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PRESIDENT TAFT IS TO VISIT NORTH CAROLINA

Will Likely Stop in Pinehurst in April or May

BECOMING INTERESTED IN N. C.

President Taft May Stop at Pinehurst
—To Spend the May Days on the Road Explaining Political Conditions.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 29.—President Taft will soon start a vigorous speech making campaign to explain his position on current question and further his candidacy for re-nomination. Before the Republican national convention meets in June, the president will spend many days on the road and is expected to deliver scores of speeches. He will travel as far west as Chicago, as far north as New Hampshire and south at least as far as Georgia. Other engagements may be made in the next few weeks. The president's political advisers believe he is their best orator.

Ever since the Taft re-nomination headquarters were opened here some time ago and Representative William B. McKinley was put in charge, Republican leaders have urged the president to get into the campaign. He began following this advice when he accepted an invitation of a year's standing to attend the 15th annual dinner of the Swedish-American Republican club in Chicago. The acceptance of that invitation was followed by the announcement that the president had consented to stop on his way west at Toledo, O. Invitations to visit Youngstown and Madison have been received and probably will be accepted. A few days ago the White House let it be known that the president would go to Savannah in April or May and might stop at Pinehurst, N. C.

GRADED SCHOOL ON FIRE

Person or Persons Unknown Made Attempt

TIMELY AID PREVENTS DAMAGE

Wednesday night about seven o'clock, some person or persons set fire to the graded school building. Entrance was gained by breaking through a window on the rear of the building. Lightwood torches were used in the attempt to start the fire.

The blaze was seen by Professor H. E. Austin, who was passing the school at the time. He called Mr. J. H. Boyd, Jr., who was also passing, and they, with the aid of a colored man, soon extinguished the flames. It is most fortunate that Professor Austin saw the blaze. Had it been allowed its course a few minutes longer, the house would have been seriously damaged or destroyed.

Bank Statements.

In this paper the last day or so have been appearing statements of the banks in this county, made to the corporation commission at the close of business Feb. 20th. These statements show that our banks are in fine condition and are being conducted under excellent management. They are all absolutely safe and worthy of the confidence of the public.

Mrs. A. W. Barber Dead.

Mrs. A. W. Barber died about 9:00 o'clock this morning at her home near Winterville, after an illness of a few days with pneumonia. She leaves a husband and five children. The burial will take place Friday afternoon at the Barber graveyard about a mile from Greenville.

Mother and Child Die.

Mrs. J. J. Martin and her infant child, both died Wednesday night, near Oakley, in this county.

WORLD

CONDENSED NEWS ITEMS FROM EVERYWHERE—TOLD BY WIRE

Vacuum Oil Increases Capital.
ROCHESTER, N. Y., Feb. 28.—The stockholders of the Vacuum Oil Company, a former subsidiary of the Standard Oil Company, voted at a special meeting here today in favor of the proposals to increase the company's capital stock from \$2,500,000 to \$15,000,000. It is stated that the purpose of the increase is to take care of \$8,000,000 indebtedness to the Standard Oil Company of New Jersey and further finance the company. It is also in line with the announced policy of the former subsidiaries of the Standard Oil Company to increase their capital stocks to correspond more closely with their assets.

Illinois Y. M. C. A.

PEORIA, Ill., Feb. 28.—Delegates representing the branches of the Young Men's Christian Association throughout Illinois have assembled here in force for the annual state convention, which opens tonight with addresses by Chancellor Frank Strong, of the University of Kansas and the Rev. Dr. William J. Williamson, of St. Louis. The two days' program is one of the best ever prepared for a meeting of the organization in this state. A notable feature will be a dinner at the Coliseum, at which 1,000 men are expected to attend.

San Francisco Bench Show.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Feb. 29.—Nearly 1,000 aristocratic canines, representing all of the popular breeds, are in the hands of the judges at the fourteenth annual bench show of the San Francisco Kennel Club, which opened in the Dreamland rink today. It is the most extensive exhibition of dogs ever shown in this city. The Rocky Mountain states, the middle west and even some of the eastern states and Canada are represented.

MR. THORNE WILL NOT RUN

WILL NOT CONTEST POU'S SEAT

ROCKY MOUNT GENTLEMAN DECLARES HE IS NOT IN CONGRESSIONAL RACE—IS CONSIDERING SENATORIAL RACE

RALEIGH, Feb. 29.—It is understood that Mr. T. T. Thorne, of Rocky Mount, who was prominently mentioned as a candidate for congress in the Fourth district, will not contest for Congressman Pou's seat, but will be a candidate for the state senate from Nash county. Mr. A. T. Zollcofer, of Henderson, and Solicitor Herbert E. Norris (of Raleigh, have not made definite announcements as to their intentions, and it is believed that they will be found in the running. It is not known whether Mr. R. H. Hayes, of Catham, will be in the race or not.

Mr. Thorne is mighty favorably known in North Carolina and his friends will be glad to know that he is considering running for the senate. With legislative experience behind him, Mr. Thorne would add strength to the senate, and many of his friends here say there is no doubt of his being nominated if he aspires to the honor.

California's Labor Day.

BERKELEY, Cal., Feb. 28.—As a result of today's experience some of the students at the University of California doubtless are glad that February 29 comes only once during their university career. Following a custom inaugurated by the University authorities in 1896, the fourth quadrennial Labor day was observed at the institution today. The observance was all that the designation of the day implied. Bright and early this morning the students turned out in overalls and flannel shirts and with picks and shovels and wheel-barrows labored throughout the greater part of the day in improving the campus and grounds of the University. The young women students supplied the laborers with luncheon and later in the afternoon the celebration with a program of outdoor sports and games.

Capital City Gets Republican Convention

Morehead is Still in the Race for Chairman of Convention Which will be held in Raleigh on May Fifteenth and will Only be for Delegates—Although Taft Was Endorsed as a Progressive-Conservative, His Endorsement for Renomination Was Lacking

RALEIGH WINS CONVENTION BY VOTE OF 10 TO 7

Charlotte Got 7 Votes, Which Shows Contest for Location of Convention Did Not Prove a "Clutch" for Raleigh—Capital Men Worked Very Hard to Secure Gathering for Their City.

RALEIGH, Feb. 29.—By a vote of 10 to 7, Raleigh gets the State Republican convention, to be held here May 15 in the great auditorium. It is purely precursory to the National convention.

Though Monday evening the big men of the party declared themselves concerned solely with the selection of a place of meeting and the incidental date, that was the least thing that happened yesterday in the committee meeting. The eighteen men, closeted in the cafe of the Yarrowborough hotel found little difficulty in coming together on the place and time of meeting. It wasn't a runaway vote, to be sure, and seven men wanted to go to Charlotte. But that was done quickly. It took hours to settle the question of endorsing President Taft.

The division came early. It lasted long. Promise was made from many a man Monday that there would be no attempt to endorse Mr. Taft. The committee was not here for that purpose. It hadn't been in meeting long before Thomas Settle, much-talked for the gubernatorial candidacy, offered a resolution commending the administration of President Taft. The appended paper tells what it was. The endorsement speaks for itself.

Here imagination, fragmentary ver-

sions, inaccurate memories and varying versions must finish the story. There was one story that the resolution asked the committee to pledge itself to an endorsement of the administration and recommended Mr. Taft's re-election. The Roosevelt sentiment got in its work before the committee men left their homes. One story is that Ike Meekins arose and referring to former Senator Butler, Dr. J. J. Mott, Mr. Settle and Col. Harry Skinner, said: "You men are going to the National convention as delegates at large. Pass this resolution and you won't go at all. Let me endorse the proposition and I can't go from the First district." Senator Butler was used solely as an illustration, as the vote shows later his brother's dissent from the endorsement. The story goes still further and says that Major George Butler in voting against the resolution, declared it a "piece of pure d—d impertinence" to Mr. Taft, in that it purports to endorse him and doesn't.

It was carried when the pruning knife was applied. The committee changed it and presented it. It is saying simply what purports to be the facts that the measure as passed was opposed, not on account of the preponderance of Roosevelt sentiment, but because it was regarded as altogether poor political play and the attempt to pledge the committee to the present chief executive and affront to the voting strength, which at this time deserves to be handled carefully.

REV. W. W. PHARR DEAD

BEST KNOWN MINISTER IN SOUTH

ONE OF BEST KNOWN PASTORS IN SOUTH DIES AT MOORESVILLE—LED CENTER CHURCH 50 YEARS

MOORESVILLE, Feb. 29.—Rev. Dr. W. W. Pharr, for fifty year pastor of Center Presbyterian church and one of the best beloved ministers in the south, passed away at his home in this city last night at 11 o'clock, after an illness of a week. Owing to his extreme age, he was 80 years old, his illness which developed the first of last week, was serious from the outset and the end had been expected for the past several days. At the bedside when the summons came were Mr. and Mrs. Peter Marshall Brown, of Charlotte, Mrs. Brown being a daughter, and Messrs. F. Clare Pharr and W. Davidson Pharr, sons of the deceased. Mrs. W. L. Moore, of Mobile, Ala., another daughter, was en route to her father's side when the end came last night. She had only left him ten days ago and was summoned as soon as grave fears were entertained. The end was very easy, simply a sleep and a forgetting. The funeral will take place Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

New York Cotton.

	Open.	Close.
March	10.16	10.07
May	10.20	10.23
July	10.30	10.33

Chicago Grain.

	Open.	Close.
May wheat	102 5-8	102 1-8
May corn	69 3-4	69 3-4
May ribs	8.57	8.55

Greenville cotton 9 7-8
No matter what the future has in store for a woman, she will look for it on the bargain counter.

STATE

CONDENSED NEWS FROM ALL OVER THE OLD NORTH STATE

Miniature Airship at Winston.
Winston-Salem.—an airship, built along miniature line, but perfect, nevertheless, will be operated tomorrow, and the public is invited to the exhibition, which will take place in the store of the Absell Drug company here. The inventor is Mr. W. H. Sloan electrician of the Wachovia Bank and Trust company skyscraper. The machine is of the Curtiss type. It measures forty-two inches from tip to tip. A miniature aviator is seated in the car.

Lumberton Firm Reorganized.
Lumberton.—The firm of Caldwell & Carlyle which has been one of the leading firms here for 28 years, dissolved yesterday and the announcement was made today that the business would be continued under the firm name of R. D. Caldwell & Son, incorporated, with \$50,000 capital, every dollar of which has been paid in. The officers are R. D. Caldwell, president, and S. F. Caldwell, secretary and treasurer.

Talk of Organizing Law and Order League.

Scotland Neck.—Rev. O. L. Powers, pastor of the Baptist church, says he is heartily in favor of organizing a law and order league in Scotland Neck, and says he hopes one will be organized at an early date. He will use his influence along that line, and will have the hearty co-operation of all the people of the town and community.

Death of Mr. Seyfert.

Elizabeth City.—George G. Seyfert, age 72 years, died very suddenly Monday night at midnight at the home of his son in Pennsylvania avenue. The funeral services were conducted over the remains yesterday morning at 10:30 o'clock from the home by Rev. J. H. Buffalo, pastor of City Road Methodist church, and the interment followed in Hollywood cemetery.

R. L. DAVIS HITS CHARLOTTE

IN SPEECH AT SCOTLAND NECK

REV. R. L. DAVIS DELIVERS A STRONG ADDRESS—TAKES A RAP AT CHARLOTTE.

SCOTLAND NECK, Feb. 28.—As per announcement, Rev. R. L. Davis, superintendent of North Carolina Anti-Saloon League of North Carolina, came Saturday afternoon and delivered two very strong and able addresses. Sunday at 11 o'clock Mr. Davis spoke in the Methodist church and again at the evening hour he addressed the congregation at the Baptist church, the Methodist people calling off their evening meeting and attending the service at the Baptist church.

At the Baptist church Mr. Davis dealt mainly with the blind tiger course. During the address he referred several times to his Raleigh and Charlotte stunts, and jumped heavily upon the city government of the latter city. He said he gave his testimony in Charlotte, giving the city authorities "what they asked for but just exactly what they did not want." He declared in thundering tones that the city government allowed the chief witness to be bought off or threatened off by the liquor interests, and up to the present time he was still out of the city. He said that said witness had stated in Monroe he was offered \$1,000 to get away.

Missouri Bars Death Cup.

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., Feb. 28.—By order of the state board of health all public drinking cups, towels and combs will be abolished after today on all trains and in all railway stations in Missouri.

Lee Shubert has obtained the American rights to the English version of Johann Strauss' opera now successfully running in London under the title "The Nightbirds," also for Leo Falls' latest success, "Liebe Augustine."

DURHAM YOUTH IS BEING HELD FOR GRAND JURY

Fate W. Goss Implicated in Raleigh Gas Deaths

"FOUL PLAY"—CORONER'S JURY

Report of Coroner's Jury Say—"Death Was Caused by Gas Poison as Result of Foul Play"—Goss to be Held Without Bond for the Grand Jury.

RALEIGH, N. C. Feb. 26.—The coroner's jury which has been investigating the deaths of the three Benson men whose bodies were found in Wilson's apartments on the night of February 5, found that R. A. Johnson, Fred Jernigan and H. T. Porter, the men in question, came to their deaths as the result gas poison and that foul play was the cause. Fate W. Goss of Durham was ordered held by the coroner to answer to the grand jury. He was committed to jail without bond.

Just before the jury met for the last time today Mr. John W. Hinsdale, Jr., employed to represent Goss, offered to deposit bond in the sum of \$1,000 for Goss' appearance at the investigation, but Coroner Separk, on the advice of Solicitor Norris, promptly increased the bond to \$1,500.

Young Goss gave his account of the manner in which he secured the pistol. He said he bought it in Durham three weeks before the tragedy from an unknown negro, giving the man \$1.50 for it. He pawned the weapon, he said, to Mr. Curtis Godfrey in Durham on Sunday, February 4, before coming to Raleigh that evening. He never saw the negro before, he said, and has never seen him since.

The Jury's Findings.

The verdict of the jury is that R. A. Johnson, Fred Jernigan and H. T. Porter "came to their death from gas poison, and recommend that F. W. Goss be held without bond for the grand jury." The verdict was signed by Messrs. J. R. Johnson, E. M. Bledsoe, T. W. Brewer, F. A. Watson, S. J. Betts and Joe H. Weathers.

Maynard Moseley, known as "Cutie" Moseley, is being looked for this afternoon, the jury also recommending that he be held as an important witness. Moseley was in the city Monday for the investigation and it was thought today that he was still here.

SUPERIOR COURT DISSOLVES INJUNCTION.

Renders Decision in Favor of County in Stock Law Matter.

The Supreme court has handed down its decision in the matter where the board of commissioners of Pitt county were enjoined from establishing a stock law district and building a fence in accordance with the bill passed by the last legislature. Under the provisions of the bill it went in effect on the first of January, 1912. At this January meeting the county commissioners took steps to carry out the law, and were enjoined by citizens opposed to the stock law. This was heard before Judge Allen in the Superior court here, who decided in favor of the county, the citizens appealing to the Supreme court.

Another question came up as to the legality of the county commissioners electing the fence commissioners at an adjourned meeting for that purpose instead of at a regular meeting, and this being heard before Judge Foushee at New Bern he decided against the county and appeal was taken to Supreme court.

The decision of the Supreme court is with the county commissioners on both questions, the court declaring that the election of the fence commissioners was legal, and they being de facto officers cannot be attacked.

The Weather.

Generally fair tonight and Friday; colder tonight; moderate winds, mostly north.

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THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 29, 1912.

A FLIMSY CONTENTION.

A recent item in the press dispatches from Washington says that the Postal Telegraph company has instituted proceedings before the interstate commerce commission against the Western Union Telegraph company, that looks to forcing the latter to make a special rate on messages which the Postal turns over to the Western Union for delivery. In the complaint it is admitted by the Postal company that it accepts messages to all destinations, whether it may have offices at those points or not. In the event it has not, it sends the messages as far as it can over its own wires and then turns it over to the Western Union for transmission on to destination. In taking such messages from the Postal to be forwarded, the Western Union charges the local rate from the point at which the message is turned over to the point of destination, with a charge for three additional words which have to be put on a forwarded message. In some instances it costs the Postal company more to get a message through in this way than was originally received for the message.

It looks to us that the Postal company has put up a very flimsy complaint, and wants to get the courts to help it carry on its business on the facilities of a competitor. It is deceiving the public to accept messages for points at which it has no office and cannot guarantee the delivery of such message, or subject it to the unnecessary delay of transferring it from one telegraph company to another. To handle such a message the Postal sends it as far as possible over its own lines, where it has to stop long enough to be copied and taken by a messenger from the Postal office to the Western Union office, and there goes through the filing and checking the second time for transmission, causing that much delay. As to the matter of charges for such forwarded messages, we do not see that the Western Union could be expected to handle messages any cheaper for the Postal than it does for the public, and should not be allowed to do so if it desired to. The Postal might save itself the charge in such cases by not taking messages for points where it does not have offices. In the contention in question the interstate commerce commission would serve the interests of the public to rule that telegraph companies be forbidden to accept messages for points at which they cannot guarantee delivery.

WOODROW WILSON.

The Atlanta Journal, the South's leading newspaper, in one of its editorials of Wednesday, strongly recommends Governor Woodrow Wilson for the nomination and election. In that editorial, headed "Wilson and Roosevelt," the Journal makes a study of both men in regards to the politics they stand for and it calls attention to the fact that while Roosevelt is supposed to stand for all the

progressive principles Wilson really stands for, the governor of New Jersey is the very antithesis of the colonel when it comes to being a defender of constitutional government and state's rights.

It follows in part:
Governor Wilson's peculiar fitness in this connection was forcefully expressed in an interview with Senator Gardener, of Maine, which appeared in Monday's Journal. Senator Gardener is the second Democrat ever elected by Maine to the United States senate. He is a particularly keen observer of political conditions in his own state and the country over. He speaks advisedly when he declares: "If the Republicans nominate a Progressive like Colonel Roosevelt and the Democrats nominate Representative Oscar Underwood or Speaker Clark, or Governor Harmon, Roosevelt will have every chance to sweep the country overwhelmingly."

This opinion is all the weightier, because, as Senator Gardener declares, he has high personal admiration for Mr. Underwood and Mr. Clark, but this does not prevent him from seeing that neither of them stands before the people of the entire nation with such strength and such power to lead as does Woodrow Wilson. It is because he is broadly representative of the best thought and the deepest political ideals of the American people as a whole that Governor Wilson is Democracy's most advisable candidate.

As recent events have shown, Governor Wilson has a large and enthusiastic following in the west, where Roosevelt is supposed to be strongest. His substantial and progressive record as governor of New Jersey is as well beyond the Mississippi as in the east or the south. The fact is, Woodrow Wilson has done for for really popular government and the square deal during his first year as chief executive of New Jersey than Roosevelt accomplished during his two terms in the presidency.

Regardless of whom the Republicans may nominate, Woodrow Wilson is the logical Democratic leader in the approaching campaign. Whether he opposes Taft and high tariff or Roosevelt and the New Nationalism, he is competent in every sense to lead the party to victory.

The selection by ex-Governor Aycock of April first as the date upon which to make the opening speech of his senatorial campaign, is not to be regarded as a joke because of the date. The governor is not a joker, though he can tell a joke all right.

If the people of Greenville want that new hotel they should act, and not be long about it. Delay now may mean losing the opportunity, and the opportunity lost may not return in years to come.

The announcement of T. R. has given some of them the opportunity to say "I told you so."

THIS DATE IN HISTORY.

- February 29.
- 1712—Louis Joseph Montcalm born near Nimes, France. Died at Quebec, September 14, 1759, from wounds received in battle.
- 1792—Civacchino Antonio Possini, famous composer, born at Pesaro, Italy. Died November 13, 1868.
- 1836—General Gaines, with troops from New Orleans, attacked by Indians while seeking to ford Withlacoochee river in Florida.
- 1848—Negotiations for an armistice in the war between the United States and Mexico begun in the City of Mexico.
- 1860—The Sardinian government referred the annexation of Tuscany to the vote of the people.
- 1868—Benjamin Disraeli (Lord Beaconsfield) became premier of England.
- 1872—State convention of those favoring the extension of the right to suffrage to women met in Baltimore.
- 1880—Completion of the St. Gothard tunnel through the Alps.
- 1892—The Bearing Sea arbitration treaty signed at Washington.
- 1896—Receivers for the Baltimore and Ohio railroad appointed.
- 1904—Lieutenant West and six pirates of the United States army killed in battle with Datto Moros in Jolo.

WITH OTHER EDITORS

Fewer Bankrupt Merchants.

Down in Atlanta, where they hit upon a good idea every now and then, it is proposed to form a Wholesalers' Protective Association for the purpose of advertising bankruptcy from retailers whose embarrassment has been caused mainly or solely by lack of ready cash. Often the retailer who lets his customers get too much in debt to him faces involuntary bankruptcy because his creditors take alarm. Given a little time, his affairs would be all right again. That is, in cases where honesty and reasonable capacity have not been absent. Of these matters the Wholesalers' Protective Association will itself be judge. If it can save his commercial life, it will save its members the heavy expense of bankruptcy proceedings and forced liquidation, getting everything due instead of thirty or forty cents on the dollar or less.

"When Jones finds himself owing \$1,500 and not having the money to pay," supposes The Atlanta Georgian, "he goes to the association and tells his story. His books, accounts and stocks are examined. His record for honesty is known. He is loaned \$1,500 by the association on the joint endorsement of his creditors, and each is paid his due. Jones then continues his business, under supervision of the association, paying back his loan in small monthly installments or faster if his condition later will permit. His creditors were justified in jointly endorsing his note for they thereby secured cash in hand for the total of his indebtedness to them. Each month reduces their individual liability, and they always have as security the same chance they had when he was on the verge of bankruptcy."

This plan would seem to be business and kindness is one, as interested succor which averts the sheer waste of bankruptcy usually is. It reduces commercial mortality at less than no expenses. It will not and should not reach every case, but it will reach nearly every deserving case. In short, we think the projected Wholesalers' Protective Association a

good thing, all round. It promises to become a reality in Atlanta very soon, and we trust that the example will spread.—Charlotte Observer.

Roosevelt and Taft.

The announcement by Theodore Roosevelt that he is willing to accept a nomination for the presidency at the hands of the Republican national convention, should that convention deem it wise to nominate him, is an announcement that clarifies the political situation quite a good deal, for the stand that Mr. Roosevelt would take has been one of the chief causes of political uncertainty in the nation. Now that it is known that he is a candidate, the way seems clearer and the tensely of a rather strained situation is relieved.

There are many things connected with the announcement that are of paramount interest because of the man who made it. For instance, the Roosevelt-Taft relations, third term, popular opinion, etc., but of most immediate moment, the Roosevelt-Taft relations.

The announcement from Mr. Roosevelt seems to bring out more strongly than anything else his present and past and future relations with the man whom he lifted into the presidential office. It seems to confirm the reports dating back over three years, in which Mr. Taft was said to have brought down the disapproval upon his head of the man under whom he had formerly served.

There is small wonder if Mr. Taft felt very keenly over the announcement of Roosevelt, that he felt that one who had been close to him and become hostile and unfriendly, and had gone so far as to set himself up in opposition and in a strong disagreement of views.

The campaign between the rival parties and leaders will be interesting enough. There will be plenty of thunder and lightning. There will be charges and recharges. But of far more interest will be the contest waged by President Taft and Colonel Roosevelt.—Greensboro Daily News.

Congratulations to

William Drummond Hogg, a Bench-er of the Law Society of Upper Canada and one of the leader of the Canadian bar, 64 years old today.

Rear Admiral French E. Chadwick, U. S. N., retired, 68 years old today.

Frank Gavan Duffy, distinguished Australian lawyer and a lecturer at the University of Melbourne, 60 years old today.

THIS IS MY 40th BIRTHDAY.

Captain Cuthbert James.

Captain Cuthbert James, prominent among the colonial administrators in the British service, was born February 29, 1872, and is a son of the second Lord Northbourne. After completing his education at Oxford University he became an officer in the British army in 1894. Five years later he joined the Egyptian army, and distinguished himself in the first White Nile expedition against the Khalifa. The next year he was appointed administrator of Wadi Halfa. Since 1900 Captain James has served successively as deputy assistant civil secretary of the Sudan Government, as assistant financial secretary of the Egyptian army and as one of the assistant directors of the ministry of the Interior of the Egyptian government.

CHAMP CLARE'S WAB SONG.

That "Houn Dwag" Tune.
Every time I come to town,
The boys 'keep a-kickin' my dwag aroun';
Maes no difference if he is a houn',
They got a-quit kickin' my dwag aroun'.

CHORUS:

"Chaw de meat and save de bone;
O' Blue Neck lives on Tallyhona.
Makes no difference if he is a houn',

You gotta quit a-kickin' my dwag aroun'."

Sambo, lay that banjo down,
You good for nothin' triffin' houn';
Makes no difference if he is a houn',
You got a-quit kickin' my dwag aroun'.

Every time I go to school
The teacher lams me with a rule;
Maes no difference if I am a fool,
She's got a-quit lammin' me with a rule.

Sift the meal an' save the bran;
You can't grow taters in sandy lan'.
Makes no difference if he is a houn',
You got a-quit kickin' my dwag aroun'.

My dwag Drum is a good ol' houn';
Trails the 'possum on the driest groun'.
You got a-quit kickin' my dwag aroun'.

George H. Hodges, a member of the Kansas senate and well known in politics, has announced his candidacy for the nomination for governor on the "progressive" Democratic ticket. Opposed to Hodges for the nomination will be J. B. Billard, mayor of Topeka. The chief plank in Billard's platform is the resubmission of the prohibitory law, in which he is opposed by Hodges.

Simultaneous with the withdrawal of Congressman Morris Sheppard from the race to succeed Senator Bailey comes the announcement of the candidacy of Cone Johnson for Bailey's seat. Johnson once was attorney-general of Texas and has long been a bitter political foe of Senator Bailey. He is aligned with the prohibition element and is known as an able campaigner.

It is a good thing that a man can change his mind without being obliged to change his clothes. It is a very old and a very true saying that failure is the only high road to success.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE BANK OF GREENVILLE AT GREENVILLE

In the State of North Carolina, at the close of business, February 20, 1912.

RESOURCES.	LIABILITIES.
Loans and discounts.....\$163,962.28	Capital stock paid in.....\$ 50,000.00
Overdrafts secured and unsecured .. 514.84	Undivided profits, less current expenses and taxes paid .. 7,111.32
Banking house ..\$4,200.00	Time certificates of deposit .. \$ 45,211.23
Fur. and Fix..... 4,327.32	Deposits subject to check .. 124,642.85
Demand loans .. 1,387.87	Due to banks and bankers .. 76,096.76
Due from banks and bankers .. 114,446.98	Cashier's checks outstanding .. 431.98
Cash items .. 2,982.51	Total deposits .. 246,291.98
Gold coin .. \$ 135.00	
Silver coin, including all minor coin currency .. 830.44	
National b'k notes and other U. S. notes .. 10,706.00 11,671.44	
Total .. \$303,493.24	Total .. \$303,493.24

State of North Carolina.—County of Pitt, ss:
I, James L. Little, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
JAMES L. LITTLE, Cashier.
Subscribed and sworn to before me, Correct—Attest:
this 27th day of February, 1912. J. G. MOYE,
H. D. BATEMAN, W. E. PROCTOR,
Notary Public. V. W. MOSELEY,
My commission expires Oct. 3, 1912. Directors.

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Social and Personal

Miss Pearl Lichenstein of Richmond, is visiting Miss Mae Schultz.

Mr. Frank Rawls, of Rocky Mount, spent last night here.

Mayor F. M. Wooten went to Arthur this morning.

Mr. E. W. Foster, of Halifax, spent yesterday and today here.

Mr. C. V. Brown, state bank examiner, was here Tuesday examining the Greenville Banking & Trust Company.

Mr. H. A. White went to Raleigh Wednesday evening.

Mrs. C. T. Munford returned Wednesday evening from Kinston.

Miss Maud Parham, of Oxford, who was visiting Miss Helen Pugh, left this morning.

Pastor's Anniversary.

Next Sunday will be the first anniversary of Rev. C. M. Rock's pastorate of Memorial Baptist church. He will have something to say at the morning service about the year's work and would be glad to see every member of the church present.

Last of February.

Knights of Pythias meet tonight.

February managed to make a few days of good weather before it closed.

Today closes the hunting season.

Bishop's laundry has put a handsome delivery wagon in service.

The Pitt County Fair Association will meet here tomorrow.

A word to the wise is useless—they take a Mutual Life policy with H. B. Harris.

Notice to Pythians.

All members of the Pythian lodge are requested to be present tonight at 7:45. Work in second and third ranks.

Nice Quarters for Jurors.

Hereafter when there is a hung jury at a court held in Pitt county, they need not be afraid of not finding nice, comfortable quarters to stay in. In building the new court house two large rooms for this purpose were provided on the third floor. Sheriff Dudley has just furnished these rooms. One of them has seven double beds all complete as a sleeping room for the jury and officer, and the other has chairs, tables and dresser for a sitting room. This arrangement for jurors is very complete and a credit to the county.

STOKES ITEMS.

STOKES, N. C., Feb. 28.—Mr. T. M. Mooring went to Washington Saturday and returned the same day.

Miss Lillian Stokes, who is teaching the Mooring school, near here, spent Saturday and Sunday visiting Miss Louise Fleming, at House.

Miss Olivia Woolard, of Pactolus, spent Sunday with her sister, Mrs. J. L. Mooring.

Mr. James Fleming and family, of Whichard, visited Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Mooring Sunday.

Mr. Louis Roberson spent last Thursday in Washington.

Mr. Silas House, of Robersonville, and Miss Ora Taylor were quietly married Sunday afternoon at the home of the bride, near Oak Grove church. Rev. C. W. Howard, of Kinston, officiated.

Messrs. J. L. Perkins and N. Page spent Wednesday in Greenville.

Messrs. James Congleton and Jno. W. Bailey spent Sunday near Oak Grove.

Notice!

I will be at the following places for the purpose of collecting the taxes for the state and county; meet me and save costs:

- Ayden, Friday, March 1.
- Bethel, Saturday, March 2.
- Farmville, Saturday, March 2.
- Falkland township, Fountain, Saturday, March 2.
- Pactolus, Tuesday, March 5.
- Carolina, Saturday, March 9.
- Swift Creek, Saturday, March 9.
- Chicod, Saturday, March 9.
- Belvoir, Wednesday, March 6.
- Beaver Dam, Arthur, Thursday, March 7.

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STATE AND COUNTY NEWS

AYDEN, N. C., Feb. 29.—Mr. Dick Manning, who shot off two of his toes during the last snow, is able to be out on crutches. He tells us on those two toes were three awful corns and odds is the difference.

Mr. Richard Dail, of Winterville, has moved his family here and occupies the Nichols house at the end of Blount street. Mr. Dail will operate a fancy grocery, cafe and meat market in the Smith Bros. block, next to the United States post office.

We had a letter from Mr. J. J. Hines, who tells us they have had about twelve snows at Black Mountain this winter and adds that he is always glad to read *The Daily Reflector* and Ayden items.

A new supply of hardware just received—J. R. Smith & Bro.

The fire alarm was sounded at noon yesterday. The roof of the graded school building was discovered on fire, but quick work of our citizens soon had the fire subdued with slight damage to the roof.

Our farmers are hauling cotton here to the gin and one would think it September to go down to the gin and mill, judging from the number of loads of seed cotton.

Mr. John Willis, our house mover, has moved his house from Blount street up on the hill facing East avenue.

We expect a large crowd here at the Sunday school convention the 11 and 12th of March.

Mr. Richard Wingate has purchased a building lot from Mr. E. J. Gardner up in Tobaccotown, and will build on it soon.

Mr. Fred Smith, of Pitch Kettle, has moved his family to town and has succeeded Mr. C. K. Jackson as dry goods salesman at Messrs. Tripp, Hart & Co.'s.

Mr. William Smith, of Winterville, has moved his family to town and will occupy the Morris house, on Third street. Mr. Smith will engage in the mercantile business.

Pumps, mounted grind stones, horse clippers, lime, cement, dynamite, pistols, cartridges, all sizes and kinds.

It is a little strange that we have a press brick machine in town and then our people order their brock from Haywood Dail. Moral: Because he advertises.

Mr. H. C. Ormond was in town Monday and tells us he never saw the roads worse.

Mr. Luke Mills, a very prosperous farmer, near Greenville, spent Wednesday here on business.

Mrs. Celie Sullivant, of Snow Hill, who has been spending a few days here visiting her daughter, Mrs. W. F. Hart, returned home Monday.

Mr. J. Alfred Gardner, who has been off on a business trip to Richmond and Washington, D. C., returned home Saturday. He tells us that the boys up in the United States senate are looking for Governor W. W. Kitchin.

Miss Dora Hobstetter is very sick at her home on Seminary street.

Dick Taylor, an old colored man who lives in South Ayden, was found unconscious on the road by Dr. Sauls. When taken home and examined he was found to be paralyzed.

The few pretty days has put Ayden on a boom.

The laymen's prayer meeting was largely attended Sunday afternoon. Many interesting talks were made by the brethren. Capt. J. F. Johnson will lead the meeting at the Christian church next Sunday. Subject, "Our Duty to Children."

Mr. Johnson Lang, one of our countrymen was reported as very sick Monday.

Dr. H. P. Loftin, of Hanrahan, was here Tuesday on business.

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A FIRE ALARM SYSTEM.

Greenville Can Have a Good One at Little Cost.

Editor of *The Reflector*:

Your editorial, in your issue of 26th inst., about the lack of a fire alarm system here brought to mind the fact that Greenville could have a very effective system—one which I heard discussed a few days before—at small cost, and with your permission I would be glad to offer a suggestion to the honorable board of aldermen and the people of Greenville, as you failed to do so.

"In the event of fire or a fight to whom and where should I telephone?" asks a citizen. My answer was, if you want a policeman, chase after him or telephone the mayor and let him do it (I believe that's what we have got Mr. Wooten hired for), but I don't know how to go about turning in a fire alarm unless you telephone "central" and let them "holler" fire for you. This last idea is gotten from the fact that when our family hears a lot of shooting as if this were a Mexican border town and a fresh revolution had broken out, one of us runs to the telephone and asks "central," the all wise, "where is the fire?" and I expect every other subscriber does the same thing; provided, they awake and hear the automatics, Smith & Wesson's, Colts, etc., etc., which most of us have provided against the intrusion of burglars, and which should be used for no other cause. Such a method of turning in fire alarms is very dangerous as well as slow and inadequate, and one never hears the "rim" at all unless he is within a block of it at the time.

Now, about a remedy for the evil: We have two men, Messrs. C. E. Rountree and Fab. Haskins, sleeping at the city hall for the purpose of getting the hose wagon to the place of fire at the earliest possible moment. These gentlemen should be thanked for their voluntary services to interests of the town and provided with every convenience and requirement necessary to make speed, even at considerable cost, and since the dogs run on the streets, our principal source of revenue, it seems we could do that much, as there is no need to hire men to "stay with the horse." I understand that Supt. Allen has arranged to always give us quick direct pressure from the plant. That assists materially at a fire for I have seen big fires in Greenville when a ten-foot stream was a long one and when a good stream or two would have saved the day. Without an adequate alarm and possibly a little minor equipment it looks as if we are excellently fixed for fire fighting, but as our firemen are all volunteers it is exceedingly necessary to get them out while the above-named gentlemen are doing their duty. This could be done by having a large fire whistle erected several feet high at the pumping station, so that it could be heard all over Greenville "and then some," never to be used except in case of fire. Then we could use "central" as alarm headquarters (provided the management is willing) and let it be understood among the subscribers that in case of fire in their home, business house or neighborhood, either day or night, that all necessary to turn in an alarm is to step to the telephone, get central and say: "Fire! B. F. Blank's residence," or what other property of Blank's. Central in turn will ring the phone at the city hall—in Messrs. Rountree and Haskins' quarters, and Mr. Allen's residence and the pumping station. But always ring pumping station first.

The above plan would cost little and it seems a town the size of Greenville would make some definite arrangement for turning in an alarm speedily. Central is always very quick to learn where a fire is, as it is.

D. G. A. D.

In the April primaries in Nebraska all parties will make their selection of candidates for congressmen, presidential electors, members of the legislature and governor and other state officers. In addition, national committeemen will be selected, delegates to the national conventions named and a preference vote taken for president and vice president and one United States senator.

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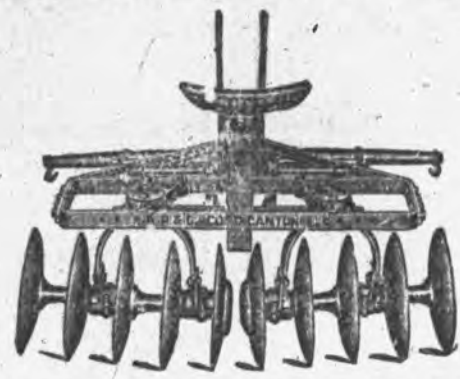
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CONDENSED STATEMENT

THE NATIONAL BANK

GREENVILLE, N. C.

At the close of business February 20th, 1912

RESOURCES.		LIABILITIES	
Loans and Discounts	\$158,855.41	Capital	\$50,000.00
Overdrafts	2,392.97	Surplus	10,000.00
U. S. Bonds	21,000.00	Profits	2,934.22
Stocks and Bonds	2,500.00	Circulation	21,000.00
Furniture and fixtures	7,136.30	Bond account	21,000.00
5 per cent fund	1,050.00	Time certificates of deposit	\$72,839.56
Exchanges for clearing house	\$,891.65	Due from banks	13,024.11
Cash and due from banks	134,176.34	Cashier's checks	342.54
		Individual deposits	144,862.24
			231,068.45
	\$336,002.67		\$336,002.67

State of North Carolina, County of Pitt, ss:

I, F. J. Forbes, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27th day of Feb. 1912. H. D. BATEMAN, Notary Public. My commission expires Oct. 3, 1912.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF

The Bank of Ayden,

AT AYDEN,

in the state of North Carolina, at the close of business, February 20, 1912.

RESOURCES.		LIABILITIES.	
Loans and discounts	\$103,176.48	Capital stock paid in	\$ 25,000.00
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	9.00	Surplus fund	13,125.00
Banking house, furniture and fixtures	1,855.80	Undivided profits, less current expenses and taxes paid	5,285.16
Due from banks and bankers	68,063.54	Deposits subject to check	93,406.97
Cash items	20.00	Savings deposits	37,125.32
Gold coin	157.50	Cashier's checks outstanding	336.59
Silver coin, including all minor coin currency	983.72		
National bank notes and other U. S. notes	5,013.00		
Total	\$179,279.04	Total	\$179,279.04

State of North Carolina—County of Pitt, ss:

I, Stancill Hodges, cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27th day of February, 1912. J. C. JONES, Notary Public. My commission expires Jan. 15, 1914.

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P. M. JOHNSTON WILL BE IN Grimesland during the next two weeks installing a 1000-gallon Pneumatic tank and Pneumatic fixtures and Acetylene gas for Mr. Alston Grimes. His shop will be open only from 7 to 9:30 a. m. and from 5 to 6:30 p. m. or by phone at Mr. Grimes'. 3 1

West Virginia Republicans. PARKERSBURG, W. Va., Feb. 28—Republican leaders representing nearly all of the counties of West Virginia assembled in conference here today to discuss the course to be followed in the coming national and state campaigns. So far as the state ticket this year is concerned the party leaders feel that an energetic campaign will result in a Republican victory, notwithstanding the confidence felt by most of the Democrats that they are going to sweep the state and add to the advantage they gained in the election of a legislature and four out of the five representatives of 1910.

Considerable uncertainty appears to surround the attitude of the Republicans in regards to the presidential nomination. Until the past few weeks it was generally supposed that little or no opposition would develop and that the West Virginia delegation would cast its votes for the re-nomination of President Taft as a matter of course. The La Follette candidacy, even when at its floodtide, appeared to make little impression upon the Republicans of this state. Roosevelt, however, has always had many admirers and supporters in West Virginia and it is reported that today's conference was called with a view to crystallizing the Roosevelt sentiment. This report is strengthened by the fact that the call for the conference was issued from the office of Governor Glyasscock, who is an ardent Roosevelt man. In a statement issued last month Governor Glascock declared that a careful canvass of the political situation in West Virginia had convinced him that the people of the state are overwhelmingly for Colonel Roosevelt for the Republican presidential nomination.

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Louis Waller, the English actor, who has been appearing in New York in the "Garden of Allah," is to become an actor-manager in this country. He will be seen in "Monsieur Beaucaire," "The Three Musketeers" and "The Explorers."

FINANCIAL STATEMENT OF PITT COUNTY

(Continued from Yesterday's Issue).

No.	To Whom Issued	Am't
118	C. D. Rountree	8.87
119	Town of Greenville	17.82
120	Town of Farmville	12.05
121	H. Harding	5.55
122	J. F. Barwick	4.30
123	Abner Eason	.80
124	F. C. Dupree	1.10
125	J. R. Overton	.95
126	W. S. Galloway	1.27
127	R. E. Belcher	2.60
579	H. Harding	6.70
580	C. D. Rountree	13.57
581	J. F. Barwick	2.50
582	S. M. Jones	.82
583	S. T. Carson	.82
584	H. C. Kerney	.15
590	J. C. Gaskins	2.02
1254	C. D. Rountree	18.44
1255	G. W. Venters	.68
1256	Town of Greenville	13.84
1257	Town of Farmville	1.92
1258	S. M. Jones	1.08
1259	G. T. Tyson	.45
1260	R. A. Nichols	.68
1261	E. B. Whichard	.90
1262	J. F. Barwick	5.80
1263	H. Harding	3.75
1264	A. Eason	.80
1989	C. D. Rountree	17.32
1990	D. C. Barrow	.80
1991	R. A. Nichols	1.05
1992	H. Harding	4.32
1993	L. A. Mayo	1.00
1994	G. T. Tyson	2.55
1995	S. T. Carson	1.62
1996	Alston Grimes	.90
1997	T. L. Williams	.82
1998	J. S. Pittman	3.00

No.	To Whom Issued	Am't
1072	R. Williams	50.00

No.	To Whom Issued	Am't
1	D. C. Moore	119.55
264	D. C. Moore	14.05
571	D. C. Moore	174.52
883	D. C. Moore	2.76
885	D. C. Moore	12.65
1067	D. C. Moore	6.00
1068	D. C. Moore	4.00
1069	D. C. Moore	2.31
1116	D. C. Moore	.50
1240	D. C. Moore	110.27
1483	D. C. Moore	1.50
1484	D. C. Moore	3.30
1485	D. C. Moore	8.60
1820	D. C. Moore	3.75
2247	D. C. Moore	6.75
2248	D. C. Moore	5.85
2249	D. C. Moore	3.10
741	D. C. Moore	428.40
1117	D. C. Moore	1.50

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1485	D. C. Moore	8.60
1820	D. C. Moore	3.75
2247	D. C. Moore	6.75
2248	D. C. Moore	5.85
2249	D. C. Moore	3.10
741	D. C. Moore	428.40
1117	D. C. Moore	1.50

No.	To Whom Issued	Am't
209	W. A. Hyman	3.00
223	Wm. Cannon	3.00
224	Abram Garris	3.00
912	W. H. Elks	3.00
1086	Jno. Flan. Bug. Co.	6.50
1654	Bettie Edwards	20.00
2402	J. R. Smith and Bro.	3.00

No.	To Whom Issued	Am't
1802	C. D. Rountree	2.00
1807	G. M. Mooring	2.00
1808	G. F. Evans	2.00

No.	To Whom Issued	Am't
1103	J. O. Proctor and Bro.	5075.00
2266	Greenville Bk. & T. Co.	3500.00
2267	Bank of Greenville	3500.00
2268	National Bk. of G'ville	2000.00

No.	To Whom Issued	Am't
117	L. W. Tucker	27.50
444	S. I. Dudley	30.90
446	S. I. Dudley	31.85
572	L. W. Tucker	32.20
573	S. I. Dudley	20.80
585	J. C. Crawford	6.60
586	B. F. Dawson	9.15
587	W. D. P. Sharp	1.00
736	S. I. Dudley	5.50
1242	S. I. Dudley	13.10
1243	C. C. McNunn	1.40
1244	L. W. Tucker	.75
1310	S. I. Dudley	20.10
1311	J. P. Nunn	58.85
1642	S. I. Dudley	19.40
1811	J. P. Nunn	126.60
1882	A. D. Warren	1.00
1883	L. W. Tucker	.30
1884	S. I. Dudley	14.70

No.	To Whom Issued	Am't
1986	Chas. L. Abernathy	65.50
588	Chas. L. Abernathy	30.50
1896	Chas. L. Abernathy	65.50
1241	Chas. L. Abernathy	101.00

No.	To Whom Issued	Am't
1986	Chas. L. Abernathy	65.50
588	Chas. L. Abernathy	30.50
1896	Chas. L. Abernathy	65.50
1241	Chas. L. Abernathy	101.00

No.	To Whom Issued	Am't
Paupers		2812.40
Witnesses		872.44
Printing and Stationery		936.03
Court House and Jail		96331.55
Superior Court		980.76
Bridges		798.29
County Attorney		300.00
County Home		2713.73
Pactolus Ferry		225.25
Grimesland Ferry		224.80
Greenville Ferry		230.25
Grifton Bridge		5.21
Jail		603.05
Conveying Prisoners		111.95
Juror Tickets		2579.86
Small Pox		792.84
Coroners Inquest		26.70
Superintendent of Health		523.65
Register of Deeds		719.86
Commissioners		773.45
Conveying Insane		46.85
Examining Insane		21.25

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF The Greenville Banking & Trust Co., AT GREENVILLE,

In the state of North Carolina, at the close of business, February 20, 1912.

RESOURCES.		LIABILITIES.	
Loans and discounts	\$187,422.30	Capital stock paid in	\$ 75,000.00
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	1,551.77	Undivided profits, less current expenses and taxes paid	7,331.79
North Carolina state bonds	6,000.00	Time certificates of deposit	\$ 44,960.95
All other stocks, bonds and mortgages	761.74	Deposits subject to check	172,700.30
Furniture and fixtures	5,490.86	Bank deposits	39,702.68
Demand loans	10,000.00	Due to banks and bankers	26.40
Due from banks and bankers	114,774.51	Cashier's checks outstanding	1,155.56
Cash items	1,171.28		
Silver coin, including all minor coin currency	973.22		
National bank notes and other U. S. notes	12,732.00		
Total	\$340,851.28	Total	\$340,851.28

State of North Carolina—County of Pitt, ss: I, C. S. Carr, cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief. C. S. CARR, Cashier. Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 28th day of February, 1912. ANDREW J. MOORE, Notary Public. My commission expires March 31, 1913.

No.	To Whom Issued	Am't
97.56	Justices of the Peace	226.50
476.22	County Auditor	520.00
63.40	Clerk Superior Court	909.36
134.85	Feeding Jury	41.50
6.00	Jury to County Home	30.45
7.00	Opening Gates	6.00
68.55	Pension Board	14075.00
227.55	Bills Payable	421.50
43.40	Sheriff	273.50
1626.00	Solicitor	
259.14		
164.60		131,838.00

FINANCIAL CONDITION OF PITT COUNTY ON DECEMBER 4th., 1911.

DR.		
To amount of audited outstanding indebtedness		305.02
To amount of County Orders issued from Dec. 5-10 to Dec. 4-11	131838.00	
To amount of Bridge Bonds	50000.00	
To amount of Training School Bonds	50000.00	
To amount of Court House Bonds	75000.00	
To amount of Interest on Court House Bonds	1875.00	
To amount of Interest on Bridge Bonds	2500.00	
To amount of Interest on Training School Bonds	2500.00	
To amount due W. B. Wilson, Treas.—Bond Salary Account	1063.99	
		315082.01

CR.		
By amount of County Orders paid during fiscal year as per vouchers filed		126358.07
By amount of County Orders Cancelled		521.02
By amount of interest paid on Bridge Bonds as per coupons filed		2504.00
By amount of interest paid on Training School Bonds as per coupons		2500.00
By amount of Cash on hand belonging to General Fund		1411.60
By amount of Cash on hand belonging to Special Bridge Fund		1806.88
By amount of Cash on hand belonging to General Road Fund		5295.44
By amount due by Pitt County		174685.00
		315082.01

General Fund.		
DR.		
Dec. 5, 1910, To amount on hand		7199.11
To amount from J. P. Quinerly, Chairman		15000.00
To amount from W. M. Moore, R. of D.		236.15
To amount from L. W. Tucker, Sheriff		11038.73
To amount from D. C. Moore, C. S. C.		383.96
To amount from A. L. Tucker		43.78
To amount from D. J. Holland		18.00
To amount from S. I. Dudley, Sheriff		9000.00
To amount from sale of County Bonds		78097.99
To amount from Pitt County Bridge Bonds		333.63
To amount from Bank of Greenville		3500.00
To amount from Greenville Banking and Trust Co.		3500.00
To amount from National Bank		2000.00
To amount of 50 Bridge Bond Coupons charged to this fund in January, 1911 by error		1250.00
To amount of commission @ 2 1-2 per cent on the above \$1250, charged to this fund by error.		31.25
		131632.51

CR.		
By amount of County Orders paid as per vouchers filed		61463.85
By amount of County Orders (Court House and Jail) paid as per vouchers filed		66317.57
By amount of Jury Tickets paid		1076.65
By amount of Com. paid on Receipts and Disbursements not including amounts paid and received on account of Court House and Jail		1362.84
By amount on hand Dec. 4th, 1911.		1411.60
		131632.51

Pitt County Bridge Fund.		
DR.		
Dec. 5, 1910, To amount on hand		335.27