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GOV. SENDS "TRUST" MESSAGE.

WANTS "SUB-SECTION A" ENACTED INTO LAW.

Insists That Legislature Carry Out This Pledge of the Party Platform.

Governor Kitchin Wednesday sent the following message to the general assembly:

To the Honorable, The General Assembly of North Carolina,

It is needless to repeat at this time facts and arguments showing the evil of private industrial monopolies commonly called trusts. Few advocate them, and fewer, perhaps, think them right. Probably the greatest legislative and legal problem of this generation is how to repress them. There is ground for hope that with our present anti-trust law properly amended and effective machinery provided for its enforcement, we can protect ourselves partially from trust evils, and perhaps so far as a state can protect her people from them. An opinion has been placed before the people in the press, that the present law cannot be enforced, though nothing was suggested to strengthen or render the law enforceable. I conceive that whatever difficulty exists, is largely in the machinery for its enforcement. Two years ago many able legislators thoroughly considered anti-trust legislation. All realized the difficulty of the state's coping with the evil against which their efforts were aimed. A bill was considered, which by its supporters was thought the best that could be devised. It became a law in all its essential features save one. The last convention of the Democratic party, with knowledge of the action of the legislature, incorporated in its platform the following declaration, and on that platform the dominant party carried the state, securing a majority in both senate and house of representatives:

"Private monopolies should be destroyed. Conspiracies by prospective purchasers to put down or keep down the prices of articles produced by the labor of others, should be made criminal, and all persons or corporations entering into such conspiracies should be punished."

The opportunity has come to make such conspiracies criminal and to prescribe punishment for such conspirators. You are face to face with the duty of obeying the mandate of the Democratic convention. Two alternatives confront you: one to perform that duty and have the satisfaction of faithful execution of a party pledge; the other to ignore the instructions of the people, and shoulder the burden of justifying your failure to do their will. You should not, and will not be goaded into or deterred from action. Threats and criticisms of legislative bodies rarely, if ever, accomplish any desired purpose.

Failure to make such conspiracies criminal can be justified only in case it can be clearly demonstrated that the convention was wrong in adopting such a platform. While the enactment of a law making such conspiracies criminal, has been ordered by the people, it may be assumed that the people did not, and do not, desire anything which is essentially wrong, or contrary to their interests. The proposition was not a new one. It had been the subject of controversy in the press, and generally by the people throughout the State. That plank was not inadvertently included in the platform, but was

deliberately inserted as a Democratic doctrine. The presumption should be, and is fundamentally right, as such presumption must attack to the well considered judgment of a majority of the people. Therefore, if its enforcement into law is resisted, the obligation is upon the opponents to show the error of its principle, or the injustice of its policy.

A mere statement of the proposition that a conspiracy by purchasers to put down the price of an article produced by the labor of others, is wrong, is so clear and convincing in its simplicity, that it would seem idle to argue its justice to any American legislative body. Every community which produces more than its people consume, must suffer the oppression that comes from any artificial depression of the price of its products. A community producing peanuts, cotton, tobacco, wheat, lumber, or other article in excess of its own consumption of such article, its unjustly deprived of material wealth, hindered in its industrial development, weakened in its revenues, injured in its educational progress, and crippled in all its social life, by any conspiracy of men or corporation, which puts down the price of such article. The universally acknowledged principle of self defense, applicable to states as individuals, would destroy a conspiracy so damaging in its effect and so general in its flight. The duty of repressing wrong and protecting those who cannot protect themselves, requires the law makers to put the whole power of the state against such conspiracies. I therefore recommend that the general assembly comply with that declaration, because it is right and ought to be the law, and because the dominant party is pledged to its enactment; and I also recommend that the putting down or keeping down by purchasers of the prices of articles produced by the labor of others, in pursuance of such conspiracy, be made criminal.

Fear of the wrath of those who violate a moral principle and who threaten if the legislature of the State of North Carolina complies with the wish of her majority, to punish the communites already in their grasp, rather than obey the laws, should not affect the judgment or paralyze the efforts, as it cannot nullify the duty of those whom the people have chosen to do their will. Assuming, as I do assume, that the general assembly will amend the law in accordance with the specific platform utterances, I recommend that the attorney general be given the power and charged with the duty to institute action, civil or criminal, in the superior courts of this state in Wake county, or in any other county of his selection, in any and all cases of violation of any of our anti-trust laws, or any amendments to them. Where such laws are violated most, it may be difficult to have successful prosecutions, on account of the fear and favor which the wrongdoers inspire and exert in the community. Local prosecuting officers are under great disadvantage, not only from local prejudice and favor, but from lack of facilities and time for needful preparation. If the enforcement of this law is unfortunately left solely to solicitors, and they remain on the unfortunate fee basis, then the fee for conviction ought to be

ASHEVILLE GIRL FOUND.

Mourning as Dead for Several Years—Mother Gone to Bring her Home.

Asheville, N. C., Feb. 10—Mourning as dead since soon after her fateful wedding, December 16, 1905, to Jno. Cavendish, alias "Lord" Percy Reginald Sholto Douglas, the notorious bigamist, who it is said married more than half a dozen young women in Virginia and North Carolina, Miss Josephine Hood, of Asheville, has been located in Tucumcari, New Mexico.

Too proud to return to her family after she found she had been duped by the man who posed as the third son of the Marquis of Queensberry, Miss Hood began the struggle for her livelihood, and determined to bear her suffering alone. It was by the merest accident that her family located her after a search over the United States and Mexico, participated in by Secretary Root, of the state department; the American consul at Vera Cruz and police officers in many cities of the south and west.

Mrs. John N. Hood, the mother of the young woman, will leave at once for New Mexico, and return with her daughter to Asheville.

Miss Hood was married to the notorious bigamist at New Iberia, La., after a short courtship, and went with him to Mexico, where he told her that he owned vast mining and fruit properties. There Miss Hood was deserted.

Patrick Fleming.

Wednesday afternoon at 4 o'clock, at the home of the bride's father, Mr. W. J. Fleming, 5 miles from Greenville, Mr. W. L. Patrick and Miss Mary Emma Fleming were married by Rev. J. H. Shore, pastor of Jarvis Memorial M. E. Church. After the ceremony the couple came to Greenville and will make their home with Mr. and Mrs. V. E. Staton on Washington street. They have the best wishes of many friends.

made enough to partially compensate solicitors for the great work necessary in such cases. A district prosecutor naturally shrinks from so arduous a task as the admittedly most difficult one of enforcing a state anti-trust law, and especially of enforcing it under local conditions most unfavorable to enforcement. Under such conditions each hopes another will first test the law against the powerful violator. Nearly two years have elapsed since the enactment of our last anti-trust law, and yet, so far as I can learn, no action has been instituted under it.

I am, therefore, of the opinion that after perfecting, as far as possible, our anti-trust laws, declaring the offenses and prescribing the penalties, it is important and even essential, to confer upon the attorney general the duty of undertaking its enforcement, and of selecting the venue subject to the power of the court to removal in its discretion, for proper cause, and of giving him every proper authority of securing evidence, including the compulsory production of books and papers, the examination of witnesses prior to trial, and all other power appropriate to the full discharge of duty in the faithful execution of the law.

Respectfully submitted,

W. W. Kitchin, Governor.

THE LEGISLATURE.

What Our Law Makers Are Doing at Raleigh.

THIRTY-FIRST DAY.

Governor Kitchin's anti-trust message was read in both branches.

In the senate some new bills of much importance were introduced. Among these were: To authorize the issuance of State bonds to pay bonds maturing in 1910; to require all political parties to select their candidates for office on the same day; to require chemical examination in case of death where poison is suspected; to protect employes of common carriers; to provide for deficit in insane asylum at Goldsboro; to prohibit placing dangerous traps on the lands of another.

In the house some of the new bills were; to limit liability of fidelity companies; to prevent fraudulent packing of apples.

FIRE IN FARMVILLE.

Several Buildings Burned Wednesday Night.

About 10 o'clock Wednesday night the town of Farmville had quite a serious fire, the Smith livery stables, Horton's machine shop, a blacksmith shop and a tin shop all being destroyed. The fire started in a lot of shavings in rear of the machine shop, and from that building quickly spread to the others. We did not learn the amounts of loss or insurance. All the horses were safely moved out of the livery stables.

Trade Report.

Richmond, Va., Feb. 10, 1909. Bradstreet's Saturday will say for Richmond and districts:—

Indications are that trade is gradually improving in most lines. Bank clearings show an increase and railroad reports show increased freight traffic and fewer idle cars. Wholesale dealers in dry goods and shoes report a fair volume of orders for future shipment. Fruits and produce are plentiful and in fair demand. Sales of loose tobacco are continuing active and prices are maintained. Lumber shows some activity though fluctuations are noted as to demand and price. The cotton market shows more strength, prices ranging up to 9 3/4 cts with an advance in the price of cotton. A general improvement in trade is expected at the south. Retail trade is quiet. Collections continue backward.

Digging For Buried Treasure.

Another "treasure" story came to light Sunday when a number of gentlemen, hearing the reports of the operations, went to the home of Jacob Scott, an ante-bellum darkey, living one door west of northwest corner of Eighth and Nun streets, and finding that he had almost undermined his kitchen by digging a hole 8 or 10 feet deep and 15 or 20 feet in circumference in search of a chest of gold which "the spirit had directed him to dig for." The old man has been persistently at work for a long time and announces that he will not give up the search for the hidden treasure.—Wilmington Star.

The Ladies Aid Society of the Christian church will serve you supper at their Valentine party Friday night, in the store next to Bradley's, the jeweler.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL BRIEFS.

The Visitors Here and People Who Travel.

F. G. Whaley went to Suffolk today.

W. H. Kilpatrick went to Ayden today.

W. F. Pittman went to Parmele today.

D. M. Clark went to Pictolus Wednesday evening.

Miss Nellie Barnhill returned Wednesday afternoon from Ayden.

Miss Bruce Swift went to Kingston Wednesday evening and returned this morning.

Herman Hardee left this morning for Delaware, where he has accepted an important position with the Baker Minter Lumber Co.

Mrs. W. S. Wyrick, of Greensboro, came in a few days ago to join her husband, who is here superintending putting in the heating plant at the training school.

LOCAL BRIEFS.

Remnant sale of white goods at Pulley & Bowen's.

Anniversary of Lincoln's birthday tomorrow.

Special sale of embroideries and laces at Pulley & Bowen's.

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

Guess you found it colder when you got up this morning.

Remnant sale of white goods at Pulley & Bowen's.

2 11 6td & 1tw

The Musical Club will meet with Miss Helen Forbes Friday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock.

A complete line of gingham, percales, etc. just in at Pulley & Bowen's.

2 11 6td 1tw

The choir of the Baptist church will meet for practice tonight at the home of Mrs. B. E. Parham.

Don't forget to attend the Valentine party tomorrow night. Refreshments will be served.

Take your friend with you to the Valentine party Friday night where you can spend a pleasant hour and get your supper.

The Woman's Missionary society of the Baptist church will meet Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock with Mrs. C. D. Rountree.

A Valentine party will be given Friday night, Feb. 12th, in the vacant store next to Bradley's, the jeweler. Oyster cocktail, ice cream and cake and a salad course will be served. No admission charged, but lots of fun. Benefit of the Christian church.

Lincoln Postage Stamps.

Postmaster R. C. Flanagan has shown us a new issue of 2-cents postage stamps known as the "Lincoln Issue," used by the government in commemoration of the one-hundredth anniversary of the birth of President Lincoln. These new stamps contain a good portrait of Lincoln, and the sale of them begins at the postoffice on the 12th, the anniversary of his birth.

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 tfd

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.

Feb. 11 In History.

1812—Alexander Hamilton Stephens, celebrated American statesman, vice president of the Confederacy, born near Crawfordsville, Ga.; died 1883.

1815—British war sloop Favorita arrived at New York with the treaty of Ghent, concluded Dec. 24, 1814, and ending the war of 1812.

1904—The mikado of Japan issued a formal declaration of war against Russia.

1908—Valerian Gribayedoff, journalist and illustrator, died in Paris; born 1858.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.
Sun sets 5:25, rises 6:54; moon rises 11:35 p. m.; moon's age 21 days.

Weather.

Fair tonight. Friday fair, slightly warmer.

NOTES FOR BUSY SHOPPERS.

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Valentines in some of the store windows are attracting the little folks.

Do you need a handsome rug \$1.00 to \$25.00. Taft & Vandyke. dtf 2 9

See our line of black woolen dress goods. Pulley & Bowen's. 2 11 6td 1tw

For Rent—One 10-room house in South Greenville. 2 2 tfd J. H. Cheek.

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For Sale—Cabbage plants grown from Tate's thoroughbred Jersey Wakefield seed, in any quantity. \$1 per 1,000 delivered from field, 25 cents per 1,000 extra for packing for shipment. 2 9 tfd L. C. Arthur.

Notice—We wish to announce to the public that the firm of Taft and Vandyke are a separate and distinct firm as they have always been and that E. H. Taft and Z. P. Vandyke are the sole owners and managers of the firm of Taft & Vandyke.

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THURSDAY, FEB. 11, 1909.

ANOTHER SIDE OF THE MUNICIPAL BUILDING MATTER.

For some months past the Board of Aldermen of Greenville has been considering the question of erecting a municipal building on the lot belonging to the town between the market house and the Hooker building occupied by the Greenville Wholesale Co. A committee was appointed to investigate the matter, to have plans and specifications prepared, and to advertise for bids for the construction of the building. At the last regular meeting of the aldermen a motion was made that work on the building begin at once. The vote on the motion was a tie, and the deciding vote being with the mayor he cast it against the motion.

In commenting upon the matter The Reflector commended the vote of Mayor Whedbee, the reason for his deciding vote against the building being that it was not wise to enter upon such an undertaking with the present financial condition of the town, there being already something like \$20,000 of floating indebtedness.

But there are two sides to every question, and one of the aldermen favorable to the immediate erection of the building has given us some facts and figures bearing upon that side of it.

The cost of the contemplated building is put at \$3,000, a responsible bid being made to erect it for that sum. The plans and specifications call for a two-story building with white pressed brick front and plate glass front windows, steel rolling door and concrete floor for the section to be used by the fire department. The first floor of the building to have offices for the city clerk and water and light commission with storage room for supplies and vault for the safe keeping of records, also quarters for keeping all the fire fighting apparatus and hose.

The second story to have offices for the mayor and aldermen and a city hall, the building to be first-class in every particular.

As to the financial part, the town is at present paying a rental of \$300 a year for offices alone, without any provision for the fire department and no protection of valuable records against destruction by fire. This rental is equivalent to interest on \$5,000, while the interest on the cost of erecting the contemplated building would be \$180, an annual saving of \$120 to the town on this item alone.

Another item pointed out is that property belonging to the town estimated in value at \$5,000—consisting of fire engines, hose and reels, street sweeper and sprinkler, etc—is exposed to rain and weather because of no suitable place to care for them, and the depreciation in value is

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fully 12 percent in consequence. This depreciation could be saved by having the building with quarters to take care of this property.

Then the records, maps and profiles of late improvements which are now unprotected, if destroyed by fire might cost the town more than the price of the entire building. A vault for keeping these would be protection against such a loss.

Again, the building contemplated will be adequate for the needs of the town for many years. If the time comes when it would be inadequate, it could be used for the fire department exclusively, or it could be sold or rented at a handsome profit on the town's investment.

The foregoing are all plausible considerations, and we give them that our readers may be informed as to both sides of the question.

Though the general election was held three months ago, Mr. Taft was not really elected president until Wednesday, Feb. 10th. The electoral vote of the several States was read in congress that day and he was declared elected.

We do not know what is to come out of it, but the agitation of changing the affairs in this county from the fee system to a salary basis is certainly giving the people something to talk about.

Governor Kitchin has cracked his whip at the General Assembly on the trust question. Are we to have an imitation of the "big stick"?

This legislature does not seem to have much idea of making any new counties.

INDIGESTION?

REGULATOR
DYSPEPSIA?

Notice of Charter Amendment.
 Notice is hereby given that application will be made to the General Assembly of North Carolina at its present session to amend the charter of the town of Greenville, N. C., as follows:
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“Your name?” queried the archduke.

“Johann, sir,” answered the lad.

The archduke was cute. He had seen at a glance that this was no boy before him, but a girl disguised.

“What do you call yourself when you are at home helping your mother in the kitchen?” he asked, smiling.

“Anna Plochl,” she answered. “And what is your name?”

“Johann too. I am an archduke.”

“I suppose you will say that you are the emperor himself next?” she laughed back at him. Then she drove his carriage into Vienna.

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A DELAYED LETTER.

And What Happened When the Missive Was Finally Recovered.

The vagaries of the postal service are sometimes beyond the understanding of the layman. In March of last year a man in New York received a letter from a friend in England, written when on the point of sailing for Philadelphia, urgently requesting him to return a loan of \$10. The man who wrote the letter needed funds and would the debtor kindly send the money to him, care of the steamship line at Philadelphia? The man in New York saw that his friend would reach Philadelphia within a day or two, so he promptly clapped a ten dollar bill in an envelope and addressed and mailed it. A week later he was apprised by mail that the money had not arrived. Both men made a diligent search for the missing letter. But it could not be found. So the debtor gave his friend a check and forgot about his \$10, settling down its loss to the dishonesty of some intermediary who had handled the envelope.

Imagine his surprise when one day eight months later he received his letter from the dead letter office in Washington. It was covered with postmarks and much battered, for it had traveled many thousands of miles, back to England, around the United Kingdom and to America again, but the money was safe inside.

Chuckling, he met his friend a few minutes later and showed him the ten dollar bill.

“How's that for luck?” he queried.

“Great,” replied his friend. “Say, old man, you couldn't lend me that for a day or two, could you? It's like picking money up in the street for you, and I could make use of it just now.”

Sadly the bill was handed over. “What's the use of such wonderful occurrences?” ruminated the “lucky” man.—New York Post.

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7:25 a. m. { For Farmville, Wilson Zebulon, Raleigh, and Intermediate Stations.

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7:25 a. m. { From Washington, Chocowinity, Grimesland, and Intermediate stations.

6:40 p. m. { From Norfolk, Suffolk, Elizabeth City, Hertford, Edenton, Columbia, Belhaven, Plymouth, Washington, and Intermediate Stations.

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Geography, round-table talks, led by Prof. F. C. Nye.

Language in the first grade—Miss Annie L. Irvine.
Literature in the 6th and 7th grades—Miss Cora Moore.
Primary arithmetic—Miss Lillie B. Grant.

1:30 p. m. Adjournment.
2 to 3 p. m. Informal conference upon matters intimately connected with school work.

The above program promises an exceedingly interesting and profitable meeting.

On account of inclement weather a number of teachers failed to come to the last meeting. We are very anxious that this meeting may be largely attended.

It will be seen from the program that we are to have an afternoon session, strictly from 2 to 3 o'clock. There is a demand for this second session upon the part of the teachers. Some of them do not get in early enough to attend all of the morning session, and therefore hardly feel paid for coming. A large number have to remain in town until the late afternoon trains and they would prefer having this afternoon session. We believe that this informal conference will be found to be just what most of our teachers who are interested in their work desire. We are hoping for a great day on the second Saturday. Let every teacher assist in making it such.

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A Hard One.

Mrs. Nuvoo Reash—Did you get my letter? Mrs. Bloodgood—The one where you asked me to your holiday house party? Mrs. Nuvoo Reash—Exactly. Mrs. Bloodgood—No, I didn't get it.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

Hard to Choose.

"Whom would you rather entertain," asks the philosopher of folly, "a perfectly stupid bore or a clever fellow who has just been abroad for the first time?"—Exchange.

THE MARKETS

Norfolk Cotton and Peanuts, wired by J. W. Perry & Co., Cotton Factors.

COTTON:	Today	Yesterday
Strict Middling	9 3/4	9 3/4
Middling	9 5/8	9 5/8
Str Low Middling	9 3/8	9 3/8
Low Middling	8 7/8	8 7/8

PEANUTS:—Dull.
Fancy 3 1/4 3 1/4
Strictly Prime 3 3 3
Prime 2 3/4 2 3/4
Low Grades 2 2

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NEW YORK FUTURES:

Mar.	9 51	000
May	9 45	9 48
July	9 42	9 44

LIVERPOOL FUTURES:

Oct. and Nov.	5	5
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Chicago Markets:

July Wheat	101 1/8	100 1/2
Sept Corn	63 7/8	64
May Ribs	8 9/10	8 8/10
July Ribs	9 0/10	9 0/10
May Lard	9 7/10	9 6/10
July Lard	9 8/10	9 7/10

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