer. The courts of the State under this act would pass upon all land titles and register them, making the easy transfer of them after they are once investigated. The Torrens system or land tenure wherever adopted, has proved most satisfactory and there is said to be general demand among the thinking people of this State for some such system to be inaugurated.—Raleigh New and Observer.

Another Good Performance.

"A Broken Heart" presented in the opera house Wednesday night by the Demorest Comedy Co., was another good production and much enjoyed by the audience. The little tot, less than two years old, who came out with Miss May Blossom Williams in one of the specialty dances, was as cute as could be.

The bill for tonight is "The Parish Priest." Ladies will be admitted free again tonight when accompanied by an escort with paid ticket.

"A Trip to India."

The Herald Square Opera company, an aggregation of comic opera stars who hail from the far famed Broadway of New York City, will appear next Tuesday night at the opera house in the breezy musical song success "A Trip to India." This attraction is one of the strongest on the road this season and as the engagement is limited to one night, the curtain will no doubt rise on a crowded house.

Wooden Water Pipes.

Wood pipes are better than iron pipes for carrying water supply, according to a report issued by the United States forestry bureau. It says that timber saturated with water and protected from outside influences is practically everlasting. There is a line of two miles of wood pipe at Fayetteville, N. C., laid in 1829, which is sound and in constant use at the present time. Wood pipes cost only one-quarter as much as cast iron and one-half as much as steel, they have greater discharging capacity, they are not affected by electrolysis and they are poor conductors of heat, thus keeping the water cooler in summer and warmer in winter.—Chicago News.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL BRIEFS.

The Visitors Here and People Who Travel.

D. M. Clark went to Grifton today.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Carper and little daughter are visiting in Farmville.

J. L. Bunting, of Norfolk, is in town looking after the Greenville Heights property.

Dr. R. L. Carr and E. B. Ficklen returned Wednesday evening from a hunting trip over in Currituck sound. They brought back 22 ducks, 6 geese and a swan.

Dr. Jenness Morrill, who last year was located here for the practice of his profession, has moved his family back to Falkland and will resume his practice there. He was an excellent citizen and we regret that Greenville lost him.

Trade Report.

Richmond, Va., Jan. 21, 1909. Bradstreet's Saturday will say for Richmond and districts:

Trade in most lines continues irregular, depending largely on weather and local conditions. Orders for shoes, dry goods and kindred lines, continue in fair volume though ordering generally has not measured up to earlier expectations. In the southern territory the principal reason for trade being retarded in the low price of cotton, however, the market for this product is slightly stronger this week, prices ranging up to 9¢ cents. Lumber is fairly active. Produce and fruits are dull. Crop conditions are reported good. Offerings in the local tobacco markets are large, prices are well maintained especially for the better grades. Retail trade is fair, however, inventory season is still in vogue. Collections are slow and show no improvement.

Sans Souci Book Club.

The Sans Souci Book Club held its regular meeting on Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Ferrell.

A short sketch on the life and style of writing of the almost forgotten poet, Edward Goddard Tuckerman, was read by Mrs. C. S. Forbes.

The meeting was then turned over to the hostess, who for entertainment provided a very interesting contest concerning poets. Miss Lizzie Jones was the fortunate winner of a beautifully bound volume of Poe's poems. Dainty refreshments were served in two courses. The club then adjourned voting Mrs. Ferrell a most charming hostess.

Took Him on Probation.

Elizabeth's father had died when she was a tiny baby, and for four years she had ruled her mother and every one with whom she came in contact. Much to her surprise she was one day introduced to a "new papa." She looked him over carefully, then, after much coaxing, she climbed upon his knee and listened as he told her of the many nice things he would do for her mother and her, finally asking whether she would love him just a little. She looked him squarely in the eye and said: Yes, if you do all you promise, I may like you, but I tell you now, if you try to be boss around here, we just won't have you for our husband!"—The February Delineator.

MOVEMENT OF PASSENGER TRAINS

Time of Arrival and Departure at Greenville.

ATLANTIC COAST LINE.

| Northbound | Southbound |
|------------|-------------|
| 8:28 A. M. | 11:21 A. M. |
| 4:31 P. M. | 6:00 P. M. |

NORFOLK AND SOUTHERN

| Eastbound | Westbound |
|------------|------------|
| 9:55 A. M. | 7:25 A. M. |
| 7:33 P. M. | 6:40 P. M. |

Jan. 21 In History.

1743—John Fitch, inventor of the steamboat, born in Windsor, Conn.; died 1798.

1793—Louis XVI of France guillotined in Paris; born 1754.

1824—Thomas Jonathan Jackson ("Stonewall") born in Clarksburg, W. Va.; died 1863.

1905—The United States assumed temporary protectorate of the republic of Santo Domingo.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 5, rises 7:14; moon sets 4:41 p. m.; moon's age 29½ days; 7:04 p. m., new moon in constellation Sagittarius with the sun, eastern time; planet Mercury visible low in west after sunset and for several days to come; sun's declination 19.8 degrees south of celestial equator.

Weather.

Partly cloudy tonight and Friday, warmer in west and central portions.

NOTES FOR BUSY SHOPPERS.

Business Locals—News Briefs for Busy People.

Subscribe to The Reflector.

Knights of Pythias meet tonight.

Fresh Pork Sausage at S. M. Schultz.

For Rent—Space in The Reflector. Always brings results.

Wanted—A few table boarders. Mrs. H. C. Hooker, 1 23

Genuine 90 day seed oats for sale. Apply to C. E. Rountree 1 7 d & w tf

If it is good job printing that you want, try The Reflector printery.

I will continue my boarding house on Washington street. 1 13 dtf. Miss Lillian Cherry.

The way tickets have gone today means a full opera house again tonight.

The choir of the Baptist church will meet for practice tonight at the home of W. M. Pugh.

For Rent—5-room cottage, 11th street, city and pump water. Apply to C. D. Rountree, 18 tf

The Herald Square Opera Co. will appear in the opera house here Tuesday night, 26th.

For Rent—One 6-room house in West Greenville, with modern conveniences. 1 21 dtf T. W. Whitehurst.

Yes, Wednesday's weather was too beautiful to last, but you will appreciate that kind when it comes back.

In the absence of the pastor, Dr. R. T. Vann, president of the Baptist University for Women at Raleigh, will occupy the pulpit of the Baptist church here next Sunday morning and night.

Standard granulated sugar 5c per pound on Saturday and Monday, Jan. 23 and 25. Only 10 pounds to each customer, weighed out, and for cash only.

The Central Mercantile Co. 1 23 J. F. Davenport, Mgr.

Notice.

I wish to notify the public, I Studie B. Fleming, wife of the late Julius S. Fleming, am no longer interested in the firm known as Edmonds & Fleming. 1 18 dtf

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THURSDAY, JAN. 21, 1909.

A FAITHFUL SOLICITOR.

Those who have followed the proceedings of this term of Superior court have been impressed with the large amount of work done. It has been a very busy term and many cases have been tried. Solicitor C. L. Abernethy is an excellent prosecuting attorney, and is faithful to every duty. While in one sense he might be termed a vigorous prosecutor—in that he believes all violators of the law should answer for the deeds committed and receive just punishment therefor—yet if he sees a charge is brought against any one through malice or without good grounds, he is quick to noli prosequi the bill. He is absolutely fair in all matters.

Solicitor Abernethy is yet serving out the term to which Mr. L. I. Moore was originally elected. In 1906 Mr. Moore was elected for a third term of four years, but owing to a large and increasing civil practice he resigned as solicitor early in the next year. Governor Glenn in March, 1907, appointed Mr. Abernethy to fill the vacancy, but as the appointment could be only until the next general election, Mr. Abernethy was elected in November, 1908, for the remaining two years of Mr. Moore's term.

Mr. Abernethy has so conducted the office as to make hosts of friends in every county of his district, and in this Pitt is no exception. The people have watched his course closely and do not hesitate to speak highly of him. After finishing out these two years, it will be a fitting recognition of his faithfulness and efficiency to re-elect him for a full four years' term.

Occasionally in passing sentence upon a defendant convicted in his court, Judge O. H. Allen may, as some are inclined to say, be making a reputation as a lecturer. But his remarks in such instances are timely and with good effect. We believe Judge Allen's heart is in the right place, and that he is a thoroughly conscientious and level-headed jurist. He has certainly done good in Pitt county and taught the people some wholesome lessons.

They are again having a cat and dog fight over the Greensboro Industrial News. It looks like the paper is a failure financially, and those who have been putting up the money have grown tired of the game. It takes something to get a newspaper well established.

Governor Patterson, of Tennessee, vetoed the State-wide prohibition bill passed by the legislature of that State. There will be an effort to pass the bill over the governor's veto.

\$100 Reward \$100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

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Mr. Cannon may feel some relief that they are after the president now and not putting it all on the speaker.

The presence of a man these days who pays a bill without waiting to be dunned is really refreshing.

Two defeats coming so close together doubtless grated on Mr. Kern's feelings.

Are you trying to do your part for Greenville?

Two Important Suggestions to the Legislature.

A writer in the Wilson Times makes the following sensible suggestions to the legislature. "I would have the age of consent changed from 14 to 18 years. A woman cannot legally marry until she is 18 years old without the consent of her parents. If she cannot legally enter into a holy alliance until she is 18 years of age, surely she should not be allowed to enter into an unholy one before then.

"I would also change the jury system, especially in civil cases. I would let a majority rule in everything except capital cases. In our last term of court there was a case in which about \$50 was involved, yet there was a mistrial because the jury stood nine to three. Twelve ordinary men are expected to agree, yet when a case is carried to a higher court composed of learned judges they only demand that a majority shall agree. When wise men differ, why should fools be made to agree?"

INDIGESTION?

REGULATOR

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He advertises and still surprises
Such chaps as Mr. Brown.

LORE OF THE METEOR.

Divine Honors Have Been Paid the Wanderers of the Sky.

It is only within the last hundred years that science has taken up the study of the meteor seriously, but in all ages its fitful gleam has captured the imagination of men.

In Asia in early times a fragment was picked up which probably bore a very rude resemblance to a human figure. It was looked upon as an image of Diana, sent down from Jupiter. A great temple was built at Ephesus in its honor—the Temple of Diana of the Ephesians. There from all parts of Asia people flocked to worship a meteorite.

The Romans, too, at certain epochs of their history, fell under the spirit of the meteorite. Aeneas, the mythic founder of the race, is said to have carried one with him to Italy, and one of the strangest pictures in the wonderful gallery of Roman history is that of the Emperor Heliogabalus paying divine honors to his meteoric god, for the head of the imperial city was high priest in a temple whose god was a rude fragment of meteoric stone.

A magnificent temple was built for it in Rome. Every morning hecatombs of bulls and sheep were offered, firkins of the richest wines were poured out and much costly incense was burned. Every year the meteoric god was carried with gorgeous ceremony to another temple in the suburbs. The chariot in which it rode glittered with gold and precious stones and was drawn by six white horses in golden trappings. The emperor himself held the reins, walking backward, so as to keep his eyes fixed on his god. On either side the people ran, bearing torches and throwing garlands of flowers as they passed.

On another occasion a meteoric stone played an important part in Roman history. It fell in ancient times in Phrygia and was worshipped at Pessinus by the Phrygians and Phoenicians as Cybele, "the mother of the gods." To it had been ascribed the victory of the Romans over Hannibal in the first Punic war. So when in later years the Carthaginian general had crossed the Alps and maintained his place in Italy for twelve years the troubled Romans wished for the wonderful stone.

They had learned from the Sybilline books that an enemy might be expelled from Italy if the stone were brought to Rome. So they went to King Attalus, asking that it might be sent. It was carried with much ceremony to the Temple of Victory on the Palatine hill, and, sure enough, Hannibal was presently compelled to return to Africa. Having surmounted incredible difficulties, he was yet forced to yield to a meteorite!—London Globe.

Little Helps For Awning Makers.

"Our greatest benefactor," said a local manufacturer of awnings, "is the office man who sits and smokes and throws his cigar stubs out of the window. If it's at the time of year when awnings are up on the big office buildings it is not improbable that the cigar will fall on an awning and burn a good sized hole. Possibly it will fall against a roll of the canvas and burn through several folds. Look at some of the awnings over the stores on the ground floor of buildings and notice the little round holes that have been caused by the falling cigar stubs. These holes, of course, greatly hasten the time when the awning must be replaced. Nearly every office building in town has suffered this same damage."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

No Burglary.

Judge—You are charged with burglary. How do you plead?
Prisoner—Not guilty, boss. an' I'll tell yo' why. In de fust place, de chicken coop doah wazn't eben locked; in de secon' place, dar wuz no burglar alarm; in de third place, dar wuz no bulldog, an' in de four' place, dar was no steel traps. Now, dat ain't burglary et al, boss; dat's jes' simply findin' chickens, an' I leabe it toe yo'self.—Exchange.

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HOW TO CAGE A BEAR.

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Escapes of animals from their cages in zoological gardens and menageries are fortunately rare. When they do occur the work of recapture is set about in a businesslike fashion, and the prison breaker is generally captured before anything is known outside.

In the periodical issued by the management of the Breslau garden an amusing story is told of an incident of this kind. Some years ago, on a fine autumn morning, just after the gates were opened there was a loud knocking at the pay window, and, in reply to the inquiry of the money taker who presented himself, a man in a state of great excitement said that as he was walking on the Oder bank he had seen through the palisading a large bear loose in the grounds. "Greatly obliged to you, sir," was the reply. "We know that already; that bear goes for a walk every morning and returns to its cage before the visitors come in."

The man went away quite satisfied. The official, who knew the real state of the case, at once ordered the gates to be closed, and the director was at once informed that the bear was loose. It was a serious matter, for the bear had killed the keeper in a traveling menagerie and for that reason was sold to the zoological garden. Moreover, when a mate had been put in with him she soon fell a victim to his bad temper. While the authorities were considering the best steps to take to recapture the bear—for they were loath to shoot such a fine animal—the keeper whose negligence in leaving a door unfastened had caused the trouble made his appearance. His only reply to the reproaches of the director for allowing the bear to escape was, "Well, we shall have to get him in again."

He went off to the storeroom, filled his apron with carrots and bread and then sought the bear. When he saw the animal he called out to attract its attention and by throwing down food enticed it to the back of the bear dens. Here the man entered through a small door by which new arrivals were put into the cages. He was closely followed by the bear, but reached the middle of the cage before it had scrambled through the small opening. Then he dropped on the floor the rest of the food he had in his apron and made his way out of the cage, which was at once securely fastened in front and at the rear. Thus the incident, which might have had serious consequences, ended happily for those on whom the responsibility rested.—London Field.

Excursion Rates VIA ATLANTIC COAST LINE account of CHRISTMAS HOLIDAYS

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| STATION | Train No. 11 (mixed) Daily Ex. Sunday | Train No. 13 Daily |
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| Lv. New Bern | 9:50 a. m. | 7:30 p. m. |
| Bridgeton | F 9:53 " | F 7:38 " |
| Olympia | 10:12 " | 7:51 " |
| Reelsboro | 10:32 " | 8:03 " |
| Grantsboro | 10:48 " | 8:11 " |
| West Alliance | F 10:55 " | F 8:16 " |
| East Alliance | 10:59 " | 8:19 " |
| Bayboro | 11:10 " | 8:25 " |
| Stonewall | 11:20 " | 8:31 " |
| Ashwood | F 11:50 " | F 8:49 " |
| Ar. Oriental | 12:10 p. m. | 9:0 " |
| STATION | Train No. 12 Daily | Train No. 10 (mixed) Daily Ex. Sunday |
| Ar. New Bern | 9:0 a. m. | 3:30 p. m. |
| Bridgeton | F 8:52 " | F 3:21 " |
| Olympia | 8:37 " | 2:18 " |
| Reelsboro | 8:27 " | 2:36 " |
| Grantsboro | 8:19 " | 2:23 " |
| West Alliance | F 8:14 " | F 2:13 " |
| East Alliance | 8:11 " | 2:10 " |
| Bayboro | 8:05 " | 2:00 " |
| Stonewall | 7:59 " | 1:50 " |
| Ashwood | F 7:41 " | F 1:20 " |
| Lv. Oriental | 7:30 " | 1:00 " |

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In an address delivered before the Royal Geographical Society Captain H. G. Lyons, director general of the survey department of Egypt, told of the work of ancient Egyptian surveyors. "At every period of ancient Egyptian history," he said, "the land was measured and recorded with considerable accuracy. Property was dealt in regularly, and an elaborate system of registration was maintained. No map of landed property in ancient Egypt has come down to us, but on the tomb walls we meet with representations of land measurers at work. Their methods of land measurement are represented on the walls of the tomb of one Menna at Sheikh Abd el Qurna, in Thebes, a land overseer and inspector of the boundary stones of Amon.

"In the scene depicted are shown two chainmen measuring a field of corn with a long cord, on which are knots or marks at intervals which seem to be about four or five cubits in length. Each also carries a spare cord coiled upon his arm. Beside them walk three officials, who carry writing materials and who are accompanied by a small boy carrying writing materials and a bag in which are probably documents and plans referring to the property. An old man and two boys also accompany the surveyors, and a peasant brings a loaf of bread and a bunch of green corn.

"A similar scene is pictured on the walls of a tomb belonging to a certain Amenhotep, also at Sheikh Abd el Qurna. Here only one man accompanies the chainmen, each of whom, as usual, carries a spare cord. The figures are larger than in the tomb of Menna, and, though they are now much damaged, it is possible to see clearly that the cord terminated in a ram's head."

Disillusioned.

I was once at a ball where a lady to whom I had just been presented said: "Oh, Mr. Barrington, my daughter has fallen madly in love with you! May I introduce you?" I murmured an embarrassed "Certainly," and she turned to a very pretty girl who was standing near, saying, "Marjorie, this is Mr. Rutland Barrington." The girl's face lit up with excitement and pleasure. She took a good look at me and turned away, with a long and disappointed "Oh!" That mother knew something. — From "Rutland Barrington" by Himes.

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| Str Low Middling | 9 1-2 | 9 1-4 |
| Low Middling | 9 | 8 3-4 |
| PEANUTS:—Dull, | | |
| Fancy | 31-1 | 31-1 |
| Strictly Prime | 3 | 3 |
| Prime | 2 3-4 | 2 3-4 |
| Low Grades | 2 | 2 |

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|-------------------|------|------|
| Jan. | 9 70 | 9 53 |
| Mar. | 9 66 | 9 56 |
| May | 9 65 | 9 54 |

| LIVERPOOL FUTURES: | | |
|--------------------|---|------|
| Oct. and Nov. | 5 | 5 08 |

Chicago Markets:

| | | |
|------------|--------|--------|
| July Wheat | 97 7-8 | 98 1-8 |
| Sept Corn | 62 1-2 | 62 1-8 |
| May Ribs | 9 1-7 | 9 0-7 |
| July Ribs | 9 1-7 | 9 2-7 |
| May Lard | 9 90 | 9 92 |
| July Lard | 10 00 | 10 05 |

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