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## C. C. MEANS BUSINESS THIS TIME

### Committee In Charge of Hotel Question Reports Favorably

### \$18,000 ARE ALREADY SUBSCRIBED

Greenville is to have a modern hotel and have it pretty quick if the committee appointed by the president of the Carolina Club a month ago last night, keeps up its good work. \$18,000 have been subscribed and according to the report of the committee not everybody who has signified willingness to take stock has been formally approached as to the amount they wish to invest.

The Club met last night in its regular monthly meeting and after transacting business appertaining to the organization two new members were elected.

Prof. H. E. Austin, of the E. C. T. T. School had been invited to address the members of the Club and kindly consented much to the benefit of all the members who attended last night's meeting. In opening his address Prof. H. E. Austin said that whatever he was about to say should not be termed as a lecture but a talk, but before he finished everybody agreed that it was a lecture and a most interesting one.

His subject last night was "Indexes". By indexes meaning certain characteristics, outstanding characteristics, which to the trained and observing mind serve to indicate and point out as to the character of the person or thing possessing such characteristics. A process of mental deduction, which most benefits the student of things at large.

For instance, he explained, the physical condition of certain children, crying out from imperfections noticeable to the observant, denote a lack of care in these children's homes that handicap them in life. That make a burden for their teachers to instruct them and that necessitate their spending a longer time in schools than it would be the case were they in a perfect physical condition.

The atmosphere of discontent and disorder that may reign in certain business houses or factories would indicate that that particular business is not conducted in a business-like way. In fact you can't hardly see anything but that it indicates to you something else.

As is the case with individuals, so is the case with business houses or factories and communities.

(This is where Prof. Austin began to lecture, but lecture from his heart and because of the interest he has in Greenville's welfare) A community has, like any individual countless indexes that will tell the stranger, as to the character of the people that make up that community. This is where a community does occasionally look itself in the glass, has it over other communities that have no time to devote to the sanitation and purification of their surroundings.

(Prof. Austin mentioned certain facts which may not have escaped us, but which certainly deserve closer attention.) The time has come when competition between communities is very strong and if communities are to grow at all, no pains must be spared to make towns and cities desirable to the stranger from every point of view. A city or town beautiful is a source of pride and pleasure to the people living in it, and from a business point of view is the strongest drawing card to attract desirable citizens to that town or city.

In closing his lecture Prof. Austin moved that the Carolina Club appoint a committee to federate with similar committees from other Greenville organizations. The "business" of this federation of committees to be the keeping up latent the ideal of a sanitary and beautiful Greenville.

Prof. Austin was greatly applauded and his motion that a committee be appointed for the purpose above explained was supported by every member present.

Prof. R. H. Wright was appointed a delegate to the Southern Commercial Congress to be held in Nashville, Tenn., the 6, 7 and 8 of the coming April.

## WORLD

### CONDENSED NEWS ITEMS FROM EVERYWHERE— TOLD BY WIRE

**Would Eliminate Middle Men.**  
ST. PAUL, Minn., March 6.—The most ambitious project ever undertaken in this section of the country for co-operation in the marketing of farm products is to be launched at a meeting which began in this city today. The meeting is to last three days and is attended by representative farmers and grain growers of Minnesota and North and South Dakota. It is planned to organize an association which shall have for its purpose the securing of adequate and satisfactory market facilities for the producer without the necessity of employing so many middle men as at present.

**Canadian Mining Institute.**  
TORONTO, Ont., Mar. 6.—The annual general meeting of the Canadian Mining Institute convened in this city today for a three days' session. The subjects which are to be considered and the many men of wide prominence who are participating, together with the recent mineral discoveries and remarkable development of the mining industry in Canada, combine to give promise of a most important and profitable meeting in the history of the institute.

**Wholesale Lumber Dealers.**  
LOUISVILLE, Ky., March 6.—The National Lumber Dealers' Association which is one of the strongest trade organizations in the United States, met for its annual convention in this city today. Five hundred delegates representing nearly all parts of the country are in attendance. F. R. Babcock of Pittsburg is the president of the association and the presiding officer of the convention.

**Swedish Republicans of Nebraska.**  
LINCOLN, Neb., March 6.—Delegates from forty counties assembled here today for the annual meeting and banquet of the Nebraska Swedish Republican League.

## JURY ACQUITS ACCUSED MAN

### CHARGED WITH FATHER'S MURDER

### NUMA HILL, A WHITE HIGH POINT MAN IS ACQUITTED AFTER JURY HAD BEEN OUT MANY HOURS

GREENSBORO, N. C., March 4.—After deliberating since Friday morning, the jury late Saturday afternoon returned a verdict of not guilty in the case of Numa Hill, a young white man from High Point, who was held responsible for the death of his father, Daniel Hill.

Young Hill and a brother had quarreled and the theory of the state was that Numa Hill fired at his brother, the bullet missing him and striking following day. The defense admitted the father, causing his death the following quarrel, but contended the shot was accidental, the shot exploding when Hill unbreached his pistol preparatory to killing.

### GOOD ROADS ASSOCIATION Meets in Greenville Friday, March 15th.

Notice is hereby given that there will be a meeting of the Pitt County Good Roads Association held in the court house in Greenville at eleven o'clock on Friday, March 15th. All who are interested in bettering the roads of our county are urged to attend this meeting. Especially do we ask the business men, members of all professions, township supervisors and overseers of every road in Pitt county to meet with us, join this association and thus show they are with us in this uplifting work.

We expect to have present experts in the way of road building and speakers. All can afford to give one day or one or two hours to this good cause.

R. R. COTTEN,  
President Pitt Co. Good Roads Ass.

**Big Fish.**  
Some of the largest herrings ever seen on this market have been here the last few days. Many are as large as the ordinary hickory shad.

## Post Office Inspectors, Political Emisaries

### North Carolina Withdrawal of Appointments by President Taft to be Investigated if Resolution Introduced Into Senate by Senator Bristow is Adopted, Men, Sent South as P. O. Inspectors Alleged Political Emisaries

### LEADING NORTH CAROLINA REPUBLICANS WOULD BE SUBPOENAED

All Previous Bounds Have Been Overstepped in an Effort to Get Southern Delegates for the President is charged. To Keep Them Away From President Roosevelt.

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 4.—If Senator Bristow's resolution introduced in the senate today is adopted, calling for an investigation of the withdrawal of appointments in North Carolina and also the charge that postoffice inspectors are being sent through the south as political emisaries to influence federal officeholders to aid in the election of the leading republicans in North Carolina will be subpoenaed and compelled to testify under oath before a subcommittee of the senate.

The Kansas senators' resolution asks for a sweeping investigation of the alleged charges of flagrant use of federal patronage in the south and authorizes the committee to summons such witnesses as it may deem necessary. Mr. Bristow also read a letter from an Alabama postmaster charging that the administration is sending postoffice inspectors throughout the state in an attempt to influence federal officeholders to work for Taft delegates.

Supporters of former President Roosevelt charge that the use of patronage in the south at this time, apparently under the direction of Chairman McKinley, of the Republican congressional committee, as the manager

of the Taft campaign, is on a scale that has never before known in American politics and that all previous bounds have been overstepped in the efforts to win delegates for the President and keep them away from Colonel Roosevelt.

As soon as Senator Dixon took charge of the Roosevelt campaign he gave his attention in the direction of the fight in southern states. It was declared at the Roosevelt headquarters tonight that astounding evidence concerning the activity of federal officeholders in the south are coming to light.

The action of President Taft in withdrawing the North Carolina appointments had been condemned in all sections of the country, regardless of party affiliations.

### Gastonia Interurban Agent Arrives.

Gastonia, Mr. Walter Ramsaur, agent at this point for the Piedmont & Northern Railway, has arrived in the city from Forest City, where he has held a position with the Southern Railway. He is accompanied by his family and they will occupy the Gilliam cottage, corner Broad and Franklin streets, on property purchased by the interurban.

### The Weather.

Rain east, rain or snow west portion tonight and Wednesday, moderate to brisk northeast winds on the coast.

## STATE

### CONDENSED NEWS FROM ALL OVER THE OLD NORTH STATE

**Doing a Good Work.**  
Winston-Salem.—The Associated Charities of Winston-Salem has entrenched itself as one of the most effective organizations in the community and the annual meeting Friday afternoon was largely attended by representative men and women. Miss Annie Grogan, the very able secretary, made a report that showed unmistakably the great good the society is accomplishing in the community, relieving stress without ostentation and exposing sham beggars who might otherwise prey upon charitably inclined people. The substantial interest of the business men and good women of Winston-Salem is putting the organization upon an even larger basis than it has hitherto enjoyed.

### New Home For New Bern Library.

New Bern.—During the past week the citizens of New Bern have contributed the sum of \$4,500 to be used in erecting a new home for the circulating library and a modern public library is now assured. During the past few years this library has been located in a dwelling house and the facilities to be had were very inadequate and unsatisfactory. A lot on Middle street, one of the most public places in the city, has been purchased and the new building will be located there.

### Passing of Well-Known Woman in Cutham County.

Siler City.—Mrs. A. J. Lane died at her home 3 miles west of Siler City, Friday morning, after an illness of about two weeks and was buried at Brush Creek church today at 11 o'clock. Mrs. Lane was a daughter of the late Samuel Siler, for whom Siler City was named. Besides her husband, she leaves four children, namely: J. C. Lane, Thomas G. Lane, T. S. Lane and Miss Kara Lane.

## CHILDREN BURNED ALIVE

### UNABLE TO ESCAPE ANGRY FLAMES

### LONG LIST OF SIMILAR FATALITIES CLAIMED THIS WINTER BY FIRES IN N. C.

SPENCER, March 4.—Two children of Andy Smith, colored, were burned at a crisp Saturday afternoon, when his home went up in smoke, near Organ church, Rowan county. Smith was away from home and the small children were unable to escape the flames when the home caught fire.

### SHE STOOPS TO CONQUER.

### By the Senior Class at the Training School.

She Stoops to Conquer, the great comedy by Oliver Goldsmith, will be presented by the Senior Class of the Training School on Monday evening, March eleventh. This is by far the most ambitious entertainment ever attempted by the school. The performance promises to be much better than that given by any professionals who visit towns of this size. No pains or expense is being spared to make this a high class, artistic production. The costumes are from a professional costumer of Baltimore.

From day to day there will appear in The Reflector various interesting comments on the play; touches of the story, the caste of characters, history of the long popularity of this, one of the world's most popular comedies. Criticism from various sources and features of interest about this particular production.

### Boyd's Ferry Bridge.

A Grimesland delegation was here today in the interest of a bridge across Tar river at Boyd's Ferry. This matter has been before the county commissioners previously and the agitation will doubtless keep up until a bridge is built.

## "NEVER SAID WOULD NOT ACCEPT" --T. R.

### When Question Was Put to Him Said "Yes"

### TAFT CAN'T EXPECT HIS SUPPORT

True he said He Would Not be a Candidate, But Were the People to Offer Him the Nomination His Answer Was in the Affirmative Always.

"The simple fact is that these stories are not misunderstandings. They are deliberate inventions. Mr. Noyes is entirely in error in stating that President Taft thinks he had assurances of support from me. Mr. Taft thinks nothing of the kind. He knows he has no assurance of support from me and Mr. Noyes, nor any one else the least particle of ground for the opinion thus expressed. "I at first thought the story was given out at the White House, but now I am assured that it was gotten up and given out by the Associated Press representative at the White House." "The story was not a misunderstanding, was not based upon misinformation, but was a deliberate invention, without one particle of basis beyond the imagination of the man who made it."—Extracts from Mr. Roosevelt's letter.

## CHILDREN REVEAL REAL CONDITIONS

### Long Hours And Short Wages at Lawrence, Mass

### HOUSE COM. HEARS TESTIMONY

"Canal Water" Was Paid by the Children to the American Woolen Co. at the Rate of 5 cents per Week. Women Beaten by the Police—Children Knocked Down.

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 4.—Girls and boys, 14 and 15 years of age, striking mill workers from Lawrence, Mass., testified today before the house committee on rules, which is considering a resolution to investigate conditions which followed attempts to send children from the strike-ridden city.

Children told of working long hours for low wages, how they had to pay the American Woolen Company 5c a week for drinking water, which they described as "canal water". Some told of seeing women beaten by police and children knocked down and hurled into wagons "like bundles of rags," at Lawrence a week ago Saturday.

Representative Victor Berger, and Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, were again before the committee. Both made statements about the rival union condition at Lawrence, and both were cautioned against the use of personalities.

After testimony of seven or eight children had been taken Max Bogatin, a salesman of Philadelphia, one of the socialist committee which went to Lawrence to accompany the strikers children to Lomes in Philadelphia, was questioned regarding the charges of disorder and brutality at the Lawrence depot. He declared that a soldier tried to keep him in the station by guarding the door with a bayonet.

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The twin stores, Napper Brown and Brown & Co. have joined The Reflector's progressive advertisers and it will pay you to keep an eye on this space for low prices. They will be telling you something worth while from day to day.

## ABANDONED IN DURHAM

### POLICE TRYING TO SOLVE MISTERY

### WOMAN WHO DESERTED THEM SAID TO BE OF GREENSBORO —LEFT THEM SATURDAY NIGHT

DURHAM, March 4.—The Durham officers are making strenuous effort to unravel the mystery connected with the leaving of two infants on the doorsteps of the homes of W. A. Erwin and E. K. Powe at West Durham, late Saturday night.

It is known to the officers that the mother of the children came to Durham from Greensboro and it is alleged that her name was Mrs. Avery. It is known that she attempted to give away her offspring in the railroad station at Greensboro Friday evening to several ladies with whom she came in contact. The reason that she gave for desiring to dispose of her children was that she was not able to care for them. She came to Hillsboro Saturday evening, when she boarded the eastbound train and came to Durham.

### Cotton Unpicked.

It is said there are at least 500 bales of cotton still in the fields in Falkland township unpicked. This estimate was based on the information given by one of the Falkland's farmers and farms with five bales or less were not considered. Most of this cotton will no doubt remain in the field and be plowed in.

## TRAINS

Atlantic Coast Line.	
North-bound	South-bound
5:22 p. m.	6:30 p. m.
8:18 a. m.	1:18 p. m.
Norfolk Southern.	
East-bound	West-bound
1:07 a. m.	3:25 a. m.
9:40 a. m.	7:51 a. m.

## STRICKLAND BLAMES DAVIS

### ATTACKS IN THE STREET

### WILSON TIMES HAD BEEN PUBLISHING LIST OF PEOPLE WHO RECEIVED SHIPMENTS OF LIQUOR

WILSON, March 4.—This evening much excitement was caused by reason of John Strickland making an assault on R. L. Davis, superintendent of the North Carolina anti-saloon league. Recently the Wilson Times has been publishing the names of all parties receiving large shipments of liquor here, and Strickland's name was on a recent list. He blamed Mr. Davis for reporting the matter and this evening, seeing him on Tarboro street, attacked him with his fist. Davis struck Strickland once. Davis retreated in a store and ran behind a counter, Strickland following and trying to get at him, but bystanders interfered. Neither party was injured much. Strickland had his hand badly bruised in striking the blows.

Four persons were sent to the roads yesterday and today charged with conducting blind tigers.

### Mr. Howell Cobb Dead.

Mr. Howell Cobb, a prominent farmer and citizen of Farmville township, died Monday night. He was a brother of Mr. Charles Cobb of Greenville. The latter with his wife, went to Farmville this morning to attend the funeral.

## MARKETS

Wired by Cobb Bros. & Co. N. Y. Cotten.		
	Open.	Close
March .....	10.15	10.25
May .....	10.29	10.36
July .....	10.39	10.49
Greenville cotton .....		10c
Wheat.		
	Open.	Close
May wheat .....	10.35 5-8	10 3-8
May corn .....	71 1-8	70 7-8
May ribs .....	872	885

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TUESDAY, MARCH 5, 1912.

## WONDERFUL PROGRESS OF THE OLD NORTH STATE.

We all remember with pleasure having had in our midst an educator who unblushingly and with pride claims the Region of the Loop hole county in Indiana as his native heath. He is an educator and a most interesting and amusing lecturer and reader.

Prof. R. H. Wright, president of the E. C. T. T. S., is always looking out for such men as Prof. Harold Barnes, of Girard College, Philadelphia, and when the educational meeting was held at that splendid institution some time ago, Prof. Wright secured Mr. Barnes to deliver some lectures. We have to congratulate the President of the E. C. T. T. S. for his choice.

It seems that Prof. Barnes' visit to North Carolina created a most satisfactory impression on him.

Here are a few of the things he had to say about the Old North State: "North Carolina is making a marvelous advancement in the line of education at the present time. From a historical standpoint she has had a vast amount to overcome, much more than nearly any other state in the Union. Her conditions at the close of the Civil War were such that it was absolutely necessary to look after the material side of life before the educational side could be considered.

It was about 1877, during the period that Governor Jarvis was Governor of North Carolina, and Mr. Scarborough was State Superintendent of Public Instruction that a beginning was made in the line of educational advancement. Conditions however were very much against rapid development and it has taken many years to accomplish very much in this direction.

"It was only in 1900 that North Carolina had the lowest per capita for schools and the lowest productive power per capita of any state in the Union with the exception of one. It was the poorest state in dollars and cents and the most illiterate, with one exception.

"The per capita expenditure for education increased from 16 cents in 1870 to 51 cents in 1900. This expenditure more than doubled in the six years following 1900. Some one writing in the Educational Review in Boston in 1907, made a statement that the educators of North Carolina are using educational methods and educational practices at the present time that are better than those used in the North. Since 1900, under the efficient direction and supervision of State Superintendent Joyner and his corps of associates, education in North Carolina has advanced in a surprising manner. System and organization have become a necessary part of the school system. It is State Superintendent Joyner's idea that all phases and plans of the educational system should be thoroughly correlated one with another for the purpose of attaining efficient results and this idea has been and is being carried out at the present time.

"Public high schools are springing into existence rapidly in every part of the state; rural libraries are increasing every month; boys' corn clubs are being organized and the boys are not only learning how to take care of the future farms, but they are also teaching their parents how to make the ground much more

productive than it has ever been before. The good roads movement is in full swing in North Carolina. "In 1911 the South spent \$44,000,000 in the making of good roads. With the exception of Texas North Carolina was far in the lead; spending more than \$4,500,000 for that purpose. The people of North Carolina, in rural districts are beginning to realize Benjamin Franklin's adage that 'God helps them who help themselves' and instead of relying altogether upon the State Educational fund they are rapidly beginning to vote for local tax. The statistics compiled by State Superintendent Joyner shows that in these local tax districts the educational facilities are not only much greater and better, but that almost invariably the school terms are appreciably longer. One of the most startling things to an outsider is the fact that since 1901 North Carolina has built an average of one school house every day in the year, including Sunday. This is a record that it will be difficult to duplicate anywhere else. School houses are not only being rapidly built, but through the influence of the Woman's Association for the Betterment of Public Schools in your state, there is coming to be a much better and a much more cultural environment about every school house than you have ever had before. The women of North Carolina deserve great credit for their part in the upbuilding of the school system of the state.

### IRREPARABLE LOSS

This is not an advertisement and if it should happen to revert to one we might as well start by saying that it was not paid for. That we simply give this the importance we do because it so well deserves it and that we hope something will be the outcome of it.

A few days ago a man had his home burnt. It was not a beautiful and costly home such as ex-Senator Clark of Montana built up in Fifth Avenue, New York. But it was this man's home and we all realize with the proverbial ball in our throats what the loss of our home means.

And especially hard was this man's case. He unfortunately had not taken steps to protect himself in case an account such as did happen were to take place. Not only did he lose his home he lost his "all". With him lived an aged sister who through sheer economy had gathered \$500.00. These she kept in the house which was burned and the currency being of the paper variety was also destroyed.

Almighty hard luck; and the losers have our sincerest sympathy. On the face of this "local and personal" disaster it is to be hoped that all who heard of it and have property or money will learn a lesson which costed this man and woman so much.

It costs little to take a precaution which will mean so much when such accidents take place.

At last night's meeting of the Carolina Club, it was reported that the committee in charge of the hotel proposition had made such progress towards the realization of the project that the modern hotel for Greenville was a certainty.

Mr. Albion Dunn commenting on the good work done by the committee said that no matter what the length of life of the Carolina Club, it had accomplished one purpose for which every member of the club should be proud. "Even if the Carolina Club goes out of existence tomorrow, every member will feel that its time was well spent and its purpose was worthy."

We entirely agree with President Dunn and wish to congratulate him for the selection he made of the committee. Congratulations also to Messrs. W. H. Dail, Jr., C. T. Mumford and B. W. Moseley, the committee, for the excellent work so far performed.

It is work of this kind, which makes a community lift its head.

Every citizen of the county who has proper respect for his home, should condemn the action of these parties who destroyed the stock law fence a few nights ago. A sentiment that leads men to such deeds is dangerous, to say the least of it, and those who approve it are not less dangerous than the perpetrators.

There is a call elsewhere in this paper for a meeting of the Pitt County Good Roads Association on Fri-

## WITH OTHER EDITORS

### The Mob in the Courts.

It is a known fact that the man who in public speech defines an erroneous doctrine falls deeper into the mire when he tries to explain and this perhaps, has never been more strikingly illustrated than in the case of ex-President Roosevelt who at Boston attempted to explain what he meant by his advocacy of the recall of the judiciary in his now famous Columbus speech. He told his hearers at the former city that he did not stand for the recall of the judiciary, (although he favored the recall of judges as provided for in the Massachusetts constitution) but for the recall of judicial decisions, in that the findings of the states' highest courts could be "reviewed" and overturned by the populace. Here is a new gospel, preaching "every man his own judge;" an open surrender of the judiciary to the will of the disgruntled mob, a call to Big Business to turn its streams of gold in the direction of our supreme courts.

Colonel Roosevelt would make every member of the mob a constitutional lawyer; he would raise him to the bench of the state's highest court. Some, perhaps, he would elevate who could not speak the English language had never read the constitution and had only become qualified to vote in the next election. In the parlance of Southern Italy they would reverse Chief Justice White, and in the broken jargon of the Spanish dago they would nullify the

day, March 15th. A look at the public roads now ought to convince every citizen of the county of the need of having better ones, and the meeting should have a large attendance.

The bill before the Virginia legislature providing for the calling of an election for state-wide prohibition passed the house, but when it came to the senate it was killed by a vote of 23 to 15.

They are bringing up some old letters of T. R. in which he said he would not run any more. Guess he overlooked to add the postscript, "burn this"

While after the blind tigers, it might also be in order to pull some of the dealers who sell cigarettes to boys. This is being violated day and night here in Greenville.

If Greenville wants things she must go after them, as they will not come by sitting down and waiting for them.

### This is My Birthday Duke of Hamilton.

The Duke of Hamilton who is the premier peer of Scotland and the holder of nearly a score of titles in the English and Scotch peerages, was born March 6, 1862 and succeeded his kinsman as thirteenth Duke in 1895. When he was a young man he was a poor lieutenant in the navy and there seemed not the remotest chance of his succeeding to the Dukedom,

the labors of Chief Justices, Marshall and Tawney. And the great chief justice of North Carolina, Richmond Pearson, would fare similarly at the hands of the Polack and the Greek. Seriously speaking every American citizen must "view with alarm" the bare possibility of the election to the presidency of a man who would thus throw wide the doors of government to chaos, revolution and anarchy. His so-called charter of democracy would hurl a bomb at the fundamental principles on which this government rests. The men who framed our constitution turned a deaf ear to the preachments of "pure democracy" and gave us a form of federal, representative government. The direct government of "pure democracy" would, in a sense, bring about popular participation in the business of government. Jefferson, a Democrat of the most pronounced type, never contemplated that a majority of the masses should pass whatever laws it pleased and then have the power to set aside the judgment of the courts upholding the rights of the minority.

When Mr. Roosevelt advocates that if a state supreme court should declare a law to be unconstitutional there should be a special election called at once and that the people should vote on the question as to whether or not the opinion should be upheld, he is the embodiment of anarchistic radicalism.—Asheville Citizen.

but the death of the only son of the twelfth Duke and a succession of other deaths placed him at the head of the family. The Duke traces his lineage back for more than 800 years. He has one of the most interesting hereditary offices in the kingdom, for he is Keeper of Holyrood Palace and, in this capacity, the owner of one of the pleasantest suites of rooms in the old home of Scotland's kings. The Duke's own estate, known as Hamilton Place, has often been described, especially the wonders of its famous black marble staircase. Though the holder of one of the proudest titles in the realm the Duke is comparatively poor. His estates, amounting to about 160,000 acres are in trust, according to the will of the late Duke.

### This Date in History March 6.

- 1781—Public reception given to General Washington in Newport, R. I.
- 1792—Assassination of King Gustavus III. of Sweden.
- 1814—Peace of Rastadt, restoring the German frontier to the terms of the peace of Ryswick.
- 1821—Greece began her successful struggle to throw off the Turkish yoke.
- 1831—Gen. Philip H. Sheridan born. Died Aug. 5, 1888.
- 1862—First day of the battle of Pea Ridge, Ark.

### Congratulations to:

Prof. Francis B. Gummere, one of the foremost American authorities on philology, 57 years old today. Edward Patrick Hertney, who holds the office of Register of private bills in the Dominion House of Commons, 61 years old today.

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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 .. 431.08
Cash items .. 2,982.51	Total deposits .. 246,381.92
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	
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. B. W. MOSELEY,  
My commission expires Oct. 3, 1912. Directors.

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# Social and Personal

## A LITTLE WHILE.

Take me a little while today,  
My little child of sun, to play;  
A little while let me be there  
In the gay freedom of bright air,  
Thy bubbling fancy of the mind;  
Take me a little while to find  
The make believes that round thy  
feet

Bloom in the dreams of fairy street.  
  
Take me a little while, my awn,  
To where the shadowy hours have  
flown  
With that which was a childhood  
time

Of mine in foamy fields of rhyme,  
And by the sweet seas that danced  
along  
In silver interludes of song;  
A little while, oh let me play  
In thy green world of child today!

Take me a little while for fun  
To be thy partner in the sun  
Of happy memories and green fact  
Of all sweet images compact,  
To dance, to tumble and to know  
The ripple of the joys that flow  
All up and down your heart like  
Streams  
Of crystal music caught in dreams!

Take me a little while from this  
Dark shadowing of the April bliss  
Of childhood and the ecstatic things;  
Take me a little while on wings  
Of magic that heat up the night  
Unto the fairy hills of light,  
Upon whose peaks, a piny band,  
We ring-around-the-rosy, hand in  
hand!

—Baltimore Sun.

## LOCAL BRIEFS

Odd Fellows meet tonight.

The weather continues ugly enough.  
And the roads get worse and worse.  
The Auxiliary of the C. W. B. M.  
will meet tomorrow at 3 o'clock at  
the home of Mrs. H. B. Harriss.  
The ground hog will be out of busi-  
ness in a few days when it is hoped  
the weather will give the working  
man a chance.

### Pres. Wright's Trip West.

President R. H. Wright of the Train-  
ing School, returned Sunday from  
a trip west. He attended the eighth  
annual dinner of the Schoolmen of  
Cincinnati and the meeting of the  
Superintendent's Division of the National  
Educational Association at St. Louis.

Pres. Wright is giving an interest-  
ing account of his trip in his morn-  
ing talks at assembly.

Before starting on the western trip  
Pres. Wright attended a meeting of  
the Southeastern Division of County  
Superintendents at Fayetteville, where  
he presented an outline of the plans  
and purposes of the Training School.

### Bible Talks at the Training School.

Miss Cutler, who has charge of the  
Bible Study Department of the Y.  
W. C. A. arrived today and will spend  
a week at the Training School. She  
will give half hour talks to the stu-  
dents each evening and will hold  
private conferences with those who  
are especially interested with the  
work.

### Collections for Famine Sufferers.

Raleigh.—Announcement was made  
from practically all the pulpits in the  
city this morning that there will be  
special collections here next Sunday  
morning for the benefit of the famine  
sufferers in China and the congrega-  
tions were urged to be as liberal  
as possible as the needs for this cause  
are very pressing.

### New Regime in New Brunswick.

FREDERICTON, N. B. March 6.—  
Hon. Lemuel J. Tweedie, lieutenant  
governor of New Brunswick since  
1907 ended his term of office today.  
He is succeeded by the Hon. Josiah  
Wood, of Sackville, who has been a  
member of the Senate of Canada for  
more than 15 years.

### Case Takes Unusual Route.

Raleigh.—After being non-suited by  
Judge Wheeler at a former session  
of the superior court and being re-  
manded by the Superior Court on ap-  
peal for a new trial, a verdict for the  
plaintiff is just secured in Wake  
court in R. H. Bell vs. Carolina Light  
and Power Co. It is for \$8,000, the  
suit having been for \$8,000. It was  
for personal damages. The defend-  
ant company has given notice of ap-  
peal this time. The suit is for per-  
sonal injuries.

### Notice!

I will be at the following places to  
collect the state and county taxes.  
Meet me and save cost.

Bethel township, Bethel, March 12.  
Farmville township, Farmville,  
March 12.

Contentnea township, Ayden, March  
12.

Swift Creek township, Grifton, March  
16.

Falkland township, Fountain, March  
16.

Chicod township, Grimesland, March  
16.

Pactolus township, Pactolus, March  
16.

Belvoir township, Bell's X Roads,  
March 22.

Carolina township, Stokes, March  
23.

Beaver Dam township, Arthur,  
March 30.

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Sheriff, Pitt County.

## SUNDAY SCHOOL CONVENTION

For Pitt County Will be Held Next  
Week.

On Monday and Tuesday of next  
week, 11th and 12th, the Pitt County  
Sunday School Convention will meet  
in the Christian church in Ayden.  
The program is as follows:

### Monday.

10:00, a. m. Song service; Address  
of Welcome—C. B. Mashburn; Re-  
sponse—A. G. Coward of Grifton.

10:30, a. m. The County Associa-  
tion; Its Work by J. Van Carter, Gen-  
eral Secretary North Carolina Sun-  
day School Association.

11:00, a. m. Round Table: (1) Or-  
ganized Sunday School Classes, led by  
Rev. E. G. Kilgore Ayden, N. C. (2)  
Sunday School Management—Discus-  
sion, led by A. G. Cox, Winterville,  
N. C.

11:30, a. m. Enrollment of dele-  
gates, appointment on Nomination  
Place of next Meeting, Resolution and  
Constitution.

2:30, p. m. Song service.

2:45, p. m. Discussion: "Does Our  
Country Need a Sunday School As-  
sociation?" Led by Dr. T. E. Peden,  
Rev. J. R. Carroll Prof. H. L. Koontz,  
Prof. J. E. Sawyer

3:15, p. m. Address: "Teacher  
Training; Preparation of the Teach-  
er." Prof. L. R. Meadows East Caro-  
lina Teachers Training School.

3:45, p. m. Round Table. "Ways  
of Working." (1) Increasing Attend-  
ance, led by A. B. Ellington. (2)  
Holding the Scholar, led by R. C.  
Funderburk.

7:30, p. m. Mass meeting with  
musical program and address by J.  
Van Carter on "What the Organized  
Sunday School Movement Means to  
You."

### Tuesday.

10:00 a. m. Devotional Service,  
Rev. G. C. Vauce. Topic: "First, the  
Kingdom of God." Led by Rev. E.  
T. Phillips, E. A. Moye, Rev. J. R.  
Tingle, Prof. R. C. Funderburk, M.  
C. Prescott

10:30, a. m. Address, "Preparation  
of Lesson" Prof. F. C. Nye.

11:00, a. m. Reports of Commit-  
tees and General Business.

2:00, p. m. Song Service.

2:45, p. m. Round Table: "Our  
Sunday School Problems." Discus-  
sion led by Profs. W. H. Ragsdale,  
H. B. Smith C. W. Wilson, and R.  
H. Wright, and Dr. P. B. Loftin, J.  
B. Carroll, H. E. Tripp, J. W. Bryan.

3:15, p. m. Addresses, "Teacher  
Training; The Teaching of the Les-  
son" Rev. B. W. Spillman, Rev. B.  
P. Smith and Ex-Gov. T. J. Jarvis.

3:45, p. m. The Question Box. Any  
Sunday School worker many ask any  
question.

Benediction E. L. Brown.

### Needlessly Blind.

There are estimated to be one hun-  
dred thousand blind persons, old and  
young, in this country. Not less than  
five hundred of these live in North  
Carolina. Had it ever occurred to  
you, gentle reader, that at least sev-  
enty-five to one hundred of these need  
not have been blind—ought not to  
have been and would not have been—  
if proper precaution and preventive  
measures had been employed immedi-  
ately after the birth?

"What blindness means to an intel-  
ligent, capable man or woman," to  
quote the words of a blind man who  
has, in the face of heavy odds, taken  
his place in the world with signal suc-  
cess, "is something which only the  
Lord and the devil and those who  
endure it know anything about; in  
their blackest nightmares, those with  
sight cannot even imagine it." That  
it is possible to prevent much of such  
anguish seems not to have dawned  
upon the average citizen. Is such  
ignorance and indifference not crim-  
inal, positively wicked? Then who is  
responsible?

From one-fourth to one-third of all  
blind children lose their sight from  
what is usually called "sore eyes," "in-  
flammation," etc. This is really "oph-  
thalmia neonatorum" a germ disease,  
which can be cured if taken in time  
and the proper remedies used. These  
remedies should be applied as soon as  
the child is born whether any signs  
of inflammation are discovered or not.  
The remedy will do no hurt; it may  
save your child's sight.

If the eyes, nose, mouth and ears  
of every new-born babe should be  
thoroughly washed in a weak solution  
of boracic acid (borax water), one  
drop of a solution of nitrate of sil-  
ver, not stronger than one per cent,  
put in the eyes of the child thereaf-  
ter kept clean, blindness among chil-  
dren in our state would be reduced at  
least twenty-five per cent. Do you  
realize what that would mean to one  
hundred homes in North Carolina in  
which there are children "needlessly  
blind"?

And are you aware what it would  
save the state financially to thus pre-  
serve the sight of all such children?  
Not less than \$20,000.00 a year. Is it  
not worth the effort? Then does it not  
behoove every one to do all in his  
power to spread the information and  
seek to bless the homes into which  
the little ones come? Let every

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### COUNTY AND CITY OFFICIALS

Churches, Lodges and Social Organi-  
zations.

### County.

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Treasurer—W. B. Wilson.  
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house.  
Surveyor—W. C. Dresbach.  
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J. Holland, J. J. May, B. M. Lewis,  
W. E. Proctor.

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Dyke, H. C. Edwards.  
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S. Spain, C. O'H. Laughinghouse L.  
W. Tucker.  
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C. W. Wilson, superintendent of Sun-  
day school; J. C. Tyson, secretary.  
Christian—No regular pastor.  
Episcopal, St. Paul's—No rector at  
present; H. Harding, senior warden  
and secretary of Vestry; W. A. Bowen  
superintendent of Sunday school.  
Methodist, Jarvis Memorial—Rev.  
E. M. Hoyle, pastor; A. B. Ellington,  
clerk; H. D. Bateman, superintend-  
ent of Sunday school; L. H. Pender,  
secretary.

Presbyterian—No regular pastor;  
P. M. Johnson, clerk.  
Universalist, Delphia Moye Chapel  
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Evans, C. of R.

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**Future of Luxemburg in Doubt.**  
LONDON, March 6.—What future disposition is to be made of Lexenburg? This is the interesting question that has been most discussed in European chancelleries since the death last week of the Grand Duke William, the ruler of the little buffer state wedged in between France, Germany, and Belgium.

Since 1815, and by confirmation under the Treaty of London, the king of the Netherlands was sovereign of Luxemburg. Upon his death in 1890, the operation of the Salic law gave the crown to the late Herzog, Alphonse. The Grand Duke Alphonse had only one son, the hereditary Grand Duke William and the latter had but a daughter.

So the death of Grand Duke William brings to an end, and promises to make the little principality—it's total area is hardly more than thrice that of New York City—the bone of European contention. France sees in its acquisition at once a partial compensation for the loss of Alsace-Lorraine and an advantageous weapon for use in the recovery of the long-lamented Rhineland. Prussia, too, appreciates this most clearly. Holland will in all probability advance a claim to sovereignty, while Belgium doubtless will claim the little territory as geographically her own. To the great powers the strategic value of the country, to the smaller its forests, orchards and vineyards are the attraction, and the makings of a very pretty quarrel lie in the extinction of the House of Nassau.

Mutual jealousies are pretty sure to militate against the success of any plan for the annexation of the little grand duchy to either France, Germany or Belgium. It is probable that the European powers will be obliged to hold a conference to settle the matter and that in the end it will be decided that Luxemburg should continue as the neutral state.

In the event of such a decision being agreed upon, it is safe to assert that the late grand duke William will be succeeded on the throne by his eldest daughter, the Grand Duchess Maria Adelaide, 18 years old and one of the prettiest princesses in all Europe. As a matter of fact, the people of Luxemburg already have proclaimed the youthful Grand Duchess as their sovereign.

Contrary to the general supposition there is nothing in the constitution or laws of the grand duchy to debar Maria Adelaide from the throne. When King William of the Netherlands died in 1890, the Salic law existed in Luxemburg and consequently the female line was debarred from the succession. But some twelve years ago Luxemburg changed the law and enacted a statute permitting the Grand Duke to be succeeded on the throne by the eldest daughter in the event of their being no son.

The Grand Duchess Maria Adelaide is a first cousin of the Duke of Vizeu, who married Anita Stewart of New York. Don Miguel of Braganza, the pretender to the throne of Portugal, is her mother's brother. Her succession to the throne of Luxemburg will constitute an addition to the Roman Catholic sovereigns of Europe. For, although her father and grandfather were both Lutherans, yet her mother, the Infanta Maria of Braganza, is a devout adherent to the church of Rome. It is said that she absolutely declined to give her hand in marriage to the then Crown Prince of Luxemburg unless he agreed to permit all the children born of the union to be brought up in her faith.

Luxemburg has engaged the anxious attention of the diplomats of Europe for years because the great military road for invading armies of Germany and France lies through it. Its area is almost insignificant. An army could march from the northern to the southern frontier of the country in 24 hours, or from the eastern to the western in half a day. The withdrawal of six thousand Prussians in 1870, the garrison necessary to man the defenses of the city, which is the capital of the grand duchy, in time of peace, reduced the population one-half. But in later years the new quarter of the city, made possible by leveling the fortifications, has drawn foreign residents to the picturesque capital, so that its present population numbers about 20,000. Nearly one hundred soldiers with two officers, all volunteers, guard the historic parapet about which the continent of Europe battled so long. The entire standing army of Luxemburg numbers less than four hundred volunteers. The chief industries of the grand duchy are stock-raising and mining. The people are mostly of German origin but French is the prevailing language.

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And He Wants Everybody to Vote For Him.

For thirty years the editor of The Reflector has been working for other people, helping them get votes and offices and advancing their interests in various ways and in all these years he has never asked a public favor for himself or been a candidate for votes. But now he has made up his mind to ask for something. Yes, he is a candidate and is going to get right in the scramble with a determination to win. Not in a political scramble, however, for it is not an office he wants, but it is a contest of another kind. Here it is in a nut shell:

The Raleigh News and Observer has inaugurated a great subscription voting contest and the leading prizes offered in that contest are five automobiles. Now The Reflector man wants one of those automobiles and wants it bad enough to ask his friends in Greenville, Pitt county, throughout Eastern Carolina and elsewhere, to help him get it. He has been taking it a-foot for a great many years and would not mind riding it before he quits going.

Somebody is going to win those prizes and wouldn't you like to see one of them come down here in Eastern North Carolina? A little co-operation on your part will bring it, and The Reflector man is going to ask you to give him that co-operation. All you have to do is to vote for him in the contest and that does not cost you anything. If you subscribe for the News and Observer vote for him, or clip the coupons out of that paper and vote for him on them. In fact, do both and ask your friends and our friends to do likewise and help us get votes enough to win the automobile. Send the votes direct to the contest manager of the News and Observer or to the editor of The Reflector.

We will have more to say about this from time to time during the contest. Remember we want your votes.

Enterprise, indeed! a motor boat is operating on the Dead Sea. Next thing old Chadron will have something of the kind on the ferrying of the River Styx.

State of Ohio, city of Toledo, Lucas County, ss.  
Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of HALL'S CATARRH CURE.  
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Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1898.  
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Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Send for testimonials, free.  
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Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

# CONDENSED STATEMENT OF CONDITION OF Greenville Banking & Trust Company

FEBRUARY 20, 1912

RESOURCES		LIABILITIES	
Loans & Discounts	\$197,422.30	Capital Stock	\$75,000.00
Overdrafts	1,551.77	Undivided Profits	7,331.79
Stocks and Bonds	6,761.74	Due Banks	29.40
Furniture and Fixtures	5,490.86	DEPOSITS	258,519.49
Cash & Due from Banks	129,651.01		
	\$340,877.68		\$340,877.68

All accumulated Surplus and Profits paid out on May 1, 1911, and increased from \$25,000.00 to \$75,000.00. C. S. CARR, Cash



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NOAH'S LINIMENT gives relief for all Nerve, Bone and Muscle Aches and Pains more quickly than any other remedy known. IF PENETRATES—It is triple strength and a powerful, speedy and sure PAIN REMEDY. Sold by all dealers in medicine at 25c per bottle and money back if not satisfactory

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"I had been suffering with rheumatism for three years. Have been using Noah's Liniment, and will say that it cured me completely. Can walk better than I have in two years. Rev. S. E. Cyrus, Donald, S. C."

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"While working at my trade (iron work) I got bruised and cut frequently, and I find that Noah's Liniment takes all the soreness out and heals the wound immediately. Edward Ryan, Swansboro, Va."

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"I suffered ten years with a dreadful sore pain in my back, and tried different remedies. Less than half a bottle of Noah's Liniment made a perfect cure. Mrs. Rev. J. D. Billingsley, Point Eastern, Va."

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"My son has been suffering with bronchitis and asthma, and a very bad cough. Was confined to his bed. Some one recommended Noah's Liniment, and I rubbed his chest and back with it and gave him six drops on sugar, and he was relieved immediately. Mrs. A. L. Whitaker, 613 Holly Street, Richmond, Va."

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Can you figure out why an ad in either of these papers won't pay?

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., March 6.—A movement is under way to obtain a commutation of sentence in the case of Hez Rasco, the murderer of the Hubbell family, who is to be executed this month. Rasco's crime was one of the most atrocious in the criminal records of Missouri. His victims were Odell Hubbell and his wife and two children, who were found murdered in their home in Nodaway county on November 20, 1910. Suspicion pointed toward Rasco who had served a prison term for murder. Bloodhounds followed the trail to his home where he was found in hiding. A bloody shotgun was found on the Rasco premises and the shoes of the suspected man fitted the tracks around the Hubbell home. He was tried at Maryville a year ago and found guilty. According to the evidence at the trial a poker game in which Rasco lost heavily and Hubbell won, furnished the motive for the quadruple killing.

# INDIGESTION IS POISON

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